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SAYS PROHIBITION OFFICIALS SHOULD SHOOT TO KILL IN DEALING WITH BOOTLEGGERS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—Prohibition officials in the opinion of the Board of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morale of the Methodist Episcopal church, should be instructed to remember their wives, children and the people of the United States when their lives are placed in danger by bootleggers and moonshiners.

"Some people seem to be surprised that the Board of Temperance of the Methodist Episcopal church that prohibition officers have a right to defend themselves only and effectively when threatened by armed criminals the Board said in a statement issued today, amplifying a previous statement along the same lines.

"The cries of bereft children of faithful prohibition officers rise to Heaven," the statement continued.

"It is nothing less than murderous to expect prohibition officers to await the arrest of bootleggers with guns in their hands.

"Bootleggers are the worst kind of criminals, frequently ex-convicts and cruel killers.

"They are dangerous, in the extreme. When a bootlegger draws a gun he should be fired upon and that quickly. They (prohibition officers) owe it to themselves, to their wives, to their children, and above all to the majesty of the law, to do so."

MRS. FRANK CULBERSON TO BE BURIED HERE

Thursday morning word was received here announcing the death of Mrs. Frank Culberson, at her home in Slaton, Texas.

The remains will be brought to Portales for burial, arriving Friday morning. Burial will take place from the Methodist church at 2:30 p. m. The W. C. T. U. will have charge of the funeral ceremonies.

Mrs. Culberson, the wife of Frank Culberson, a former citizen of this place, had numerous friends here who will pay the last tribute to the memory of one highly esteemed by all who knew her.

Deceased leaves a babe only a few days old.

OKLAHOMA CITY RANCHER PURCHASES BIG LOT OF STEERS

W. B. Armstrong of Oklahoma City, member of the firm of Bird & Armstrong, owners of a large ranch in Hutchinson county, northeast of Amarillo was in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. Armstrong stated that his firm had recently purchased 2,000 steer calves and yearlings and 150 two year old steers in the country around Lubbock. The average price paid, according to Mr. Armstrong, was \$20 for calves, \$30 for steer yearlings and \$37.50 for 2 year old steers.

LEAGUE MAY SIT ON ALBANIA DISPUTES

GENEVA, Nov. 8.—Prime Minister Lloyd George of Great Britain has suggested by telegraph the immediate calling of a meeting of the council of the League of Nations to deal with the situation created in Albania by the reported continuing advance of the Jugo-Slav forces in Albanian territory.

LARGE QUANTITIES OF CORN WILL BE BURNED FOR FUEL THIS WINTER

WASHINGTON, Nov. 6.—Corn at 32 cents a bushel is equal in value to coal at \$16 a ton, Secretary Wallace said today, commenting on reports that some farmers were burning corn for fuel. At 20 cents a bushel, he said, corn would be equivalent to fuel coal at \$10 a ton.

"In districts where corn is cheap now the coal is of a rather poor grade and is selling at high prices," he continued.

"Under such conditions it will pay both farmers and people in country towns to use corn instead of coal. Undoubtedly large quantities of corn will be burned on western farms this winter unless prices should materially advance."

Mr. Wallace said the use of surplus grain as fuel in times of low market ability was not an uncommon occurrence in other cereal raising countries.

A. F. GLOVER RETURNS FROM TRIP TO NORTH DAKOTA

Last Saturday A. F. Glover returned from a trip to North Dakota, where he was looking after some property interests he has in that section of the world. Mr. Glover says that he finds conditions better here than anywhere he has been. In the great grain sections of the Dakotas, the farmers went wild with war time prices till they became so deeply involved in debt, that now, even with their tremendous crops, they cannot get a dollar to buy hogs or cattle to feed it to.

Mr. Glover is one of the substantial citizens of the Floyd community, and is doing his part towards the full development of Roosevelt county.

PROGRESSIVE RICHLAND FARMER FINISHES BROOMCORN HAULING

A. B. Caross of Richland finished hauling his broom corn Monday of this week. Mr. Caross is one of the most progressive farmers of the Richland neighborhood, and has demonstrated that the Roosevelt county land in the Richland country is "equal" if not superior to any land to be found in any section. Mr. Caross is a farmer who believes in diversification and Corn and Broomcorn are two of his principal crops. He says that these crops will build up the land by leaving the stalks on the field, and that proper cultivation the yield can be increased each year.

SAY TOYAH-BELL WELL HASN'T PRODUCED OVER 20 BARRELS OF LIQUID

The Toyah-Bell well, which early reports declared a 1000-barrel gusher, has not flowed more than twenty barrels, according to the latest reports received by oil men here.

They were told, they said, the impression that the well was a gusher was created because of the fact that the oil was shot above the derrick by gas pressure.

They were advised also, they said, that the Pinal Dome, now being drilled, was the well being closely watched by oil experts in the Toyah field. This hole now is down nearly 3,000 feet.—New Mexican.

U. S. FACES SHORTAGE OF OIL UNLESS SUPPLY IS INCREASED AT ONCE

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The report declared that placing a duty on petroleum would curtail shipments from Mexico, and aggravate the situation.

You are welcome at the band hall during the entire revival. Advertisement—1tc.

Universal Motor Company Sells Many Ford Cars

The Universal Motor Company is a believer in advertising, and since the present management has been in charge of the Portales Valley News, this firm has missed hardly an issue in telling the public about the advantages of the Ford cars. As a result of their persistent efforts to place their product before the public they have made many sales, and among their recent sales, the following Roosevelt county and Portales people are now enjoying a new Ford:

Rupert Cave, R. S. Walker, W. H. Hassell, Frank Shaw, E. Hardy, Miss Fannie Tinsley, Fred Marshall, E. P. Williams, E. N. Smith, Hollis Hill, R. A. Young, Will Scott.

HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING TO BE ON SCHOOL SECTION

At a meeting of the school board Monday, the site of the new High school building was decided upon and the building will be located on the school section.

This is a nice site, though in a sparsely settled section of the town. Now, if the city council will order the street paved from the square and sidewalks laid to the school building, the public will be pretty well satisfied.

A number of architects and contractors have been in town for the past few days conferring with the school board as to plans and specifications. The board have expressed themselves as determined to secure the very best building possible for the money available, and e'er next term of school opens Portales will have a modern High school building and an auditorium capable of taking care of any public gathering which may be held in the town.

ROSWELL VS. PORTALES FRIDAY AFTERNOON

Friday afternoon, in what will probably be the last game of the season, Roswell High will play the Portales High on the Portales gridiron.

This is a game looked forward to with much interest, as the Portales team expect to win back their reputation in his contest with Roswell.

Portales football fans will turn out in full to root for the home boys.

KENT COUNTY RANCHER SELLS 600 CALVES TO MISSOURI CATTLEMEN

GIRARD, Tex., Nov. 3.—Baldo Newman, who owns a large ranch near this city has sold his 1921 calf crop, consisting of six hundred head of steer and heifer calves, to Missouri cattlemen at \$25 a head. This is said to be the highest price that calves have brought this year. Cattlemen are jubilant over the increased activity that is being displayed and they are sure that the cattlemen will come into his own again soon.

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I. O. O. F. Preparing For 'Possum and 'Tater Feast

Tuesday of this week J. W. Ballow received a shipment of six Opossum from Willow Springs, Missouri, which will be fattened and used as the piece de resistance at an Odd Fellow Banquet which will be pulled off here in the near future.

To a number of old timers from other states the word Opossum and sweet potatoes bring back fond memories of feasts and hunts of other days.

The News predicts that this banquet will be the greatest thing of the kind ever pulled off in Portales.

ASSASSINATION OF HARA MAY DISRUPT HARMONY OF PARLEY

TOKIO, Nov. 5.—The Japanese ministry, deprived of its head through the knife of an assassin yesterday when Premier Hara was stabbed to death by a demented youth, met twice today under Viscount Uchida, the foreign minister, and voted to resign at the second meeting.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—"Takashi Hara, Premier of Japan, was stabbed here at 7:25 p. m. Friday and died soon afterward," the Japanese Embassy here was advised today by the Tokio foreign office in the first word of the assassination to reach Washington from the Japanese Government.

The embassy communication said Viscount Uchida, foreign minister in the Hara cabinet, had been made acting Premier, but gave no details as to the assassination.

The message was received in uncoded form, but its filing time indicated that it had experienced considerable delay.

Admiral Baron Kato, one of the Japanese delegates to the armament conference, acting in accord with other members of the Hara cabinet, today cabled his resignation as minister of marine to Tokio.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—Public interest in the assassination of Premier Hara of Japan was intensified in London by consideration of the influence his removal might have upon Japan's attitude toward the Washington conference. Newspapers today published Tokio dispatches regarding the tragedy with great prominence and in their editorial columns expressed deep sympathy for Japan in the loss of a minister who was regarded here as an enlightened democrat. In the absence of full details of the crime of which accounts are meager and in some respects contradictory, comment upon the incident was somewhat restrained.

