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The Caloric Fireless Stoves

LET US DEMONSTRATE THE VALUE OF THESE FIRELESS WONDERS—WILL ADD YEARS TO THE BUSY WIFE—COME AND SEE!

HUMPHREY & SLEDGE

HARDWARE

Fence Your Alfalfa Fields

YOUR ORCHARDS AND YOUR TRUCK PATCHES WITH UNION FENCE BEFORE THE RABBITS ENTIRELY DESTROY YOUR YEAR'S LABOR

THE DAIRY WOULD BE A PAYING PROPOSITION TO THE FARMERS HERE

The Dairy Department Will Clothe and Feed Family

Other Products Will Be Clear Money to the Farmers

When the tide of immigration turned westward and hit the border line of New Mexico, the cattle king began to go further north and west. At the same time the settler, bringing his little long horn cow with him ended the reign of the little tin cow, in this vicinity, which had furnished the greater part of the milk for more than half a century. Since then, more people have moved in and today the Portales Valley is so thickly populated that it is known all over the great southwest. The average farmer still has his little cow and dairy facilities have not improved as the various enterprises have.

The dairy in a good paying investment every where, and would be especially lucrative because of the fact that food stuff can be raised at a low cost on our irrigated land, and a good many of the food products can be raised, most any year, by dry farming on scientific basis. On small irrigated tracts of five or ten acres enough food stuff can be raised to feed from ten to twenty cows a year, depending on the kind of product planted.

It is not practical to use ordinary cows in a dairy as the cost of keeping up a cow that produces little milk and butter is as great as the expense of one of a better grade. Great care should be exercised to select animals that give an abundant supply of rich, butter making, milk.

In countries where dairy farms are numerous prosperous farmers are always to be found. There never seems to be a superfluous amount of milk and butter offered for sale. This is an ideal location for a dairy farm, too, because of the altitude. Seed ticks cannot exist here. Neighboring towns can not support a dairy as would have to buy the majority of their food stuff here. Besides being able to supply the towns near us Roswell has a creamery that offers to buy, at a fair price, all of the cream offered them.

In connection with a dairy farm, the dairyman can raise chickens, turkeys and pigs. Eggs and chickens, especially, sell well here. The fact that the milk is creamed, or the butter fat taken off, does not detract very materially from the value of the milk to feed to pigs.

The dairy business has made many a new country rich, and can be carried on in a small way to a great advantage. Every farmer should not be without several fine breed of cows, and run somewhat on the order of the central states.

Last summer, a woman was touring the south in the interest of the Corn Club, made the statement that he was once a resident of the middle states and that the dairy department usually clothed and fed the family, and that the money that was received from the farm products, outside of the dairy, was all profit. If this is a fact, no wonder that the farmers in these states are prosperous. We are just as well situated to make dairies a paying business here, so why not experiment on a small scale and convince yourself?

Trees Beautify Cities

When the warm rays of the sun begin to penetrate the ground in the spring and the grass begins to turn green, one looks out across the vast expanse of prairies and sees that something is missing. It is trees.

Unfortunately we do not have enough moisture to grow trees to a great stature here unless artificial measures are adopted. However, Portales can grow shade trees as well as any semi-arid country in the world as we have an unlimited supply of water just a few feet below the surface of the earth.

Along the irrigation ditches, shade trees can be planted that will make the country beautiful. Shade trees also tend to break the wind and keeps the sand storms from being as disagreeable as they now are, and break the cold northerly winds that come on us so suddenly during the winter months.

A good many of the progressive citizens of the town have planted trees along the walks in front of their homes and this should be done by all. While the planting of trees is a good thing, and helps the looks of things wonderfully, that is not the main thing. Most of the trees that have been planted are dwarfed from lack of attention. With water at one's very door, it is a very easy thing to irrigate the trees every afternoon or so and should be done.

Roswell is known in all of the west as the prettiest town in this section of the country. You do not hear people talking about the magnificent school houses, churches or public buildings in Roswell. When one is commenting on Roswell you will hear them speak of the pretty trees.

As Portales is not as old nor as wealthy as Roswell, one could not expect it to be as beautiful, just now. But Portales, with its irrigation project and a people who believe in the country and are willing to show that they believe in the Portales Valley, it cannot help but make a town that will far surpass the kind of town Roswell is today. And as we grow in population and wealth we want to be known as the City Beautiful of the southwest. Let all of the real estate and home owners of Portales get together, and with a united effort get behind this project and push it for our future welfare.

Order of Services

At the Methodist church Sunday, March 31st, 1912

MORNING
 Prelude
 Hymn 185
 Apostles Creed
 Prayer
 Anthem, "Palm Branches"
 Solo by Mrs. Ward
 Psalm 2
 Gloria Patri
 Matthew 21: 1-11
 Notices and Offering
 Hymn 596
 Sermon, "Palm Sunday" by the Pastor
 Hymn 647
 Benediction

EVENING
 Prelude
 Hymn 2
 Prayer
 Anthem, "Hear My Cry"
 Notices and Offering
 Hymn 396
 Sermon "Temperance" by the Pastor
 Hymn 607
 Prayer
 Benediction

PROHIBITIONISTS HOLD MASS MEETING IN COURT HOUSE-NOMINATE TICKET

To Run in Opposition Ticket Previously Nominated

Election to Be Held the First Tuesday in Next Month

At a mass meeting which was held at the court house at seven thirty o'clock last Monday evening a prohibition ticket was nominated in opposition to the citizens ticket that was nominated some time ago by a portion of the citizens of Portales who met in the Commercial club rooms.

It is stated that the cause of the prohibition ticket being put out in the field is on account of the reopening of a saloon a few days ago, and which the prohibitionists, if elected, hope to close. It is learned that a majority of the citizens ticket are personally prohibitionists and are not in favor of a saloon in Portales, and would have, in all probability, adopted some measures on the saloon question had they known that a saloon was to be operated here.

The Herald suggests that each ticket call a mass meeting and appoint a committee with authority to act and these committees to see if a reconciliation cannot be reached before going to the polls. The election for city officers will be held on the first Tuesday of next month, April 2. The prohibitionists nominated the following ticket:

For mayor, G. W. Carr.
 For clerk, Lon Blankenship.
 For trustees, A. B. Austin, R. G. Bryant, John Corhn, Geo. V. Johnson.

