

Enter Without Knocking  
and Remain Under the  
Same Conditions.

# PORTALES TIMES.

If You Can't Boost Don't  
Knock—There's Nothing  
Here for the Knocker.

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**HUMPHREY & SLEDGE**  
HARDWARE

**You Irrigation Men and Alfalfa**  
Raisers, Fruit Tree Folks and Gardeners, why not  
fence your fields with Union Fence before the rab-  
bits entirely destroy the results of your year's labor.

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## MOTOR DRIVEN PUMPS CHASE DULL CARE AWAY

In the Famous Portales Valley Under Our Big Irrigation Project They  
Have Demonstrated Their Superiority Over All.

The Mammoth Westinghouse Plant Supplies the Juice, the Farmer Pushes  
-the Button and, Presto, Your Fertile Acres are Flooded

No matter how hot the sun  
shines.

No danger about the effect of  
hot winds.

No necessity of shooting off  
cannon to make it rain.

No care as to the amount of  
rainfall.

No possibility of a crop failure  
or shortage.

No gasoline or oil engines to  
break down when needed.

No heavy expenses at machine  
shops for broken parts of engines.

No dependence on the Oil  
Trust.

No excessive freight rates  
on oil.

No broken or troublesome en-  
gines at the time needed most.

No labor repairing ditches for  
the benefit of others below you.

No chance for your neighbor  
to take all the supply as with  
acequias.

No annual tax for ditch rental  
and maintenance.

No partiality toward a neigh-  
bor by the ditch supervisor.

No planting of your fields with  
weeds by seeds carried down in  
ditch water.

Pump all the water you want  
and whenever you want it with  
less total cost, with no chances  
of failure, no waste of energy  
and time.

The above was swiped, body  
and soul from an advertisement  
in the Albuquerque Morning  
Journal, but it was so peculiarly  
adapted to our big irrigation  
project here, and it so thoroughly  
explained our advantages over  
the other irrigated districts of  
the state, that it was absolutely  
impossible to resist the tempta-  
tion to steal it. There is room  
in the above for a world of thought  
by the careful investor and by  
the man who wants to play his  
money on a cinch. The Portales  
irrigation system has passed the  
period of uncertainty, it has  
weathered the gales of doubt and  
successfully stemmed the shoals  
of "Doubting Thomases" and  
presents to a man of moderate  
means a golden opportunity for  
the establishment of a home in  
a community where all question  
of failure has been eliminated;  
where everything that nature  
has failed to provide has been  
furnished by the ingenuity of  
man. The big Westinghouse en-  
gines have stood the test of time  
and have proved to the world  
that they can deliver the goods.  
The Westinghouse motors have  
been much better than they were  
represented, and the makers  
were not modest in their claims  
for them, either. The  
water supply has increased,  
rather than diminished and, in  
fact, the Portales Valley is just  
now the envy of all its neigh-  
bors, and the Portales Irrigation  
company is the one factor respon-

sible for this happy condition of  
things. A year or two ago we  
were not on the map, even as an  
humble aspirant for recognition  
as a dry farming community,  
yet, one short year after the in-  
stallation of this big irrigation  
system, we are known from  
coast to coast, and our splendid  
water as you want it lands have  
more than doubled in price, and  
much of it cannot be had at all.

### A Good Rent Proposition.

We are informed that the man-  
agement of the Irrigation com-  
pany, being desirous of having  
all the land possible under crop  
this year and there being some  
six or seven hundred acres avail-  
able, will be willing to rent this  
land to desirable tenants at a  
very low rental; in fact, practi-  
cally for the cost of putting water  
on the same. This is a great op-  
portunity for some good farmers  
who have not the capital required  
to buy a piece of land, or who  
want to locate in this valley, to  
get started here. By joining the  
Canteloupe Growers association  
and taking a piece of this land, a  
man would be able to turn some  
quick money in the raising of  
canteloupes only. He could also  
raise various other crops, such as  
peanuts, sweet potatoes, onions,  
string beans, etc.

The general manager of the  
company informs us that he will  
not option any land for sale, nor  
will he rent any land in con-  
nection with an option. He calls at-  
tention to the fact that land values  
have jumped one hundred per  
cent in the past five months and  
states that he has established a  
fixed price on the land and in-  
tends to maintain the prices so  
established, irrespective of where  
the market will rise. He further  
states that he is so well satisfied  
with the ease with which this  
land can be sold that he is not in  
favor of optioning any of it, nor  
in favor of trades of any kind.  
The land is marked so low that it  
is very certain to go at cash  
prices, or on very short terms.

The matter of renting for a  
year, however, offers some very  
good opportunities to a man  
to make some quick money, and  
the fact that the Irrigation Com-  
pany is willing to allow the land  
to be cultivated for the purpose  
of having crops on it, rather  
than for any profit which they  
might make out of it, will offer  
an opportunity the equal of which  
cannot be obtained anywhere in  
the west. Owing to the fact  
that the acreage so available is  
limited, it would be well for any  
one wishing to rent some of this  
land to get busy at once.

The power plant will be in op-  
eration the first week in March  
and with the moisture now in  
the soil, it is in an elegant con-  
dition for preparation for crops.

We would like to call the atten-  
tion of those people in the east  
who might be interested to the  
fact that we have an early season  
and a long season here, and in  
any of them wish to get in on  
this renting proposition, it will  
be necessary for them to make a  
decision within the next few days.

### More Irrigated Land Sold.

We are glad to note another  
sale of irrigated land, under the  
Portales project the same being  
the Ben Smith tract located  
eight miles from town, to Mr.  
H. E. Davis, of Texas City,  
Texas. Mr. Davis stated that  
he had spent in the neighbor-  
hood of five hundred dollars trav-  
eling over the western states ex-  
amining various irrigated areas  
and properties and that he was  
fully satisfied the Portales valley  
offered greater inducements, had  
better soil and better water than  
any other district he had visited.  
As evidence of his good faith, he  
has made an investment in the  
neighborhood of forty-five hun-  
dred dollars for forty acres of  
this land, and we understand  
that he is now packing up his  
furniture and will be here soon  
to build a house and put in his  
crops. One thing that appealed  
to Mr. Davis was the fact that  
the well, ditches and land were  
all in shape and ready for a crop.  
He stated that he had visited a  
great many districts, in which  
they gave him many promises  
of what they expected to do in  
the way of development, both  
as to water and land, but that  
this was one of the places where  
they were delivering the goods.

### For an Inter-Coastal Road.

Col. A. T. Monroe, the boost-  
ing secretary of the Portales  
commercial club is in receipt of a  
letter from Mr. Z. E. Black,  
chairman of the Plainview,  
Texas, chamber of commerce, in  
which he desires to know  
whether or not Portales would  
be interested in promoting an  
inter-coastal automobile road,  
one that would be just what the  
name signifies, a practicable  
auto road from coast to coast.  
He also wanted to know what  
time would suit the club here to  
take the matter up with him  
personally and to set a time for  
him to come here and meet the  
club. Secretary Monroe wrote  
him that Portales certainly was  
interested in such a project and  
that the club would be pleased  
to meet and confer with him at  
any time he could make it con-  
venient to come. There is a  
good auto road, or rather one  
that could, with but small ex-  
pense, be made good, between  
here and Elida and, naturally,  
it would be up to Roswell and  
Elida to complete the road be-  
tween their points. However,  
this movement should be fostered  
and, if possible, it should be put  
through. Any thing that will  
tend to make Portales more ac-  
cessible or tend to promote  
travel in our direction should re-  
ceive the attention which its im-  
portance may seem to indicate.

There will be a called meeting  
of the Eastern Star on Friday  
night March 1st, 1912 to take in  
candidates. All members are re-  
quested to be present.

Mrs. Hardy, Worthy Matron,  
Mrs. Priddy, Secretary.

### Enhoisted by Their Own Petard.

James Ryther, who went to  
Red Bluff, a small place about  
sixty miles south of Carlsbad,  
last week, returned Sunday. He  
reports that he secured the man-  
agement of a large irrigated  
farm at that place at a good sal-  
ary. Among other things he  
said that he was compelled to  
stop a day and night at Roswell  
and, the next day chancing to  
linger a little at a new building  
that was under erection, he over-  
heard some real estate men load-  
ing a bunch of prospectors. It  
appears that these prospectors  
had heard of the Portales Valley  
and were asking about it. They  
were informed by these men that  
the Portales Valley had nothing  
of consequence to offer, in the  
way of good irrigated property,  
that here we had to pump our  
water from two to three hundred  
feet and, at that, we had only a  
very short supply. About this  
time Mr. Ryther butted into the  
conversation and told the stran-  
gers the truth about our irriga-  
tion system here, and showed  
them a picture of a load of onions  
he had raised here last year.  
About this time the Roswell pros-  
pectors began to prick up their  
ears and wanted to hear more.  
Mr. Ryther was not slow to com-  
ply with their request and, for a  
good hour he held their attention  
and told them all about our big  
irrigation plant, what unqualified  
success it had proven to be, how  
the alfalfa fields and orchards  
had responded to irriga-  
tion and how the fame of this  
wonderful valley was going out  
to the world until we were fast  
becoming the envy of all our  
neighbors, that for this reason  
some unscrupulous real estate  
men of Roswell and other local-  
ities, were telling these stories.  
It is not believed that any of the  
sure-enough real estate men of  
that place would be guilty of  
such conduct, but the real estate  
business like all other callings,  
has some shysters in its ranks  
and people should not overlook  
any opportunities to expose and  
confound them. Roswell has  
some of the keenest and best, as  
well as the most honorable men  
in the west engaged in the busi-  
ness of selling land, but you will  
not find them countenancing any  
such methods as those stated  
above. The gentlemen who had  
inquired about this place were so  
favorably impressed with the  
representations of Mr. Ryther  
that they followed him to this  
place last Monday and are happy  
on the way to some real, sure-  
enough irrigated bargains, those  
knockers to the contrary, not-  
withstanding.