Decided Victories Come As Result of Tuesday Elections

NEW YORK, Nov. 9.—Two states, Maryland and Kentucky, have passed from Republican to Democratic control as a result of yesterday's elections. As shown in returns available here this morning.

In Maryland the entire Lower House of the Legislature and 13 out of 27 members of the Senate were elected and it was believed in Baltimore early today that the Democrats had secured a dominating position in both houses.

In Kentucky, the Democrats regained control of the State Legislature lost to the Republicans two years ago and claimed 53 out of 100 members of the Lower House and 19 out of 36 in the Senate.

Returns from two Senatorial districts were incomplete this morning.

New Jersey Republicans claimed to have elected forty-one assemblymen out of a total of sixty seats contested and asserted the party line up in the senate would stand as it did last year—fifteen Republicans and six Democrats. The wet and dry issue played a prominent role in that state, the Republicans standing for strict enforcement of the State prohibition act, while the Democrats favored its modification or repeal.

Only one governorship hinged on yesterday's ballot, Virginia electing State Senator E. Lee Trinkle, Democrat, by a large majority, over Henry H. Anderson, Republican.

New York, Nov. 9.—Democratic candidates headed by Mayor John F. Hylan, made a clean sweep of the principal city and county offices in yesterday's municipal election, the mayor received the unopposed plurality of 417,986. The complete vote in the city's 2,079 election districts was: Hylan 754,854; Henry H. Curran, Republican, running on a coalition ticket 336,888, and Jacob Panken, Socialist, 83,209.

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SENIORS TO PUT ON BIG NEGRO MINSTREL

At a class meeting Tuesday afternoon the Seniors decided to put on a "Nigger Minstrel" using most of the talent from the Senior class and borrowing some outside talent from the various other classes. It will be given some time after Thanksgiving. Watch for the date.

THE CHRISTIAN REVIVAL

Hundreds of People Turned Away From Sunday Night Services.

Last Sunday night at the beginning of the Christian revival by Rev. Reasoner, at the band hall, the largest crowd in the history of Portales gatherings was in attendance. The house was packed to full seating capacity, and several hundred were turned away.

Rev. Reasoner is being assisted by the various churches of the town, and the indications are that it will be a real get-together revival for the churches as well as the public in general. Mr. Reasoner is a good talker, and handles his theme in a way that impresses one of his hearers.

BACK FROM TRIP THROUGH TEXAS

W. P. Pitts returned the first of the week from a two weeks' trip through Texas. While gone he attended a family reunion at Red Oak, Texas, and reports a great time. He also visited the Dallas Fair and the Wichita Falls oil fields. Mr. Pitts says that in a few years the land around Portales will be selling for a better price than the back land of Texas.

HONOR ROLL

Following is the October honor roll of East Valley View school:

8th Grade—Helen Funkhouser, 6th Grade—Nona Zula Norton, 4th Grade—Willie Owens, Dale Converse.

3rd Grade.—Edgar Walters, Wilburn Norton, J. D. Norton.

2nd Grade.—Ola Walters, Hines Reynolds.

1st Grade.—Ester Owens, Buford Norton, Hazel Waltra.

WHO STOLE DAT 'POSSUM?

The night after the arrival of the Odd fellows opossums, four escaped from the cage and have not been seen since. It is a mystery which is stumping the local sleuths. Did they escape or were they stolen? If they escaped some poultry raiser will discover them before long.

PORTALES HURRICANES SCATTER CLOVIS SCOUTS

On last Saturday afternoon the Clovis Boy Scout football team came down to Portales and played the Hurricanes. The Portales team was their in a whirlwind finish and won the game with a score of 7 to 0.

BOMB EXPLODED IN STATE HOUSE

Gross Negligence and Extravagance Charged Against Former State Board of Education.

SANTA FE, Nov. 5.—Mrs. Ruth C. Miller, director of industrial education in the state department of education, was asked by the state board of education to resign her post. The action followed a general discussion of the report of the state traveling auditor, mention of which was first made in the Albuquerque Morning Journal of today.

The motion asking Mrs. Miller to resign was adopted by a vote of three to one with one member not voting.

Jonathan H. Wagner, former state superintendent of public instruction and now president of the Las Vegas Normal University was in Santa Fe for the meeting, he being under fire in the report. Mr. Wagner has called a meeting of the board of regents of the normal school for Monday afternoon at which he intends to ask to be relieved of his duties as president until the criticism of his financial methods may be cleared up satisfactorily.

The whole matter of the report by the traveling auditor came before the board this morning. The report had been kept secret here and officials had refused requests from newspaper men to see a copy of it. The first intimation as to its release came when word was received here early this morning that the Albuquerque Morning Journal had carried a resume of the audit and had quoted literally from the body of the document.

When the board assembled, the question of how the report came into the Journal's hands was discussed. After much comment, Col. James W. Willson, acting president of the state board, phoned the Journal and asked of a story on the report had been carried. Upon receiving an affirmative answer, he asked where the information had been received and was refused an answer.

A motion was made that the report be released to the press generally, but this was not successful during the morning session, some of the board members feeling that they should consider it carefully before informing the public of its contents.

Has Executive Session
Declaring that the department of education was in a deplorable condition, Colonel Willson moved that Mrs. Ruth C. Miller be asked for her resignation, E. L. Enloe of Socorro, seconded the motion to get it before the board for discussion. The board then went into executive session.

Colonel Willson's motion came after the board had asked educational auditor John Joerns and Attorney General Harry S. Bowman to prepare a summary of the report. The board decided that no final action on the report itself would be taken until December 2, the date set for receiving the summary.

When the matter of publicity for the report was considered, Colonel Willson strongly urged that it be given to the press, but the board ruled otherwise.

When the afternoon meeting opened, Carl C. Magee, editor of the Morning Journal, appeared before the board to answer questions relative to the story carried.

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Conway's Accounts Straight
The accounts of John V. Conway as superintendent have been audited three times by John Joerns since Mr. Conway took office. His accounts seem to be in good shape. He has installed a new accounting system upon the recommendation of Mr. Joerns.

It was Mrs. Miller's spirit of insubordination together with her extravagance, which were the moving causes in the request for her resignation.

Mr. Conway stated during the afternoon that if the board passed the motion requesting her resignation and she failed to present it, he would remove her.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Portales, New Mexico, November 1st, 1921.

The Town Council met in regular session and upon roll call the following were present: Mayor, G. L. Reese; Trustees W. H. Ball and Wat Stewart.

Motion was made by Stewart and seconded by Ball that the Town of Portales, N. M. employ Oscar Dobbs as City Engineer for the purpose of surveying and cross sectioning the streets and blocks in Portales supposed to be paved and to make estimates, plans and specifications for paving the same at a cost of \$500.00 for such work in the event the paving program is not carried out, but in case the paving project is carried out and contract let for same the engineer shall have five per centum of contract price for his services during the completion of the project. In the event the paving project proceeds the Mayor and Town Clerk are authorized to enter into the customary contract with the engineer for his services. Upon roll call the motion was unanimously carried.

The payment of the following claims were approved:
J. W. Cunningham, freight— 1.50
John Starnes, drayage— 10.00
J. W. Cunningham, freight— 9.38
J. W. Cunningham, express .91
John Langston, salary for September and October,

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1921	150.00
H. E. Russell, salary for September and October, 1921	150.00
H. M. Livingston, salary for September and October, 1921	150.00
R. K. Graham, salary and expense, September and October, 1921	258.05
M. L. Troutt, salary, Sept. and October, 1921	175.00
Joyce-Fruit Co., supplies, Sept. and Oct.	26.70
C. J. McMahan, services and material on water lines	187.75
T. B. Johnston, building bridges	30.00
Western Union Tel. Co. for services	1.52
Wat Stewart, supplies	13.60
J. B. Sledge, supplies	23.60
A. D. Ribble, salary, Sept. and Oct.	50.00
S. N. Hancock, salary, services and supplies, Sept. and Oct.	152.35
S. B. Owens, salary and assistance Sept. and Oct.	108.00
Security State Bank, draft	95.06
A. D. Ribble, Treas., draft for interest	570.00
A. D. Ribble, Treas., to retire water certificates	2650.00
Portales Lumber Co., supplies	278.60
A. R. Smith, supplies	3.85
Harold Gryder, ditching for culverts and drayage	21.20
Leo Braley, lamp cord	2.00
Kemp Lumber Co.	47.30
Buchanan's Service Station, supplies	35.50
Gulf Refining Co., oil and gas	210.50
J. W. Cunningham freight	12.12
Southwest General Electric Company	371.26
The Texas Co., supplies	6.96
Spencer Electric Co.	.50
Portales Valley News, printing	15.04
T. B. Baker, hauling dogs	1.00
James Kelly, ditching	5.70
Universal Motor Co., supplies	22.15

There being no further business the council adjourned.
G. L. REESE, Mayor
Attest: S. N. HANCOCK, Town Clerk

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BROOM CORN ASSOCIATION MEETING WITH SUCCESS

The Cooperative Broomcorn Marketing Association recently organized in Roosevelt county by County Agent R. R. Will, assisted by C. A. McNabb, Marketing Specialist, is reported as progressing nicely. Up to this time fifteen more cars of brush have been sold at prices ranging from sixty to seventy-five dollars net per ton to the growers.

