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OIL NEWS OF INTEREST TO PORTALES PEOPLE

ONLY ONE CASE CONTAGEOUS DISEASE +

In the weekly report + from the State Health de- + partment last week, there * was only one case of a contageous disease credited to + Roosevelt county.

PORTALES OFFICERS RESPONSIBLE FOR CAP-

The car shot at by Sheriff Mc-Cormack and Deputy Beasley on the Illinois Oil Co., is a 50 to 60 the night of January 4th, was barrel pumper of high grade oil. not the supposed stolen Essex but a Jordan Car loaded with

Warning was sent all over the country to all officers to be on of the city and will begin the the lookout for a car with bullet erection of the derrick during marks on the hood, and as this car pulled into the garage at ling for oil will start in the Matador, Texas, two bullet marks were noticed on the hood and officers were notified. The driver was arrested and the car, on examination, was found to be loaded with booze, and proved to be the same car shot at in Portales. It also contained a bullet hole in the back of the body of the car. The car was driven by a man by the name of Cooper.

AMARILLO MAN VIEWS

Howard Trigg, county surveyor recognized ability and was one of but that he was offered some held by the committee to which after the polls closed. railroad through from Amarillo.to ings in that field. and inspected local industries and was very much pleased with the future outlook of the Portales New Mexico of well, located Bills, covering every recom-Valley. He says that we have a south of Lakewood, was shot mendation made by the gover- COE HOWARD ON good country and that with the yesterday and in two minutes nor will be introduced, Senator development of the irrigation land after the shot was fired oil went Wright said, as rapidly as posof the valley wonderful results clear over the top of the der- sible except that carrying out SANTA FE, N. M., Jan. 14th.are in store.

MODERN FIRE FIGHTING

At a special meeting of the city council last Thursday night will produce about 25 barrels at the brief morning session to SENATOR MORRISON Fire Chief Bascom Howard was per day. The well is considerer day when W. W. Nichols, Curry authorized to purchase combi- very shallow, the depth being county, the democratic floor nation hose, hook and ladder slightly over 600 feet. and chemical fire truck for Por-

Representatives of the Fairbanks Morse people of Denver and Chicago, were here on business with the coungil. .

SWEET POTATO CROP

Secretary Wheeler of the Porciation, says that the crop is now casus bureau has announced. moving rapidly.

This week there have been three resented 46.8 per cent. full car shipments, one to Albuquerque and two to Amarillo. tion by states, included: Two cars have been shipped by auto truck and express, making a total of five cars for the week.

ATHLETIC BENEFIT

given at the Cosy for the benefit with its total population, with of the High School Athletic Asso- 97.5 per cent. ciation. The house was filled to The District of Columbia is 100 readings by the pupils was in sive with the district. alled for in the program. After per cent. about an hour's wait, the lights

ek that Judge Sam J. Nixon. merly of this place, died at dimenight of this week.

Th Big Springs, Texas, territory is commencing to pick up again. The Neal well is down 2560 feet and has good showings. IN ROOSEVELT COUNTY + We are informed that as soon as the Neal well No. 1 is completed the General Oil Co. will shoot McDowell No. 2.

The Kansas-New Mexico, which was shot last Friday is on the pump and is making from 26 to 30 barrels of high grade oil per day. Leases in the south part of Chaves cuonty are increasing very fast, and we understand that TURE OF CAR OF BOOZE tales have been sold. three or four sections around Por-

The Lakewood No. 1, well of

The Erie Oil and Gas comthe coming week. Actual drilnext sixty days.

secure a block of oil leases.

sume drilling.

Oil Goes Over Derrick

Roswell, Jan. 15 .. The Kansas- republicans. work of cleaning out the well all later. was started at once and the in-EQUIPMENT FOR PORTALES stallation of the pumps was

NEW MEXICO SIXTH IN RURAL POPULATION

In 1910, urban population rep-

The urban and rural popula-

Colorado, 453,259 and 486,370.

Island has the highest percentage vised setting a later date for Friday evening from the resi-On Tuesday night a benefit was of urban population, compared the convening of the legisla-dence.

rogress when the lights went In total rural population Tex-The program was continued as leads. Mississippi has the the light of a flash light, which highest percentage of rural poproduced some very amusing ef-ulation, it being 86.6 per cent. ets in the way of shadows not New Mexico is sixth with 82.0

Word was received here this hr sister as much improved.

Claude Anderson, of Slaton, guest of J. L. May.

Recommendations in Message of Governor Mechem to Legislatue

Prmit women to hold state office. Esablishment of the state-wide primary. Provision of an adequate budget system.

Postponing the date of the meeting of the legislature until later. Raising the limitation on tenure of county school superintendents and state superintendent of public instruction.

Placing minimum salary for first grade teachers at \$1200. Establishment of game commission. Reduction of corporation commission to one member.

Enactment of a flat rate income tax. Ad valorem system of taxing mining property.

The short ballot. Horizontal reduction of all tax levies.

Limitation of taxation for all purposes. Amendment of election law permitting judges and clerks to mark ballots.

Preventing land ownership by aliens not eligible to ictizen-

Abolishing mounted police, road superintendents, superintendent of insurance, legal advisor to governor.

pany of Roswell has made its location on the Berrendos north

E. C. Atkinson, oil scout from the recommendations contained in June. Idaho, was in town Monday and in Governor Mechem's message, Tuesday of this week, trying to Senator Wright, republican floor Wants More Election Judges. leader, stated today, except that R. S. Roddy, of Albuquerque, there is a division of opinion here for the legislative session, Messers Greenlee and Stand- as to the direct primary.

the Roosevelt County Oil Cor- mary should be made applicable congested districts. county by the plan.

the public affairs committee.

Would Adjourn Till June.

started. Oil men in charge of Santa Fe, Jan. 12.—The first Coe Howard. the shooting say that the well "contest" in the house occurred leader, made a semi-humorous the roll call. A. H. Carter, Socor- roads and highways, and revision. WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 19. ro, and F. H. Winston, Sierra, -The urban population of the although the vote was taken on United States, or people living an amendment to his own moin places of 2,500 or more is 54,- tion, voted with the democrats.

o'clock. "In view of the fact that New Mexico, 64,960 and 295, the governor suggested in his T. H. Harmon, brother of Mrs. message that he should be given Tom Maxwell, died at the Max-In total urban population, New more time for the consideration well home in Portales Wednesday York leads the country. Rhode of his recommendations and ad-night The burial will take place

Bill for Direct Primary | ture," he said. "I move that SANTA FE, Jan. 13.—The sen- the motion be amended so as to ate majority is in accord with make the time the first Tuesday

has a bill for the appointment ish went out to the location of Some believe the direct pri- of additional election judges in

Rodey, would not make the ap- ing up this practice. The division of opinion on the pointment of the coming judges | Senate Bill No. 13, introduced the little fellow is reported as Koswell. While here he made a trip through the potato houses Pecos Valley Oil Well is shot; direct primary, he added, in compulsory, but optional on the by Mitchell and Zinn, repeals doing well now. cluded democratics as well as part of the county board.—New the gasoline tax act and Senate Mexican.

BANKING COMMITTEE providing for three.

rick. Following the shooting, the the limitation of taxation for Committee o nBanks and Banking are: Henry Lutz, Francisco Quintana, M. A. Otero, Jr., Jesus F. Nevares, Frank Laws, D. E. Bent,

ON FIVE COMMITTEES

Senator Seth A. Morrison of attemp to adjourn that bunch Portales has been appointed on until the first Tuesday in june, the following senate committees: The vote stood 30 to 17 on Judiciary, railroads, public lands,

GUSHER AT BIG SPRINGS

Rumor has it that a gusher was MOVING IN CAR LOTS 319,032 or 51.4 per cent of the The play acme a few min-brought in 35 miles north of Big country's total population and utes after the house convened Springs, Texas, this week. It is the number of people living in at 10 o'clock, when Winston said that without warning the oil tales Sweet Potato Growers' asso- rural territory is 51,390,739, the moved for adjournment until 4 hot over the derrick and the tools o'clock this afternoon. The mi-had to be abandoned in the well. nority leader then proposed an Later reports are that they have amendment which substituted recovered the tools, and the well the first Tuesday in June for 4 is a good producer.

Death of T. H. Harmon

ciation. The house was filled to seating capacity, and a very interesting program, consisting of city of Washington is co-exten-

SWITCH THROWN OPEN TO TURN TRAIN INTO STRING OF CATTLE CARS AT CAMEO SWITCH.

two and four o'clock the lock was up and prevent the wrecking of ute for the publication in newsremoved from the switch at the train. reated to one of the best pictures today from Nevada. Texas, where bown in Portales, "Burning Day, she has been for the past two thrown in a way to turn one of the best pictures today from Nevada. Texas, where the past two thrown in a way to turn one of the best pictures today from Nevada. Texas, where the past two thrown in a way to turn one of the best pictures. hown in Portales, "Burning Day- she has been for the past two thrown in a way to turn any done to the switch, it is possible county clerk's office and reduce weeks visiting with a sister who northbound train into a string that the passenger going through the fee for filing in the corporahas been very sick. She reports of empty cattle cars, thereby caus- in the night would have been tion commission's office about 50 ing a serious wreck, in case it was wrecked and probably serious loss per cent. not discovered in time.

o'clock Wednesday evening saw covered.

of life have resulted.

The engineer of the northbound As we go to press no clue to the

The bill is drastic. Concerns county. amendable to its provisions can not do business until they get + + + + + + + + + + + + + permits from the bank examiner. They must submit detailed

cated by the Game Protective and terrorizing inhabitants at mission made up of three mem- bands now aggregate 1,000 men. charge of the game and fish de- ally to controle the whole inary at not more than \$4,000.

poration's well Monday even-only to the deligates to state The additional judges would by Senator J. R. Hull, makes more dangerous by a strike deing. Mr. Greenlee says that it conventions, while others favor count the ballots. They would the issuance of checks a felony clared on Friday at Rio Galle-SWEET POTATO INDUSTRY will not be long before they re- the nomination of candidates begin when the voting began when the person who issues the gos. Many people are fleeing for state officers as well as and by the time the polls closed, paper hasn't sufficient funds on the towns. One band is reported have the work probably more deposit for their payment. to have captured five Chilean R. G. Bryant made a trip to Senator Wright said it was than half finished. They would Heretofore the offense has been border police and a lieutenant. of Potter county, Texas, was in town Wednesday and Thursday and Thursday of come oil lesses which on the question before introduction before introduction before introduction before introduction. of this week for the purpose of terest of some oil leases which on the question before introdu- happened at the last election in border counties, Hull said, bogus of this week for the purpose of buying a car of grain for feeding buying a car of grain for feeding the has in that country. He says cing the direct primary bill so Santa Fe and probably other that you can learn nothing from as to ascertain sentiment as far cities when the judges worked as and, since the offence was field farm, William Franklin, the purposes on his farm, at Dexter. as possible, The hearing will be from twelve to eighteen hours only a misdemeanor, they es-little son of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. caped extradition. He said the Jones, was kicked on the head by

> Bill No. 8, also introduced this morning, creates the offices of translators for the legislators,

sed by Senate

en the right of holding state office was adopted by the senate. The democrats joined the republicans in supporting the resolution and the count stood 22 to 0. urns of sweet peas. Festoons of

Senate Bill No. 2, appropriat-

and Hull. The house named a similar committee. The two will refreshments which did credit to ex-service men probably tomor-

o'clock Tuesday afternoon,

Another bill introduced by Zinn makes it possible for any city in the state to adopt the commission plan of local government. Albuquerque now is the only city that can have the plan under section 1, chapter 86, laws of 1917, which is applicable only May her's remain ever just to cities of 15,000 population.

Wednesday evening between the target turned in time to slow of Martinez, to repeal the statpapers of articles of incorpora-

> Special Santa Fe Officers Hubon business Thursday.