Get Busy

Some one has very aptly remarked: "Of two evils, choose neither." "Never backbite a person to their face." "If you don't see what you ask, want for it." But we would respectfully suggest that you get in line for your tickets for the coming Bancroft Lecture Entertainment, and help a good thing along, and we are of the opinion, unless all signs fail, that you will have good cause to thank your lucky star, for we verily believe from the vast amount of good things that we have read concerning Dr. Bancroft, that he will prove the baner entertainer who will come our way this season. And remember, a little laughter and a little logic taken in homeopathic doses will, they say, stimulate the most torpid liver. Get busy.

The National Guards

Sergeant W. E. Showalter, of Company E of the First Infantry of the United States army who has been detailed to instruct the National Guards of New Mexico, is in Portales, at the request of Captain T. J. Molinari, to instruct Company M in military maneuvers generally, and to distribute new equipment that is to be received in the near future. The U. S. army is sending out instructors to National Guards of all states and Sergeant Showalter's visit here has nothing to do with the disturbance that is now in process in Old Mexico.

Prizes for Sales Day

Last month the sales day was on the first Monday, but next month it will occur on the first Saturday on account of the town election. There are many attractive prizes offered by some of the business men of the town, some of which possibly do not appear in these columns. Last month, there were few to compete for the prizes, and several things were not given away on account of no one entering for that particular thing. It is earnestly hoped by the business men of the town that the farmers will take advantage of the trades and sales days, as they are offering prizes each month and a great reduction on all goods in their stores.

Reagan & Moody will give one pair of nice hose to every baby brought in and registered with post office address and date of birth and will give hose to said baby on each birthday as long as in business.

Connally Coal Co., will give a half ton of coal for the best span of one year old colts.

Warren-Fooshee will give a five dollar hat for the best span one year old colts.

Joyce-Fruit Co., will give five dollars in merchandise for the largest load of people brought to town in a wagon and two dollars and fifty cents for the second largest load.

Miller-Luikart will two dollars for the largest load of people and one dollar for the second largest load of people brought in on that day.

C. V. Harris will give two dress patterns in summer goods to the largest lady that will be in town that day and one dress pattern to the smallest lady.

A. J. Saylor will give one setting of thorough bred Barred Plymouth Rock eggs to the party bringing the largest bunch of hens and one setting to the one bringing the bunch averaging the heaviest weight, taking one dozen hens to enter the contest for weight.

The Live Wires

The secretary of the Commercial club has made a new report and below we give the names of the members in good standing:

G. M. Williamson, T. J. Molinari, A. F. Jones, T. G. Lomax, C. P. Mitchell, Jeff Hightower, J. P. Deen, W. B. Reid, R. M. Sanders, C. O. Leach, W. S. Berry, G. L. Reese, W. E. Lindsey, C. V. Harris, J. B. Priddy, S. A. Morrison, W. I. Luikart, A. D. Wallace, W. W. Van Winkle, Sam J. Nixon, H. B. Ryther, A. G. Troutt, J. R. Darnell, Jno. Reid, Coe Howard, Joe Addington, N. Connally, W. F. Faggard, A. J. Smith, C. C. Reeves, Ben Smith, C. M. Martin, W. O. Dunlap, W. H. Ball, K. G. Bryant, S. P. Moody, Roy Connally, R. A. Larson.

A live Commercial club is essential and should have the name of every business man on its list, as well as all others that are willing to sacrifice their support for the cause of prosperity. By the time the secretary makes a new report we hope to have a much greater number enrolled.

Arrives With Immigrant Car

Mr. A. J. Walters, who lives thirty-one miles southeast of here at Garrison, arrived Saturday morning from Henrietta, Oklahoma, with an immigrant car. Mr. Walters has lived here for about four years and returned to Oklahoma a few months ago to bring more material from his farm there so as to be better fitted to farm on a larger scale here.

Another New Railroad

From a press report, it is understood that the Altus, Lubbock, Roswell and El Paso Railway Co., is to begin construction soon. The dispatch reads:

"Judge J. M. Elliott, attorney here for the Altus, Lubbock, Roswell and El Paso railroad, says that construction work on the line between Memphis and Lubbock will begin on May 15, next, it not being definitely determined yet however, whether work will begin here or at Lubbock—this matter awaiting the decision of officials of the concerned road who are expected to arrive in Memphis from Chicago some time this week.

"The controlling Ed Kennedy and the Texas Construction Co., interests of this road have recently been taken over by what is known as the West Syndicate—a group of millionaires with headquarters in Houston, Texas.

"W. W. West, the active member and agent of the syndicate, has been in Chicago for some time past arranging for construction finances and will be one of the officials arriving here this week.

"The distance between Lubbock and Memphis is one hundred and thirty-two miles, and will have rails in Hall, Brisco, Hale and Lubbock counties.

"As far as definitely planned, the road will pass through or near Longview, Hall county; thru or near Turkey, Hall county, thru Petersburg, Hale county, and thence to Lubbock.

The line between Memphis and Lubbock is expected to be in full operation within two years from the 15th of next May—the date of commencement of construction work.

"No information is obtainable in regard to extension from either Memphis or Lubbock and it is probable that such extensions will not be actively formulated until the operating construction of the line between Memphis and Lubbock. There will be a five hundred foot tunnel on the route in the Caprock region near Turkey—the road engineers reporting that this tunnel will cost less than would a sixty-eight foot cut, which would otherwise be necessary, the tunnel having the additional advantage of, insuring the line against snow blockade."

While this railroad will not touch Portales, still we are interested as it means an expenditure of a good sum of money in the state and will make railroad facilities better here.

Womans Missionary Society

The Missionary society of the Central Christian church met with Mrs. T. J. Molinari, Thursday, March 14th.

The program was in charge of Mrs. Porter Deen; but owing to a "spring move" she was unable to attend. The study on the work for children was very interesting and instructive.

Those present were Mesdames S. A. Morrison, Josh Morrison, Jeff Hightower, Moore, John Tyson, Robert Deen and Miss Bryant.