The Association has stressed quality threshing and baling which has resulted in a very decided improvement in appearance and in market value. It has ample warehouse capacity to take care of the brush of its members, where buyers representing large eastern broom factories may examine the stock, place their orders, and go about other business on the first train. This feature is decidedly pleasing to the buyers when contrasted with requirements heretofore which compelled them to travel over the county for several days with the uncertainty of buying anything confronting them. Roosevelt county farmers have demonstrated their willingness and ability to cooperate and the results are more than pleasing.

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MARRIED

On Thursday at the Methodist parsonage, Rev. J. J. Richards united in marriage Miss Ida Lutz and Mr. Arline R. Givens, both of Arch, N. M.

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1921 TAXES

The tax rolls for 1921 have been filed with the State Tax Commission and show a total assessment of \$356,379,996 as compared with \$386,236,637 appearing on the 1920 rolls. This is a loss of \$30,000,000. The value of the mineral output for 1920 was \$16,810,051 and a loss of at least \$7,000,000 is anticipated in the net output value for 1921. In 1920, private car companies were assessed at \$1,778,565 and a half million reduction may result for 1921. In 1920, the valuation upon which state tax rates were based was \$303,825,253. Estimating a total loss of \$37,500,000 the assessed value of property subject to taxation in New Mexico will be approximately \$367,250,000.

Tax levies to be extended upon the 1921 rolls are now being determined, the first half of which will be payable January 1, 1922, and the second half June 1, 1922. It is the 1921 taxes which will provide the revenues to meet the 1922 budgets which are now under consideration by the State Tax Commission.

The state levy for 1921 will probably be five mills as compared with five and a quarter mills, a reduction of .25 mills. This reduction is made possible by the certification of a 1 mill state road levy instead of 1 1/2 mill.

As to county levies, the total will show little or no increase if the general county school levies be excluded. Road tax levies are lower except in a few counties where special acts of the legislature impose extra levies. For state and federal aid road projects the total levies will be decreased approximately 33 1-3 per cent.

The general county school levies will show a large increase over those of 1920. In the latter year \$4,072,771.71 was levied for the maintenance of elementary and high schools. For 1921 the amount will be \$4,673,326.10 an increase of \$600,554.41 or approximately 15 per cent. This will, of course, mean a substantial increase in the total levies for all purposes. The special school district levies will show a decrease of nearly \$100,000 in the whole state. Municipal levies will be approximately the same as last year.

The following shows the increase in the county levies for school maintenance:

Counties—	1920 Tax Rate per \$1000	1921 Tax Rate per \$1000	Increase in Tax Rate	Per Ct. Increase
Bernalillo	13.00	16.80	3.80	29.23
Catron (New County)		10.00		
Chaves	9.00	11.19	2.19	24.33
Colfax	11.08	13.71	2.63	23.74
Curry	16.00	18.00	2.00	12.50
De Baca	8.75	10.66	1.91	21.83
Dona Ana	9.50	12.70	3.20	33.68
Eddy	12.75	14.40	1.65	12.94
Grant	6.00	7.67	1.67	27.83
Guadalupe	8.56	13.35	4.79	55.96
Harding (New County)		12.16		
Hidalgo	8.60	8.70	.10	1.16
Lea	7.50	14.92	7.42	98.93
Lincoln	13.58	15.00	1.42	10.46
Luna	8.16	8.87	.71	8.70
McKinley	6.14	7.30	1.16	18.89
Mora	9.38	13.78	4.40	46.91
Otero	12.23	13.94	1.71	13.99
Quay	13.50	17.31	3.81	28.22
Rio Arriba	12.00	12.58	.58	4.90
Roosevelt	11.50	18.00	6.50	56.25
Sandoval	4.50	8.80	4.30	95.55
San Juan	16.50	15.80	Dec. .90	Dec. 5.45
San Miguel	11.00	12.20	1.20	10.91
Santa Fe	10.00	12.52	2.52	25.20
Sierra	4.40	8.69	4.29	95.23
Socorro	12.00	12.36	.36	3.00
Taos	10.00	13.51	3.51	35.10
Torrance	18.00	18.00	5.00	38.45
Union	12.00	18.00	6.00	50.00
Valencia	5.00	8.67	3.67	73.40

REVIEW OF ROOSEVELT COUNTY BROOM CORN ASSOCIATION

Most Portales people realize that the broomcorn farmers have organized themselves into a co-operative marketing association. And it is a poor observer indeed who has failed to notice the active movement of broomcorn during the past two weeks. But the average citizen hardly realizes the tremendous significance of it all.

It is estimated by officers of the association that the association has, through its service in improving the quality of seeding

and baling, and maintaining an open market, brought \$15,000.00 into Roosevelt county that would not have been brought in otherwise.

And broomcorn growers over the county, almost to a man, whether in the Association or not, will give it like credit.

One of the outstanding features of the broomcorn movement this fall has been the rapidity with which the corn has been absorbed by the buyers. The same condition was true in Illinois, in Oklahoma where 46 per cent of the country's crop is raised, in Colorado and in Kansas. According to government

reports, it seems that a carry over of 33,000 tons from last year has been offset by a reduced acreage of 21 per cent and a revival of the broom manufacturing industry. An ordinary, normal season, according to broomcorn men, is characterized by an orderly, comparatively slow movement, the growers holding a quantity of the crop for several months. This year conditions have been altogether different. At present practically all Illinois and Oklahoma corn is out of the growers' hands. The western corn is being taken in like manner. It is reported, however, that remaining brush is a surplus. But the rapidity and the desire to trade on the part of both buyers and sellers has marked the crop movement, nevertheless business depression is having its effect and no unduly high prices have been paid. The market has remained remarkably steady with only slight steady advance from the start.

In the past, Eastern New Mexico corn sold far below Oklahoma brush, due in part to lack of competition in buying, and in part to a reputation for poor seeding and baling. The success of the Association can be measured by the fact that this year, quality of brush considered, Roosevelt county corn has brought prices less than those in Oklahoma by only the difference in freight rates.

Realizing early in the summer that improved market conditions were absolutely imperative if the whole industry of Roosevelt county were not to follow that of Curry county, where broomcorn growing has been almost abandoned, the leading growers determined to work themselves out of the difficulty. Forced to do something for themselves, they took the cooperative route, the one so successful to growers of other commodities during the past few years. Several months of continued effort was necessary in organizing and at times the final outcome seemed far from promising. One difficulty was experienced in getting growers to sign the air tight contract for delivery of broomcorn to the association for sale. It was thoroughly understood by the leaders that without such a contract organization would be futile.

The total crop of the county was estimated and a percentage set as a goal to be secured by the Association, the contract to become effective as soon as this goal was reached. That goal was 1700 acres. Today there are 2700 acres controlled by the Association, with a membership of 76 growers. The members realized that of the various objects of their newly

formed organization, the most important of early execution were the improvement of the quality of their product and the establishment of an open market. The first was to be accomplished wholly within the organization by working with the individual members. The second was to be brought about by a fight between the Association and the proponents of the old system. Though the citizens of Portales may not be aware of it, a silent battle has been carried on in their midst for two or three weeks past. Through all knowledge of market conditions was obtained thru direct government reports.

The establishment of quality seeding and baling has been due to a change of attitude on the part of the growers since organizing, particularly the thrasher men. All have not done firstclass work but the majority have and this has been the subject of first comment from visiting buyers. Portales broomcorn has come to mean good square bales of clean brush whereas in the past it has meant, in a large measure, poorly handled brush.

The success of the organization in its fight for open market has been largely due to the loyalty of the members. In the past few days members have defended the infant organization sometimes when it meant personal loss to do so.

Plans for next year include the continuance of the work started this year and the improvement of the crop through seed selection and better cultivation. It is expected that a material increase in acreage will be effected next year.

BROKE BOTTLE OF WHISKEY BUT DREW FINE UNDER HIGHWAY LAW

V. B. Steele of Amarillo drove into Canyon late Tuesday evening with a suspicious looking outfit. He was accompanied by a woman. Sheriff Black proceeded to investigate, and Steele hurled a bottle of whiskey to the ground. So far so good, as he thus escaped the penalty of being caught with the whiskey in his possession.

However, under the highway law, any person throwing glass of any description upon a street or public road is subject to a fine, and Steele drew \$31 as a penalty. This he paid and went on his way

rejoicing. He claimed that he had bought the whiskey, and disclosed the name of the man from whom the purchase was made.

The fact that he broke the bottle, and that the sheriff could not produce the goods against him in court, allowed him to go free under the liquor law.

The penalty connected with throwing glass upon a highway or public road is new to most people but it is a good law, and one that should be strictly enforced.—Randal County News.

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DEMOCRATIC IN POLITICS

The stir at Santa Fe over the extravagant expenditures of the members of the State Board of Education, suggests the idea that to keep down needless and extravagant expenditures in all public departments from state to district and precinct expenditures, a full monthly or quarterly report of such expenditures should be published so that the public may know how their money is being used.