D. Hardy has awarded a con-  
tract to T. N. Harris for the  
erection of a modern six room  
bungalow, the same to be built  
between the residences of Mr.  
Hardy and A. T. Monroe. The  
actual work of construction on  
this residence will begin next  
Monday. It will have all the  
modern improvements, such as  
water, light and bath room.

The Woman's club will meet  
next Wednesday afternoon with  
Mrs. T. J. Molinari as leader.  
Mothers and teachers are espe-  
cially invited. Subject, "Help-  
ful Books and Magazines for  
Boys, Girls and Small Children."

## REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE GIVES A PUBLIC SMOKER

Commercial Club Rooms Thronged With Enthusiastic Boosters Who  
Pledged Themselves for a Greater and Livelier Portales

The Portales Concert Band Furnished the Music and Frank Joyce and  
Prominent Portales Citizens the Oratory

The members of the Portales  
Real Estate exchange gave a  
smoker at the commercial club  
rooms Wednesday night which  
was unusually well attended.  
Short addresses were made by  
President A. A. Rogers, Judge  
W. E. Lindsey, Mr. Frank Joyce,  
Judge G. L. Reece, Sam J. Nixon  
and Capt. T. J. Molinari. The  
object of the smoker was to get  
the people of Portales together  
on the proposition of the sale of  
our lands. To eliminate, as far  
as possible, the cut throat tactics  
generally employed where there  
is no organization, and where  
prospective purchasers are turned  
loose to the mercy of curb stone  
dealers and irresponsible brok-  
ers. The people who suffer most  
from an indiscriminate scramble  
among land agents to beat some  
one else to a customer is the in-  
nocent land owner and the pros-  
pective buyer. However, Por-  
tales, in the past has been un-  
usually fortunate in so far as hav-  
ing little or no trouble, in this  
particular. For all that, this real  
estate exchange is one of the  
best and most important organ-  
izations that has come to Portales  
for some time. It will mean a  
uniform system of advertising,  
more and better facilities for

showing and demonstrating our  
resources, a better feeling among  
our business men and our land  
men. It will mean a united and  
a concerted movement to bring  
into our community only the  
very best character of home  
builders and those who will be  
calculated to have sufficient  
means to buy and properly culti-  
vate the land. Also the exchange  
will discourage purely specula-  
tive purchasers and purchasers  
of large tracts, and encourage  
buyers only who will come here  
and make their homes with us,  
in this way it is hoped that a  
good, substantial family will  
soon be living on every forty  
tract of irrigated land we have.

There is no plausible reason  
why every business man in Por-  
tales should not join this asso-  
ciation, not as an active, but as  
a social member. At the conclu-  
sion of the oratory nearly every  
one present signified their inten-  
tion to identify themselves with  
the exchange. The Portales  
Concert band were there and  
furnished some excellent music  
for the occasion, for which they  
were tendered a vote of thanks  
by those present. Portales sure  
has a good band, one that is a  
boost and a credit to it. What  
are you doing to help it along.

### Join the Canteloupe Growers.

Too much stress cannot be  
laid upon the importance of put-  
ting in a large acreage of cantel-  
oupes this year. It has been  
shown upon what is considered  
high authority, that this is a  
sure crop where irrigation is em-  
ployed, and it is a well established  
fact that this product always  
enjoys a ready and a profitable  
market. That they can be  
grown here successfully and  
profitably has been clearly dem-  
onstrated by the experience of  
some of our truck growers, who  
have produced some of the very  
finest quality. That care should  
be taken in the selection of the  
seed, and that some instruction is  
necessary as to the manner of  
their cultivation and harvest is  
also a fact, but these are  
matters only of detail and should  
be in no manner, cause any one to  
hesitate about putting out a few  
acres. There has been formed  
in this community a canteloupe  
growers association, the busi-  
ness of which is to instruct and  
advise those who, from lack of  
former experience, are not ac-  
quainted with the details of  
growing and marketing this  
crop. This is a very meritorious  
association and should be fostered  
and encouraged in every way  
possible. It will not only teach  
you how to farm this commodity  
but it will assist and instruct  
you in the selection of the seed,  
the preparation of the ground,  
the cultivation of the crop and

its marketing, in fact, it will  
take the place of a school of in-  
struction and teach you any and  
all the parts of the business  
with which you may be unfa-  
miliar. It will stand between you  
and the greed of the commission  
men, protecting you from any  
sharp practices they might seek  
to employ against you. Study  
well this matter before you  
hastily cast it aside. Can you  
afford to overlook any proposi-  
tion that may mean hundreds of  
good, round dollars yearly to  
your income, provided always  
that you have an income, and a  
proposition that will add thou-  
sands of dollars to the wealth of  
the town and to the county.  
Rocky Ford, Colorado, became  
famous for her canteloupes  
alone, and but for their agency,  
that place would, in all probab-  
ility, have never been on the map.  
Today "Rocky Fords" are  
known and bought from the Pa-  
cific to the Atlantic. Why not  
get busy and help to get Portales  
on the map. Join the Cantel-  
oupe Growers association. Join  
the Boosters association. Join  
the Anti-Knockers association.  
Join every association that will  
help to develop the Portales Val-  
ley and get more high priced  
crops growing.

Rev. E. P. Alldredge returned  
from a trip over the Belin cut-  
off Monday. He tells some pret-  
ty strong ones about the cold  
wave which he ran into during  
this journey.



# Portales Times

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SUBSCRIPTION \$1.00 PER YEAR.

Advertising rates 50 cents an inch per month. Local rates 5 cents per line each insertion. Legal advertising, six point type, 75 cents per line for first publication, 5 cents per line for each subsequent publication.

## Make the School Property Worth Something.

What is the use of keeping the school money that is now in the hands of the town board lying idle when it could be put to a good and profitable use, could be made to grow and to help in the development of the town, at the same time? Why not take about \$1,500 of it and put down a well, contract with the irrigation company for the juice, install a twenty-five horse power motor and a six inch pump and irrigate all that portion of the school section now owned by the school. A double row of trees could be planted on each side of the streets, one on either side of the sidewalk line, also the park which has been dedicated to the town, could be put in trees and all of this land watered. This would enhance the value of the property owned by the school more than one hundred per cent and it would also make the property saleable, something that is not true now, and it would add to the attractiveness of the city as nothing else would do. This water right could be sold to the purchasers of the lots and blocks at a price that would more than reimburse the school fund. As the matter now stands the money can be demanded and secured for school maintenance, which means that in the course of a year or two, we will have no outside available school money. This kind of a proposition would put this idle money to a safe and profitable use for the benefit of the school fund itself. What earthly good is that money to our schools in its present condition, it draws no interest, it benefits the school not at all, either directly or indirectly. The Times believes that this is a good business proposition, one that is legitimate and one that will redound to the good of the school and to the good of every citizen of Portales. Why not take this matter under advisement, investigate it and, if it can be done lawfully, do it? Let's hear from some one on this proposition. The columns of the Times are open for discussion on either side of the matter.

The recent rain and snow storms emphasize the necessity for some effective work on our streets and on those places where crossings ought to be. Of course, the present appearance of the streets are a sort of an advertisement to new comers who have been told that it never rains here, and may furnish indisputable proof that we have been libeled in this respect, nevertheless, the Times believes that this proof could be furnished in a manner much less detrimental to the public convenience.

The booster edition of the Albuquerque Morning Journal was a peach and the Times has only one fault to find with it, it didn't devote enough space to the Portales Valley, and it did absorb considerable room lauding many localities of minor importance. The Journal is the best paper in the state and it should get right on this Portales Valley proposition. Don't again overlook the biggest thing in this new commonwealth, Mr. Journal.

It will take the entire time of twenty good boosters to counteract the evil effects of one unscrupulous knocker. Cut it out.

No, son, a knocker is not a normal human being, he is an illegitimate monstrosity of misguided manhood, a detriment to his town and a misery to himself.

It has been suggested that hammers, concealed or visible, are deadly weapons and that persons who habitually "tote" one should be prosecuted under this act.

What are you doing toward helping to boost your town? You'll never be any good to your community until you bury your hammer and don your hustling clothes. Do it now.

Get busy and think up a bunch of good boosters for our next town board. The Times would suggest as two such, Messrs. N. Connally and W. B. Reid. Now dig up three more.

What are you doing toward getting real farmers on our irrigated lands? Might as well not have any irrigated land as to let it lie idle. Help Mr. Rogers, he is trying to help you.

In writing to the friends and relatives back home don't forget to put in a good word for our big irrigation plant here. A few words written the home folks may mean one or two more good families on our irrigated lands.

Why not spend some of that school section land money putting out trees around the lots and blocks still owned by the school? It would not only beautify the town but would enhance the value of the property. Say what you think about it.