Mrs. Hellman, who has just moved into the Morrison place, Mrs. W. O. Oldham and Mrs. Charles Thompson of Hagerman were present as visitors.

Mrs. Thompson sang a beautiful solo.

PROF. TINSLEY HERE TO INSTRUCT THE FARMERS IN BETTER AGRICULTURE

Has Been in Demonstration Work for Several Years

Will Speak in Commercial Club Rooms Saturday

Professor J. D. Tinsley, who has successfully held the office of agricultural demonstrator for the Santa Fe Railway company for several years, is spending the week in the Portales Valley and states that he will be glad to have a personal interview with as many farmers as possible.

Mr. Tinsley has spent a great deal of his life in the study of farming as it has to be carried on in this section of the country and is a very interesting talker. Those who can attend should do so, by all means, as it will no doubt benefit them materially.

He is helping the Santa Fe carry on this demonstration work for the benefit of the farmers along its line at a great expense to the road, as they recognize that farming is the life of the country and unless the people are properly instructed as to the best way to farm, they will make but small headway in an agricultural line.

Mr. Tinsley expects to meet with the farmers at the Arch school house on Friday, the ninth. He states that he has something interesting to say to the farmers on this visit and will be glad to answer any questions submitted to him.

Saturday he expects to meet the farmers of Portales and vicinity at the Commercial club rooms at one thirty o'clock. This is an exceptional opportunity for the farmers to receive agricultural instructions free of charge and in an entertaining way, and everyone interested is cordially invited to be present.

Delegates Leave for Roswell

This is the second annual convention of the Federation of Women's clubs of the state of New Mexico and will be held in the Baptist church in Roswell.

The Roswell club has issued an elaborate souvenir program, which records the proceedings to be carried out at the convention.

The following ladies left for Roswell Wednesday morning to attend the New Mexico Federation of Women's clubs that is now in session: Mesdames Roy Connally, Sam J. Nixon, W. E. Lindsey, Jeff Hightower, A. T. Monroe, W. E. Patterson, W. S. Merrill, G. W. Carr, C. S. Hart, W. O. Oldham, S. F. Culberson, C. O. Leach, C. C. Reeves, R. A. Larson and Mrs. Smith.

Mothers Club

The next meeting of the Mother's club of Portales will be held on April 5th.

The subject of corporal punishment and expulsion will be the topic for discussion. Reports from the delegates who attended the New Mexico Federation of Women's clubs will be given and no doubt this will be one of our most interesting meetings of the season. Come.

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DEMOCRATIC IN POLITICS



Doings of the Legislature

The legislature has started in on a second week of the senatorial deadlock. Five ballots were taken last week without an election, and the second week started off with the situation more tightly deadlocked than ever. Monday of the second week, the Democrats were still in the lead, with Martinez getting 23, Jones 22. Among the Republicans, Fall received 22, Mills 17, Catron 15. Five progressive votes were held in line for Hagerman and Gillenwater, and Chrisman and E. B. Gallegos of San Juan and Union counties respectively, flew the track and refused to vote for any of the four leading standpat candidates. It is too early to state what may happen, but as the deadlock continues, there is more and more a probability that a Democrat may be one of the senators.

During the week, the Democrats gave their full vote to Martinez and Jones except on two days when they gave it to Laughlin and Martinez. On the Republican side Fall ranged from 17 to 26; Mills from 16 to 21; Andrews from 12 to 17; Catron from 8 to 15; Larrazolo from 4 to 5; R. L. Baca, the speaker, from 2 to 10; Hagerman from 2 to 6 and L. Bradford Prince from 1 to 5. On one occasion Ex-Governor Otero got four votes, and Gillenwater of Albuquerque got 5. Scattering complimentary votes were given to the following on the first six ballots; Venecio Jaramillo; W. D. Murray; Nathan Jaffa; Geo. W. Hritchard; Joe Sena; Sol. Luna; Gregory Page; Powell Stackhouse; Apodaca Bushman; Tom Burns; A. W. Cooley; Eugenio Ramero de Mora, (Dem.); Chas. Spiess; Jack Fall; H. O. Bursum; H. R. Otero; Blas Sanchez; Felix Baca; Juan G. Clancy and Secundino Romero.

The bill appropriating money for the running of the legislature was passed Monday, and the first pay day was Tuesday. The bill carried a total of \$57,255.40, and the daily expense to the state of maintaining the legislature \$599. This bill also includes the mileage of all legislatures and lieutenant-governor as well as the per diem of members of both houses, the lieutenant governor and the employees of both houses.

Senator A. J. Evans of Roosevelt county has introduced a most drastic White Slave law. Procurers of females for houses of prostitution upon conviction, are to be sentenced to the penitentiary for not less than five years. The act of marriage cannot be used as a defense by such procurer. It is also provided that persons maintaining houses of prostitution are guilty of a felony and the penalty is assessed at a term in the penitentiary of not less than five years.

The Democrats are certainly

going to get some fine legislation through or put the Republican majority on record in matters of supreme importance. In addition to Evans' White Slave bill, senator Walton has introduced a corrupt practice act, an act providing for purity in election of judges, and a resolution providing for the initiative and referendum. Senator Barth has introduced a direct primary bill and a bill providing for the commission form of government.

Change of Management

Beginning with this issue, the Herald wishes to announce that in future it will be under a different management. We will continue a paper that is Democratic in Politics and endeavor to give all of the local and county news with impartiality.

We wish to thank the people of Portales and Roosevelt county for the patronage they have given the Herald in the past, and in future we hope that we may enjoy the same support.

You are cordially invited to drop around and see us at any time and give us news items of interest. If you are a resident of Portales, come in and chat as often as possible and if you live near town drop in every time you come to town and tell us what is going on in your neighborhood.

ORDINANCE NUMBER 39

An Ordinance amending Ordinance Number Nine of the Ordinances of the Town of Portales relating to sanitary and health regulations in the town of Portales.

Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Portales, New Mexico:

Sec. 1. The words and figures of Section 2 of Ordinance Number Nine are hereby stricken out and the following is adopted in lieu thereof, so that said Section 2 shall read as follows:

Section 2. All privies or water closets, other than those connected with the sewer line, constructed or maintained in the town of Portales shall be located upon the alley line and be readily accessible from the alley; shall be provided with water tight drawer or receptacle for reception of the excrement, which drawer or receptacle shall be of such construction and so located as to be easy of access and removal for the purpose of cleaning the privy and shall be placed upon the surface of the ground, and such privies or closets shall be built in such a manner as to exclude flies from access to said drawers or receptacles. Any person who maintains a privy or water closet not connected with the sewer line which does not conform to all the provisions of this section shall be guilty of maintaining a nuisance and shall be subject to the penalties provided for in Section 36 of said Ordinance Number Nine.

Sec. 2. The Town Scavenger shall keep a well bound book in which he shall keep an accurate record of the names of all persons whose privies or closets he cleans and the dates of the cleaning of such closets or privies, and such book shall be prima facie evidence of the matters appearing therein.

Sec. 3. All owners, renters or users of property upon which surface privies or closets are located who do not employ the town scavenger to clean and purify such privies or closets, shall file with the Town Clerk between the twentieth and twenty-fifth days inclusive of each calendar month his or her affidavit, which shall be corroborated by the affidavits of at least two other credible persons of not less than eighteen years of age, in which affidavit shall be set forth the exact dates upon which such privies or closets were cleaned and purified during the immediately preceding thirty days; the approximate hour of day such cleaning was done; whether the excrement was removed to a dis-

posal of not less than one mile outside of the town limits; the legal description of the land upon which said excrement was deposited; and whether said closet or privy was disinfected as required by Section 2 of Ordinance No. Nine. The Town Clerk shall demand a fee in advance of 25 cents each for receiving and filing said affidavits, and any person subject to the provisions of this section who shall neglect or fail to file the affidavit required herein within the time herein specified shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be subject to the penalties provided for in Section 36 of Ordinance No. Nine.

Sec. 4. The failure of any owner, renter or user of property upon which a surface privy or closet is located to engage the Town Scavenger to clean such closet or privy, or to file with the Town Clerk the affidavit provided for in the preceding section, shall be prima facie evidence that such owner, renter or user has failed to clean such privy or closet as required by Section 3 of Ordinance No. Nine.

Sec. 5. That Section No. 11 of Ordinance No. Nine be amended so that said Section No. 11 shall read as follows: Sec. 11. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons within the town limits or within one mile thereof, to keep, cure, dry or expose any green hides except by the use of proper observance of all sanitary conditions; and all carcasses of dead animals which shall die within the limits of the town shall be, by the proper owner thereof, removed either to the town's dumping ground, or shall be removed to a point not less than one mile from the limits of the town and buried not less than three feet below the surface of the ground; and such removal shall be done within twelve hours after the death of such animal.

Sec. 6. That Section 14 of Ordinance No. Nine be, and the same is hereby repealed.

Declared passed and approved this 15th day of March, 1912.
S. P. Moody G. V. Johnson
Clerk Mayor

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THE GREATNESS OF NEW MEXICO.

Some Figures on the Rank of the New State—It is First in Small Number of Mortgages on Its Homes, Third in Production of Wool, Eighth in Production of Silver, Ninth in Copper—Forty-seventh State.

- (By George Griggs, Ph. D., in El Paso Herald.)
- 47 is the rank of New Mexico to join the American union, and although one of the last to enter, it is far from last in its products, as the following carefully compiled statistics prove.
 - 44 is the standing of the new state in the number of school attendance and professors.—U. S. Bureau of Education.
 - 44 is also the standing of New Mexico in developed horsepower, according to a report of the National Conservation commission (ahead of North Dakota, Louisiana and Oklahoma.)
 - 43 in population, as the last United States census shows.
 - 41 is the standing of New Mexico in library volumes.—United State Bureau of Education.
 - 40 in employed capital (twice the amount of Nevada.)
 - 35 is the rank of New Mexico in the production of corn. In the report of the Department of Agriculture it has 2,100,000 bushels to its credit (more than Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana combined.)
 - 34 in wheat production, with one million bushels. Also 34 in the production of lumber, with \$1,389,000 yearly product, according to the Department of Commerce and Labor; 34 also in oats, 900,000 bushels (four times the production of Nevada.)
 - 33 is the standing of New Mexico in railroad mileage in 1900 (cannot get the last report of 1910); report of Interstate Commerce Commission; (far ahead of such states as Wyoming, Oregon, Idaho, Nevada.)
 - 32 in rank in MINERAL PRODUCTION with nearly \$8,000,000 to its credit.—United States Geological Survey.
 - 31 in hay crop, with five million dollar products; 6000 tons of alfalfa alone.
 - 30 in LIVESTOCK. The Department of Commerce and Labor rates its value at \$32,000,000.
 - 16 is the standing in PETROLEUM AREAS. [Geological Survey] 80 square miles.
 - 11 in the production of Apples—over 15 million pounds. The statistics are very accurate but New Mexico holds also a very high place in peaches, pears, onions, canteloupes and Loney. 600 artesian wells is an item by itself.
 - 12 in the production of sugar beets; 4000 short tons.
 - 10 in the production of GOLD; the United States Geological Survey says it produced 363,454 ounces fine.
 - 9 is the rating in COPPER PRODUCTION, with \$2,000,000 as the value. The best producer is the county of Grant; then Otero, with Rir Arribo county third and Dona Ana county fourth.
 - 8 is the standing in the production of SILVER. The other states producing the white metal are California, Colorado, Utah Nevada, Idaho, Arizona and Montana. 8 is also the last standing of New Mexico in coal with \$7,500,000 to its credit.
 - 5 is the standing of New Mexico in the production of LEAD. Idaho is first, then Utah, Colorado third and fourth Nevada. The county of Dona Ana has the distinction of being FIRST; second Grant; third, Rio Arriba; Luna, fourth. New Mexico also ranks 5 in PERCENT INCREASE, according to the last census report. Washington increased 120 percent; Oklahoma 100 percent; Idaho 101 percent; Nevada 93 percent, and New Mexico, 67 percent.
 - 3 in the PRODUCTION OF WOOL. The report of the GOVERNOR OF NEW MEXICO says it produced last year 18,000,000 pounds. The Department of Commerce and Labor says 19,000,000 and that there are three and a half million sheep in the state.
 - 2 is the place in UNAPPROPRIATED AND UNRESERVED LAND AREAS—second only to Montana. New Mexico had in 1890, 53,360,000 acres; 20 years after, in 1910, it has gone to 36,000,000.
 - 1 New Mexico, according to the census of the Department of Commerce and Labor, is the state that has the least MORTGAGES in families holding homes; 658 mortgages. New Jersey, for example, has 62,000; Virginia, 182,000; Washington, 45,000. I might add that in HEALTH and SUNSHINE it is also first, although our statistics on that point are not very accurate.