WOMEN MAY HOLD AN OFFICE IN NEW MEXICO

SANTA FE, Jan. 14.-The Blue Sky bill and the bill cre- + TAX PAYING LIVELY. mission, favored by the governor, appeared in the senate this + morning.

Senator O. L. Phillips, who sponsored the first, said the bill -officially Senate Bill No. 10- taxpayers are not the privelage followed the revised Kansas of paying one-half now and Blue Sky statute which, he added, had proven highly effective paying the full amount in in barring the sale of doubtful paying the run amount one check. This looks good

statements showing their finan- OUTLAWS SLAY. cial condition and they are subject to examination by the bank examiner, under the bill. The

recognized ability and was one of the bill was break- a horse, fracturing the skull.

The bill, as written by Mr. purpose of the bill was break- a horse, fracturing the skull.

Woman Office Holders Bill Pas-

The resolution giving to wom-

toward carrying out the governor's recommendations.

was passed without opposition.

committees for the purpose of In the second, an historical conmeeting the American Legion's test, the prize was awarded to executive committee. The mem- Miss Elizabeth Priddy and Mr. bers are Hedgeock, Eichwald Leo Braley, both of Portales. hold a joint conference with the

The senate adjourned until Makes Commission Plan Available for Any City

Zinn's bill amends that sec-

Three bills, carrying the name

Tax Collector J. R. Shock reports that the tax payments are coming in in a good way, and that most + taxpayers are not availing + + for the prosperity of the +

DESTROY CROPS. CAPTURE POLICE

bill also gives the corporation BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 18 .commission the powed of fixing Damage estimated at many milthe commission on the sale of lions of pesos has been caused by the depredations of outlaws The other bill-Senate Bill who are pillaging, burning crops No. 11-introduced by Senator and ranches, destroying agri-E. M. Brickley, is the one advo-cultural machinery and killing association and places a com- Santa Cruz. Dispatches say these

bers named by the governor in The outlaws are said virtupartment. The bill retains the terior of the territory as far as game warden and places his sal- Chile. Police are said to be help-

Senate Bill No. 12, introduced The situation has been made

Boy Kicked by Horse

Surgical aid was summoned and

BIRTHDAY PARTY

One of the most charming and interesting events of the younger social set of this season was a party given last Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. J. B. Priddy for her daughter, Miss Maurine, in honor of her sixteenth birthday. The house was beautifully decorated with baskets and The resolution, introduced by the same fragrant and rainbow Senator E. R. Wright, was the first step taken by the senate where progressive games of rook, flinch and such games were enjoyed. The main entertaining features of the evening however. ing \$39,000 for the payment of were two contest games of which the per diem and milage of the the winners were awarded prizes. members of employes' per diem, the first, a motion picture star contest was won by Miss Cressie The committee on committees Turnbull, of Los Angeles, Calif., named the senate's conference and Mr. Reed Murrell of Portales.

After the games were ended, the hostess were esrved and to which the happy crowd's enthusiasm attested, and consisted of chicken a la king, with tea rolls, fruit salad, stuffed olives, hot

chocolate and fruit cake. Miss Maurine was the recipient of many handsome and useful presents, and on the departure of the guests many novel wishes and toasts were extended their charming young friend. One in verse as follows:

'Here's to the girl whom of our hearts is Queen,

'Sweet Sixteen.'' Mrs. Priddy, as hostess, was assisted by her daughter. Miss Elizabeth, and Mrs. Carolyn R. Greenlee, formerly of Los Angles,

California. Others present were: Misses Mamie Fuller, Cerssie Turnbull, Mardell Morrison, Ruth Greenlee, Kathryn English, Kenneth Bell, Ella Fuller, Carolyn

Bradley and Letha Anderson. Messrs. Clinton Fairly, Curtis Boone, Clyde Hill, Eldridge Price, Joel Fuller, Frank Murrell, Leo The ral Wells, Texas, on Mon- Texas, is in Portales this week the local, which went up about four parties ersponsible had been dis- bard and Bomar were in Portales Braley, Reed Murrell and Claude Boone.

Cowpeas Possess High Value as Stock Feed and Soil Improvement

soil upon which it is grown or alfalfa hay. These are points brought out The bulletin recommends that incapable of self-support. each of its various uses.

Have High Food Value.

pecially if the best machinery for handling the crop is used. Although pasturing cowpeas The seed has a high feeding is not thought the best practice, value, but is rarely cheap under certain conditions it is enough to be used as feed. It advisable and quite proltable. can be stored for a considerable Any kind of live stock may be length of time without much stured on cowpeas, but hogs danger of loss of vitality. As it are generally used. The best G. L. Reese and Superintendent strongly in favor of inaugurating every body turn out and put sects, especially the cowpea cowpeas is when the crop has meeting it was ordered that two county boards."

weevil, the seed produced in reached the stage of maturity teachers be employed at the Dora The attorney southern states should be placed thought best for hav. in cold storage, the bulletin rec-

forage for all kinds of stock. tein, such as corn, sorghum, and Even the straw obtained from millet. It is used more as a soil thrashing the peas for seed is builder than any other legume. a valuable stock feed. As a rule because it is so easily grown, for the Floyd school district No. their expendures for the year cowpeas should not be cut for has such a marked effect upon 5 for February 17, to vote on and keep within the amounts hay before the pods begin to succeeding crops, and thrives the issuance of \$36,000.00 bonds named in the budgets filed by turn yellow. The best quality is under a great diversity of con- for the purpose of building a such board." produced and the hav cures ditions.

TUBERCULOSIS MENANCE FOUND IN CONDEMED CATTLE MEAT

farm, 14 animals which reacted or more, are, if they are the and four on the upper floor, to the test, when slaughtered in heads of families, granted a which can be thrown together an establishment under Federa! special exemption under the reviento a big auditorium for pubsupervision, showed lesions of enue laws. Such a person is de- lic meetings and entertainments. the desease not only on the or-fined by Treasurys regulation meat. In reporting the incident ports and maintains in one to the United States Department household one or more individof Agriculture, Inspector R. R. uals who are closely connected basket ball court. Newman explained that the de- with him by blood relationship, monstration was of unusual in-relationship by marriage or by terest because all the cattle adoption, and whose right to ex- ished for \$25,000, which would were purebred.

have their herds qualify for a physically defective. place on the accredited herd list. Herds on this list are officially recognized as free from tu- husband and wife can not claim has purchased a new Ford, and berculosis.

TOTAL DEPOSITS IN PORTALES BANKS SHOW NEAT SUM

From the statements of the Portales banks the total deposits at the first of the year show a neat sum of \$455,580.00. When it is taken into consideration that there are two other banks in the county with a good healthy deposit, this shows good for Roosevelt county at this season of the year when deposits are always at the lowest.

AN UP-TO-DATE BARBER SHOP

Since the consolidation of the two barber shops by D. W. Colligan, the shop has been moved to the old Sanitary headquarters while Mr. Colligan has the other place remodeled. He has secured the office formerly occupied by the Carter-Robinson Abstract company, had the petition removed and when finished will have a shop of metropolitian appearance and convenience. This will represent an investment of about \$6,000, which will be in keeping with the progress and enterprise of Portales business

also of great value as a green ditions little more trouble will claim the \$2,000 exemption allow- do not exceed the limitation for at Tatum, N. M. I carried my milch cows, six mules and one manure crop to increase the hu- be experienced in obtaining well ed the head of a family, but not their expendures for the year. first bale to Lubbock, and let bob sled. Rev. Jockson tied the mus and nitrogen content of the cured cowpea hay than clover the \$200 reedit unless such rela- Afterney General Harry S. Bow- me tell you Webb & Dean have nuptial knot with 200 feet of

in Farmer's Bulletin 1153, Cow- cowpea hay be substituted in peas: Utilization, recently pub-lished by the United States De-the hay now being puchased GATHERING ROOSEVELT COUNTY VALUE partment of Agriculture, which from the north and west. A discusses not only the utilization yield of from 1 to 2 tons to the

is secured. Cowpeas, according to the Cowpeas alone have not given days from the 17th. bulletin, are not grown for seed good results as a silage crop. In A number of people are commore generally because of the addition to the high protein coning in from distant parts of teachers who are compelled to it uncertainty of the crop, the ex- tent, the green vines contain a the county to make their repense of harvesting, and the large propotion of water, pro- turns at the Assessor's office funds in the county treasury. comparatively low yield ob- ducing a watery silage that which is in charge of Burl John They can get the warrants PORTALES TO PLAY LOCAL down, he would arise and begin tained. In localities well suited keeps poorly and is not well son. Mr. Johnson says that the to production it will be found relished by stock. The best si- people are very liberal in the highly profitable to grow cow- lage is obtained when this crop rendition of their taxes, which pea seed on a large scale, es- is grown with corn or sorghum. lightens the burden of the as-

Serve Best for Hogs.

As a soil crop, the cowpea can be used advantageously to Cowpea hay is an excellent supplement crops with less pro-

HEAD OF FAMILY GETS \$2,000.00 **EXEMPTION**

Following the tubercutin test- quired to file a return if their crete basement. There will be ing of 37 cattle on an Indiana net income for 1920 was \$1,000 six rooms on the ground floor gans, but even in some of the as "a person who actually sup- with hot air system, ercise family control and provide leave sufficient to furnish it One of the cows, which had for these dependent individuals with proper equipment for an supplied milk for local use, is based upon some moral or legal up-to-date school. showed extensive lesions of tu- obligation." Such persons are berculosis in the mammary allowed the exemption of \$2,000 glands, a condition associated granted a married person. In with probable infection of the addition, they are allowed a credit two of the buildings at \$1500.00. milk. Several stock raisers, who of \$200 for each dependent under The other buildings will be the tuierculous carcass, 18 years of age or incapable of wrecked and the lumber used to have signified their desire to self-support because mentally or build a teacherage and garage.

Husband and Wife.

A married person living with | County Superintendent Palm as the head of a family. His or county on the date you least her exemption is based upon the expect him. He says that he marital status, irrespective of the wants to see the schools in their support of others living in the every day dress, and not dressed not apply to the husband or wife possible that he will allow the of a taxpayer. For example, if a News man to go along with him married man supports a father to open gates,

who is incapable of self-support GOOD NEWS TO NEW he is entitled to the \$200 eredit for such person. If through force of circumstances he supports his The following by State Super- and adds that act and the bud-Few crops can be utilized in most readily if the vines are cut lowed a married person, but not the state. In Roosevelt, county, ing for the payment of salaries. day he received for publication as great a variety of ways as when most of the pods are full to a \$200 credit for a dependent, however; the Portales banks cowpeas. For centuries they grown and a considerable part A son who has left home but have been receiving the teachers have been grown for human of them matured. If est believe who sends his mother more than warrants on deposit and allowfood in Asia, Africa, and in the this stage the vines are watery one-half the sum required for her ing them to check against them, Milnesand, N. M., Jan. Mediterranean region of Eu-and difficult to cure, water if support is entitled to the \$200 such arrangements having been Edito Portales Valley News. rope. In this country, particular- left too late before cutting there eredit, provided the mother can- arranged for by the country ly in the southern states, the will be an unnecessary loss of not support herself. Otherwise board. crop is commonly used for this leaves in handling and the stems the amount must be considered purpose, but its most important will be tough and woody. The as a gift, and, therefore, the credit SANTA FE, Jan. 15.—County Dunian did not ship it, but I fore a background of farm imuse by far is in feeding of live her is somewhat difficult to cure is not allowed. A son ilving at boards of education can borrow did. It was grown on my farm plements too numerous to menstock, being utilized for soiling, but with attention to the stage home and supporting his father money for the payment of school some 43 miles south of Portales. tion in the presence of about

COUNTY VALUES

Pipkin will be out for thirty

sessor considerable.

COUNTY BOARD MEETS.

The county board of educa-Saturday, Earl Stratton, Mrs.