Beware of the knocker, he is an enemy to your town, an enemy to mankind and an enemy to himself. He is so mean he would knock any trade he was making for himself rather than to lose an opportunity to operate that villainous hammer.

Don't overlook tree planting this spring. There is nothing that will do so much to enhance the appearance of your town as trees. Not only should every residence lot be surrounded by trees but our business streets should have rows of them on both sides of the walks. Plant trees.

It appears to be a fad with some people to cuss the real estate men, yet they do more to build up the community in which they live than any other people in the world. Every town that has ever amounted to anything or that has succeeded in getting on the map owes whatever of prosperity they have enjoyed to their live, hustling real estate men, the croakers to the contrary notwithstanding.

## H. C. McCallum

Is the man to get to do your dray and transfer work. Always on the job.

Call Me at Phone 104

### For Sale.

Remington Typewriter good condition cheap, see W. E. Lindsey.

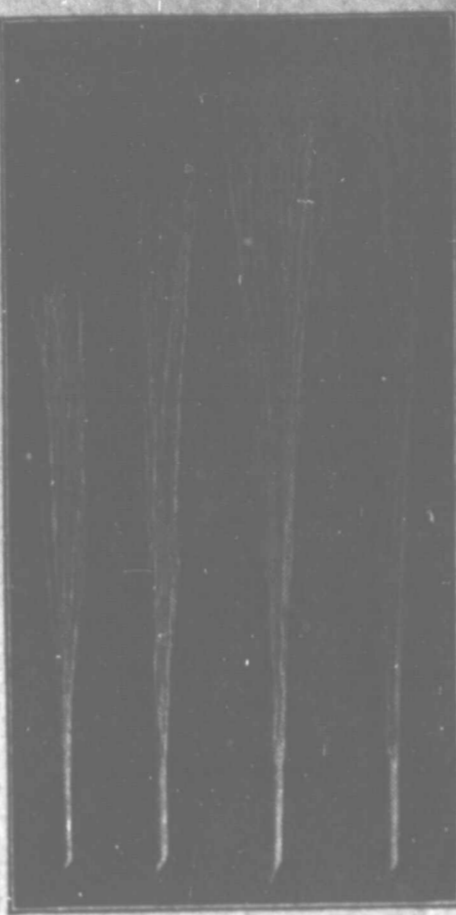
See Saylor before you sell your poultry. He pays the highest cash price.

The American Lady the best flour ever in Portales, for sale by C. V. Harris.

When you want a good tailor made suit or your old one to look like new, call Landers & Lawrence, the tailors.

## BROOM CORN CULTIVATION

Discussions by Men Experienced in Growing This Valuable Crop



No. 1.

THE ABOVE ILLUSTRATION IS NUMBER ONE QUALITY.

Number 1, which is Standard variety, with a few center stems as possible, is the most desirable quality that has no kinky or rough tip. With stalks 4 to 6 inches, the straw is the variety most desired by all manufacturers.

It should run of equal portions, 18 inches to 22 inches, which will make all length brooms the market demands. Such growth and quality, with a pea green color, no ripe or red, should command the very highest market price, and will find ready sale on any market, when low grade goes at very much lower prices and but little demand for low grades.

Dwarf of high quality, if handled and shedded with the same pains, will produce almost as profitable as Standard. However, by pulling the Dwarf leaves too much excessive waste. The buyer must consider in buying which is a trifle lower price quality taken into consideration.

### FOREIGN FIELD FOR BROOM CORN.

(By James Jay, Lindsay, Oklahoma.)

It has been my experience that it is much cheaper to buy broom corn seed from those who make a business of raising pure seed, than it is to save it as broom corn runs out very easily, and it requires a great deal of work to cut out any smut heads when it is growing.

One method of seed testing is to test the seed in warm water, but we have not secured any inferior seed from our seedsmen.

In this country the ground is prepared by listing, same as for Indian corn, and is cultivated as soon as possible, that is, when it gets about four inches high, and should be ploughed as often as possible, chopping out the big weeds, and afterwards let it mature.

Seventy-five to one-hundred seeds is planted to the rod. This is determined, however, according to the ground. On rich land, one-hundred seeds should be planted to the rod, but on fair land only about eighty.

Broom Corn should be cut just as soon as the bloom is off and seeded as fast as it is cut. Then put in the shed so that the sun will not be on it any more than is necessary, as the sun makes the straw brittle, and should not be stacked in the field. It will pay any grower of broom corn to build a shed, for one little rain will do more damage than the shed will cost. These observations are the result of forty years experience in broom corn raising.

If I had not had a broom corn crop this year, I would not have had anything, as everything else failed that I had planted.

Would advise shedding broom corn as soon as it is cut to secure a good color, and don't allow the corn to get too far forward before cutting, and be certain your man takes the boots off. For baling, the brush should be butted down good and even before it goes to the man in the baler, for no man can put up a nice bale of broom

corn without it first being butted down well.

Seeding should be done every day, but considering the matter of good pure broom corn seed, it is the most important factor in raising a crop.

### BROOM CORN SEED BED FIRST THING FOR CONSIDERATION

(By Luke H Hood, Arcola, Ill.)

In raising broom corn, first thing to be considered in raising and handling the crop is the seed bed.

To get good bed, plough the ground as early in the spring as possible, plough five or six inches deep at least and let the ground lay until you are ready to plant. This will give time for the weed and grass seed to get started. Then disc it and work down thoroughly with roller, and harrow it.

The next thing is seed, and for one not experienced in taking care of seed, it will be much better to get the seed from some good reliable seedsmen. If, however, the person should prefer to save his own seed, he should let the broom corn stand in the field until good and ripe, then cut and shelve up, leaving it on the shelf until it is thoroughly cured, after which it should be threshed and stored in a good dry place.

In testing seed, I find it a good way to take a sample of the seed and roll it tightly in a piece of old worn cloth, next, wet this thoroughly in warm water, and keep in a warm place for a few days. Then unroll and you can see what per cent of good seed you have. Care should be taken however, to keep the cloth damp.

Plant in rows three feet, four inches apart about sixty seeds to the rod, and plant two and one-half inches deep. After the corn is up about an inch, put the roller on it. Next give it a good ploughing with any good cultivator, or eagle claws. The three shovel cultivator is preferable for the first two cultivations, after which we use the surface cultivator. After the broom corn is ploughed three or four times, it should be laid by when about waist high. Cutting should begin as soon as the seed begins to fill out or as soon as the heads are all out. If the weather will permit, allow the corn to lay on the table until the following day. Corn should be shaded while you seed it, and placed on slats about three inches deep, or a good armful to an eight foot slat. The depth, however, will depend on the condition of the corn, and also whether the shed is an open or a closed one. The air should be allowed to pass freely through the corn.

Leave the corn on the slats eight or ten days, or until the stems are dry. Broom corn should be blocked before baling as it puts it in better shape to bale, makes a smoother bale and doesn't take as many men to handle it. Let the corn lay in the bulk a week or ten days. Care should be taken in baling to straighten the corn, or placed in small bunches while baled.

We prefer the Australian variety of seed, as the brush is longer, and runs more to hurl.

### BROOM MANUFACTURERS WILLING TO PAY HIGHER PRICES FOR GOOD BROOM CORN.

(By Herbert P. Gardner, of Gardner Broom Co., Amsterdam, N. Y.)

Farmers stand in their own light in the way they prepare their broom corn for market. In the first place, they are not particular enough with the seed they select for planting; and after planting, not enough attention is paid to cultivation. As a general rule, later on they are careless about harvesting their broomcorn, and very often a little of it stands in the field for quite a long time, with the result that a lot of red corn is produced.

Very many growers think that anything will do as long as it gets into the bale, paying no attention to the very important matter of seeding and baling. Here is where they make a very sad mistake, for broomcorn well seeded, handled and baled will bring from \$10.00 to \$20.00 more per ton at all times.

We believe that the broom manufacturers will be willing at all times to pay the farmers good prices for their broomcorn if they would be more careful with it. More attention should be given by the growers, to broomcorn seeds, so that their corn could be properly cured and put in first class condition, as the extra price they would get for their corn would pay for the sheds, and afterwards these same sheds could be used for other purposes, such as storing machinery, wagons, etc.

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### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Non coal land 03531. Department of the Interior, U.S. land office at Fort Sumner, N.M., Feb. 16, 1912. Notice is hereby given that Thomas A. Higgins of Delphos, N.M., who, on Sept. 4, 1906, made homestead entry, No. 03531 for S1-2 NW1-4 and north half, southwest quarter, section 30, township 2 south, 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 J. C. Compton, probate Judge, Roosevelt County, in his office, at Portales, N.M., on the 3d day of April, 1912. Claimant names as witnesses: William C. Thornton, Amos O. Higgins, Rufus E. McAlister, all of Delphos, N.M., Charles M. Compton, of Portales, N.M., Arthur E. Curran, Register.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

09656. Department of the Interior, U.S. land office at Fort Sumner, N.M., Dec. 28, 1911. NOTICE is hereby given that The Santa Fe Pacific Railroad Company, by its Agent, E. R. Bartlett, has applied to select under the Act of June 4, 1897 (30 Stat., 36) and the Act of June 6, 1900, (31 Stat., 414), the following described Public lands, to-wit: The southwest quarter of the northwest quarter (SW 1/4 NW 1/4) of section 4, township 2 south of range 24 east, New Mexico Principal Meridian, New Mexico. Any person or persons desiring to protest against the allowance of the above selection shall file in this office on or before February 29, 1912, such protest, contest or other objection. Arthur E. Curran, Register.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Non coal land 04649, 09707. Department of the Interior, U.S. land office at Fort Sumner, N.M., February 28, 1912. Notice is hereby given that Truman Carleton, of Portales, N.M., who, on Oct. 22, 1907, made homestead entry serial 04649 for N.E. 1/4 Sec. 29 and who, on July 29, 1911, made serial 09707, for N.W. 1/4, section 29, township 2 south, range 34 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 J. C. Compton, Probate Judge, Roosevelt County, in his office, at Portales, New Mexico, on the 4th day of April, 1912. Claimant names as witnesses: Miles Fowler, George J. Butler, Royal J. Noble, Kenzie A. Britt, all of Portales, N.M., Arthur E. Curran, Register.