PROGRAM

- of the
FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING
Of Portales Association will convene with the Baptist Church of Portales, New Mexico, March 28, 1912, at 7:30 p. m.
- THURSDAY
- 7:30 p. m. Introductory Sermon..... R. L. Duckett and W. A. Dotson, alternate
- FRIDAY
- 9:30 a. m. Devotional Services..... Alex Billberry
 - 10:00 a. m. Bible Plan of Mission Work..... J. A. Cassidy, J. B. Purves, F. K. Hogan, D. Hall
 - 11:00 a. m. Sermon..... E. F. McNeill, A. J. Maxwell, alternate
 - 2:00 p. m. Devotional..... L. S. Beckley
 - 2:30 p. m. Elements of Church Strength..... D. B. Jackson, S. B. Callaway, T. Y. Atwood
 - 7:00 p. m. Devotional..... George Corder
 - 7:30 p. m. What is Covetousness, and How Shall We Deal With It?..... S. B. Owens, G. W. Stroud and E. S. Billberry
 - 11:00 a. m. Sermon..... J. B. Purves, G. W. Stroud, alternate
 - 2:00 p. m. Devotional..... J. A. Lane
 - 2:30 p. m. Why Have a Baptist S. S. in Every Church..... David P. Ward and Miss Alma Harris
 - 7:00 p. m. Prayer and Praise..... Alonso Billberry
 - 7:30 p. m. Sermon on Evangelism..... W. E. Dawn
- SUNDAY
- 10:00 a. m. Sunday School..... David P. Ward, acting supt.
 - 11:00 a. m. Sermon on Missions..... Dr. P. W. Longfellow
 - 2:00 p. m. Devotional..... Mary Keeter
 - 2:30 p. m. Woman's Work in the Church..... Miss Alma Harris, Mary Keeter, Mrs. F. Hillgenfeld
 - 7:00 p. m. Devotional..... Hugh Lovett
 - 7:30 p. m. Apostasy..... J. W. Bristow, D. S. Moore, J. B. Purves, alternate

Typhoid Fever

It is expected that every person having charge of typhoid fever patients will read carefully and preserve this paper, and observe the instructions which it contains:

Typhoid fever is a germ disease, it is a preventable and curable disease. It is an infectious disease, the mode of conveyance is by infected water, infected food and infected milk. The discharges from the bowels and the urine of typhoid patients contain the typhoid germs and with the exercise of due care its transmission to others may be prevented.

The discharges from the bowels should be received in a vessel containing a five per cent solution of formalin equal to or larger than the probable volume of the discharge. It should then be thoroughly mixed and the whole stand under cover for an hour and final disposal made by emptying into the sewer where there are sewer connections, and otherwise by burying in the ground not less than two feet deep.

The urine should be treated with one twentieth of its volume of formalin.

All used body linen, bed linen, towels, napkins, wash cloths, handkerchiefs etc., even if not obviously soiled, should be immersed for an hour in five per cent solution of carbolic acid or a four per cent solution of formalin, and then conveyed to the laundry or other suitable place and boiled for an hour.

In nursing cases of typhoid fever the soiling of the hands is sometimes unavoidable. After every use of the bed-pan, every handling of the patients body, and in short after every act by which the hands may become infected, they should be washed immediately and thoroughly with ordinary soap and water, followed by the application of a five per cent solution of carbolic acid or a one-thousandth solution of Corrosive sublimate.

All doors and windows should be thoroughly screened and flies gaining entrance to the room should be destroyed at once.

At the termination of the disease or the removal of the patient the sick room must be thoroughly disinfected and such disinfection approved by the city physician.

Note: Two tablespoonfuls of formalin or carbolic acid in one pint of water and thoroughly mixed makes a five per cent solution.

The above rules have been approved by the Board of Health and will be rigidly enforced.

CITY PHYSICIAN.

No More Baths for Senators

State Senator Isaac Barth arrived from Santa Fe Friday night and stepped up to the clerk's desk at the Alvarado. "Room with a bath?" suavely inquired the functionary behind the register and the toothpicks.

The senator turned pale. He eyed the clerk with suspicion. "Bath?" he repeated, "No sir, young man, I have just come from the legislature. No bath rooms for me."

The clerk didn't tumble for a while until some one showed him some newspaper accounts of recent happenings in a well known hostelry in the Ancient City of the Holy Faith. It has been suggested to the management that in furnishing accommodations for legislators hereafter each bathroom be accompanied by a guarantee that it contains no dictagraph and has no secret entrance, and that room "44" be abolished.—Albuquerque Evening Herald.

STATEMENT OF "THE LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY" OF CHICAGO, JAN. 1, 1912

Assets	\$13,793,705.44
Liabilities	9,802,581.00
Surplus	3,991,124.44

A. Ins. and not raise more than takes care of with reasonable conditions.

Superstition

Very few people will candidly acknowledge that they are in the least superstitious, yet the facts are that, upon careful inquiry, you will find very few persons that are not more or less bothered, at certain intervals, with a belief, perhaps more or less vague, that certain occurrences, at certain times, are the cause of certain influences for good or evil, success or failure, happiness or sorrow in life's undertakings, and these occurrences and influences have been designated in the popular mind by the misnomer "Hoodoo." Dr. Bancroft, the famous psychic researcher who will shortly appear in this city, under the auspices and for the benefit of the Woman's club, has spent more than twenty years of his life in rigidly investigating and accumulating data pertaining to the most popular species of superstition, and if you are in anywise troubled or bothered with a belief in supernatural influences take your particular belief or "Hoodoo" to the Cosy Theatre and Dr. Bancroft, certainly will drive dull care away by the aid of his blunt, eccentric humor, and will guarantee to explain to your entire satisfaction all of your mental worries, be they real or fancied. An ounce of prevention is worth a ton of cure, you know, and this lecture novelty is good for what ails you. Costs little and is worth much.