The publicity which the Portales valley and Roosevelt county obtained through the exhibit at the Dallas Fair should not be overlooked now that the fair is over. It is up to every citizen of the county to keep boosting and help develop the entire county.

ARE YOU FED UP? Have you had your fill of high life divorcees? Are you tired of murder mysteries of graft stories of highway robbery of assault and battery? Do you long to read clean news about clean people, and particularly about the folk in whom you have greatest personal interest, the people of your own home town?

TAXED TO DEATH AND DAMN NEAR RUINED

Business men who are squirming under taxation burdens will read with keen interest the following letter sent to an English bank by one of its customers, explaining why he was unable to reduce his overdraft. It was embodied in an address by Harry Coe, vice-president of the the Anglo and London Paris National Bank, San Francisco. Here is the letter:

THE STRIKE CALLED OFF

The Journal predicted several days ago that there would be no strike of railroad employes at this time. This prediction was based upon our knowledge of the unseen but irresistible power of public sentiment.

The unions have bowed to public opinion. In return public sentiment should see to it that justice is done to the men. It is difficult in the extreme for us to see impartially when our own interests are concerned.

Railroad rates must come down of prosperity is to return. Whatever part a reasonable wage reduction and fairer working rules play in bringing about this reduction, must be accepted.

Changes in railroad management are essential. It seems certain that great economies in operation can be effected in other lines than wage reductions and changed working rules.

If the railroads accept this concession to public opinion as a victory for them, they will be mistaken. The public is suspicious of the efficiency and good faith of many things in the present methods of railroad management.

The people are opposed to wage reductions without corresponding rate reductions. The roads must wait for a profit until returning prosperity brings an increased volume of business to earn a profit.

Rates must be such that, under normal conditions, the roads can earn a fair return. Of that, there can be no doubt. But the railroads are not entitled to abnormal protection in abnormal times.

That the law authorizing the Interstate Commerce Commission to fix rates so as to earn 6 per cent is a fake, is proven by the facts. The law does not provide that each road shall have rates permitting it to earn 6 per cent.

There should be a consolidation of the wagefixing and rate-making powers. For one body to fix income and another to determine expenditures is absurd.

We are glad the strike is off. But this by no means settles the questions involved. Diligence must be shown in doing the just and wise thing.

It is hopeful, however, to see that an alert public opinion is powerful enough to compel acquiescence.—Albuquerque Morning Journal.

Miss no night's service at the revival. Advertisement—Itc.

WITH THE CHURCHES

Wassarene Church. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Young People's Society at 8:15 p. m. Everybody invited to come and worship with us.

ROGERS CIRCUIT. Rogers, July 4th Sunday. Floyd, August, 1st Sunday. Causey, 3rd Sunday. Inez September 1st Sunday. Shady Grove, September 3rd Sunday.

PENTECOSTAL CHURCH. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. Prayermeeting Thursday at 8 p. m. You are always welcome to come and worship with us.

METHODIST CHURCH. The Methodist Sunday School reached the two hundred mark last Sunday. The attendance has gone forward from one hundred and seventy-two in three weeks.

THE REVIVAL CAMPAIGN. It has been an inspiration to hear and to participate in the music at the band hall during this week. The crowds have been interested and the attendance good.

Subjects: Fri. "Can a Man be Saved Outside the Church?" This will be preceded by an address upon world peace and disarmament in recognition of Armistice day.

All Worn Out. Does morning find you with a lame, stiff and aching back? Are you tired all the time—find work a burden? Have you suspected your kidneys?

MR. DAIRYMAN: Ship us your cream direct. We pay all express charges, and you cream check will amount to about \$1.00 more per can.

Hast Thou Gleaned? will be the subject, while in the evening it will be, "Without Excuse."

Tuesday, "The Faith that Saves."

Wednesday, "Repent or Perish."

Thursday, "The Scriptural Importance of Baptism."

Some make too much of baptism and some too little. Just what does the Bible teach? Already keen regret has been expressed that such and such a sermon was not heard by such and such an individual.

EVERY service and get your friends there EVERY time. NORRIS J. REASONER, Minister-evangelist.

PORTALES BAPTIST ATTEND STATE CONVENTION. Last Sunday the following Portales people left for Albuquerque to attend the State Baptist Convention which is in session at that place.

Rev. J. S. Nix, Mrs. Wollard and Miss Fonville. Lend your aid to the revival. Advertisement—Itc.

MAKE THIS WEEK COUNT.

"I would not have had—miss that for five dollars."

"How I wish my husband had been here!" "That's the first time such a sermon has ever been preached in this church!"

exclaimed an enthusiastic officer in a local church as he "rapped the preacher on the back. These remarks were made about sermons to be given soon in the revival campaign at the band hall after the speakers had heard the evangelist deliver them.

Soon after he went to Deming to preach, an army officer said to him after one of these sermons, "That's the finest intellectual treat I've had in months."

A woman at Hot Springs, said: "A preacher that don't know what he is talking about, ought not to be allowed to preach," and another when asked if she were going to a card party said: "I have learned something new every night and I would not miss the services for a card party or anything else."

We dislike much to mention these personal things—only they are not personal. They pertain to the MESSAGE and not to their delivery. The only strictly personal statement above is adverse. But we do have a MESSAGE for Portales and for every person in it.

It is not OUR message but the word of the ever living God "whose we are and whom we serve." You may ignore His message of love. If you wish, but you do not escape responsibility. You must face your record in the judgment and the judgment is as sure as death.

It is appointed unto man once to die, and after that the judgment." Prepare to meet thy God. Children of God: bring your unsaved friends. Let nothing keep you from it.

Subjects: Fri. "Can a Man be Saved Outside the Church?" There is a difference of opinion here. What does God's word teach? We have no other message, so if you are not willing to accept that we can do nothing for you.

Sat. "A Question for Speedy Decision." This question is up and should be settled NOW.

Sun. 10:00 a. m. "Where Hast Thou Gleaned?" 7:00 p. m. "Without Excuse."

Tues. "The Faith That Saves." There are varying definitions of faith. Let us get it straight.

Wed. "Repent or Perish."

Thurs. "The Scriptural Importance of Baptism." This is not a decision of the action that constitutes baptism—that may follow—but in an age when some stress one of Christ's ordinances too much and others too little, it is refreshing to go to the WORD and see just what position the subject occupies there.

Practically all of Christ's followers teach baptism, so none should feel any hesitancy in calmly facing God's word on this matter.

Next week's paper should contain further announcements. As to Monday, we are undecided as this goes to the printer.

Cordially yours for Christ and humanity, NORRIS J. REASONER.

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Broomcorn Growers, Attention. This broomcorn season is now almost over. We wish to thank our customers for their patronage. We have tried to give you good service, such as prompt handling and payment, and will assure you for the next season we will do better.

S. H. Funkhouser. 2 Dressers, 1 Chiffonier, 2 Beds, Springs and Mattresses, 1 Center Table, Chairs, 1 Brass Bed Complete, 1 Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet, 1 Library Set 5 pieces, Mission. Other articles including books. WILL TAKE TWO GOOD TRUNKS. S. H. Funkhouser. 2 MILES EAST OF TOWN—OLD McDONALD PLACE.

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SOCIETY

Pastor's Reception

The reception for the pastor and wife, by the Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist church, at the home of Mrs. J. P. Stone last Friday night, was attended by eighty members besides the children.

The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion, and the evening one round of good fellowship and mirth.

It would be useless to go into details as to the games engaged in, but several records were broken in the various contests. Gov. Lindsey took first prize, (a tin life) for the best answer to the pictures of Magazine advertising. The Governor will doubtless join the band and feature in a life solo in the future concerts.

In the game of packing the suit case, Rev. Reasnor was one of the winners, but is suffering from a sprained ankle as the result.

Refreshments of fruit salad, coffee and cake was served by the ladies, and as to the quality of same many stand ready to testify.

At a late hour before departing, Gov. Lindsey made a short talk, introducing Rev. J. J. Richards as the new Methodist pastor. Rev. Richardson responded with a few appropriate remarks expressed the appreciation of himself and Mrs. Richardson for the welcome which they had received since coming into Portales.

THE BAPTIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Baptist Missionary Society met with Mrs. Frank Campbell Thursday, November 3, with a large attendance.

Devotional service led by Mrs. Strickland, followed by lecture on W. M. U. Manual by Miss Fonsvill, which completed the cause in the Manual.

There were about twenty to take examination on Manual work, the successful ones to receive certificates on the work when the papers are graded, which will be done at the Convention now in session at Albuquerque.

We are beginning our new year work with 85 members and a full year's program laid out in our year book. This will be a great help to us.

There is a book for each member, so all members are requested to be present at next meeting and receive their book, as you may be hostess at an early date.

We are expecting great accomplishments during the coming year.