## It Helps!

Mrs. J. F. Daniels, of Sip, Ky., writes: "I was so sick for 3 or 4 years, I had to hire my work done, most of the time. I had given up hope. When I began to take Cardui, I knew, right away, it was helping me. Now, I am better than ever before in my life, and Cardui did it."

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### Mountain Cottonwoods for Sale.


I have a fine lot of young mountain cottonwoods suitable for setting out for sale. They are remarkably fine trees.—W. J. Martin.

### Farm Loans.

I am now prepared to negotiate loans on farm lands.

T. J. MOLINARI.

For sale or trade, one black Spanish jack, seven years old, good size and fine form, and a good breeder.—J. L. Osborn, Portales, N. M.

  
EXCURSIONS  
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To points in California \$25.00  
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Dates of sale, March 1 to April 15, 1912.  
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## Art Class.

Mrs. Oldham has opened a studio for art pupils at the public school building. Hours 1 to 4 p. m. daily. Teachers class 9 to 12 Saturday. Terms per month, drawing \$3.00 painting \$4.00.



Come to Portales---The  
Market of Eastern N. M.

# TRADES DAY

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# SPECIALS

March 4th 1912. Reduced Prices in All Departments

**W**ILL you come to Portales and give us the opportunity to show you why you can buy of us to advantage? We know we are justified in asking you to see our line, because: Our stock comprises practically every sundries item which the General Merchandise requires and is not excelled in assortment by any house soliciting business in this part of the state. Nor is our buying facilities excelled by any other house in New Mexico, or the Panhandle of Texas. Most all our merchandise is bought in large quantities, from 5 to 20 cars at a time and distributed to our seven large stores, which enables us to secure the very lowest prices. We give you the benefit.

## Groceries

Star Brand Flour, sack for only.....	\$1.00
Only 100 sacks for this price,	
Pride of the Baker, sack for only.....	1.25
Dray salt meat, by the side, per lb.....	.10
No meat at this price	
5lb. bucket of Jewell lard, for only.....	.15
10lb. bucket of Jewell lard, for only.....	1.00
50lb. can of Jewell lard, for only.....	4.00
4lb. bucket Cottolene, for only.....	.50
10lb. bucket Cottolene, for only.....	1.85
25c can Jackfrost baking powder.....	.15
4 lb pkgs Arm and Hammer soda.....	.25
16lb granulated sugar for.....	1.00
100lb granulated sugar for.....	6.65
One the market to day, is worth \$7.50,	
6 brs Sunny Monday, Swift White soap.....	.25
Pr bx Sunny Monday, Swift White soap.....	4.00
Borax Washing powder, per doz.....	.40
7 bars Silk soap for only.....	.25
1 Doz cans Merry War lye for only.....	1.00
5 Gal lamp oil.....	.75
No. 2 Standard canned corn, per doz.....	1.00
No. 2 Standard cndd tomatoes per doz.....	1.00
No. 3 Standard cndd tomatoes per doz.....	1.30
No. 3 Standard cndd hominy per doz.....	1.00
No. 3 Standard cndd kraut per doz.....	1.00
No. 3 Stnd canned sweet potatoes pr dz.....	1.00
No. 1 Libby's pork and beans pr doz.....	.85
No. 1 Libby's chili con carne per doz.....	1.00
No. 1 Vienna sausage per doz.....	1.00
No. 1 Wakers pork and beans per doz.....	.85
No. 1 Wakers chili carne per doz.....	.95
5lb. pkg Mothers oats.....	.20
2lb. pkg Mothers oats.....	.10
No. 1 oysters per doz.....	1.00
4 pkgs Quaker corn flakes.....	.25
10c tumbler jelly, 5 for.....	.25
5 gal Jacket can good sorgham for.....	2.50
All 72c syrup for.....	.60
All 60c syrup for.....	.50
All 50c syrup for.....	.40
25lb. rice for.....	1.00
35c grade, bulk coffee, 4lb to.....	1.00
3lb ambassador coffee.....	.90
All \$1.00 bucket coffee for.....	.90
All \$1.10 bucket coffee for.....	1.00
All \$1.25 bucket coffee for.....	1.10
Union Standard tobacco per lb.....	.30
All feed 10 per cent off regular price	
Potatoes, per cwt. by the sack.....	1.75
Better grade.....	2.75

The greatest benefit to any section is the loyalty of its inhabitants to their home institutions, who are there to help develop the town, county and state.

We want to assist in making Portales the Biggest and Best City, and Roosevelt the Best County in New Mexico. We want to help you and we want you to help us to that end. Why send your money to a Stranger, the Mail Order House, that never spends one cent to help build up our country nor buy any thing you have to sell, while you have home merchants that helps to create a market for your products? We fully believe that we can prove to you that we can give you More and Better Merchandise to the Dollar than any Mail Order House, and besides will show you the goods you buy before taking your hard earned money, and too, will take your produce for pay.

All we ask is the opportunity to show you. Come to Portales the 4th of March. Whether you buy or not, come to our store, let us show you what we have and explain to you why it is to your interest to buy from your home merchant. Come let us reason together.

Herewith we give a few only, of our Trades Day Specials. We haven't the space nor time to list all the articles in our store, and if you do not find the item listed here you want, call for it, we have it, and at the right price.

Remember, these prices are for one day only, March the 4th.

All our city customers wishing to take advantage of reduced prices must give the order, with cash, as early as possible on the 4th of March, and the goods will be delivered the following day. You will do us a great favor by giving us your order early as we will be busy with our country customers later in the day.

**EVERYTHING IN THE HOUSE GOES AT A VERY LOW SALE PRICE**

## PRIZES TO BE AWARDED

First prize of \$8.00 in merchandise for the largest number of people brought from outside of town in a two horse wagon.

Second prize of \$4.00 in merchandise for the second largest number of people brought from outside of town in a two horse wagon.

Third prize of \$5.00 in merchandise for the best pair of mules brought from outside of town and within the county.

Fourth prize of \$5.00 in merchandise for the best pair of horses brought from outside of town and within the county.

Fifth prize of \$5.00 in cash to the farmer bringing in the largest load of produce raised by himself.

Sixth prize of \$2.50 in cash to the farmer bringing in the second largest load of produce raised by himself.

## Dry Goods

22 yards good lawn for.....	1.00
20 yards calico for.....	1.00
10 yards best Teile Donord, Red Seal and A. F. C. gingham.....	1.00
12 yards of best Hope and Lensdale bleach cotton.....	1.00
12 yards best shirting.....	1.00
12 yards best percales.....	1.00
50c and 60c dress goods, per yard.....	.40
75c and 85c dress goods, per yard.....	.60
\$1.00 dress goods, per yard.....	.85
\$1.25 dress goods, per yaed.....	1.00
Best 50c table linen, 2 1/2 yards for.....	1.00
Best Peplins and Sweizetts, per yard.....	.20

## Shoes

All \$1.75 shoes for.....	1.40
All \$2.00 shoes for.....	1.65
All 2.00 shoes for.....	2.00
All 3.00 shoes for.....	2.40
All 3.50 shoes for.....	2.80
All 4.00 shoes for.....	3.20
All 5.00 shoes for.....	4.00

## Clothing

All \$7.50 suits for.....	\$ 6.00
All 10.00 suits for.....	7.50
All 12.50 hand tailored suits for.....	10.00
All 15.00 hand tailored suits for.....	12.00
All 18.00 hand tailored suits for.....	14.40
All 20.00 hand tailored suits for.....	16.00
All 22.50 hand tailored suits for.....	18.00
All 25.00 hand tailored suits for.....	20.00
5 spools ONT and paper pins or needles.....	.05

## Special Notice

The above prices are Positively Cash—nothing charged at reduced prices.

Remember, we can not list everything in our house, but everything goes for this day only at greatly reduced prices. From ten to twenty-five per cent reduction on everything in our house—nothing reserved—but for Cash Only.

From 10 Percent to 20 Percent Discount on Everything in Our Hardware Department

COME TO PORTALES

# JOYCE-PRUIT CO.



# PERSONAL & LOCAL

American Lady flour, the best on earth at C. V. Harris.

Bascom Howard made a business trip to Clovis Tuesday.

For Sale—Milch cows and some horses, see Clara Shackelford.

W. J. Martin has a fine lot of young mountain cottonwoods for sale.

District court sets next Monday with Hon. John T. Mc Clure on the bench.

Judge William R. McGill was a Portales visitor Saturday and Sunday of last week.

If you think that John Tyson don't make a dandy second lieutenant you just have another think coming.