FLOYD DISTRICT TO VOTE ON \$36,000.00

new school house for that dis- He then calls attention to the

inate as to the plans for the contemplated building, talked that it will be a two-story Single persons, though re-pebbled dashed house, with con-The building will be heated

> The basement will be fitted up for a gimnasium and indoor

It is estimated that a building of this nature can be fin-

The old building will be disposed of as follows: The district has a standing offer for

TO VISIT SCHOOLS

an additional \$2,000 exemption will visit every school in the same household. The additional up for an expected visit. So you \$200 credit for dependents does may look out, and it may be

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way today.

tion and discontent among the boys, lets plant cotton and ship at discount. In some cases they suffer the humiliation of being told that the warrants are no school will play Fort Sumner. hesitated, forgot what he was

county boards of education to have a crackerjack basket ball finger at his amazing congrefollow the city boards and get team. tion met in extra session last loans from banks so they can It will be the first time they the way—Amen!"

The attorney general's opinion says in part:

"In our opinion there is no prohibition or objection to bor-BOND ISSUE rowing money by county boards of education so long as such boards do not exceed the limi-An election has been ordered tations prescribed by law for

Bateman act which prohibits While we have nothing def- the expenditure of more in any

one year that the amount raised WHY THE EDITOR MEXICO TEACHERS by taxation and from other sources of income for the year

A CORRECTION

"There is general dissatisfac- bock was 6 or 8 cents. Come, change.

Yours truly, GEO B. DOUGHTIL.

cashed at the banks-but only HIGH BASKET BALL TEAM his supplementary remarks with

January 21. Portales High

meet all accounts monthly. I am ever played Fort Sumner. So Sumner Leader.

Somebody sent the editor of wife away from home he is en- intendent Conway will be good get limitations would be the the Poketown Gazette a few titled to the \$2,000 exemption all news. to the teachers all over only restrictions upon borrow- bottles of home brew. The same a wedding announcement and a notice of an auction sale. Here are the results: "Mm. Smith Milnesand, N. M., Jan. 14. and Miss Lucy Anderson were disposed of at public auction I wish to make a correction at my farm one mile east of a in regards to the "Bale of Cot- beautiful cluster of roses on her ton Shipped to Houston." Mr. breast and two white calves, behay, silage, and pasture. It is of growth and to weather con-, mother, or other relative may teachers salaries as long as they I had this bale of cotton ginned seventy guests, including two tive is under 18 years of age or man advised Superintendent of some gin. My bale ginned there hay rope and the bridal couple Public Instruction John V. Con- made strict middling, and they left on one good John Deere are wanting to put in a gin at gang plow for an extended trip Mr. Conway, asking for the Portales or Elida, so why not with terms to suit purchasers. opinion said he had received encourage them. They say "they They will be at home to their complaints from different parts will put one in if the farmers friends with one good baby Tax Assesor J. A. Pipkin is of the state that schools funds will just plant enough cotton buggy and a few kitchen utenof the crop, but the methods of acre can usually be expected, out in the rural communities tak- were exhausted and the teach- to pay them to do it." By ship- sils after ten months from date growing and harvesting it for and frequently under favorable ing the rendition of the Roose- ers could get their salary war- ping my first bale I got \$17.50 of sale to responsible parties conditions a much larger yield velt count taxes for 1921. Mr. rants cashed only at discount. for it, when the market at Lub- and some fifty chickense '-Ex-

ABSENT-MINDEDNESS

A minister had a habit of forgetting something he had to say in the pulpit. Then, after siting 'By the way.'

Recently he finished his prayer Portales has the eastern New about and sat down abruptly "Such a condition cannot ex- Mexico championship in foot- without closing. In a moment, ist any more. I am advising ball, and it is probable they will however, he arose, pointed his gation, and exclaimed: "Oh, by

J. H. Hendrix and son, earl, is subject to attacks from in- time for turning the stock on Palm being present. At this the pay-as-you-go policy for the pay-as-you last week on business.

ALWAYS. BUSY

We carry all accessories, do your work right, at right prices. Pleased customers make long friends.

Notice to Taxpayers!

Notice is hereby given to the taxpayers of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, that the Tax Assesor or a deputy will visit the precincts of the county at the time and place designated below, for the purpose of making the assessments of all taxable property for the year 1921.

ASSESSOR'S NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC!

"The laws of the State of New Mexico require that every inhabitant of the State, of full age and sound mind, shall, in each year, make a list of all property subject to taxation of which he is the owner or has the control or management. Such list must be on the form prescribed by law by the State Tax Commission and must be made and filed in the office of the County Assessor on or after the first day of January and not later than the last business day of February of each year."

In compliance with law and for the convenience of taxpayers I will be at the various places in Roosevelt county on the respective dates as follows, for the purpose of taking lists of property.

Pre. Name and Location. Date. 1, Portales, Assesor's office_Jan. 1 to Feb.28 13, Midway, Tom Davidson's resJan. 17 16, Inez, postofficeJan. 18 15, Old Redland, Cox's StoreJan. 19 15, Garrison, Brown's storeJan. 20 6, Longs, postofficeJan. 21 11, Rogers, postofficeJan. 24 30, Richland, postofficeJan. 25 24, New Hope, postofficeJan. 26 17, Redlake, postofficeJan. 27 25, Delphos, postofficeJan. 28 29, Kenna, Kenna BankJan. 31	Pre. Name and Location. Date. 10, Valley View, old postoffice Feb. 1 9, Eagle Hill, school house Feb. 2 9, Milnesand, postoffice Feb. 3 28, Bluit, postoffice Feb. 4 28, Lingo, postoffice Feb. 5 18, Upton, postoffice Feb. 7 20, Claudell, postoffice Feb. 8 3, Dereno, postoffice Feb. 9 5, Tolar, postoffice Feb. 10 and 11 22, Perry, school house Feb. 12 2, Elida, McBride's store Feb. 14 to 19 inclusive
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Any person failing to meet me at these appointments may make return to my office in Portales at any time within the limits fixed by law as given above, or blank a making rendition will be sent upon application, by mail or in person, to my office.

"A penalty of twenty-five per cent in addition to the regular valuation, must b added to the value of all property not listed for assessment within the time and in the form prescribed by law. No exceptions can be made to this law."

Respectfully yours,

J. A. PIPKIN, Assessor ROOSEVELT COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

(Dec. 23—Feb. 24.)

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proof to establish claim to the land You are further notified that unless

above described before A. J. Goodwin, you enter your appearance in said

Probate Judge, in his office at Por- caus on or before the 5th day of Feb-

tales, N. M., on the 24th day of ruary, 1921, and plead or answer

Walter H. Martin, John T. Turner, tiff will apply to the Court for the

John O. Benson, Paul Hudson, all of relief demanded in the complaint.

W. R. McGILL,

therein, judgment will be taken a-

gainst you by default and the plain-

You are further notified that George

WITNESS my hand and seal of

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt

NOTICE!

Thurman, was on the 3rd day of Jan-

uary, 1921, at the regular January,

1921, term of the Probate Court, duly

appointed administratrix over the es-

tate of John C. Thurman, deceased.

Therefore any and all persons hav-

ing claims against the said estate, are

hereby notified to present the same

to me or file the same with the Clerk

of this Court within the time prescribed

by law, or the same will be forever

Dated this the 3rd day of January,

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

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three year proof, to establish claim to

J. Goodwin, Probate Judge, at his of-

Claimant names as witnesses:

A. Moss, all of Texico, N. M.

1st insertion Dec. 23, 1920.

John W. Bradley, Grover B.

Thatcher, Benjamin H. Vaughn, James

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION.

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Department of the Interior, U. S.

NOTICE is hereby given that

Mattie E. Merrick, mother of Ho-

mer W. Merrick, Decd. entryman, of

for Lots 5, 6, Sec. 3, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4,

Range 37E, N. M. P. Meridian, has

claim to the land above described, be-

fore J. C. Compton, Probate Judge,

in his office, at Portales, N. M., on

Benjamin J. Gates, Robert N. Hard

W. R. McGILL, Register.

the 25th day of January 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses:

all of Causey, N. M.

W. R. McGILL, Register.

day of January, 1921.

Department of the interior, U. S.

LOU THURMAN,

Administratrix

Notice is hereby given that I, Lou

County Clerk.

) No. 217.

L. Reese is attorney for the plaintiff

and that his post office address is Por-

said Court this the 15th day of De-

(Seal) SETH A, MORRISON.

By P. E. Morrison, Deputy.

In the matter of the estate

John C. Thurman, deceased.)

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Some Mail Order Houses Find Them Very Useful in Their Business.

CAN "DOCTOR" PHOTOGRAPH

Concerns Can Give Wrong Impres sions With Illustrations While Sticking to Truth in Descriptions.

(Copyright, 1917, Western Newspaper Union.) "Figures never lie," it has been claimed, but this is far from the truth. The defaulter who has "doctored" his books in such a way that he has escaped detection for years, knows get the tubes at C. B. Forbes. 2tc August 10, 1918, made additional that figures can be made to lie. The shrewd politician, who knows how to juggle statistics, knows that they can be made to tell a story that is far from the truth.

But there is another medium of expression which is also supposed to be a stickler for truth, but which is a greater prevaricator than figures. That is a picture. A picture of any freezing. \$2.25 a gallon at Neer's person or thing, supposedly, is an ex- drug store. act reproduction of the original, but this is frequently only a wild suppoand then would soon go out of business from lack of patronage.

Pictures Better Than Words. Pictures have come to occupy a very important place in the life of the world in recent years. It has been said that No one has been quicker to realize

the possibilities of the picture when He has realized that a picture will bases. do more to sell his kind of merchandise than a column of words and fig-For instance, if you sell a man a table he has a legal right to accuse the sell-church members be present. Andrew J. Maxwell, deceased.) er of obtaining money under false pretenses. However, if the customer buys a table which looks in a picture to be 48 inches wide, but which proves upon its arrival to be only 36 inches To All Taxpayers of Roosevelt term of the Probate Court in and for wide, he has no legal grounds upon which to base a complaint if the sell-

that the table was 48 inches wide.

Stick to Truth in Figures. Some unscrupulous mail order houses have taken advantage of this given in their catalogues of the arti-day of January, 1921, A. D. may employ descriptions which exag- any taxpayer alleging error in his of the articles offered, but when it or petition for the correction of comes down to actual measurements correct. Then these concerns rely upon six months from the above date, their pictures to sell the merchandise, said petition or complaint must realizing that a picture will make a be filed with the District Attorfar deeper impression upon the mind ney. of the prospective buyer than the actual figures given. A picture of a wide, be filed after six months. roomy bed will attract the eye and the reader probably will not stop to measure off the width of the bed as it is described in the catalogue to see whether it is as wide as desired. Figures, in the abstract, mean little to the average reader and do not convey the Impression that is given in the pic- Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M.,

house tells how his concern manippalistic for June 13, 1918, made additional of Elida, New Maries made to appear as if they were three on the 17th day of February, 1921. inches in thickness. These things are | Claimant names as witnesses: easy for any competent artist to do.

Patrons Had No Recourse. This concern, however, adhered rig- Upton, N. M. idly to the truth in the measurements included in the descriptions. Custom- Jan. 20.—Feb. 17 ers who found, when they received their goods, that they were not what they expected, could kick, but it would do them no good. The mail order house could show that it had set forth Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., the measurements truthfully in cata- January 11, 1921. logues, and there was no recourse for the customer.

an article of merchandise from a pic- Meridian has filed notice of intention tiff executed and delivered to M. C. teur photographer knows from experi- Judge, in his office at Portales, N. M., assigned to the defendant herein by ence how the camera often will give on the 17th day of February, 1921. a wrong idea of proportions.

The only safe method is to buy from the local merchant where one sees the Edwin Chavers, Lon L. Mason, all of has paid off said indebtedness and is article itself and not a picture of it. Upton, N. M. The article itself cannot lie about its dimensions, at least.

Wanted to Buy-Your Liberty Bonds. First National Bank.