Good Irrigated Land

A. A. Rogers, general manager of the Portales Irrigation company, offers for a period of thirty days a special price on the two irrigated farms described as follows: The west one-half of the northwest one-fourth of section thirteen, township one south, range thirty-three east; seven and one-half miles northwest of town in a good community on rural mail route and telephone line. One and one-half miles from church and one mile from school. Eighteen feet to water and well furnishes about twelve hundred gallons per minute. Good deep soil and lies fine for irrigation.

Also eighty acres consisting of the southwest one-fourth of the northwest one-fourth of section fourteen, and the northwest one-fourth of the southwest one-fourth of section fourteen, township one south, range thirty-three east. Seven and one-half miles from town; eight feet to water and well furnishes from one thousand to twelve hundred gallons per minute. Good deep soil and lies as fine as could be for irrigation. Good community and near rural mail route and telephone line. One-half mile to church and one mile to school.

Write for prices to the Portales Irrigation company or the Portales Real Estate Exchange. The irrigation company's power plant is now running and prospective purchasers can have the wells on above farms run to demonstrate their capacity.

Richland

Mrs. Beeman, an aged lady who came here recently from Texas with her son and family, died Monday from weakness and heart failure. They live about four miles south of here and the interment was made in the Brown grave yard north of Richland. She was thought to have had typhoid fever and has been very sick since February.

Mr. Hienzle died this week, caused by typhoid fever. He was an old man, residing south of Richland, and was a relative of Mr. Beeman.

Farming is getting along slowly on account of the weather continuing so cold. Mr. Ground Hog sure was right when he went back to his den saying, "six weeks of winter yet boys, I'll take another nap."

Mr. North is teaching the Richland school this winter.

A. J. Watson moved to his farm near Cromer about three weeks ago.

France Beeman, who took charge of the Richland store, is keeping business humming and is having a fine trade.

Miss Myrtle Herrington, who has spent the winter with her uncle's family at Colorado, Texas, is expected home some time in April. We have missed Myrtle here this winter very much.

Earl Stratton expects to return home during the summer from Kelly. The Williams brothers will plow his ground and plant his crop and look after it until he gets here.

I don't hear of anyone making garden in this locality yet. I guess they are awaiting the arrival of spring.

Portales Springs

Generally speaking, the health of the community is good.

Miss Orma Sandefer visited in Portales Friday and Saturday of last week.

Rev. Callaway of Portales preached for us last Sunday.

Several of the young people of the community attended Bible reading at the Pleasant Hill school house last Sunday.

The singing given at the home of Mr. Haskew on Sunday evening was enjoyed by all present.

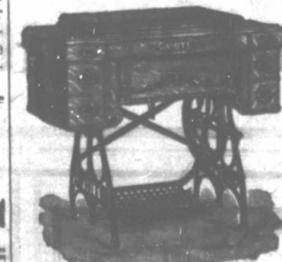
T. F. C. CLUB

Mrs. Roy Connally was the charming hostess who entertained the T. F. C. club at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Misses Frank Hill and Mary Polk were visitors to the club.

After a delightful musical program a light luncheon consisting of black cherries, peanut butter sandwiches and French dressing with black coffee was served.

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STATEMENT OF THE NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK, JANUARY 1, 1912

Assets	\$9,188,322.00
Liabilities	5,420,050.00
Surplus	3,768,272.00

ing for A. G. TROUT LOCAL AGENT

The Local Field

Joe Phillips of Rogers transacted business here Monday.

C. V. Harris wants your cash trade.

J. J. Roberts was in town Tuesday on a business trip.

Mr. McCormack of Dora was a business visitor here Monday.

J. O. Wood went to Clovis Tuesday on a business trip.

For Sale or Trade: Good second hand Oliver typewriter.

—Joyce-Fruit Co.

J. H. Cove was in the city for a short while Tuesday.

L. H. Faw, of Richland, Portales a business call to week.

Buy American Lady flour, the best, at C. V. Harris's.

W. G. Bussey of Floyd was a business visitor in this city Tuesday.

Go to C. V. Harris's for American flour.

Mr. Andrews of Langdon transacted business here Tuesday.

Lemonades just as good as ever—and some better—at Dobbs.

Hon. Geo. L. Reese returned from a business trip to Clovis Monday.

J. D. Ramsey of Tolar returned home Saturday after having spent several days here attending court.

Egbert Wood, who has been touring west Texas in a car returned Tuesday.

Judge W. R. McGill returned to La Lande Saturday after having spent several days here.

All kinds of cold drinks—Lemonades a specialty, at Dobbs.

B. W. Miller and family of Turner were in town Monday on a business trip.

Mrs. Allie Holcomb, several weeks, returned home in La Lande.

C. V. Harris under sell them for cash.

F. A. Anderson spent a part of Tuesday in Portales looking after business affairs.

Jesse Morrison, who lives seven miles west of town was a business visitor Tuesday.

W. N. and Jim Battenfield were business visitors here Tuesday.

Figure with Peak on pumping plants for irrigation, located in the Howard block.

Bob Dunlap of Macy spent a short while in Portales Monday transacting business.

C. V. Harris now handles the best line of can goods in town, the White Swan.

Mrs. J. C. Compton left for Canyon City, Texas, Monday to visit her mother.

Lawrence Connally, who has been visiting in Albuquerque for some time, returned home Tuesday.

New Fuller & Johnson farm pump engine for sale, cheap. See Milton Brown, Jr.

G. C. Deen, sheriff of Roosevelt county, left Monday on official business, for the state reformatory and insane asylum.

The Mothers Club meets every first and third Friday at the school building. Every one invited.

Before ordering your pumping machinery for irrigation, figure with Roy Peak, at garage in Howard block.

F. F. Grim will hold service for the Central Christian church, at the Presbyterian church, Sunday, March 25th.

Mr. P. Alfred left Monday morning for Deming on job where he will address the people of both places on missionary work.

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THE PORTALES DRUG CO. PORTALES NEW MEXICO

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Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

No. 587
In the District Court of Roosevelt county, New Mexico.