There is nothing more pleasing to your lady than a nice fresh box of Loose Wiles or Kings candies.—C. M. Dobbs.

Drs. Bradley and Fall, of Roswell, were professional visitors in Portales Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

Dr. T. E. Presley, the Roswell eye, nose and throat specialist; was a professional visitor in Portales Saturday and Sunday.

More rain and more snow Saturday and Sunday. This country now has the best season in the ground it has had since the year naught.

Judge Fred Smith, the big mogn and alcalde of Mt. Vernon precinct, was a Portales visitor Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

Mrs. A. B. Seay left last week for the eastern markets to buy her summer supply of millinery. Watch the Times for her announcement.

Naylor & Ford have formed a partnership in the well drilling business and request a share of the patronage of the people of Portales and vicinity.

Wanted to buy—Two good milch cows, a good team, wagon and harness, and some farm implements, at once, pronto. W. B. Reid Land Company.

The Mothers club holds its regular meeting Friday afternoon at the usual hour. These meetings grow more interesting and helpful. Let all that can attend.

For the first time in the history of Roosevelt county the district court has provided printed dockets for the court and the court officers. Yes, the Times printed them.

Frank Joyce, the general manager of the Joyce-Fruit line of stores, was in Portales this week. Mr. Joyce expressed himself as highly pleased with their investments at this place.

N. C. Landers has bought the interest of Brackett Lawrence in the City Cleaning and Pressing parlors and the business will, in future, be conducted by Mr. Landers. Newt says that he will do his best to please you.—Phone 91.

Rev. A. T. Goodloe, M. D., father of Rev. J. Rush Goodloe, pastor of the Methodist church, died at his home, Mt. Repose, Nashville, Tennessee, February 22, 1912, at 9:30 p. m. He died from old age, having preached for about forty-five years. The son reached his bedside twelve hours before he passed away.

C. M. Dobbs has had the back part of his confectionery and book store painted, papered and otherwise decorated and will, Saturday, open his ice cream parlor there. Mr. Dobbs has made arrangements with a Clovis firm to furnish his cream and he expects to receive the shipments daily. If you are an ice cream lover, don't fail to call on Dobbs.

At the Methodist church Sunday night there will be a special "Praise Service," also a silver offering for the benefit of the choir. The offering thus received will not be used only for the necessities of the choir, such as music, etc. The Methodist church has been very fortunate in securing real talent for their music and it is very doubtful if there is another church in this part of the state which has a choir anywhere the equal of this one. Portales should be proud of this body of singers and should show their ability by attending this service Sunday night. You are all invited.

Reagan Connally has been officially notified to proceed to Roswell and take the examination for a lucrative position in the government schools in the Philippine islands. If Reagan turns this opportunity down it will be only on account of his loyalty to his home town and the genuine affection he has for his pupils here. Reagan is one of the very best teachers we have ever had in our public schools at this place and to lose him would be a public calamity. By all means Mr. Connally should be persuaded to stay with us.

A. A. Rogers, manager of the Portales Irrigation company, left Thursday morning for Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, where he will, among other things, endeavor to secure a market for the canteloupes that will be grown here this summer. Should he succeed in this undertaking all chances on the market proposition will have been eliminated and producers will have only to ship their stuff and make a draft for their money.

Considerable has been said about the planting of sweet potatoes, both for and against. The general consensus of opinion appears to be that they are a good and a stable crop to grow, provided the right varieties are put out. In this connection, it is suggested that the Yellow Jerseys, the Yellow Nansmonds and the Pumpkin Yam are varieties that always command a good price and a ready market. Also, they are good keepers.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Holzapple, of Columbus, Ohio, who some time ago bought forty acres and the large residence of the irrigated farm which Judge G. L. Reese owns, three miles east of town, arrived Thursday to move onto their purchase and to help us to make this the garden spot of the world. Mr. Holzapple is a young man of much experience in intense farming and he is a welcome addition to our community.

A. W. Reynolds, one of the pioneers of the Portales Irrigation company, and "that boosting man," will be here March the 5th from Wichita, Kansas, with a goodly bunch of people eager and willing to annex some of our irrigated lands, in lieu of which they will separate themselves from many of those big, round simeoleons for which we are all so eager.

Messrs. Wheeler and Raymond who some time ago bought some of our irrigated land from A. W. Reynolds, arrived last Friday with a car load of goods apiece and are now full fledged residents of this community. Mr. Wheeler is from Missouri and Mr. Raymond is from Wichita, Kansas. Both are welcome additions to the Portales Valley.

The Womens Missionary Society will hold its monthly business meeting at the home of Mrs. C. V. Harris on the afternoon of the first Thursday in March.

For Sale  
For the best jack in the county, work mares and mules, see S. A. Crabb, ten miles south-east of Portales. 46-50.



The above cut is the likeness of the residence purchased by William H. Ball from Capt. T. J. Molinari, about January 1st, of this year. This is one of the handsomest bungalows in our city, and designed and erected under the personal supervision of Captain Molinari. Mr. Ball was one of shrewd business who recognized in the Portales Valley, the mecca of his hopes and was not slow in acquiring some hundred and ninety odd acres of the lands under our big irrigation project. Also, he was so enthused over our valley and our superior resources, that he is now back to his old home in Kansas, where he is proselyting among his neighbors, telling them of the wonders of our valley and trying to induce them to forsake their dry land farming propositions and to come to the Portales Valley where nature is so ably assisted by the best and cheapest irrigation system on the face of the earth. Mr. Ball knows a goon thing when he sees it and he is magnanimous enough to want to help his old neighbors to get a foothold in this land of promise.

### Cassidy Improves His Farm.

L. M. Cassidy, the gentleman who owns that fine irrigated farm south-east of Portales, was in the city last week superintending the erection of an elegant country residence. He was also having the ground prepared for the planting of some eighty-one acres of his farm to alfalfa and apples. Mr. Cassidy is a firm believer in the future of the Portales Valley and is putting considerable money and time into development work on his place. He is another of those thoroughly solid business men who have decided to eliminate all the chrcnce possible in the cultivation and growing of crops. Our inexhaustible water supply, our fertile soil and our continuous sunshine are subjects on which he loves to dwell, and were the prime reasons for his investments in this community. He knows that, with these three things assured, all doubt of a bountiful harvest is forever removed.

### Portales Schools Honored.

Portales did at Clovis the same as she does everywhere else, she took all the honors during the Pecos Valley Teachers Association held there last Friday and Saturday.

First Superintendent Mrs. S. F. Culberson took the banner for having the largest attendance of any one place. In the exhibit work Portales took all honors for all grades, from the first to the twelfth. In the declamation contest Lillian Smith of the tenth grade took the first prize, a gold medal, in the high-school contest and Beth Tompkins of the seventh grade took the second prize for the grades. The teachers were royally entertained in Clovis, being shown every courtesy by the business men of the town as well as the teachers. Friday night a reception was tendered the teachers and visitors in the Elks hall, followed by a delightful banquet served by the Harvey house people. Saturday the foreman of the Santa Fe shops gave permits to all who wished to visit the shops while they were there. Only a few took advantage of there. Only a few took advantage of this, the rest going joy riding with the business and professional men of Clovis. Saturday night the teachers were given an opportunity to hear the Kansas University glee club, which was in Clovis under the auspices of the Santa Fe

reading circle for the benefit of their men and families. They were certainly the best attraction that has passed this way in a long time and they gave the reporter the news without him asking them that they would be in Portales next year if it were possible for them to make arrangements to do so.

Those present from Portales were Superintendent Mrs. S. F. Culberson, Superintendent R. A. Deen, R. P. Connally, Mesdames Harris, Nixon, Oldham, R. W. Connally, A. T. Monroe, Austin and Kaune. Misses Anderson, Leahy, Reece, Foglesong, Smith, Martin, Beth Tompkins, Lillian Smith and Eva Crosby.

The Pecos Valley Mothers Club was organized in Clovis during the Teachers Association last Friday afternoon.

Portales was represented at this organization by Mesdames W. O. Oldham, A. B. Austin, A. T. Monroe, C. V. Harris and S. J. Nixon, Mrs. Oldham being honored with the presidency of the organization.

It is the object of the association to get all the Mothers Clubs in the valley to affiliate, and the object of the whole association is to co-operate with the teachers of the Pecos Valley toward bettering the school. The next meeting will be held in joint session with the teachers association next year at Carlsbad.

### Womans Club.

Meeting of the Woman's club was held at the "Cosy" on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Oldham and Mrs. S. F. Culberson were elected delegates to go to Roswell in March to represent us at the convention of the State Federation. Mrs. Molinari and Miss Bryant alternates. After some more business had been attended to a musical recital was given, interspersed with papers and discussion of musical topics, led by Mrs. Nixon. The program was beautifully rendered and we hope to have more of them in the near future. The program as given follows:

- Instrumental Duet, Mrs. Anderson and Miss Roland.
- Vocal Solo, Mrs. Connally.
- Kindergarten Music, Mrs. Claude Anderson. Discussion by Mrs. Culberson.
- Vioiin Solo, Mrs. Tyson.
- Vocal Solo, two selections by Mrs. Will Smith.
- Public School Music, Mrs. Nixon.
- Mrs. Lindsey.
- Readin, "The Sov

lh," Mrs. Hardy, accompanied by Mrs. Tyson on the violin and Mrs. Nixon on the piano.