Cut price on bread at Dobbs: 10 ents a loaf.

Hoover Suction Sweepers make intention to make final three year for general relief. house cleaning easy. Neer's.

Special prices on gallon can ruits. McDonald's Grocery.

Big loaf of bread 10 cents at

New galvanized wash boilers \$1.75. Large size \$2.00. George Jan. 20.—Feb. 17

Why pay 50c for extracts when you can buy the Tube for 30c that will go farther than two bottles of your 50c size. You can

Records at Neer's Drug Store.

Special prices on gallon can intention to make final three year tf proof to establish claim to the land ruits. McDonald's Grocery.

One gallon of wood alcohol in a Ford car radiator will prevent

Chas. Malone, of Plainview, N. M., Frank Beeman, of Richland, sition. The photographer who did not Texas, spent Monday night in N. M. make his picture tell a little fib now Portales, the guest of Bascom Howard, Mr. Malone was here for the purpose of securing material and labor for painting and decorating his new bunglo, which he has built on his ranch for newspaper purposes a picture just accross the Texas line from Thomas H. Long, deceased. which tells its story strikingly is worth Redland. He went out Tuesday more than columns of written words morning accompanied by Thompon the same subject. Newspapers and son Brothers, who will do the undersigned, was on the 4th day of magazines have realized the truth of painting and decorating. Mr. Ma- January, 1921, at the regular January this fact and as a result pictures are lone reports cattle as doing well term of the Probate Court, duly ap. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M. used profusely in illustrating the news and in good shape. He had contemplated bringing a bunch of of Thomas H. Long, deceased. baby beeves over into this counproperly—or it might be said improp- try to finish, could he secure interested parties, are hereby notified ditional homestead entry, No. 017128, erly—used, than the mail order man. feed and grass on a satisfactory to present the same to me or file the for NE14, Section 34, Township 1N,

ures. One reason for this is that it Christian church at Clovis, deis harder to catch a picture in a lie livered an excellent sermon at 1921. than it is printed words and figures. the Christian church Sunday J6-27 on the strength of a printed statement afternoon. He left an appointthat it is 48 inches wide and if when ment for next Lord's day at 3 In the Probate Court of Roosevelt the table reaches the customer it is o'clock. A very cordial invita- County, New Mexico. only 36 inches wide, the customer not tion is extended to all and it is In the matter of the estate) only has a moral right to kick, but especially desirable that all the

NOTICE!

County:

101, Section 1, Laws of 1919, of tate of Andrew J. Maxwell, deceased. er has not told him in so many words the State of New Mexico, notice is hereby given that the tax roll or assessment book for the year 1920 the truth in the actual measurements County Treasurer on the 10th or the same will be forever barred.

cles which they have to sell. They You are further notified that 1921. gerate the qualities and appearances assessment must file his complaint same, as required by law, within

J. R. SHOCK,

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. January 11, 1921.

A former manager of a mail order . Notice is hereby given that Levi purposes. It had pictures of its homestead entry No. 017238, for 81/2 chairs retouched so that the legs SW 1/4 section 26, W 1/2 N W 1/4 section 35, seemed to be an inch and a half in di- township 2 S., range 30 E., N. M. P. ameter, when they were really less Meridian, has filed notice of intention than an inch. It made narrow beds to make final three year proof to escomfortable. Posts of iron beds that cribed, before A. J. Goodwin, Probate were really an inch in diameter were Judge, in his office at Portales, N. M.

> Jess Clinton Dodgin, Levi R. Jones, L. R. Eoff, Edwin Chavers, all of and for Roosevelt County, wherein

W. R. McGILL. Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S.

Clinton Dodgin, of Upton, N. M., who, of Section 28, in Township 1 South, There is no question but that pie on May 15, 1918, made additional entry Range 35 East, of the New Mexico tures will lie, sometimes without any No. 016048, for SE1/4 section 1, fown. Meridian New Mexico, and that on manipulation, and the person who buys ship 2 S., range 30 E., N. M. P. the 29th day of Sept. 1908 the plainture is taking big chances, even though to make final three year proof to es- Boswell a mortgage upon said dethe picture is not intentionally altered tablish claim to the land above des- scribed land for Six Hundred (\$600. to give a wrong impression. Any ama- cribed before A. J. Goodwin, Probate 00) Dollars; that said mortgag was

Claimant names as witnesses:

W. R. McGILL, Jan. 20.-Feb. 17

Joseph C. Park, these of Red Lake,

February, 1921.

Benson, N. M.,

ember 8th, 1920.

Claimant names as witnesses:

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Land Office at Roswell, N. M., Nov-

Department of the Interior, U. S.

Notice is hereby given that Lee

Evans, of Redlake, N. M., who on

homestead entry No. 036583, for 81/2

N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of

above described before J. C. Compton,

Judge of the Probate Court of Roose-

velt county, N. M., at Portales, N. M.,

James R. Dutton, Thomas I. Park,

EMMETT PATTON.

on the 21st day of February, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses:

section 23, township 7 S., range 35 E.,

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico. In the matter of the estate)

of) No. 219.

Notice is hereby given that I, the

Therefore, any and all persons hav- Thales A. Boone, of Texico, N. M., ing claims against said estate and all who, on June 21st, 1918, made adsame with the Clerk of this Court Range 36E, N. M. P. Meridian, has within one year from this date, or the filed notice of intention to make final Chas D. Posten, pastor of the same will be forever barred. Dated this the 4th day of January, the land above described, before A.

VIRGINIA L. LONG, Administratrix. fice, at Portales, N. M., on the 25th

of .) No. 218.

NOTICE!

Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned, was, on the 3rd day of January, 1921, at the regular January Roosevelt county, New Mexico, duly Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., In accordance with Chapter appointed administrator over the es-Therefore, any and all persons hav-

ing claims against said estate, and all interested parties are hereby notified Causey, N. M., who, on May 16, 1917, that they must present the same to me made Homestead entry, No. 016694, selling power of pictures in a very ingenious way. They adhere strictly to delivered to me the undersigned Court within one year from date hereof and SW14, Section 10, Township 58, Dated this the 3rd day of January, filed notice of intention to make CHARLES C. MAXWELL, Final three year Proof, to establish

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION Department of the Interior, U. S.

Land Office at Roswell, N. M., Jan.5, ing, Arch E . Merrick, William Croft, Notice is hereby given that Joe H No complaints or petitions can Lisenbee, of Elida, N. M., who, on 1st insertion Dec. 23, 1920. May 4, 1916, made homestead entry Last insertion Jan. 25, 1921.

No. 034675 for N1/2, section 13, town-County Treasurer, ship 8 south, range 32 east, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof to establish claim to the land above described before R. H. Grissom, U. S. Commissioner, at Elida, N. M., on the 12th day of February, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses: Henry C. Carroll, Hood V. Hasten,

EMMETT PATTON. Jan. 13-Feb. 10.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT.

appear in the picture to be wide and tablish claim to the land above des. The State of New Mexico to John Brownlee, Defendant, Greetings:

You are hereby notified that a suit has been filed against you in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, in William F. Smith is plaintiff and you, the said John Browlee, is defendant, said cause being No. 1648 upon Civil Docket of said court.

The general objects of said action are as follows:

The plaintiff alleges that he is the owner in fee simple of the East half of the Northwest quarter and the Notice is hereby given that Jess West half of the Northeast quarter the said M. C. Boswell as collateral security for a debt owed by the place-Levi R. Jones, Levi Richard Jones, tiff to the defendant; that dremdant entitled to receive said mortgage and a release therefor, but that the de-Register. fendant still holds said mortgage and

the note accompanying it for Six Department of the Interior, U. S. Hundred Dollars (\$600.00) and of even Old Man Dollar Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., date therewith, and refuses to deliver the same to the plaintiff or release Notice is hereby given that Donald or cancel the same of record. The Griffith, of Floyd, N. M., who, on plaintiff prays that said mortgage and Sept. 14th, 1917, made additional home- accompanying note be cancelled and stead entry No. 017265, for NE1/4 sec- held for naught as a cloud upon his tion 27, township 1 8., range 29 E., title and that his title to said prem-

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NO PAUPERS HERE

A thought worthy of mention is the fact that Roosevelt county has no paupers, at least the Portales Valley News has not been able to locate them. Just think of it. Mr. Prospector, where can you find a country with as satisfactory conditions as to climate, agricultural conditions, livestock possibilities and educational advantages that has no public charges in its boundaries? Take a trip out in the ranch and farming sections of the towns and see how the people are prepared to live. Drop in on them at meal times and see how they live every day. Look at their barns and graineries bursting with the p. m. Sunday School at 10 a. m. grains of different varieties. See Young People's Society at 6:15 their immense stacks of feed. And p. m. Everybody invited to come then remember that there are no and worship with us. paupers in the county.

Now that the legislature is in session, let us hope that the time to scrape the last penny from the o'clock Sunday afternoon. pocket of the taxpayer.

The surest remedy for hartimes is public confidence. The people of the United States accepted hte high war prices, and now they must accept the read at every service. The Rev. Davis day with Mr. and Mrs. Duke. | now. The whole country is resjustment. The country is full of the products which go to make wealth. Europe is short on that which we have to sell. The only explanation of the present standstill of commerce is the want of confidence of the public. It should be a criminal offense for a person or corporation to circulate rumors of bank failures and other calamities which are calculated to destroy the public confidence.

WITH THE CHURCHES

METHODIST CHURCH

Sanday school at 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Leagues at 2, 3, and 6 p. m. Prayermeeting Wednesday eve.

Rev. A. C. Searcy, secretary. treasurer of the Near East Relief appointed by Bishop DuBose, of the Methodist Episcopal church south, will preach. Owing to the crowded condition of the church we don't think it necessary to omit services so we will have our regular services at the Methodist church.

I go to Elida to assist Rev. Gil liam. Every Methodist and friend of the church is cordially invited. VADA DAVIS, Pastor.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Were you there last Sunday? It was a real day for us all the way. The congregations were all we could ask for. Our house was full Sunday night. We are growing with every service. The B. Y. P. U. is a live fact

or. I don't think I ever saw better work than is being done by this Union.

Our Sunday school is doing a most excellent work. Classes and teachers are deeply inter-

ested in each lesson. The Sunbeams meet regular

and are doing a lasting work. The first meeting of the ladies after the holidays was both important and instructive. We bid fair for the best year's work in

this line we have had. I think we have one of the best choirs to be found anywhere in New Mexico, If you sing come

and help, if you don't sing just hear the others, it will help you. Plan now to be with us next Sunday.

Sunday at 9:45 a. m. prompt. Preaching at 11 a. m. Sunbeams at 3 p. m., B. Y. P. U at 6 p. m., Preaching at 7 p. m. Prayermeeting every Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. Come to any or all these meetings. J. F. NIX, Pastor.

CHURCH MEETINGS

2nd Sunday at 11 a. m., Mt. Zion, Located at Plainview Cem-

and Saturday at 2 p. m. before. and the ladies brought well filled We are going to try harder

The members of the churches, he citizens and the visitors of inch snow last week. all these communities are cor- Miss Ruby Wagoner took din dially invited to attend all the ner with Cora Little Sunday. services. Yours for better Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Thomas churches,

JOHN W. BARNETT, County Pastor, Red Lake, N. M.

APPOINTMENTS OF ROGERS CIRCUIT METHODIST CHURCH

1st Sunday.-Floyd, 11 a. m and 7 p. m. 2nd Sunday,—Rogers, 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. 3rd Sunday .- Redland, 11 a. m.

and 7 p. m. 4th Sunday.—Inez, 11 a. m. and

Please let the people take notice of the dates of these appointments singing. and try to keep in mind their day for preaching.

A. C. SEARCY, P. C.

Nazarene Church

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7

A. K. SCOTT, Pastor.

Preaching at Christian Church Rev. Paston will preach at the lation, instead of devising means Central Christian church at 3:00 day night with Miss Gussie Escue.