H. L. Hays, plaintiff,

vs
W. W. Humble, et al, defendants

Whereas, a judgment was had and entered in the district Court of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, in the above entitled cause, on the 20th day of July, 1911, by the terms of which two certain mortgages therein mentioned by order of the court were foreclosed on the following real estate, to wit: the S.W. 1-4 of Sec. 35 in Twp. 1 South of Range 34 East, N. M. P. M. in Roosevelt county, New Mexico, and known as "Orchard Park Addition" to the town of Portales, N. Mex., and the defendants named, to wit: W. W. Humble, and the heirs of Sallie A. Humble, to wit: William R. Humble, Chas. O. Humble, Alma L. Humble, Cleveland W. Humble and Everett C. Humble, were adjudged to be due and owing the plaintiff, H. L. Hays, the sums as follows: The amount due on a certain note dated, Oct. 18th, 1907 for the sum of \$6,000.00, with ten per cent interest per annum thereon from date until paid and the additional sum of ten per cent on the sum due thereon as attorneys fees due one year after date thereof upon which the interest had been paid for one year thereon, leaving the balance, principal, interest and attorneys fees due and unpaid, and upon a certain other note for the sum of six hundred dollars of date, October 19th, 1908, with twelve per cent per annum interest thereon from date until paid, due one year after date, with ten per cent additional as attorneys fees, each of said notes secured by mortgages on the said above described lands, said notes and mortgages being executed by W. W. and said Sallie A. Humble, his wife the first mortgage being recorded at page 187 of Book "C" securing the first mentioned note and second mortgage recorded at page 172 of Book "D" securing the second note, each recorded in the records for mortgages of Roosevelt Co. New Mexico, and the amounts of the judgment rendered against said defendants on said notes being as follows, \$7340.00 with ten per cent per annum interest thereon from date of judgment until paid, \$758.00 with twelve per cent per annum interest thereon from date of judgment until paid, and the sum of \$800.80 with six per cent per annum interest thereon from date of judgment until paid.

And whereas, the said judgment provides that if the said defendants, fail to pay said amount due, then all and singular the rights of said defendants and to said property be sold at public auction by G. M. Williamson, Special Master.

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STATEMENT OF THE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NORTH AMERICA, OF PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA, JAN. 1, 1912

Cash Capital	\$ 4,000,000.00
Total Assets	18,953,778.59
Net Surplus	4,000,000.00

A. G. TROUTT LOCAL AGENT PORTALES, NEW MEXICO

Selle Animal

S. A. Crabb who lives ten miles southeast of Portales, sold the past week to W. C. Locke of Richland his well known jack for one thousand dollars. This is one of the best jacks that has ever made the season in eastern New Mexico and so far as known this is the greatest price ever paid for an animal of this kind in this country. Mr. Locke came recently from Illinois and knew what

Locals

C. M. Compton, Sr. of Childress, Texas, who has been visiting relatives here for the past two weeks returned to his home town last week.

Subscribe for your home paper first, then take the El Paso Herald the southwest's greatest newspaper.

"Bill" Green and Cash Austin left for Oklahoma City last week, to get a try out at professional baseball playing.

Lemonades at Dobbs. Come and get 'em.

C. H. Lindsey left for his former home in the east Sunday. Mr. Lindsey expects to sell out his interests there and buy Portales Valley irrigated lands.

J. O. Kimberlin, manager of the firm of Miller and Kimberlin of Clovis, was here on a business visit to the firm of Miller & Luikart of this place.

Mr. McGreen, traveling manager of the Texas division of the Magnolia Petroleum Co., of Corsicana, Texas, was in the city this week with a view of locating a branch office here.

Anderson Automatic computing scales, the best in the world for sale by C. M. Dobbs.

C. C. Reeves is to be numbered among the big onion growers of the Portales Valley. While here Wednesday, he bought thirty five pounds of onion sets to plant on his farm.

The Mother's club of Portales elected Mrs. S. F. Culbertson and Mrs. W. O. Oldham to represent them at the Federation of Women's clubs at Roswell. Both representatives left for Roswell, Tuesday.

If it's good flour you want, go to C. V. Harris's and buy American Lady flour.

At the weekly meeting of the Woman's Club, Miss Bryant was elected to represent the Portales Woman's club at the Federation of Women's clubs at Roswell. Miss Bryant left for Roswell Wednesday morning.

Robert Wickliffe of Warsaw, Mo., spent part of Monday in Portales en route to visit his daughter, Mrs. Claude Clifton of Pearson. Mr. Wickliffe states that he likes New Mexico very much and is looking around with a view of locating here.

The convention of the New Mexico Federation of Women's Clubs will be held at Roswell on March the 23 and 29. The Santa Fe Railway Company is offering reduced rates in honor of the convention.



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In Howard Block

OSTEOPATHY

Owing to the fact that Osteopathy is practically a new treatment, there are many who think it is only applicable to a few diseases, which is a very great mistake. I am giving an outline of the different parts of the body the diseases of which are successfully treated by Osteopaths. Diseases of the eye, ear, nose, throat, lungs, heart, stomach, intestines, liver spleen, kidneys, bladder, bones, joints, muscles, nerves, blood. All diseases of women—menstrual disorders, ovarian troubles, milk leg, backache, headache. Attend confinement cases, meet the emergencies that may arise. Treat all diseases of children including tonsillitis, diphtheria, scarlet fever, croup, whooping cough. Recommend and do surgical operations when necessary. Treat the contagious and infectious diseases—typhoid fever, pneumonia, small pox, measles, mumps, meningitis, infantile paralysis, grip.

I make a thorough examination of each case using both the Osteopathic and Medical methods of examination and diagnosis. I treat only those cases that I can cure or benefit. I do not claim to cure cancer, advanced cases of tuberculosis, but there are many other diseases that medicine fails to cure that can be cured by Osteopathic treatment. If you have an ailment of any kind come and see me or arrange for me to come and see you regardless of the trouble or the amount of treatment you have had. If the case is incurable I will be honest enough to tell you so. Charges reasonable. Patients treated at their homes when necessary. Office hours 9 a. m. to 12 a. m. and 1 p. m. to 3 p. m.