Vocal Solo, "Three Green Bonnets," Mrs. Ward.

A vote of Thanks was given manager of the Cozy Theater.

### Order of Services.

Sunday March 3rd. 1912.

- MORNING
- Organ Voluntary
- Song 388
- Apostle's Creed
- Prayer
- Anthem, "My God Accept My Heart This Day" Solo Mrs. Ward.
- Psalms
- Gloria Patri
- Scripture Lesson
- Notices and offering
- Song 493
- Sermon—Self Denial, by Rev. W. L. Heck.
- Song 428.

### ENENING

- Special Praise Service
- Voluntary
- Hymn 180, Congregation
- Anthem, "Make a Joyfull Noise" Choir.
- Prayer
- Solo, "He Leadeth Me" Mrs. Connally
- Scripture Lesson
- Anthem, "As Pants the Hart" Choir
- Solo, "I'm a Pilgrim" Mr. Beatty
- Address, Music Mrs. Oldham
- Anthem, "Seek Ye the Lord" Mrs. Ward and Choir.
- Collection
- Anthem "Thru' the Day Thy Love Has Spared Us" Choir
- Hymn 610, Congregation
- Benediction.

A visitor in the city Tuesday and Wednesday was C. F. Shoop, a member of the staff of the Roswell Daily Record, his mission being the collection of data to be used by him in a special write-up of Portales and the Portales Valley. Mr. Shoop has spent a couple of weeks for his paper visiting the various cities and towns in different parts of Eastern New Mexico, preparing interesting boost stories for the various communities. The Record has proven itself a genuine booster of Pecos Valley propositions and appreciation is felt here for the interest shown in putting local conditions before the public in a fair and accurate manner.

On Wednesday night of this week the T. F. C. club gave a farewell party to two members of the club, Misses Georgia and Beulah Stewart, who will go to Alamogordo in a short time. The reception was given at the Monroe home in the west part of the city. It was informal and highly enjoyed by those

### UPTON NEWS.

Mr. Carter of Portales was in the city last week.

Robert McNutt and McKaffee started to Roswell Friday.

The citizens of the community will meet to sing each Sunday afternoon.

J. R. Jones, A. J. McNutt and J. W. Russell were in Portales last Saturday.

J. R. Hatfield sold some cows last week for which he received a goodly sum.

V. J. Campbell baled the first bale of bear grass to be put up in this valley.

Mr. Chandler returned home last week. Welcome home to all who return.

J. R. Jones and Jess Dodgen came in last week facing the awful blizzard.

S. B. Crain is looked for at any moment. He has been visiting friends in Iowa.

School has been in session for a month. There will be at least a four months term and it is thought that perhaps it will be extended. There are thirty two enrolled.

A literary society was organized at Upton on the 17th of February and quite an interert is being shown in the work. A good debate was held on Saturday evening the 17th. It is hoped that many more will be had in the future and that many more of the people in reach will attend.

### Notice of Pendency of suit.

No. 790.

In the District Court of Roosevelt county State of New Mexico.

Texico National Bank, Plaintiff,

vs.

C. W. Walker, Lottie M. Walker, and E. Spiva, defendants.

To C. W. Walker, Lottie M. Walker, and E. Spiva, defendants in the above entitled cause: You will take notice that a suit has been filed against you in the District Court for the fifth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico in and for the County of Roosevelt, wherein the Texico National Bank is plaintiff and you, the said C. W. Walker, Lottie M. Walker, and E. Spiva are defendants, said cause being numbered 790 upon the Civil Docket of said court.

That the general objects of said action are as follows:

To recover judgment on a promissory note for the principal sum of three hundred dollars, with interest there on at the rate of twelve per cent per annum from the maturity of said note, and ten per cent, additional upon the whole amount of principal and interest as attorney's fees, said note having been executed and delivered to the plaintiff by the defendants C. W. Walker and Lottie M. Walker on the second day of May, 1910, and became due and payable ninety days after said date.

Plaintiff also asks for the foreclosure of a mortgage lien of even date with said note, executed and delivered by said defendants, C. W. Walker and Lottie M. Walker to the plaintiff, and for the security of said note, upon the following described property:

The North half of the southwest quarter of section eleven in township three north of range twenty-seven east of New Mexico Meridian in Roosevelt County, New Mexico; and that plaintiff said lien upon said property be declared by the court to be prior and superior to any right or claim of the defendant, E. Spiva, who is alleged to claim some interest in said property, and for sale of said property for the satisfaction of plaintiff's debt.

You are further notified that unless you appear and answer or plead in said cause on or before the 25th, day of April, 1912, judgment by default will be rendered against you in said cause, and the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

G. L. Reese is the attorney for the plaintiff, and his post office address is Fortales, New Mexico.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of said court this 27th, day of February, 1912. C. P. Mitchell, Clerk. S. A. Morrison, Deputy.



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### Take What Pill? Why, a Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pill,

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### The Cozy Theater.

There are but few towns the size of Portales that have and support a moving picture show, but then no towns, and not many moderate sized cities, can boast the modern equipped and thoroughly up-to-date amusement house of which Portales is justly proud. Mr. Fickensher, the manager, has had much experience in this line and he is always very careful to put on only such pictures as are calculated to please and none that are in any manner liable to offend. He has spent a large sum of money for the sole purpose of giving to the public a really commendable place of amusement. He is courteous, obliging and public spirited and has succeeded in making a large number of warm personal friends in this community. The Cozy theatre should get a large patronage from our citizenship, in fact, it should be much more liberally patronized than it is, though the manager has never been heard to complain. Why not cut out a few of the traveling frosts and spend your amusement money with a reputable home attraction? Always boost home institutions.

### Settling of Valley in New Mexico.

F. J. Heilman, W. J. EnEarl and T. Baldwin returned Sunday from a trip of inspection to Portales, N. M., where they went with F. E. Chapman of that place. Mr. Chapman also returned with the party. Each was well pleased with the appearance of the new town and surrounding territory, and have made investments there.

The land is under a new irrigation system, water for which is pumped by electrically driven centrifugal pumps. Fruits, grain vegetables, alfalfa and corn grow in abundance, and the climate is said to be ideal. The Portales valley is at an elevation of between three and four thousand feet, the town of Portales being located on the Santa Fe railway, an hour's ride by rail from the main line to the coast.

The Monte Vista party visited the farm of Mr. Battensfield which is a splendid example of what intelligent farm management will accomplish in the Portales valley. Last year this farmer netted one hundred sixteen dollars an acre from his alfalfa, cutting four crops.

Attractive inducements are being made by the Reid Land company to prospective farmers and investors, and their representative, Mr. Chapman, is at present in Monte Vista telling of the good things awaiting the farmer in his locality. If he is successful in interesting irrigation farmers in this valley, it is more than an even bet that both will be materially benefited.

The above clipping was taken from the Monte Vista, Colorado, Journal, and shows that our "Dad" Chapman is on the job to stay and that he is getting results. Also that people in other irrigated districts are beginning to sit up and take notice of the Portales Valley. It's a hundred to one shot if people will give "Daddy" their attention for a few minutes that he will make believers of them. All the parties referred to in the above clipping have since that publication purchased irrigated land here and are now boni fide residents of this community. Mr. Chapman says that it is an easy matter to sell this land to people who have had experience in irrigated farming.

I have an improved quarter section of land for sale or trade. Will trade for live stock or an auto. Will sell on terms if a cash deal. Also have several young mules and mares for sale for cash. Address, R. E. Curd Portales, N. M.

### Don't Be One of These.

By Mrs. Grace Howard.  
You sit around and wonder,  
And to save your life can't see,  
And you think and sorely ponder,  
Why this town a city cannot be,  
You sit upon the village street,  
Tell all you've done and know,  
With a pile of shavings at your feet,  
That's all you've got to show,  
Then you spit an amber stream,  
And take a nice fresh chew,  
And to your townfolks show a steam,  
But they're all wrong but you,  
Why if they would listen to a man,  
Who wanted to do the right,  
You would but them on a plan,  
That would make them rich fore night  
To think that folks for bond would vote,  
And all that heavy tax,  
Yes us poor folks got the weight to tote,  
Upon our weakened backs,  
Can't even let your cow run out,  
Or keep a hog in town,  
Seems everything they go about,  
Just keeps a fellow down.

You think the irrigation plant,  
Cost more than folks can pay  
The company soon will brak the man,  
And take his land away,  
The beet factory that you are working at  
Is surely on the bum,  
Any man that will tie his name to that,  
Is sure lacking some,

My friend if you will think a bit,  
Perhaps sir you might see,  
And on this truth finally hit,  
That a knocker you might be,  
Now if through your hardened "mug"  
That thought should ere pass through  
Why just take out your navy plug,  
Don't TALK, (JEST CHEW).

### Flax Will Grow Here

Having seen a report in the Chicago Tribune to the effect that flax seed had been successfully grown in the vicinity of Portales, one of our citizens took occasion to write to the party who was alleged to have grown it, viz: Mr. D. L. Hickcox, of Minnesota, who answered as follows: "In regard to raising flax seed in your vicinity, the statement that you saw in the Chicago Tribune is correct, I had two hundred acres of flax in this year and it made fifteen bushels to the acre; fifty acres was old land and the rest sod; I am preparing to plant two thousand acres this present year, one thousand acres in old land and the same amount in sod. I would advise breaking old land in the fall deep and letting it lie until the weeds start and cultivate shallow then to keep all weeds down until planted break sod in the spring and roll or plant down as soon as broke. Plant the last of May or any time in June. I planted my flax too early here last year, the most of it being put in the last part of April and first part of May; I planted eleven acres the last of May and that made twenty-two bushels to the acre. Plant about eighteen pounds to the acre and about two inches deep with a common press drill.