EETING AT THE NAZARENE CHURCH

The revival at the Nazarene church is drawing good crowds is an earnest speaker and presents his theme in a forceful way.



The Rev. and Mrs. Davis come nighly recommended, and the peo- ty recently elected D. H. Smith ple of this community will do well superintendent.

Rev. and Mrs. Davis.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Wesley Johnson to Roy A. Fullerton, NE1/4-26-48-35. J. R. Shock to Edgar Savage,

Lots 1 and 2, Block 6, Elida. W. W. Hensley to Robert L. Perry, E. 4 acres of N\(\frac{1}{2}\)S\(\frac{1}{2}\)NE\(\frac{1}{4}\) NE1/434-1S-34.

James L. May to R. M. Foster, NW1-4 and SE1-4-31-1S-33. SE1/4 26-18-32. NE1-4 sec. 6-28-33. William H. Campbell to Harry

Knowles, SE1/4-31-38-35. William E. Carter to Harry Ralp Carter, NW1/4-3-4S-35. W. F. Hill to Jess McCormack,

W. F. Morris to Eva P. Stokes, + + + + + + Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 10, 11 and 12,

Block 79 Portales. Matthew R. Ralston to John W. Pounds, E½-6-1S-30.

F. Matthewson, Lots 7, 8, 9, Blk. are several people who spell well 76, Portales. N½ Lot 1 Blk. 28, among the patrons, and the pupils Portales. SE1/4-10-4S-36.

tage of the damp weather and Misses Pearl and Marie Taylor. getting their fodder in the stack. Mrs. J. G. Greaves entertained The thresher is in the Redland a few young folks at her home

ommunity. We have good attendance and

attendance. 3rd Sunday at 11 a. m., Loongs, Rev. D. Z. Little preached at lew day. Koebuck Sunday to a good crowd like it. Rev. D. Z. Little preached at few days ago. We hope he will

2nd Sunday, 7 p. m. Dara; 4th and all went home declaring a The sunday, 2 p. m., Oklahoma school good time. Several of the young was: people from Allie attended.

> The farmers appreciated a 3 7th Grade.-Lora Fleming, and

were visiting with L. A. Little Sunday.

The merchant from Redland, Mr. Cox and wife attended church at Causey Sunday. Herbert, Gordon King Greaves We are having a fine school.

ROGERS REPORTS

We are having some fine weath-

er again. Several of the Rogers people attended church at Longs Sunday morning and also singing Sunday night. Certainly had some good

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Maxwell spent Sunday at the Herndon Some of the Rogers people mo-

afternoon and took pictures, Fred Maxwell and family spent Sunday at the Post home.

Bill Marrs and family of Arizona are visiting friends and relatives here. They came through Lambrith, who has seen this with in their Ford.

Saturday night with her sister, Methodist church Sunday night. Mrs. Lem Miller. Miss Marie Phillips spent Sun-

Mrs. Horne and children spent but people, let's all lend a helping the weed end with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duke.

John Clem, who has been quite sick for the past week is reported their souls later and win whole some better at this writing.

her many friends last week when sure Portales' big hearted people she and Mr. Chas. Lewis were will lend a helping hand. Come quietly married at Portales. Her to the Methodist church Sunday many friends wish them a long night, everybody! and happy life together. Mrs. Billie Marsh spent Mon-

day at the VanWinkle home. Miss Bertha Autry spent the HOUSE Improvements for sale. week end at home, returning to her school at Garrison Monday New Mexico. morning.

There will be singing at Rogers Sunday night Jan. 23, and every body is invited to come and join in the singing.

FLOYD ITEMS

The Floyd Junior class organ ized January 13. Broda McAlister was elected president and Hazel Wharton, secretary. Class colors were selected which were purple and gold.

The Floyd Sunday school socie-

The literary society met Jan. Lovers of music will be treated 14th and several good numbers o special duets each night by were rendered. Several of the patrons were present.

The Floyd pupils are hoping for a new school building next year Verna Anderson spent the week end in Portales last week.

We had a very good snow last week but the school trucks did not fail to run.

There will be a director's meeting at Floyd Wednesday night January 19th.

The Junior basket ball boys of Floyd played Portales boys last Friday evening, the game ending with a score of 6 to 12 in favor of Portales.

Lots 10, 11 and 12, Block 65, +KENTUCKY VALLEY ITEMS

There were quite a number of patrons out to the spelling match last Friday afternoon. The spelling match ended in favor of the James A. Mattheson to Edward pupils of the school. But there had to study hard to win. We appreciate the encouragement we received from the spelling.

Mrs. J L. Paxton and Willie Beard are sick this week, but we hope they will be up soon.

Miss Roberta Taylor, of Por-The farmers are taking advan- tales is visiting her sisters the

We had a light snow last

good interest in the Sunday school week and the pupils had a good The Methodist Circuit Rider, Rev. time Friday snowballing. But it Searcy, preached at Causey Sun- is all gone now and we have to go day and Sunday night, with good back to basket ball.

Otis Smith joined the army a

On Saturday at 2 p. m. before haskets with good things to eat. than ever this month as our week reach 4th Sunday will have ser- two hours after dinner singing somewhat.

PORTALES EXCHANGE AND vacation cut our grades down two hours after dinner singing somewhat.

The honor roll for last month Yvette Stephens.

Louise Beard. 6th Grade.—Heart Paxton, John is to bring together those who Texas. Armstrong and Lois Eoff. 5th Grade. Joe Taylor.

and Lillian Paxton. 2nd Grade.-Lyle Toler, Glen

and Elnora Louderback. 1st Grade - Heward Jasper, Joe Bealle Greaves, and Charlotte Herbert.

IN CHARGE OF NEAR EAST RELIEF WORK

I have been appointed by Bishop DuBose to take charge of the to your mutual advantage. Near East Relief Work" in this part of the country. My heart has been so aroused with sympathy for poor, dying, starving humanity in Europe, till I can hardly sleep at night. Just think "10,000 Perish in One Day," says he was called on account of the tles and corn cobs, the wolf is at him out of danger. their throats, wild eyed mothers with shriveled breasts throw their babies in wells. We must do our best and do it quick, says Bishop his own eyes, in a telegram. I Miss Anna VanWinkle spent will present this cause at the Brother Davis has kindly given me over his church for this. We are in sympathy with soul saving hand in this fight for these starying, war and famine stricken widows and orphans. We will reach nations to the Kingdom of God, Grandma Maxwell spent Mon- if we will come to their rescue Miss Altha Holland surprised ponding to this call and I am A. C. SEARCY.

County Supervisor, N. E. R.

See Chas. Anderson, Portales,

EMPLOYMENT BUREAU

have some article of farm or 3rd Grade.—Joe Lewis Powell no need. For instance, you have neighbor in some other part of the You both list what you have to son, Roswel, N. M. sell with him, and for a small fee he brings you together, and FOR SALE-My pen of pure-bred you are both gainers by disposing of useless property.

If you need a hand, or if you need a job the same plan works Walter Jackson. See him and talk it over with FOR SALE-S. C. White Leghorn him. The possibilities of such a

business are unlimited. J. H. Sandifer returned Thurs-

day from Oklahoma City where tored to the Canyons Sunday one report. They are eating this-illness of his son. H ereports

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE-20 H. P. Crude Oil James Lee Wilson this week announces that he will conduct an Will help install and put in runusiness.

Size of pipe and depth to water.

The purpose of the exchange Write Howard T. Trigg, Amarillo,

household use for which they have FOR SALE-Some B. P. Rock cockerels, also one half dozen a plow which you do not need each White P. Rock and R. I. Red and you need a baby buggy. Your pullets. Mrs. J. P. Ford. 12-2tp

county has a baby buggy for FOR SALE OR TRADE-Store which he has no use, but does and stock of goods, McDonald, need the very plow you have. N. M. Also farm. W. F. Richard-

> White Orpingtons. Also a few Barred Rock cockerels, Saylor strain, for sale or exchange. Mrs.

cockerels, 265 egg strain, \$2.00 each. Mrs. W. E. Lindsey. Portales, N. M. 12-2tc

FOR SALE-Montmorency Cherry trees, 4 to 5 feet high. \$2.00 per dozen, \$10.00 per hundred. Mrs. W. E. Lindsey.

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Build a Home First!

Kemp Lumber Comp'ny PORTALES, NEW MEXICO

S. B. FLETCHER,



In a Gambler's Market

A clerk's error, adding three ciphers to a thousandbushel selling order, caused wheat to fall 81/4 points on the Chicago Board of Trade last October. It didn't change the world's wheat supply by a single grain or affect actual wheat needs by so much as a crust of bread, but every farmer whose wheat was marketed that day lost money as a result.

A short time before, the market was sent tumbling by a false cablegram announcing that France had a big harvest of wheat.

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SOCIET HAPPENINGS OF

Missionary Society

on Thursday afternoon. A short friends enjoyed the afternoon. T. Littlefield. business session was held with The small tables were decorated Now, Chas. S. Toler is appoin-Mrs. McDonald, the new presi- with red carnations and ferns. ted Chairman of said Board. were appointed. The meeting was chicken, hot rolls, cranberry Board. then dismissed and a very pleas- jelly, olives and moulded tomato ant social hour was spent during salad, banana nut cream with which the hostess served refresh- white cake, coffee. Those presments consisting of chicken salad ent besides the honoree being pickles, creamed peas in patties, Mesdames hot rolls and butter for the first Leach, Ribble, Oldham, Mears, pineapple sherbet and hot coffee vis. Howard, McDowell, Wilcox, rants. second course. Place of holding Smith, Luper, Jordan, Herndon, next meeting will be announced Buchanan, Priddy, Williamson stand adjourned until Monday

F. R. Smith, who recently moved from this place to Houston, Texas, came in and spent the social hour and gave a very interesting ac-1, count of their trip to Houston, which was made overland. -Mary E. West, Reporter.

Ridgley Whiteman

Entertains.

On last Saturday afternoon Ridgly Whiteman entertained a number of his little friends at his home in the west end of town. It being his eleventh birthday. The children gathered about two o'clock, and after playing nu merous games, racing, music and story tellling, they were served to a dainty lunch. Each one went home happy, wishing Ridley many happy returns of the day.

On Monday of last week, Mrs. P. E. Jordan entertained with a rook party ni honor of Mrs. G. W. Carr of Fort Sumner and Manges-Gary. Miss Gail Lindley of Clovis.

Mrs. Fred Luper returned last Miss Thelma Gary, of Elida, were Friday from three weeks visit united in marriage, Probate Judge to Dallas.

T. A. Brown, of the Brown-Thompson Construction companv. of Clovis, was in town Tues- Mountain States Tel. & day on business connoected with Mrs. G. W. Carr returned to the Floyd school house.

tending congratulations.

A. J. Goodwin, officiating.

her home in Fort Sumner last P. E. Jordan returned Sunday Joe Boren, salary and from a weeks visit to Ft. Worth, Miss Polly Monroe and Cash Dallas and Breckenridge, Texas, P. E. Morrison, salary Austin, of Clovis, were Portales Mr. Jordan says that conditions are much better over the count- J. L. Swafford, salary ry than has been reported.

J. K. Fairly and J. B. Priddy Mm. Speck and wife, of Roswell, were over night guests in Jess McCormack, salary the Edgar Foreman home last W. H. Jasper and Deskin week. Mr. Speck is pastor of John W. Ballow, salary Cothern of Claudell were in the Church of Christ at Roswell and had been attending the Seth A. Morrison, salaty Bible Institute at Clovis.