Methodist Missionary Society Meets With Mrs. Williams—

Thursday, the 3rd of November, the Missionary Society of the M. E. Church met at 2:30 with Mrs. Williams. About 30 members were present. After the usual routine of business and a solo by Mrs. Krattli, the hostess served delicious coconut pie and coffee.

The Society then adjourned to meet with Mrs. Chas. Taylor next time.

On Saturday night, Nov. 5, Mesdames C. O. Leach and F. A. Kenady were hostesses in the home of the former, at a very pleasant reception honoring Mr. and Mrs. John Simon. Only a few intimate friends of the bride and groom were present.

Surprise Luncheon—

Mrs. W. E. Lindsey planned and successfully executed a very charming social event in the form of a surprise for her daughter, Miss Helen.

Miss Helen was absent from home during the day, Tuesday, and returned to find the house brilliantly lighted and beautifully decorated, flowers being in evidence everywhere and everything in readiness for the delicious four-course luncheon which was later served to twelve appreciative couples. Following the luncheon were games of various kinds and

toothsome varieties of home-made candy. At a late hour the young people departed wishing their circle of acquaintances numbered many Mrs. Lindsey's.

Wear your work clothes if you like. Revival at the band hall. Advertisement—1tc.

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CHRISTIAN CHURCH

There was a nice increase in attendance at the Bible school last Lord's Day. Why not every Lord's Day! Some of those airships are making rapid flight and some of us must look to our motors and speed up a little or we will soon be so far out-distanced we never can catch up.

Morning services were well attended and a fine union meeting held at the band hall that night.

Are you attending the revival services? If not you are missing some good sermons, good music and good fellowship. Come and worship with us.

All irregular services next Lord's day will be held at the band hall.

Lloyd Horney was in Clovis Monday on business.

Mrs. John Swagerty is quite ill with tonsilitis.

Attend the revival at the band hall. Advertisement—1tc.

Rev. Gilliam of Elida was a Portales visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Trontt were Clovis visitors Monday.

Great singing that—at the revival—band hall. Advertisement—1tc.

Mrs. Joe Boren has been quite ill for some time, but her friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Do not fail to read the advertisement of L. A. Johnson, the second hand man, elsewhere in this paper.

The C. O. Leach family were Clovis visitors Sunday.

W. H. Catt and wife and their guest, J. E. McLain, of Amarillo, were Elida visitors Thursday.

The regular attendant gets the great blessing at the revival. At band hall. Advertisement—1tc.

Mrs. L. B. Thornton Sr. of the Elida community, spent Saturday in the home of her son, John Thornton.

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Mrs. H. L. Newby and Miss Effie White of Farwell, Texas, were over night guests in the W. H. Catt home Monday.

Have your good time another season. This is the revival season. Band hall. Advertisement—1tc.

Will McKissick and wife and little girl and his mother, who has been visiting the family of Lee McKissick for the past week, left this morning for their home in Mineola, Okla.

Stanley Lyons and family of Illinois, who recently arrived, have decided to locate in Portales. They made the entire trip by wagon and were on the road three months. Mr. Lyons is a tailor by trade.

Miss Helen Lindsey arrived home last week from Las Vegas. Miss Lindsey has received the appointment as postmaster for Portales, and will take charge of the office as soon as her bond is approved and her commission arrives.

Keen enjoyment—no regrets—in Christ's service. Attend the revival every night. Band hall. Advertisement—1tc.

Mr. and Mrs. John Riley were guests of the G. W. Jones family at Causey Sunday.

Bob Grissom and sister, Miss Stacie Grissom, were up from Elida Tuesday.

Commissioner C. S. Toler was in Clovis several days this week for medical attention.

Paul Jones was a Kenna visitor Sunday. He reports everything looking fine down that way.

Priddy & Fooshee Company Grocery Department

- Try a sack of the Famous Foremost Flour. Every sack guaranteed. Per sack . . . \$2.00
- Cranberries, we have them. per pound . . . 25c
- Brazil Nuts, per pound . . . 25c
- No. 10 can of Peaches, Apricots or Plums . . . 75c
- No. 10 Can of Pineapples or Loganberries . . . \$1.00
- Dried Apples or Peaches per pound . . . 25c
- Fancy Blue Rose whole grain Rice, per pound . . . 71-2c
- 5 gallons of Oil . . . 60c
- 4 bars Crystal White Soap . . . 25c
- Rock Salt per ton . . . \$17.00
- Grey Block, per block . . . 50c
- White Block, per block . . . 60c
- 100 lb. sack Bran . . . \$1.25

SALE STARTS SATURDAY, November 12

We Give S. & H. Green Saving Stamps

THE NOVEMBER SALE

Rare Advantages for Home and Family Shopping

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SALE CLOSSES SATURDAY, November 26

We Give S. & H. Green Saving Stamps

Pronounced Values in Women's Suits

Here are Suits with the most delightfully Patrician air and conspicuously high grade in material design and tailoring—marked at extremely low prices

- \$22.50 to \$29.50 Suits, specially priced at . . . \$19.75
- \$32.50 to \$39.50 Suits, specially priced at . . . \$26.75
- \$45.00 to \$49.50 Suits, specially priced at . . . \$34.75
- \$55.00 to \$65.00 Suits, specially priced at . . . \$44.75
- \$75.00 to \$79.50 Suits, specially priced at . . . \$58.75

A Coat Selling of Unusual Importance

It is quite certain that you have not had the pleasure of seeing such reasonable prices on Coats as we are giving you in this event, and many of the coats are models you haven't seen before. The commanding values embrace Coats for every purpose in many charming style variations and pleasing selections of fabrics.

- \$15.00 to \$18.50 Coats, specially priced at . . . \$13.75
- \$25.00 to \$29.50 Coats, specially priced at . . . \$21.75
- \$33.50 to \$39.50 Coats, specially priced at . . . \$26.75
- \$42.50 to \$49.50 Coats, specially priced at . . . \$34.75
- \$55.00 to \$59.50 Coats, specially priced at . . . \$44.75
- \$62.50 to \$69.50 Coats, specially priced at . . . \$49.75
- \$75.00 to \$89.50 Coats, specially priced at . . . \$59.75

FUR COATS

- \$175.00 Value, Gray Seal, specially priced at . . . \$139.50
- \$200.00 Value, Sealine, specially priced at . . . \$155.00
- \$225.00 Value, Muskrat, specially priced at . . . \$175.00

Thanksgiving Sale of Silk and Wool DRESSES..

- \$18.50 to \$23.50 Dresses, specially priced at . . . \$15.75
 - \$27.50 to \$29.50 Dresses, specially priced at . . . \$21.75
 - \$32.50 to \$37.50 Dresses, specially priced at . . . \$26.75
 - \$39.50 to \$45.00 Dresses, specially priced at . . . \$31.75
- ALL OTHER DRESSES AT 20 PER CENT REDUCTION.

A Sale of Millinery

JUST IN TIME FOR THANKSGIVING

Of all things that crowning glory, the New Hat must not be omitted from the Thanksgiving finery. The Millinery section is brimming with radiant creations ready to add their beautiful finishing touch. Petite chapeaux for the tailleur. Picturesque broad brims and graceful plumage for dressmaker modes. Thanksgiving prices work an eventful sale.

- All \$4.50 and \$5.00 Trimmed Hats, sale price . . . \$2.98
- All \$6.50 and \$7.50 Trimmed Hats, sale price . . . \$4.50
- All \$10.00 and \$12.50 Trimmed Hats, sale price . . . \$5.98

SPACE WILL NOT PERMIT PUBLISHING ALL OF THE BARGAINS IN THIS SALE. BE SURE AND VISIT THE STORE.

MANDELL'S

"THE STORE OF QUALITY"

CLOVIS, NEW MEXICO

Thanksgiving Sale of Household Linens

With the peak of the season of entertaining still to be reached the possible wear and tear on linens is difficult to estimate. There is very material economy in securing supplies during this Thanksgiving Sale. Household Linens of a quality which the store is pleased to sponsor and which you will heartily approve are featured at very special prices.