Yours very truly,  
D. L. Hickcox.

Following is the account taken from the Chicago Tribune:

"That Eastern New Mexico is adapted to the production of flax has been clearly demonstrated by D. L. Hickcox, of near Portales. Hickcox has about two hundred acres of flax under cultivation this year and he reports an average yield of fifteen bushels per acre, which he sold for three dollars per bushel. Hickcox is from Minnesota where flax is grown extensively. He moved to this vicinity last year and thoroughly investigated the conditions with a view to growing flax; his investigation satisfied him that he could raise as good a product as he could grow on his Minnesota farm. He accordingly put the entire two hundred acres under cultivation and is so well pleased with his venture that next year he will plant two thousand acres. He made enough from the crop this year to pay for the land on which it was planted. Other farmers in the same vicinity have been much interested in Hickcox success and many will devote a small acreage to flax next year."

For sale or trade for live stock, two gasoline engines, two horse power. Just the thing for irrigating a small truck patch. Address, News Office, Clovis, New Mexico.

### Military Rifle Range.

The Portales rifle range for company M first regiment New Mexico national guards will be located on the north half of section 12, and the north half of section 7, township 1 south of range 34 east, giving the company a shooting range of two miles, with one half mile range in width. It was necessary to select a part of two sections in order to secure a long distance range and, at the same time get a good sand hill for a back stop. The company is fortunate in the selection of a range only two miles from their armory, just the proper distance for an exercise march. The pit for sliding and stationary target is now being dug, the dimensions of the pit, when completed, will be six feet wide, twenty-five feet long and eight feet deep thus assuring perfect protection to the markers and noncommissioned officers who will be in the pit during practice and record shooting. The appropriation granted Captain Molinari for preparation of rifle range is sufficient to allow for the erection of a company building on the range which will be used to store targets etc. and afford shelter to the men in case of a sudden storm while at practice.

Special course C will govern company M and in slow fire, rapid fire, and skirmish fire the rules laid down in the regular army course will be followed as far as applicable. Rifle practice, in general, is divided into three distinct courses: First, the aiming and sighting of rifles; second, gallery practice; third, range practice.

The class in firing to which any officer or soldier belongs will be determined at the end of the practice season from the aggregate of the total of the best two full scores of five shots each (not necessary consecutive) that he has made on the range, as follows:

4th class, all who have not fired or who have fired and failed to qualify as 3rd class or better.

3rd class, all who have fired two or more full scores at 200, 300 and 500 yards, and from the best two have made an aggregate of forty-five out of a possible one hundred fifty.

Second class: All who have fired two or more full scores at two hundred three hundred and five hundred yards and from the best two have made a total of sixty-seven out of a possible one hundred fifty.

First class: All who have two or more full scores at two hundred three hundred and five hundred yards and from the best two have made a total of eighty-three out of a possible one hundred fifty.

Marksmen: All who have fired two or more full scores at two hundred three hundred and five hundred yards and from the best two have made a total of ninety-eight out of a possible one hundred fifty.

Sharpshooters: All who have fired two or more full scores at two hundred three hundred and five hundred yards and from the best two scores at each range have made a total of at least one hundred twenty and have further fired two or more full scores at six hundred yards and from the best two scores at that range have made a total of at least forty and have fired two or more full scores, rapid fire, at two hundred yards (twenty seconds allowed for each fire) and in the best two, have made a total of twenty-five, and have made one skirmish run of twenty shots, advancing from six hundred to two hundred yards, the total of all scores being not less than two hundred thirty-five.

Experts: All who have made the necessary total to qualify as

sharpshooters and have fired two or more full scores at eight hundred and one thousand yards and from the best scores have made a total of forty at eight hundred yards and thirty-five at one thousand yards.

The commanding officer and the lieutenants of company M are putting forth every energy to prepare and fit the members of the company for the summer maneuvers, and the non-commissioned officers are imbued with the same enthusiasm. The spirit in which the men are entering into the work and their prompt response to the assembly call of musicians, Epperson and Bryan shows their patriotism and interest.

The armory building owned by Mr. Hardy and leased by the state is equipped with lockers nicely painted, one locker for each soldier in which they keep their dress and service uniforms and army equipment. The walls are nicely papered and draped with flags making it a very attractive place for soldiers and visitors.

The Legislature will be asked for an appropriation of twenty thousand dollars to erect a brick armory building at Portales and if sufficient interest is manifested and enough influence is brought is brought to bear Portales can get it.

J. E. Deen has taken charge of the U. N. Hall wagon yard where he has an unusually good string of draught horses and jacks. Breeders should see this stock.

### Well Drilling.

I am now ready to drill your water wells or irrigation wells in first class shape, and if you haven't got the money I will accept stock or land in payment.

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### NOTICE

I will pay \$25 for information of anyone peddling dressed beef without hide on either side of the state line between Roosevelt county, New Mexico, and Texas. —A. L. Chesher, Inspector for Cattle Raisers association.

### Good House Wanted.

Mr. A. A. Rogers wants to rent a good large house. If you have a good roomy, house well located see him, or phone him at his office in Citizens National bank building.

### Real Estate for Sale or Trade.

For sale, 160 acres deeded land in eastern New Mexico, Roosevelt county, sixteen miles south of Portales, the county seat, \$1,200.—W. H. HARRIS, route 2, Wellston, Okla.

In Arkansas and Louisiana where crops never FAIL. I own tracts from 40 to 233 acres, also other propositions for YOU. Write me for list. State what you have, condition, title, depth to water, improvements, etc. I have what you want.—Address, Dr. Hilton, Mena, Ark.

For sale or rent, northeast quarter of section 5, township 2 south, range 33 east in Roosevelt county, 9 miles from Portales. Thirty acres in cultivation, fenced and cross fenced, good well, new house, barn and other out-buildings. Go out, look it over and give me an offer.—Charles J. Seedborg, Havelack, Nebraska.

For Sale, best improved 5 acre home in Portales, \$5,000. Four roomed house, close in, trees, city water, \$1,100.00. Thirty-seven acres one and a half miles from court house square, fine well level, two-thirds of it was plowed deep in August, fine shape now to receive crops this spring. No trades. Might give terms to right parties.—John R. Hopper.

A well improved farm in Lonoke county, Arkansas, of 285 acres, 40 acres in timber, balance prairie and all tillable, 50 acres in oats, 70 in wild meadow, all fenced and cross fenced into eight fields, four yards and garden, more than two miles of woven wire fence, the rest from three to seven barbed wires, five room house, barn 64 by 64 feet, good well and creek. Would trade stock, machinery and household goods—Route 3, R. O. Burney Carlisle, Ark.

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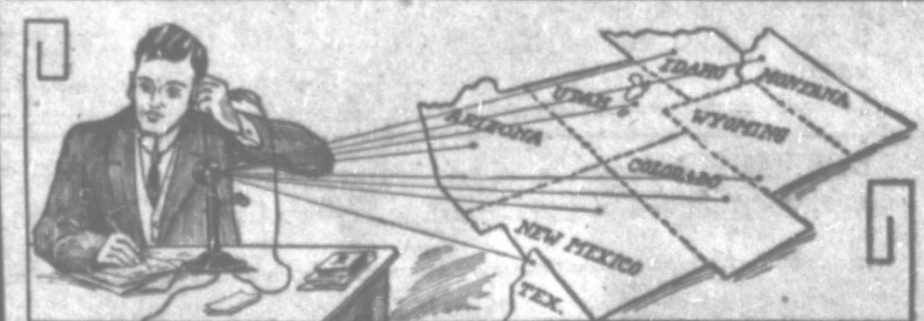
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# SPECIALS

Saturday, March 2, and Monday March 4--Two Days

THIS FIRM MAKES IT'S SPRING BOW! It'll talk to you occasionally and say a few things. It'll bubble o'er with breezy babble—but it won't stop long to introduce itself today, 'cause it wants to get right down to business and tell you of a Brand New, Big, Bristling Scheme that has been hatched out by the undersigned to save you big, round, tingling, talkative dollars—and that right away! I say "talkative dollars," because now-a-days cash seems to be the most Cunning Little Conversationalist in all Creation! Hence we give it out above that the One, Single, Sole, Solitary, Definite and Determined Purpose of this firm is to "sound the clarion call of economy to the modern Dry Goods Buyer." For two days we propose to forget prices. We are going to make everything in the house bargains. Nothing reserved for these two days only. It will pay you well to attend both days of this special sale. We have been receiving Spring goods for the past 30 days. And our buyer will start to market just after the close of this sale to buy our summer stock. During this two days sale we propose to clear our shelves of winter goods. Profit is no item. We would rather have the cash and lose our profit than to carry them over. Owing to lack of space we can only quote a few prices to give you an idea of the bargains in store for you. Come early both days. Make our store your headquarters—tell others and bring some one with you.