N. B. Fields, of the firm of Road Supt., 4th quarter, d at Shelby last Sunday morning. Warnica & Fields, is off on a both business and pleasure trip Burl Johnson, salary, asses-Mr. McCleeskeym, State to his old home in Spur, Texas. highway engineer, was in town He will probably be gone two or A. J. Goodwin, salary dep-

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, of J. S. Pearce, salary com-Judge Lindsey left for Santa Blackwell, Okla., passed through Fe last Sunday to look in on the and spent the night in town last work of the present session of Friday on their was to Sunny Portales Valley News, for California to spend the winter. Thy left Saturday morning by the Portales Valley News, for Judge W. R. McGill, register auto route very highly pleased

> Notice to House Owners The winter nights are getting J. L. Swafford, feeding

long. You will be doing considerable reading, why not get Seth A. Morrison, office exall the enjoyment out of it you can by installing electric lights Portales Valley News, for Miss Emma Stephenson vis- instead of the old lamp.

ited the Knox McClain family in Give up the old smoothing iron Jess McCormack, justice of Clovis last week and attended and make your wife a Christmas

We wire your house or can furnish anything in electric supplies- John W. Ballow, stamps Of course we are still headque, have leased the building formerly occupied by the Journal quarters for gas, oil, tires and Portales Valley News, for

auto supplies. Capital Auto Service Station. MOLINARI & SON.

PROCEEDINGS Portales, New Mexico, January 1st, 1921. At a called meeting of the A. Buchanan of Denver, and Board of County Commissioners Burl Johnson, office supplies

> Charles S. Toler, Calvin R. A. S. Bramlett, building and field, commissioners elect of said

Roosevelt county, appearing in open court, and it appearing to to the Board that said commissioners elect have executed bonds as required by law, and after having been duly sworn to faithfully perform the duties of their said offices are duly seated, and Mrs. J. P. Stone entertained the Board of County Commission-Mrs. W. H. McDonald enter- Jan. 14, with a Rook party, ers proceed with the following tained the Missionary Society of honoring Mrs. G. W. Carr of members present: Chas. S. Toler, the Methodist church at her home Fort Sumner. More than twenty Calvin R. Langston and George

dent in the chair. The committees After the games a delicious two- The following bonds of the for the work in the different de- course luncheon was served by following elective officers were partments of the organization the hostss, consisting of creamed presented and approved by said

> R. H. Grissom, Clerk. J. R. Shock, Treasurer. Jess McCormack, Sheriff. J. A. Pipkin, Assessor.

Taylor, Lindsey, R. A. Palm, Supt. of Schools. The Board now proceeded with course, and two kinds of cake, Wollard, Whitcomb, Bardy, Da- the duties of canceling paid war-

It is now ordered that court morning, Jan. 3, 1921, 9 a. m. Portales, New Mexico,

January 3rd, 1921. At a regular meeting of the Board of County Commissioners of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, at the court house in the Town of Portales, the following were present, to-wit:

Chas. S. Toler, chairman; Calvin G. A. Chumbley, guarding R. Langston and George T. Little-On Saturday morning, at the field commissioners and R. H. J. W. Sexton, agent, preresidence of Del Curto in Por-Grissom, clerk.

The following claims wre prewin performed the first mar- sented, audited and approved and his office as probate judge of the clerk instructed to draw warrants in payment of same. The contracting parties were Portales Valley News, Mr. Chas. O. Lewis, the parts printing and supplies_\$287.49

salesman at the Universal, and Joe Boren, janitor service Nov., and drayage____ Miss Altha Holland of Rogers. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis has the J. L. Swafford, jailor salary Nov. 1920_____ best wishes of the people of Portales and the Rogers commu- J. C. Compton, Probate nity, and the News joins in ex-Judge salary, Nov. 1920 Jess McCormack, sheriff salary Nov. 1920_____ Joe Beasley, deputy sheriff salary Nov. 1920_____

On Tuesday evening, Mr. M. D John W. Ballow, treasurer Manges, of Plainview, Texas, and salary, Nov. 1920____ 200.00 P. E. Morrison, deputy clerk salary Nov. 1920_ Seth A. Morrison, clerk salary Nov. 1920.____ 200.00 Sam J. Stinnett, Co. Supt. salary Nov. 1920_____ 125.00

Tel Co., Telephones and calls_____ Joe Beasley, salary deputv sheriff Dec., 1920__ drayage Dec., 1920____ deputy clerk, Dec., 1920 jailer, Dec., 1920_____ Sam J. Stinnett, salary, Co. Supt, Dec. 1920_____ 125.00 sheriff, Dec. 1920_____ 200.00

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printing for tax assessor the peace fees, 4th quar-Ed L. Wall, salary and expense, 4th quarter_ 125.73 A. J. DeBord, register and and post cards_____ printing election proclamation____

C. M. Dobbs, supplies____ 251.87 W. J. Ball, register votes Crane & Co., supplies____ Secretary of State, official ballots and instructions to voters_____ The Matuck Mfg, Co., two kevs____ Geo. D. Barnard Sta. Co., one pr. hand cuffs____

1920____ election proclamation__ leveling down election \$18.00 election ----booths_____

Fred G. Steig, transporting election booth from Kermit to Elida____ Joyce-Pruitt Co., supplies J. B. Crow, eight ballot boxes_____ G. G. Henderson, delivering election boxes____

C. J. McMahan, plumbing

------A. R. Self, register and judge election____ Samuel Self, clerk election and delivering ballot box_____ C. V. Harris, court house supplies_____

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ium on bonds, C. S. Toler, R. A. Palm Jess McCormack and C. W. Ison, work on jail_ J. K .Robertson, guarding insane patient_____ J. S. Pearce, supplies____ Jess McCormack. office ex-

pense 4th quarter____ E. Henderson, printing 33.63 Meril Brown, Dist. Attorney stenographer, 4th quar. 54.00 Dr. E. M. Fisher, examining insane patient____ insane patient_____

mium G. T. L. on bonds R. H. G.____ J. P Henderson, J. P. fees 4th quarter_____ U. N. Hall, constable fees 4th quarter_____

Lee Perciful, repairing lawn mower_____ Dr. N. F. Wollard, health officer, 4th quarter____ Rhea Robbins, clerk election, No. 19_____ Bascom Howard, registering voters and making copy No, 1.____

L. L. Brown, clerk election precinct No. 1_____ D. L. Harding, judge election, postage, B. B. W. W. Duke, register general election_____ W. W. VanWinkle, register and judge and delivering ballot box

S. A. Clark, judge election postage and delivering ballot box-----33.05 J. H. Price, register and judge and postage and delivering ballot box__ M. A. Price, clerk election J. G. Cox, registering voters J. J. Pinson, judge election, delivering ballot box-----

J. E. Wallis, judge election E. R. Cameron, transporting booth Springer to Elida -----J. O. Benson, holding election and election exp.--J. H. Short, judge, delivering ballot box -----F. J. Hodges, delivering

ballot box_____ Mattie Russell, registering voters_____ E. C. Cummings, register, judge, postage poll book E. G. Givens, judge election A. E. Williamson, register and judge election -----

Angie Lee Mason, judge election_____ H. R. Cowart, register and judge and postage ---W. A. Brown, clerk elec. L. L. Mason, register and judge election -----

E. C. McCowan, register election___ J. W. Slone, clerk election 254.60 J. W. Buckner, registering 67.20votes _____ J. O. Nash, register, judge and delivering ballot box J. A. Parish, register and

judge election _____ Robert F. Long, ergistering votes and postage_____ C. C. Davis, registering votes 1918, registering votes 1920, postage____ J. S. Fraser, judge elec .-

judge election _____ 60.00 H. D. Creek, clerk elec ... A. O. Young, clerk elec ._-Mrs. W. J. Ball, Judge 12.61 election -----34.05 J. M. Bell, judge election

W. Scott, register and judge election -----16.40 Mrs. Ernest Wheeler, register votes No. 1_____ 1.04 J. W. Ballow, Judge elec. Monroe Honea, registering votes, No. 1.-----

J. B. Judah, registering votes -----I. B. Rice, clerk elecion --33.33 Floyd R. Wilson, clerk elec. Lois Thompson, judge of elecion -----John Uxer, judge election Clarence N. Rice, clerk

Jessee Campbell, judge of election ---Lena Wilmes, clerk elec. I. W. Franse, registering Walter H. Martin, clerk election -----J. D. Wagner, judge elec.

59.10 W. E. Finley, registering votes____ 188.10 Cassie Wagner, registering votes ----A. M. Engram, clerk election -----

N. F. Wollard, 1 coyote__ 5.00 C. W. Kinsolving 1 coyote. U. S. Markland, judge of election ----R. R. Williams, judge of election -----54.00 J. S. Click, registering votes -----

2.00 J. P. Williams, register___ T. A. Boone, register____ Preston, Williams, judge election -----45.50 J. T. Harding, register

election -----Pike VanWinkle, clerk election ----R. W. Wilborn, guard at election -----W. R. Bray, register and judge election_____ S. G. Bridges, clerk of election -----F. C. Ruckman, judge elec.

Mrs. Myrtle Powell, clerk election _____ C. S. Acker, judge elec ._. J. W. King, register elec. T. M. Parkinson, register, judge and postage____ C. Maxwell, judge election -----Fred G. Stieg, Jr., clerk

election -----Zula Harding, clerk elec. 2.50 J. G. Greaves, register election -----R. L. Sample, clerk elec._ Lou Benson, register and judge election_____ C. J. McMahan, guarding

insane -----10.00 P. G. Hudson, register election -----2.00 V. J. Campbell, register election -----4.60 B. N. Burnett, judge elec. Tobe Burton, judge elec. 3.00 Chas. S. Toler, salary and

expense, 4th quarter___ 243.34 G. T. Littlefield, expense__ 72.14 Mrs. Lee Evans, judge election -----Lee Evans, register and clerk election____

M. S. T. & T. Co., rents and tolls V. V. Greer, judge elec .__ Edwin Chavers, judge and register election ----W. J. Stobb, judge elec.

C. A. Watkins, clerk elec. H. C. Scruggs, register and judge _election____ E. Eastwood, register and judge election_____ R. T. Perry, judge elec .__ J. C. Easter, clerk elec .--N. B. Bingham, register and judge election _____

Mrs. H. L. Capps, register election -----R. G. Parkinson, register election____ T. I. Park, register elec ... Mrs. T. I. Park, judge of election -----

H. S. Worth, judge elec.__ W. Todd, register and clerk election_____ J. C. Turner, judge elec .__ Cass Lyons, register and judge election and pos-

tage _____ H. A. McCall, register and judge and del. ballot box S. F. Anderson, register__ J. H. Stroud, clerk 2.00 P. B. Westbrook, clerk___ Z. T. Campbell, register__

G. W. Jones, clerk and del. ballots box A. R. Given, clerk_____ Janie S. Austin, register and clerk H. L. Capps, judge_____ . D. Young, register____ G. W. Pruitt, register and

postage _____ J. B. Crow, court house repairs _____ Mrs. Randa Clary, clerk__ C. T. Gregory, clerk_____ Clovis Journal, sample

2.00 ballots T. H. Brook, register,___ Treas, Board Regents, N. M. College, Co. agent's salary for Oct. and half of Co. Clerk, Chaves Co., final payment on refunding

bonds _____

Jess McCormack, J. P. Glen Langston, guard at November election____ Jess McComnack, two keys for hand cuffs_____ Burroughs Adding Mach.