- Regular \$1.00 Yd. Table Damask, sale price, per yd. . . 85c
- Regular \$1.25 Yd. Table Damask, sale price, per yd. . . 98c
- Regular \$3.75 Yd. Table Linen, sale price, per yd. . . \$2.98
- Regular \$4.75 Yd. Table Linen, sale price, per yd. . . \$3.98
- Regular \$5.00 Yd. Table Linen, sale price, per yd. . . \$4.25
- Colored Table Damask, sale price, per yd. . . \$1.15
- \$13.50 Doz. Linen Napkins, sale price, per doz. . . \$11.75
- \$12.00 Doz. Linen Napkins, sale price, per doz. . . \$10.50
- \$4.25 Doz. Napkins, sale price, per doz. . . \$3.75
- \$3.00 Doz. Napkins, sale price, per doz. . . \$2.69
- \$1.25 Doz. Napkins, sale price, per doz. . . 98c

Blankets, Comforters and Quilts

- \$3.00 Blankets, on sale . . . \$2.29
- \$3.50 Blankets, on sale . . . \$2.75
- \$4.75 Blankets, on sale . . . \$3.75
- \$5.00 Blankets, on sale . . . \$3.95
- \$6.00 Blankets, on sale . . . \$4.75
- \$7.00 Blankets, on sale . . . \$5.50
- \$10.00 All Wool Blankets, Sale Price . . . \$7.75
- \$12.50 All Wool Blankets, Sale Price . . . \$9.35
- \$3.50 Quilts, sale price . . . \$2.75
- \$4.00 Quilts, sale price . . . \$3.15
- \$4.75 Quilts, sale price . . . \$3.90
- \$6.75 Quilts, sale price . . . \$5.35
- \$9.00 Quilts, sale price . . . \$7.10

WEEKLY NEWS ARTICLE

(By Special Correspondent.) WASHINGTON, Nov. 2.—What ever differences of opinion there may be among the rank and file of the Democratic party concerning the divided vote of the Democratic Senators on the ratification of the separate peace treaty with Germany, the one outstanding fact in which all Democrats can take pride is that the Democratic Senators refused to make the treaty a party or partisan matter, but adhered to the true Democratic patriotic principle that party politics should end at the water's edge in our relations with foreign governments.

At the conference of Democratic Senators at which it was agreed that the matter of supporting or opposing the peace treaty should be left to individual conscience and judgment of each Senator there was not the slightest thought or suggestion of adopting the partisan policy of the Republican Senators of the Foreign Relations Committee under the malignant leadership of Senator Lodge, toward of the Versailles Treaty, the rejection of which, in the opinion of leading economists, wrecked the economic structure of the world, in addition to its demoralizing effect upon the political and moral status of the nation.

As a result of the decision of the conference, a majority of the Democratic Senators present, 18, voted against a separate peace treaty and 14 Democratic Senators voted for ratification. Senators Borah and LaFollette were the only Republicans to vote against the treaty. The attitude of the Democratic Senators who voted for ratification is expressed in an extract from a speech by Senator Hitchcock, the ranking Democratic member of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, who said: "When they (the Republicans) put the United States in a position of refusing to join in the great work of rehabilitating the world, they brought upon the United States, then the most prosperous nation in the world, the beginnings of a long depression that we have now suffered from for more than a year. I am not willing to be responsible for doing anything that will prolong this disastrous and dangerous condition."

WEAK, NERVOUS, ALL RUN-DOWN

Missouri Lady Suffered Until She Tried Cardui.—Says "Result Was Surprising."—Got Along Fine, Became Normal and Healthy.

Springfield Mo.—"My back was so weak I could hardly stand up, and I would have bearing-down pains and was not well at any time," says Mrs. R. V. Williams, wife of a well-known farmer on Route 6, this place. "I kept getting headaches and having to go to bed," continues Mrs. Williams describing the troubles from which she obtained relief through the use of Cardui. "My husband, having heard of Cardui, proposed getting it for me. I saw after taking some Cardui... that I was improving. The result was surprising. I felt like a different person. "Later I suffered from weakness and weak back, and felt all run-down. I did not rest well at night. I was so nervous and cross. My husband said he would get me some Cardui, which he did. It strengthened me... My doctor said I got along fine. I was in good healthy condition. I cannot say too much for it."

division and diversity of opinion among the rank and file of the Republican party on this question than there is in the Democratic party.

In the opinion of many of the separate peace treaty with Germany settles none of the differences between the United States and that country, and its ratification they regard only as a pyrrhic victory.

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SEED FOR EARLY CABBAGE SHOULD BE PLANTED DURING NOVEMBER

Early cabbage is proving to be a profitable crop for the lower and warmer valleys of southern New Mexico. For best results, the seed should be planted the latter part of November, according to experiments conducted by the Agricultural College. If the coldframe has not already been prepared by shoveling in a good supply of well rotted manure and wetting down, this should be done at once so the seed bed will be in good condition for planting by the latter part of the month. The seed should be planted about 4 to the inch in rows about 5 inches apart. It will take approximately four ounces of seed to produce sufficient plants to cover an acre. This amount of seed will produce about 14,000 plants and it requires 35 to 40 feet of coldframe 6 feet wide.

In some experiments conducted at the Agricultural College last year, the seed was planted in the coldframes on the 20th of November, part of the frame being covered with glass and part with cloth. Unbleached muslin was used and a roller was fastened to each side so that they could be dropped over the side of the frame so as to hold the cloth down tight. On all sunny days the cloth was removed in the morning and put back in the evening. Where glass was used, plenty of ventilation was allowed for in order to prevent the plants from becoming tall and spindling. Practically no difference could be observed in the plants grown by

these two methods. The plants were transplanted to the field on March 10, and the first of them were harvested on June 8.

Now is the time to protect the European or so-called California grape from winter killing by hilling the dirt around the vines or stump to a height of 8 to 12 in. above the scaffold of the stump. This may seem like a lot of extra work but it the best and easiest means of insuring against large losses in case the winter should be severe.

CHRISTIAN UNITY

After all is said and done, after all the arguments of men have been heard, after all the scriptures expressing the sin of division (denominationalism) have been presented, the one supreme motive which overshadows all others, remains to be considered. No other motive will draw divided Christendom into one fold, possibly, but this will do so surely and inevitably. It is only a question of time and education. This motive is, "The love of Christ constraineth us." When we love Christ more than the denominational brand and convert may wear, when we love the souls of men more than "our denomination," and when we know the mind of the Master, the things which now seem important to our nearsighted vision will fade away and be lost in the body of Christ universal. Then there will be but one flock, one fold and one Shepherd. We may hold a copper cent so close to the eye that we cannot see the great mountain or the marvelous sunrise. Just so, we may get so close to our sectarian interests that the Christ Himself will become eclipsed.

Jesus, facing the cross after the Last Supper, had but one doubt of early success. He knew that "lifted up" on the cross He would draw all men, He knew that truth must ultimately prevail, He knew that God's will on earth must eventually triumph, but He knew the mind of man, how the progress of today becomes crystallized into the institution of tomorrow and a stumbling block in the way of tomorrow's progress. How men of the best of intentions exalt their own opinions, and divide over methods, and exhibit too much pride to sacrifice a position once taken, so in agony of heart as He faced the cross but a few hours distant He plead for humanity—for the world—that it might have its chance. As an essential to this opportunity He prayed "That they may all be one, that the world MAY believe." Jno. 17: 20-23. Study it—Learn the will of our Savior and if you love Him follow wherever it may lead. "The love of Christ constraineth us."

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Legal Publications.

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, State of New Mexico. In the Matter of the Estate of Roland Beebe, Deceased. No. 238.

NOTICE Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the first day of November, 1921, appointed administrator of the estate of Roland Beebe, deceased, by Honorable A. J. Goodwin, Probate Judge of Roosevelt County, New Mexico.

Therefore all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to file the same with the County Clerk of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, within one year from the day of appointment as provided by law, or same will be barred.

HENRY BEEBE, Administrator. G. L. REESE, Attorney. N. 10-D. 1-11

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico. In the Matter of the Estate of Efel Kachel, Deceased. No. 237.

NOTICE Notice is hereby given that I, M. B. Jones, was on the 7th day of November, 1921, at the regular November term of the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, duly appointed administrator over the estate of Efel Kachel, deceased.

THEREFORE, any and all persons having any claims against said estate and all interested parties, are hereby required to present the same to me, or file the same with the Clerk of this Court within one year from date hereof according to law, or the same will be forever barred.

Dated this 7th day of November, 1921. M. B. JONES, Administrator. N. 10-D. 1-C

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NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

The State of New Mexico, to Margaret C. Skelton and Hattie L. Whitman, GREETING:

You are hereby notified that a suit has been filed against you in the District Court of the Ninth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, and for Roosevelt County, wherein J. A. Price, James T. Pancoast and Leland Rice Skelton, administrators of the estate of L. S. Skelton, deceased, are plaintiffs and Ella R. Clapsadle, formerly Ella R. Skelton, Margaret C. Skelton, formerly Margaret C. Clark, Irene Skelton Pancoast, Leland Rice Skelton, Leslie Marion Skelton, a minor, and J. A. Price, guardian of the said Leslie Marion Skelton, are defendants, said cause being numbered 1716 on the Civil Docket of said Court.

The general objects of said action are as follows: The above named plaintiffs as administrators of the estate of L. S. Skelton, deceased, have filed their petition in the above styled cause against the above named defendants alleging that the personal estate of the said L. S. Skelton, deceased, is insufficient to discharge the just debts allowed against said estate and the legacies charged thereon, and that it is necessary to resort to a sale of the real estate belonging to the estate of the said L. S. Skelton, deceased, for the purpose of discharging the debts and legacies against said estate; and the plaintiffs pray an order and decree of the court for a sale of the following described real estate located in Roosevelt county, New Mexico, for the purpose of obtaining funds to pay off and discharge the just debts and legacies against said estate, to-wit:

The east half of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section five in township one south of range thirty-three east, N. M. P. M., containing 20 acres.

The south thirty acres of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section thirteen in township two south of range thirty-four east, N. M. P. M., containing 30 acres more or less.

The northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section thirty-four east, N. M. P. M., containing 40 acres, more or less.

The southeast quarter of section thirty-two in township one south of range thirty-five east, N. M. P. M., containing 160 acres, more or less.

The southeast quarter of section four in township two south of range thirty-five east, N. M. P. M., containing 160 acres, more or less.

The south one-fourth of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section five in township two south of range thirty-five east, N. M. P. M., containing 10 acres, more or less.

The northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section twenty-five in township one south of range thirty-four east, N. M. P. M., containing 40 acres, more or less.

That certain tract of land beginning at a point on the section line 293 1/3 yards east of the southwest corner of section 23, in township one south of range 34 east of the New Mexico Meridian, New Mexico; thence north 600 yards; thence east 293 1/3 yards; thence south 600 yards; thence west 293 1/3 yards to the point of beginning, containing 40 acres, more or less.

That certain tract of land beginning at the northwest corner of the northeast quarter of section one in township two south of range thirty-four east, N. M. P. M., thence west twelve hundred forty feet to the Moss corner; thence south thirteen hundred twenty-three feet to a line south of the thirty-seven and one-half acre tract seventy-one feet east of the center of the northeast quarter of section one in township two south of range thirty-four east of the New Mexico Meridian, New Mexico; thence east twelve hundred forty feet; thence north thirteen hundred twenty-three feet to the place of beginning, containing thirty-seven and one-half acres, more or less.

The west half of the northwest quarter of section thirteen in township one south of range thirty-three east of the New Mexico Meridian, New Mexico, containing 80 acres.

All of section thirty-one in township one south of range thirty-one east of the New Mexico Meridian, New Mexico, containing 625.82 acres, more or less.

You are further notified that unless you appear and plead or answer in said cause on or before the 31st day of December, 1921, judgment by default will be taken against you and the plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

You are further notified that George L. Reese is attorney for the plaintiffs and that his business address is Portales, New Mexico.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court on this 9th day of November, 1921. R. H. GRISSOM, Clerk.

In the District Court of Roosevelt County, State of New Mexico.

J. W. Slaton, Plaintiff, vs. J. A. W. Bell, or Joseph A. W. Bell, Alice L. Bell or Lucy A. Bell, Lillie B. Bell, Robert H. Cavett, Mabell Cavett his wife, H. G. Rowley, Harry H. Thomas, Great Western Oil & Refining Co., J. W. Cowart, Clovis Oil Co., Taiban-Tolar Oil & Gas Syndicate, A. E. Curren, H. F. Young, W. E. McAdoo, Caleb A. Sipple, A. J. Goodwin, John H. Ballow, George P. Baxter, and Kansas City Life Insurance Co., and all unknown heirs and claimants, Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to an order of sale and judgment issued out of the District Court of Roosevelt County, State of New Mexico, on the 17th day of August, 1921, in an action wherein J. W. Slaton was plaintiff and J. A. W. Bell or Joseph A. W. Bell, Alice L. Bell or Lucy A. Bell, Lillie B. Bell, Robert H. Cavett, Mabell Cavett, H. G. Rowley, Harry H. Thomas, Great Western Oil & Refining Co., J. W. Cowart, Clovis Oil Co., Taiban-Tolar Oil & Gas Syndicate, A. E. Curren, H. F. Young, W. E. McAdoo, Caleb A. Sipple, A. J. Goodwin, John H. Ballow, George P. Baxter and Kansas City Life Insurance Co., and all unknown heirs and claimants were defendants, which said judgment was, on the 17th day of August, 1921, recorded in judgment Book I of said court at Page 112.

I am therefore commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece and parcel of land situated in the county of Roosevelt, State of New Mexico, and bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

The southwest quarter section twenty, the northwest quarter section twenty-nine, the south one-half section twenty-nine, the west half section thirty-two, southeast quarter and the east half of northeast quarter and southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section thirty-two, all in township four north of range twenty-nine east; the east one-half of section six; the west one-half of section five, the west half of the northeast quarter, the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter and the south half of the southeast quarter of section five; the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section four; the east one-half of the northwest quarter of section nine; the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter, the east one-half of the northwest quarter, the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section eight; the northeast quarter section eighteen; the south half of the northwest quarter section seventeen; the southwest quarter section seventeen; the northwest quarter of section fifteen, all in township three north of range twenty-nine east.

That the following portion of the above described real estate is sold subject to a mortgage now held by the Kansas City Life Insurance Co., Kansas City, Mo., in the sum of \$3800.00 to-wit:

The south half of section twenty-nine, township four north range twenty-nine east; all of section thirty-two, township four north of range twenty-nine east, except the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter; all of section five township three north of range twenty-nine east, except the north half of the southeast quarter and the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter; the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section nine; all of the northwest quarter of section fifteen; the north half of the northeast quarter and the east half of the northwest quarter and the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter and the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section eight, all in township three north of range twenty-nine east.

Property of the defendants above set forth, sufficient to satisfy said judgment rendered in said action, to-wit:

First: That judgment in favor of said plaintiff J. W. Slaton, in the principal sum of \$13,156.92, with interest, taxes, costs and fees, since the 23rd day of July, 1921, and the costs of this sale, and as in said judgment provided, and set forth.

Second: That judgment in favor of defendant J. W. Cowart, in the principal sum of \$3201.44, with interest, from December 11th, 1920, and costs as in said judgment provided, and set forth, but this said judgment is junior and inferior to the judgment of the plaintiff herein, and the judgment of plaintiff shall be paid first from the proceeds of said sale.

NOTICE is hereby given that on the 6th day of December, 1921, at ten o'clock a. m. of that day, in front of the court house in the City of Portales, Roosevelt County, New Mexico, I will, in obedience to said order of sale, and judgment, sell the above described property as first herein set forth, conditioned as set forth, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy plaintiff's judgment, with interest, taxes costs and attorneys fees, to the highest bidder for cash in hand.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand as Special Master this 9th day of November, 1921.

COE HOWARD, Special Master.

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico. In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of Edward C. Price, (No. 207, Deceased.)

NOTICE: Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Executor, John M. Price, has filed his final report in the above entitled cause, and that the 5th day of January, 1922, has been the day set by the Court for the hearing of such final report and accounting, and the settlement thereof.

THEREFORE, any heir, creditor, or other person interested in said estate, may, on or before the date aforesaid, file objections thereto, or any particular item thereof, and the same will be heard and considered by the Court together with the said final report.

R. H. GRISSOM, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Probate Clerk of Roosevelt County, New Mexico. N. 10-D.1-C

In the District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico. J. B. Paine, plaintiff, vs. A. A. Cribbs and Bertha Cribbs, Defendants. (No. 1688.)

NOTICE OF SALE: Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned Special Master, under and by virtue of a judgment and decree of foreclosure of the District Court in and for Roosevelt County, New Mexico, rendered on the 25th day of August, 1921, in said cause for the sum of \$1890.00 together with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent per annum from November 11th, 1917 until paid, and for an additional amount thereon of ten per cent as attorney's fees, and for the further sum of \$123.16 taxes paid by plaintiff, and \$60.00 interest paid by plaintiff, which judgment and decree was in favor of the plaintiff and against the defendants, ordering and directing the undersigned Special Master to sell at public auction the real estate hereinafter described, for the purpose of paying the judgment aforesaid, together with interest and cost of suit, which said judgment, together with interest thereon, excepting cost of suit, on the date of sale, to-wit: November 30th, 1921, amounts to \$2931.06, will, on the 30th day of November, 1921, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the court house in the Town of Portales, County and State aforesaid, offer and expose for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the following described real estate situated in Roosevelt county, New Mexico, to-wit:

The southwest quarter of section three (3) in township one (1) south, range thirty-three (33) East, except sixty-one (61) acres out of the southwest corner of said tract, also lots seven (7), eight (8), nine (9) and ten (10), of section three (3), in township one (1) south of range thirty-three (33) east, New Mexico Meridian, New Mexico, containing two hundred fifty-nine (259) acres according to the Government survey of said land, subject to a prior mortgage upon said land in favor of the Federal Land Bank of Wichita, Kansas, securing one note in the principal sum of \$1200.00, for the purpose of paying said judgment in favor of said plaintiff.

Dated this 2nd day of November, 1921. M. B. JONES, Special Master.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE: WHEREAS, in case No. 1656 pending in the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, in and for Roosevelt county, wherein C. V. Harris is plaintiff and H. B. Ryther, Mary E. Ryther and David Shapcott are defendants, the plaintiff on the 24th day of August, 1921, recovered a judgment and decree against the above named defendants for the sum of \$393.60 and the foreclosure of a mortgage in favor of the plaintiff theretofore executed and delivered by the defendants H. B. Ryther and Mary E. Ryther to Bertha L. Boewell, and duly assigned to the plaintiff upon the following described property, to-wit: Lots ten, eleven and twelve in block numbered six in East Portales, New Mexico, according to the plat thereof, plaintiff's said mortgage being declared a first and prior lien upon said described premises and superior to any claim of the defendant David Shapcott, who purchased said property from the defendants H. B. Ryther and Mary E. Ryther with due notice of plaintiff's said mortgage;

AND WHEREAS, in said decree, the undersigned, M. B. Jones, was appointed Special Commissioner by the court and directed to advertise and sell said described property as provided by law for the purpose of satisfying said judgment with interest and costs of said suit; that said judgment at the date of the sale hereinafter mentioned will amount to the sum of \$403.86, together with all costs in said cause expended by the plaintiff.