<p><b>Men's and Boy's Cap Special</b></p> <p>About 25 men's \$1.00, \$1.25, and \$1.50 caps. Broken sizes and odd lots. All out on counter. Your choice at— <b>76c</b></p> <p>About 25 men's and Boy's 50c and 75c caps. Odd lots and broken sizes. You can have your choice at— <b>36c</b></p>	<p><b>Shirt Specials</b></p> <p>We have 50 men's Silver and other \$1.25 negligee shirts in odd lots and broken sizes, all out on counter together. <b>77c</b></p> <p>Take your choice at— <b>77c</b></p> <p>About 3 dozen men's sample negligee shirts, no collars, all colors, broken sizes, 65c to 75c grade, your pick— <b>36c</b></p> <p>Also about 30 men's \$1.50 Ide and other shirts in odd lots. All out on counter, take your pick at— <b>\$1.12</b></p>	<p><b>Saturday, March 2, Specials</b></p> <p>From 8:00 a. m. to 12:00 m.</p> <p>Nine yards of the best calico and two spools of O. N. T. thread <b>50c</b></p> <p>Two yards of the best grade oilcloth for— <b>30c</b></p> <p>From 1:00 p. m. to 6:00 p. m.</p> <p>Four pair of men's best 10c hose for— <b>25c</b></p> <p>Eight yards of 12c bleach Domestic and three spools O. N. T.— <b>75c</b></p>	<p><b>Underwear Specials</b></p> <p>Men's 50c fleece and ribbed undershirts and drawers on sale at— <b>35c</b></p> <p>Ladies' 50c vests and pants. You can have your choice at— <b>36c</b></p> <p>Ladies' 75c union suits. At this sale your choice will go at— <b>55c</b></p> <p>Ladies' 85c union suits, during these two sales days will go at— <b>65c</b></p> <p>Ladies' \$1.00 union suits. For the two sales days will go at— <b>75c</b></p> <p>Children's 50c fleece and ribbed union suits, at the sale, your choice— <b>40c</b></p>	<p><b>Men's Clothing</b></p> <p>Men's \$22.50 suits, these two days— <b>\$18.50</b></p> <p>Men's \$18.50 suits, these two days— <b>\$14.55</b></p> <p>Men's \$17.50 suits, these two days— <b>\$13.50</b></p> <p>Men's \$16.50 suits, these two days— <b>\$12.50</b></p> <p>Men's \$15.00 suits, these two days— <b>\$11.50</b></p> <p>Men's \$13.50 suits, these two days— <b>\$10.00</b></p> <p>Men's \$12.50 suits, for these two days only— <b>\$9.00</b></p> <p>Men's \$11.00 suits, for these two days only— <b>\$8.50</b></p> <p>Men's \$10.00 suits, for these two days only— <b>\$7.50</b></p> <p>Men's \$8.50 suits, for these two days only— <b>\$6.50</b></p> <p>Men's \$7.50 suits, for these two days only— <b>\$5.50</b></p> <p>Men's \$6.00 suits, for these two days only— <b>\$4.75</b></p> <p>Men's \$5.00 suits, for these two days only— <b>\$3.75</b></p>
<p><b>Men's Hat Special</b></p> <p>About 3 dozen men's \$2.50 and \$3.00 hats in odd lots and broken sizes. All are out on counter. Your choice <b>\$1.49</b></p>	<p><b>Staples</b></p> <p>Toil Du Nord and all other 12c gingham, sale price— <b>10c</b></p> <p>12c and 10c Percales at— <b>8c</b></p> <p>Best grade calicoes at— <b>5c</b></p> <p>Best 8c brown domestics <b>6c</b></p> <p>A. C. A. Tick— <b>15c</b></p> <p>Best grade of 10c chevots— <b>8c</b></p> <p>Best grade oil cloth— <b>17c</b></p> <p>9-4 Blechd. pepperel sheeting <b>22c</b></p> <p>Best 12c outing— <b>9c</b></p> <p>Good blue denim at— <b>12c</b></p> <p>Good canton flannel at— <b>9c</b></p> <p>Good cotton batts at— <b>7c</b></p>	<p><b>Monday, March 4, Specials</b></p> <p>From 8:00 a. m. to 12:00 m.</p> <p>Eight yards of Red Seal or Toil Du Nord Gingham— <b>75c</b></p> <p>Eight yards of the best 8c LL brown Domestic for— <b>50c</b></p> <p>Eight yards best grade calico and one package needles for— <b>35c</b></p> <p>Three men's negligee 60c value shirts for— <b>\$1.00</b></p> <p>From 1:00 P. m. to 6:00 p. m.</p> <p>Ten yards of 12c Diamond Hill Bleach cambric for— <b>75c</b></p> <p>Six yards of the best 10c men's shirting for— <b>45c</b></p> <p>Five yards of 9-4 brown pepperel sheeting— <b>\$1.00</b></p>	<p><b>Men's Odd Pant Special</b></p> <p>About 50 pairs of men's \$1.25 grade of work pants. Your choice— <b>95c</b></p> <p>About 40 pair men's \$1.50 and \$1.75 work pants, during sale, your choice— <b>\$1.15</b></p>	<p><b>Men's Pants</b></p> <p>New spring stock. Latest styles and new goods.</p> <p>\$5.00 grade men's pants— <b>\$4.45</b></p> <p>4.50 grade men's pants— <b>3.95</b></p> <p>4.00 grade men's pants— <b>3.45</b></p> <p>3.50 grade men's pants— <b>2.95</b></p> <p>3.00 grade men's pants— <b>2.50</b></p> <p>2.50 grade men's pants— <b>2.15</b></p> <p>2.00 grade men's pants— <b>1.60</b></p>
<p><b>Silk Department</b></p> <p>\$1.00 grade fancy silks at— <b>85c</b></p> <p>.75 grade fancy silks at— <b>60c</b></p> <p>.50 grade fancy silks at— <b>38c</b></p> <p>.35 grade fancy silks at— <b>27c</b></p>	<p><b>Lace Special</b></p> <p>1000 yards of lace and insertion put up 12 yards to a piece. Regular price 5c to 10c per yard. All out in bin together, your choice by taking it in 12 yard pieces, per yard— <b>3c</b></p>	<p><b>Hat Specials</b></p> <p>All \$7.50 John B. Stetson Hats at— <b>\$6.45</b></p> <p>All 6.50 John B. Stetson Hats at— <b>5.24</b></p> <p>All 6.00 John B. Stetson Hats at— <b>4.95</b></p> <p>All 5.00 John B. Stetson Hats at— <b>4.45</b></p> <p>All 4.00 John B. Stetson Hats at— <b>3.45</b></p> <p>All 3.75 John B. Stetson Hats at— <b>3.25</b></p> <p>All 3.50 John B. Stetson Hats at— <b>2.75</b></p> <p>All 2.50 Eversole Hats at— <b>2.10</b></p> <p>All 2.00 Nobby Hats at— <b>1.45</b></p> <p>All 1.50 Nobby Hats at— <b>1.25</b></p>	<p><b>Boys' Two Piece Suits</b></p> <p>We have just received our spring stock of boys' Perfection knee pant suits.</p> <p>Boys' \$7.50 suits at— <b>\$6.75</b></p> <p>Boys' 6.00 suits at— <b>5.40</b></p> <p>Boys' 5.00 suits at— <b>4.50</b></p> <p>Boys' 4.50 suits at— <b>4.00</b></p> <p>Boys' 4.00 suits at— <b>3.60</b></p> <p>Boys' 3.50 suits at— <b>3.15</b></p> <p>Boys' 3.00 suits at— <b>2.65</b></p> <p>Boys' 2.50 suits at— <b>2.15</b></p>	<p><b>Embroidery Special</b></p> <p>1000 yards 15c embroidery and insertion. All out on counter, per yard— <b>9c</b></p>
<p><b>Silk Special</b></p> <p>About a dozen pieces of silk remnants of \$1.00 grade silk. 2 to 8 yards in piece. Special per yard— <b>50c</b></p>	<p><b>Union Overall Special</b></p> <p>For this two days special we will sell all Union made overalls at— <b>85c</b></p>	<p><b>Remember there is but two days sale</b></p>	<p><b>Saturday, Feb. 2d Monday, Feb. 4th</b></p>	
<p><b>Small Items</b></p> <p>Mennen's 25c Talc Powder <b>15c</b></p> <p>William's 25c Talcum Pwdr <b>15c</b></p> <p>Colgate's 25c Talcum Pwdr <b>15c</b></p> <p>10c hose, men's tan at— <b>7c</b></p> <p>10c handkerchiefs— <b>7c</b></p> <p>Children's hose supporter— <b>7c</b></p> <p>Best grade 5c brass pins— <b>3c</b></p> <p>Best grade 5c needles at— <b>3c</b></p> <p>Clark's O.N.T. darning cotton <b>3c</b></p> <p>Royal safety pins— <b>3c</b></p> <p>Guardian safety pins— <b>4c</b></p> <p>Good pearl buttons, per card <b>4c</b></p> <p>Gilt Edge shoe polish— <b>15c</b></p> <p>Baby Elite shoe polish— <b>7c</b></p> <p>3 pair Walk-Over shoe laces <b>5c</b></p> <p>Good hair nets— <b>5c</b></p>				

REMEMBER these are specials for the two days only. We would like to see every man woman and child of Roosevelt county in Portales "Trades Day." And, we extend to everyone a cordial invitation to call and see us, meet your friends and have your headquarters at Warren-Fooshee & Co's.

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