Co., erpairing machine W. E. Collins, witness fee, State vs. Dr. Dillard__ 2.00 Portales Valley News,

Henry Ackerman, witness State vs. Mart and Olga Sherman ----E. L. Adams, 15 coyotes__ G. T. Littlefield, 17 coyotes 34.00 Lafayette Laster, 11 coyotes 22.00 M. W. Alexander, 8 coyotes 16.00 J. W. Kimbrel, 8 coyotes__ 16.00 C. C. Anderson, 1 coyote 3.00 M. F. Bollinger, 1 coyote__ Joe Bradley, 1 coyote____ 2.00John M. Bennett, 1 coyote 2.00 D. O. Billberry, 1 coyote_ 2.00 Joe Beasley, 20 coyotes__ 40.00 Geo. L. Bryant, 3 coyotes 6.00 J. W. Buckner, 8 coyotes_ R. L. Bollinger, 1 coyote ___ 2.00 R. L. Blackman, 6 coyotes

court house supplies__

E. F. Foreman, witness fee,

State vs. Olga Sherman

16.00 12.00 W. J. Ball, 1 coyote----2.00 O. L. Bostick, 4 coyotes .-3.00 C. H. Bostick, 1 coyote__ 8.00 3.00 Cecil Brooks, 1 coyote___ O. P. Butler, 1 coyote___ 2.00 R. C. Baker, 29 coyotes_-2.0058.00 Wayne Black, 1 coyote ... 3.00 J. E. Black, 1 coyote----T. D. Cothern, 9 coyotes__ S. A. Corbin, 3 coyotes__ 6.00T. J. Corder, 1 coyote____ 2.00 John Cribbs, 2 coyotes__ 4.00 Henry Ackerman, 3 coyotes Chas. M. Cox. 6 coyotes__ 12.00 Charlie Cox, 2 coyotes__ Price T, Crume, 16 coyotes 32.00 James Crabb, 1 coyote__ T. B. Carter, 3 coyotes__

M. E. Cooper, 2 coyotes__ 4.00J. F. Corbin, 8 coyotes__ 3.00 H. D. Cheek, 1 coyote----16.002.00 5.35 G. B. Coleman, 1 coyote__ C. L. Cross, 1 coyote___ 2.002.00 A. B. Cares, 18 coyotes__ Mrs. J. J. Carter, 6 coyotes 2.00 J. E. Copeland, 2 covotes J. C. Dodgin, 6 coyotes__ 2.00 T. F. Elkins, 13 coyotes__ 200 C. N. Earnest, 6 coyotes__ A. S. Ford, 3 coyotes____ W. H. Franse, 1 coyote__

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14.002.00J. A. Hatfield, 1 coyote__ 2.00 O. F. Hawkins, 13 coyotes W. M. Holmes, 1 coyote__ C. W. Hart, 1 coyote___ 2.00 F. J Hodges, 6 coyotes__ 12.00 Hamlin Hill, 2 coyotes__ 5.00 J. D. Hitt, 7 coyotes____ J. A. Pipkin, expense___ 72.43 J. R. Johnson, 2 coyotes__ J. H. Hett, 5 coyotes____

20.95 S. E. Johnson, 9 coyetes__ 2.00 Lowery Johnson, 1 coyote W. H. Jasper, 2 coyotes_ 500 Wm. Kleeman, 6 coyotes_ 12.002.00 Earl Lovelace 1 coyote ___ 2.00 W. W. Metcalf, 5 coyotes_ 10.00 Homer Martin, 2 coyotes_ 4.00 5:00 Roy Miller, 8 coyotes____ 16.00 Clyde Miller, 1 coyote__ 2.00

5.00 Homer Miller, 4 coyotes__ 8.002.00 A. E. Manis, 1 covote___ 2.002.00 Walter H. Martin, 3 covotes Reed Murrell, 1 coyote ... 5x00 C. M. Myers, 8 coyotes__ 16.00J. B. Maxwell, 3 coyotes__ 6.003.00 T. S. Massey, 1 coyote__

2.00Silas McCabe, 8 coyotes__ 16.00 3.00 J. I. Massey, 1 coyote___ 3.00 J. E. Nash, 5 coyotes____ J. E. Nickle, 2 coyotes__ 4.002.00 G. A. Oney, 8 coyotes__ 16.002.00 Lorene Powell, 1 coyote__ L. L. Peach, 4 coyotes___ 5.00 A. S. Pearson, 1 covote_

2.00 L. A. Pruitt, 12 coyotes__ 24.00A. B. Perkins, 11 coyotes_ J. H. Pendly, 25 coyotes_ 50.006.70 Hassell Rhodes, 1 coyote 2.00Kenneth Rhodes, 1 coyote 2.00 6.92 A. R. Self, 1 covote____ 3.00 D. K. Smith, 5 coyotes___ 10.00

2.00 Marion K. Smith, 13 coyotes 26.00 2.00 Fred Sherwood, 1 coyote__ 3.00 Virgil Seafeld, 2 coyotes__ W. H. Swearingin, 1 coyote 6.15 A. W. Stoker, 1 covote__ 2.002.00 R. B. Strong, 1 coyote__ 2.00 2.00 A. Sportsman, 1 coyote__ 4.00 5.00 Earl Stewart, 2 cowotes__ 2.00 J. J. Sanders, 1 coyote__

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4.00

2.00 H. P. Townsend, Jr., 1 covote 2.00 12.00 Rhea Thurman, 7 coyotes 14.00 3.00 J. W. Taylor, 2 covotes__ W. A. Turner, 2 covotes__ Fred Turner, 2 coyotes__ 4.00 R. H. Turner, 1 coyote__

150.00 Wiley Todd, 2 covotes ... G. S. Vest, 2 coyotes___x J. A. Vick, 3 coyotes_ ... 121.50 H. T. Ward, 2 coyotes__ H. T. Ward, 5 coyotes ...

Court fees for 4th quar. 196.63 Joe Wolfarth, 3 coyoles ... C. S. Wilson, 2 coyotes__ 3.00 Ralph Warnica, 1 coyote__ W. J. Watson, 1 coyote ... 1.04 Tom Webb, 1 coyote----A. E. Williamson, 7 covotes 16.90 It is now ordered that court

G. A. Starnes, supplies__ 20.15 stand adjourned until Saturday, January 8th, 1921. CHAS. S. TOLER, Chairman. 3.60

Attest :- R. H. Grissom, Clerk.

PERSONAL INTEREST

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town on business Monday.

the legislature. was in town on business Monday surrounding country.

Wm. Riley, who has been visiting here for several months in the home of his son, John Riley, left Monday for his home in Missouri.

and Tuesday of this week.

the Bible Institute held at the present of an electric one. Church of Christ. Parker & Parker, of Albuquer-

and will conduct an oil lease business. N. B. Bingham, of the Floyd community, was transacting business in the county seat Wednes- COMMISSIONERS' day. Mr. Bingham called at the News office and complimented us

very highly on the paper.

H. W. Weaver of Roswell, are of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, here this week inspecting the held at the court house in the J. C. Compton, salary Dec., entire Western Union Telegraph Town of Portales, on the above and Santa Fe Railway wire sys-date, the following were present, Portales Journal, printing tem. Mr. Buchanan represents to-wit: the Westrn Union and Mr. Weaver the Santa Fe from Clo- Langston and George .T. Littlevis to Roswell.

Mrs. Carr Entertained.

and Miss Rema Stone,

forming the ceremony.

Roosevelt county.

PRICE-LITTLE.

Lorena Little, of the Causey

community, were united in mar-

riage Monday, Rev. Nichols per-

Lewis-Holland

tales, Probat Judge A. J. Good-

Mr. Henry Price and Miss

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ADVERISE IN THE

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The weekly newspaper also considered the best advertisin medium in the world by expended advertisers for the reason that it has a more intimate association with the family than a magazine or a daily newspaper.

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PORTALES SPRINGS

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Memphis, Texas, but now of a success. Elida, has bought the Hardy 'Rocky Corner," and has A. B. Cares. moved to it. Mr. Thompson will Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Terrill spent engage in farming and mule a pleasant day at O. D. Pruit's rasing. He has started in right last Sunday. readers.

J. B. H. Young made a trip Garrison. out to Redland country Tuesday.

Interesting Experience of a Texas Lady Who Declares That if More Women Knew About Cardui They Would Be Spared Much Sickness and Worry.

"I heard of Cardui and after reading I

was pulling me down. I sent for Cardui

worth trying. All druggists sell it.

of candy last month for getting

school. Alice Stratton also got

a box of candy for making the

last week from Moriarity, N. M.,

Mrs. L. A. Vick visited the

SANTA FE, Jan. 14.—Eight

the bar of New Mexico by the

state board of bar examiners,

which began its session here

Walter G. Scott, of Silver City;

William H. McCullough, of Ros-

cates of practice in other states.

ard M. Daly, of Santa Fe and

Douglas K. Fitzhugh, of Clovis,

MICKIE SAYS

OH, LOOKIT! A LETTER T'TH'

BOSS -- "DEAR EDITOR - I'M TAKIN"

A TIP FROM THAT MICKIE KID

CHATTER. ENCLOSED FIND TWO

YEARS' SUBSCRIPTION. NOW !

WONT HAVE TO BOTHER WITH IT

ADAIN FOR A WEEK O' BUNDAMS

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J. T. Daniels, of Tucumcari; Al-

Massey families Sunday.

ATTY. ALBERT MORGAN

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day night.

Miss Allie Cooper.

Navasota, Texas.-Mrs. W. M. Peden, | I couldn't rest well at night and was of this place, relates the following interest- just lifeless. ing account of how she recovered her strength, having realized that she was decided I had some female trouble that actually losing her health:

"Health is the greatest thing in the world, and when you feel that gradually slipping away from you, you certainly sit up and take notice. That is what I did provement and it wasn't long until I was some time ago when I found myself in a all right-good appetite, splendid rest, very nervous, run-down condition of and much stronger so that I easily did my health. I was so tired and felt so lifeless I could hardly go at all.

"I was just no account for work. would get a bucket of water and would feel so weak I would have to set it down before I felt like I could lift it to the shelf. In this condition. of course, to do even my housework was a task almost impossible to accomplish.

"I was . . . nervous and easily upset.

ROOSEVELT CO. JUSTICE OF PEACE ELECTION

The returns have come in from the rural precincts over No local merchant can afford the county, showing the election at Clovis, was home visiting Sunlot to advertise in weekly news- of the following justices of the day with his family. papers of the better class. It is a peace and constables over the

Elida precinct No. 2, H. A. lon't see the advantage to them Roberts, J. P., E. R. Cannon, C. Preceinct No. 4, Mose Hawkins, J. P., Walter Anderson, C. Precinct No. 5, W. A. Spinks, the highest average in the Center J. P., A. Q. Sewell, C.

Precinct No. 6, John Uxer, J. P., Fred Marshal, C. Precinct No. 9, A. E. William- grade. son, J. P., A. F. Fails, C.

Precinct No. 10, A. W. Stanford, J. P., Jim McArthur, C. Precinct No. 11, W. O. Mc-Cormack, J. P. Ezry Watt, C. Precinct No. 13 Frank Vaugh, ball game at Portales last Fri-J. P., T. A. Boone, C.

Precinct No. 15, George Jones. J. P., J. T. Ralston, C. Precinct No. 16, E. P. Wil- and expect to move on the Strawn

Precinct No. 18, Seth Wright, brook and family of Allie, visited

Precinct No. 22, Tom Black, Precinct No. 23, W. H. Beck, pletion.

Precinct No 24, S. A. Moreman, J. P., J. C. Hicks, C. Precinct No. 25, C. W. Hart, J P., G. A. Chumbley, C.

Precinct No. 28, J. R. Swigleton, J. P., C. K. Fisher, C. Kenna, Precinct No. 29, W. H. Cooper, J. P., E. E. Lee, C. Precinct No. 30, John W. Stig-

all, J. P., H. W. Davidson, C. There were nine precincts certainly enjoyed themselves last from which no returns have week. They had many snow bat- been received, and probably no elections were held.

ROUNDABOUT RICHLAND + H. B. Gerhart, of Stanley; Rich-

Wayne and Earl Stratton have been sick the past week. We are hoping they will be able to return to school soon.

We had a pleasant snow last week which made the farmers feel more sure of another crop.

Mrs. A. M. Carroll went to Clo-Zephyr Sandefer has returned vis Friday to visit with her sister, Mrs. Will Burns for a few days. Mr. J. Sandefer has gone to She will go from there to Slaton, Oklahoma to see his son, who Texas, to visit her daughter, Mrs. M. P. Gentry whose health is

very poor. There was a good crowd at Richland Sunday to hear the sermon which was delivered by Rev.