Therefore, pursuant to said judgment and decree and the authority vested in me as such special commissioner, I will, on the 5th day of December, 1921, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. at the northeast front door of the court house in the town of Portales, New Mexico, sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash the above described property for the purpose of satisfying said judgment with all costs accrued and accruing in said cause.

Witness my hand this 2nd day of November, 1921. M. B. JONES, Special Commissioner.

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, State of New Mexico. In the matter of the estate of Irwin L. Chaney, deceased. (No. 236.)

NOTICE: Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 15th day of October, 1921, appointed administrator of the estate of Irwin L. Chaney, deceased, by Hon. A. J. Goodwin, Probate Judge of Roosevelt County, New Mexico.

Therefore all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to file the same with the County Clerk of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, within one year from the date of appointment as provided by law, or same will be barred.

W. B. OLDHAM, Administrator. N. 3-N. 24-B.

NOTICE: Pursuant to the 1921 tax laws, it became the duty of the County Treasurer to collect, along with the other taxes, a three dollar personal road tax, this tax to be paid by every male citizen between the ages of twenty-one and sixty years, unless persons due to pay said road tax have worked the roads for a period of three days.

Now, in order that we may collect this road tax for this year we, the Board of County Commissioners, have authorized the County Treasurer to appoint, in each precinct a collector to collect this road tax and turn same over to the County Treasurer, and for such service the collector will receive ten per cent of all money collected.

Appointments and receipt books will be sent out soon. Signed, CHAS. S. TOLER, Chairman, Board of County Commissioners.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION: Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. Mex., Oct. 21, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that Elizabeth C. Gregory, of Canby, N. M., who on September 27th, 1916, made homestead entry No. 035631, for W1/2NW1/4; N1/2SW1/4; section 11, township 7-S, range 36-E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three-year proof to establish claim to the land above described before A. J. Goodwin, Judge of the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, N. M., at Portales, N. M., on the 14th day of December, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses: William H. Seefeld, Jessie M. Campbell, Henry P. Croft, these of Canby, N. M.; John H. Kidd, of Lingo, N. M. EMMETT PATTON, Register. N. 10-D. 8.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION ISOLATED TRACT: PUBLIC LAND SALE 018948 - 'C' 10-24-21

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., October 29, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that, as directed by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under provisions of Sec. 2455, R. S., pursuant to the application of W. E. Lindsey, Serial No. 018948, we will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, but at not less than \$2.50 per acre, at 2 o'clock P. M., on the 17th day of December, 1921, next, at this office, the following tract of land:

Lots 1 and 2, Sec. 31, T. 2 S., R. 37 E., N. M. P. M. The sale will not be kept open, but will be declared closed when those present at the hour named have ceased bidding. The person making the highest bid will be required to immediately pay to the Receiver the amount thereof.

Any person claiming adversely the above-described land are advised to file their claims, or objections, on or before the time designated for sale.

W. R. MCGILL, Register. N. 3-D. 1.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR United States Land Office Fort Sumner, New Mexico October 6, 1921.

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List 8709, Serial No. 020596, S1/2 Sec. 25, T. 1 N., R. 33 E., N. M. P. M. Protests or contests against any or all of such selection may be filed in this office at any time before final approval.

W. R. MCGILL, Register. O. 13-Nov. 10

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION: Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. Mex., Oct. 22, 1921.

Notice is hereby given that Sam L. Rogers, of Lingo, N. M., who, on July 18th, 1918, made Additional Homestead entry No. 041824, for W1/2SW1/4 Sec. 25, S1/2E1/2; E1/2SW1/4 Section 26, township 7-S, Range 36-E, N. M. P. Meridian has filed notice of intention to make final 3-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described before A. J. Goodwin, Judge of the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, N. M., at Portales, N. M., on Nov. 30, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses: Joseph H. Boteler, of Milnesand, N. M.; Charlie C. Smith, of Lingo, N. M.; Ollie P. Smith, of Lingo, N. M.; Willie B. Russell, of Lingo, N. M. EMMETT PATTON, Register. O. 27-N. 24.

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ROGERS HUMBLINGS

Nothing of great importance has happened since the last writings.

Quite a number of the Rogers folks went to church at Inez last Sunday. They report a very enjoyable time with two interesting sermons delivered by Rev. Webb, an excellent dinner on the ground and day is to be remembered. We are glad indeed that Bro. Webb has been sent to this community to work for the Master.

Our school is increasing in number each week. The Hensley children put their names on the roll book last Monday morning.

Mrs. Charles Lewis of Portales is spending a few days with her father and auntie, Mr. Bob and Miss Florence Holland. Mrs. Lewis expects to go to El Paso soon, Mr. Lewis having gone there some few days ago. We hope they will find life pleasant in the beautiful city of El Paso.

Miss Marguerite Phillips and Miss Wilson attended the party at Mr. Post's last Saturday night.

There was about fifteen visitors present Monday morning at the Chapel exercises.

Supt. Palm visited the school last week. He says things are looking good to him.

Last Sunday morning about 11 o'clock the wedding bells were heard ringing, and to the surprise of their friends, Mr. Hal VanWinkle and Miss Opha Barker were happily united in the holy bonds of matrimony. The groom is a respected young man of many qualifications and a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. VanWinkle of this place. The bride is the accomplished daughter of Mr. Jess Barker, of Boliver, Mo. Miss Opha came here something like a year ago to visit with relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sam Anderson. While here she made many friends and was loved and respected by all who knew her. The community at large will certainly miss her smiling face when they go to the Rogers store, as she had been clerking there since she came here. Mr. and Mrs. VanWinkle left Monday evening for their future home in Boliver, Mo. May their young lives be one continued round of happiness.

Mr. Anderson has traded his Buick car for a Studebaker. He says the Studebaker is a much nicer car. Do you suppose Mr. Anderson was joking?

We are glad to read the good news from Foyd. Hurrah for your good school! Some day we expect to come up with you in that line.

Beef killing is the order of the day. Chas. Maxwell butchered a fine one one day last week.

The basket ball game Friday afternoon was quite an interesting affair. The "pick-up" bunch came out as winners over the high school boys. This was their first game of the season. We are expecting to see many good games during the season. Step lively boys, and put in a little more "pep" for you must win in the next game.

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INEZ ITEMS

Our new pastor, J. N. S. Webb, was at Inez last Sunday for the second time being here the fifth Sunday of October for the first time. He seems to be the man for this work as two souls were born into the kingdom during his first service here.

Sunday school was large in attendance and great interest was shown in the lesson study last Sunday, after which Bro. Webb delivered an able sermon on "Consecration." Dinner was enjoyed by all, served in front of the church. In the afternoon service, some true stories were told showing the Christian that he even as a business man, should take stock to know in what lines he had grown in grace since he first believed.

The 1st Sunday of each month will be preaching day at Inez. The 4th of December will be all-day services, dinner on the ground, immediately after Bro. Richardson of Portales, will hold the afternoon service. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to be present. Come.

Miss Eva Lott spent the weekend with Miss Annie and Ola Webb.

A meeting of the Sewing Class, organized by Miss Mary B. Richardson, has been called by the president to convene in all day session at Inez Wednesday, Nov. 10.

Mrs. Belle Carder, who has been on the sick list, is reported to be improving.

Hall VanWinkle and Miss Opha Barker came to Inez Sunday afternoon newly married, which was a surprise to many of their friends.

Mr. Matthews is again in this community after an absence of five years.

Be it known that quail hunters are not highly appreciated here.

An educational picture show meeting is to be held in the Inez school house Thursday night, Nov. 10.

PLEASANT VALLEY

The new school building is nearing completion. It was expected by Saturday night, the fifth, but help became scarce and not all of the finishing work was done, so that school had to be delayed until Wednesday morning the ninth.

However as had been planned the all-day dinner was celebrated Sunday. It was Brother Gilliam's

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day-at-Lake Side, but those good people gracefully yielded the day to Pleasant Valley and came to join us in our rejoicing over our new building. Brother Gilliam preached two excellent sermons, delivered with the power of a prince on Zion's walls. The whole country side was out, besides several cars from Elida. It was an outing for them and refreshing for us to have the people from Elida to come out among us. We are always glad to have the Elida and Lake Side people with us.

On Friday afternoon, the eighteenth, we hope to have a short

program by the school children and talks from our County Superintendent and County Agent and as many other county officers as are interested in the educational, agricultural and social development of this part of the county. If we may steal an ad from the editors, there will be quite a lot of second hand lumber and shingles from the old buildings offered for sale at that time. COME.

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