J. W. Partin. Buster Swagord and wife were

The singing was well attended Peach. Mr. Davis will devote his last Sunday night at Shady Grove energies to farming instead of and they decided to meet next stock raising and will plant a Saturday night to decide how and good patch of cotton this year, when we are going to sell our produce. Everyone is invited to T. L. Thompson, formerly of come and help make this move

Professor Butts spent Saturday place west of town, known as night and Sunday at the home of

by joining the family of News Mr. and Mrs. Bill Marrs from Globe, Arizona, are here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Talley, of

A. J. Watson has been real sick the past week but is better at

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acres with good improvements. W. I. Taylor, Box 24, Portales. 2tfe

FOR SALE-20 acres well improved, mile west of town. Good Pumping +Surgical Operations a Specialty+ + 60, residence phone 90. Calls plant etc. For particulars see R. L. (Bob) Yoachum.

FOR TRADE-Little Four Overland almost new. Will trade for cattle, grain, good wagon and team, or most + anything. - See C. B. Jones, Portales.

FOR SALE-8 h.p. Fairbanks-Morse

gas engine, in good repair. Good for any pumping plant. Ask us. "In a very short while after I began the Universal Garage. 4-tf Cardui Home Treatment I saw an im-MILK-Can now furnish you

"Later I took a bottle of Cardui as a tonic, I can recommend Cardui and glad- FOR SALE - Good 5-passenger + Prices reasonable and First-class + Buick automobile. Terms given | + work guaranteed. ly do so, for if more women knew, it would save a great deal of worry and with security to right parties. See T. E. Mears, Portales. 8-tfc

per quart. J B. Crow.

The enthusiastic praise of thousands of FOR SALE OR TRADE-9 h.p. other women who have found Cardui gasoline engine. See U. N. Hall helpful should convince you that it is Portales, N. M. 10-4tc

FOR SALE—Cheap hotbed or Greenhouse sash.. Have about + dozen second-hand double + E. F. (SHORTY) DEZONIA Miss Lela Gordon spent Sunday strength glass, double light in afternoon and Sunday night with sash. Frames in good shape. Take less than on-third the price of E. J. Stratton who is working new ones. Write, phone or see A. L. Dickey, two miles north- + Office in old First National Bank east of Clovis, N. M. Phone Miss Beryl Watson has injured her eye. It is much better at

RHODE ISLAND Red Cockrels Miss Dovie Stigall was in Elida for sale. Fine ones, priced right. Mrs. W. M. Wilson. 11-tfc Myrtle Wilson received a box

> FOR SALE-8 or 10 fine Buff Rock pullets. Mrs. W. M. Wilson 11-tfc +

highest average in the eighth FOR SALE-Some good Jersey cows. Will calve soon. See + Mr. Slaten and family visited Mrs. Lizzie Burrows, or phone + Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Tucker Sun-11-2tp 198-2. Portales, N. M.

Ogden and Frank Cares and WANTED-To rent three or four Mr. Butts attended the basket room house, furnished, by responsible party. Address "F." 11-tfc Dennis Lott and family arrived

AYERS & FRY

Successors to J. B. Raymond, wishes to announce to their pat-Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Leatherman rons, that they have moved to + of Spur, Texas, and Walter Ashtheir new headquarters, the old last Friday with the families of Roosevelt county creamery build-Precinct No. 20, S. J. James, W. E. Massey and sons, Ed and ing, and will buy cream, eggs and produce, paying the highest market price. Your patronage + The new garage and store room solicited. at Ike Massey's are nearing com-

THE OLD DICTIONARY

The old International, having become dog-eared from much consultation and many confer-ADMITTED TO THE BAR ences, was about all in-or all out, depending upon the way you look at it. So a council was applicants have been admitted to held in the tepee of the WNU proofreaders in Chicago and a requisition for a new one was drawn up by the hand of W. Tuesday. Rector G. Eubanks and H. Pierce, as the old books say and this is it:

bert Morgan, of portales and Behold the book! This muchthumbed tome,

A fountain-head of lore, Has helped to swell the empty dome Of boobies by the score.

were admitted after having pes-Observe the soiled and tattered + leaves The News is only \$1.50 a year.

Of this poor battered wreck; It has, unless its look deceives, Sure "got it in the neck."

Please note that we've dispensed with "A," Likewise discarded "B";

And 'twill be awkward, one might say, When we get down to "T."

We've many years this volumne scanned

With studious intimacy; And now around its bier we stand-Requiescat in peace!

And so, unless the flow of wit And humor you would smoth-

Please loosen up a little bit And scare us up another. -Publishers Auxiliary.

R. K. Pyckett, of Amarillo, was in town Friday and Saturday of last week on business

Printers ink is the link + + + that connects the business + + think. Get us?—Tionesta + Republican.

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MISSOURI MAN INTERES TED IN PORTALES VALLEY

Chamois, Mo., January 18, 1921. Portales Valley News, Portales, N. M.

Gentlemen :- As I am a subscriber of your very interesting paper both on account of the manner in which it is edited and am also interested in Roosevelt county, being a land owner.

In your last issue I notice you are printing some folders for the James Lee Wils in Co. I should like to have one of these folders and any other descriptive matter you have of Roosevelt county.

Yours truly, F. B. FIELD.

A. A. Beman and Ad Stephen son were up from Elida Thursday.

TOY TREE TABLE DECORATION

Miniature Christmas Emblem May Be Surrounded With Presents Tied With Red Ribbon.



ECORATE the table with a Christmas tree, one of the tey ones, and pile around its foot a quantity of presents tied with red ribbons.

These should be only what a college man would call "grinds"-perhaps a tiny tin piano for a would-be performer, a lantern for the one the points of whose jokes are difficult to see, a placid paper golf bag for the enthusiastic player, and so on, each with a rhyme or quotation, says Harper's Bazar. If one considers a goose a somewhat undignified bird, ducks may be exchanged for it, either the domestic fowl or the more expensive canvasback or redhead. Fried celery is very good with duck, the crispest pieces drepped in batter and then cooked in deep fat. But the apple sauce croquettes should not be omitted even with this. For this informal dinner there is a very good and innocuous drink to serve with the heavy coursesweet cider, spiced and sugared to taste, cooked ten minutes and served

YULETIDE THORN TREE SAVED

Blooming Glastonbury, Subject of Beautiful Legends of Christmas, Was Doomed to Destruction.

NE of the most beautiful legends tonbury thorn. The thorn tree grew at Glastonbury Abbey, in Somersetshire, and was supposed to have de- After a grilling by the sheriff veloped from the staff of Joseph of they gave their names as Carl Arimathea. According to the legend, Luckett and Claud Miles of Clovis Joseph came to Glastonbury and while he was resting on a bill, afterward came down after them. They known as Weary All hill, he stuck his staff in the earth. The staff immediately grew green and budded, and at Christmas time it blossomed into beautiful flowers

One chronicler states that during Oneen Elizabeth's reign the thorn had a double trunk, but that a somewhat bigoted Puritan, who disliked the tree because to his mind it smacked of popery, started to cut it down, and succeeded in demolishing one of the trunks. A miracle rescued the rea chip of wood to fly up and hit the Puritan in the eye, while at the same time he slipped and cut his leg. Later the tree was grubbed up, but a number of smaller trees raised from slips of the original are said to be owned by persons in the neighbor-

CONTRIBUTIONS EXEMPT FROM TAXATION.

Contributions to the collection of the European Relief Council for the European children's relief fund are exempt from taxation and may be deducted from income ta: returns, according to a ruling that has been made by the office of Internal Revenue In Washington.

> Advertising in this paper will bring good returns on the money invested

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Your sales letter in the United States all has the right of way straight to your stomer's deak.

t's the kind of printing we do and

An Appeal to the American People

THREE and one-half million children in Eastern and Central Europe have no alternative to disaster between now and next harvest except American aid. For months these most helpless sufferers in the track of war have been admitted to American feeding-stations only if tragically undernourished, and have received American medical aid only if desperately threatened by death from disease.

One 5 cent het American meal today has saved a thousand lives.

Winter is closing down. The money of many nations is valueless outside their own boundaries. Economic and crop conditions make famine with its terrible train of diseases, a certain visitor until next harvest. Inevitably the helpless children will suffer most. No child can grow to health and sanity on the pitiful makeshifts for food with which millions of European adults must content themselves this winter. It is obvious that the remedy can come only from outside.

America saved 6,000,000 European children winter before last. Nor mal recuperation cut the need nearly in half last year, but unusual conditions have resulted in scant shrinkage of child destitution during the twelvementh just past. The response of America must new decide whether 3,500,000 of these charges, in acute distress, shall begin to be turned away in January from more than 17,000 asylums, hespitals, clinics and feedingstations dependent on American support. There would be no tragedy in history so sweeping or so destructive of those who can deserve no evil.

The undersigned organizations, working among every race and creed. many engaged also in other forms of relief, agree unanimously that the plight of these helpless children should have complete priority in everseas charity until the situation is met. This is an issue without politics and without religious lines. There can be no danger of pauperization, for the \$28,000,000 for child food, and the \$10,000,000 for medical service that we seek, will relieve only the critical cases. The medical supplies, of course, must be an unqualified gift, but for every American dellar used in child-feeding, the governments and communities aided furnish two dollars in the form of transportation, rent, labor, clerical help, cash contributions and such food supplies as are locally obtainable.

America has not failed in the past in great heartedness. She has never had a more peignant call than this. Contributions should be turned over to the lecal committees which are new being formed for this national collection, or sent to Franklin K. Lane, Treasurer, Guaranty Trust Co., New York City.

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Herbert Heever, Ghairman Franklin K. Lane, Treasurer

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Edgar Rickard, Director
American Red Cross, by Livingston
Farrand, Chairman
American Friends' Service Committee
(Quakers), by Rufus M. Jones,
Chairman
Jewish Joint Distribution Committee,
by Felix M. Warburg, Chairman

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Mrs. Lucy E. Tucker Mrs. Lucy E. Tucker died at her home in Portales Tuesday + OLD PAPERS FOR SALE January 20th. Funeral serviles + will be conducted at the Baptist + The News has on hand a church by Rev. J. F. Nix and + lot of old papers in bundles + Rev. A. K. Scott, at 2 p. m., Fri- of 100, for 25c per bundle. day, January 21. Burial will +

take place in the Portales ceme-TWO RUNAWAYS CAUGHT Wednesday night two small boys from Clovis registered at the Nash Hotel as Jack and James Dunking, next morning they were

apprehended by Sheriff McCormack and gave different names. and Mr. Miles was notified and were trying to make their way to Roswell when held up by the sheriff.

WILL REDUCE ARMY WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.-

By a decisive majority, the senate late today voted in favor of reducing the regular army to 150,000 men. It adopted as an amendement to the resolution maining trunk of the tree by causing proposing to stop recruiting until the army is cut to 175,000, a proposal by Senator Lenroot. republican, Wisconsin, that the permanent figure be 150,000.

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ANY OF THE GUYS AT

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Wednesday, Judge and Mrs. G. Reese entertained a number of their friends with a dinner.

Dowell, Mr. and Mrs. Jones, Mrs. C. V. Harris, Mr. Ben Smith and Miss Pearl Stone, Mr. and Mrs. Ed J. Neer, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Leach, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Weeks, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Jordan and W. O. Oldham.

After dinner the evening was spnt in music,

Mr. and Mrs. Daniels arrived

from Arkansas Wednesday to

locate here.

The News-\$1.50 a year.

Attorney Albert Morgan re-turned from Santa Fe Sunday.

Federal Prohibition Enforce-Those present were: Mr. and ment Officer, A. L. Gregg, was in Mrs. Jack Wilcox and Mrs. Me- from Santa Thursday, shaking hands with friends.

Mrs. Allison, of Eldorado. Kansas, is registered at the Nash Hotel this week.

J. S. Sandifer came in Sunday from the Ranger oil fields.

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