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Your lady sure loves the can- Pies sold by Dobbs.

BROOM CORN CULTIVATION

Discussions by Men Experienced in Growing This Valuable Crop



Shed No. 1—This is a regular Broom Corn Shed, 4-in. boards on side used with 3 in. crack. This shed is filled with corn with seed on drying for seed purposes.

BROOMCORN A VERY PROFITABLE CROP.

(By James L. Wineinger, Rankin, Ok.)

Broomcorn is one of the most profitable crops that can be produced in this section of Oklahoma; however, do not believe that any one man should plant too large a crop, as thirty or forty acres well taken care of will bring more profit than a larger crop poorly handled.

The ground should be listed good and deep early in the spring, and leave it in this condition until planting time, which is May 15th to June 1st. Then it should be double listed, and planted with about seventy seeds to the rod. By this means it gives the seed an opportunity to get advanced ahead of all weeds. After the corn is well out of the ground it should be harrowed so as to kill the weeds which start the same time as the broomcorn. After this, cultivation should be done according to conditions, and believe it will be found by using the above method that the cultivation is greatly reduced as compared to level planting.

Pure seed is one of the most important features in broomcorn growing and would advise the farmers to send to some good reliable seed grower and secure either dwarf or standard broomcorn as is desired. Also secure the seedman's guarantee that the seed is free from smut. Under no condition should seed be planted that has been produced in this section, as broomcorn mixes readily with cane, kafir corn, and milo maize.

In purchasing seed from seed dealers, they frequently represent that they handle a good mixture when it is nothing but a bad mixture of cane, kafir corn and milo maize.

Broomcorn should be seeded and put in a shed the same day it is baled in order to secure the best results, as shed cured brush always brings a fancy price, and the expense of harvesting is no greater than to cure in the seed.

SECURE PURE BROOMCORN SEED AND DON'T RAISE MORE THAN CAN BE WELL TAKEN CARE OF.

(By Geo. Wilkins, Lindsay, Okla.)

Broomcorn seed should be obtained from that which has been treated and free from smut, and has not been in contact with cane, kafir corn, and other crops of the same family.

Seed should be tested before planting, and this can be done by planting about 100 seeds in a box or in cotton and keep them damp, and as a rule about 95 seeds will sprout. Ground should be prepared the same way as for any other crop in sod or old ground, planting about 90 to 100 seeds per rod on the best bottom ground, and on the upland from 50 to 60 per rod.

Cultivation should begin when the corn is about four inches high, and continuing to cultivate as often as it rains or as the ground requires to keep the broomcorn in good condition, until it gets about shoulder high.

Harvesting should begin as soon as the seed gets in the bloom, and about the time the bloom begins to fall while the seed is in the milk. Table and cut it at the same time you thresh after it has about 12 to 24-hours sun, and place, if possible, in sheds built for curing. Should the weather be damp or rainy it should be threshed as soon as cut so as to get the best color obtainable, as the color is what brings the price. Bulking the corn produces a better sample and heavier bales.

Working along these lines, find that broomcorn has a ready market, and has brought all the way from \$30.00 to \$180.00 per ton for the past six years.

Get the best seed obtainable, regardless of price, so that a good stand is procured, then cut and harvest at the right time, and not raise more than can be taken care of with reasonable conditions.

TRADES DAY

ON SATURDAY, APR. SIX, NINETEEN TWELVE

THE Business Men's Association of Portales decided to inaugurate a Trades Day for the citizens of Roosevelt county to come together to swap, buy and sell, horses and mules or anything they may have to offer on one day in each month.

The First Trades Day was held on March 4th, 1912, and we state frankly, even the weather was very unfavorable, the results were greatly beyond our expectations, which goes without saying that the people appreciate our efforts to give them more merchandise for their money than they have ever received in Roosevelt county before. Hence we have decided to repeat the operation, and while we do not promise anything definite at this time as to prices, yet we do promise to make our prices on our entire line very attractive and we have decided further, on account of the weather being so uncertain at this time of the year and so many of our customers live at a distance, that we will not confine our Reduced Sale to one day only but we will give Reduced Prices on the three following days: Friday, April 5, Saturday, April 6, Monday, April 7.

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"THE HOUSE THAT DOES THINGS"

Notice of Pendency of Action NO. 776

In the District Court, Roosevelt County, State of New Mexico. Theda Campbell, plaintiff, vs. Neil Campbell, defendant.

To Neil Campbell, defendant, in the above entitled cause. You are herein notified that suit has been filed in the district court in and for Roosevelt Co., N. M., No. 776 on the civil docket of said court wherein Theda Campbell is plaintiff and you, Neil Campbell is defendant, and that the general objects of the said action is for a dissolution of the bonds of matrimony alleged to exist between you and the plaintiff and that the grounds alleged in plaintiff's complaint for divorce and dissolution of the said bonds of matrimony are abandonment and failure to support plaintiff and cruel treatment, of plaintiff by you.

You are further notified that unless you the said defendant enter your appearance in said action and cause on or before the 27th day of April 1912, judgment will be rendered in said cause against you by default and the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in said cause.

Plaintiff's attorney in said cause is Sam J. Nixon, and his Post-office and business address is Portales, New Mexico.

Given under my hand and signature and the seal of the said court this 5th day of March 1912.

C. P. Mitchell County Clerk, By S. A. Morrison Deputy.

160 acre improved farm for rent, nine miles southeast of Portales, known as the P. R. Bryan homestead. Will irrigate. Write Frank E. Summers, Memphis, Mo.

C. V. Harris is going to sell goods cheaper than anyone for cash, no cut on credit.

American Lady flour at C. V. Harris's.

WHAT'S THE REASON?

Many Portales People in Poor Health Without Knowing the Cause

There are scores of people who drag out a miserable existence without realizing the cause of their suffering. Day after day they are racked with backache and headache; suffer from nervousness, dizziness, weakness, languor and depression. Likely the kidneys have fallen behind in their work of filtering the blood and that is the root of the trouble. Look to your kidneys, assist them in their work—give them the help they need. You can use no better remedy than Doan's Kidney Pills.

Below is grateful testimony from a sufferer in this locality.

Mrs. T. B. Clappitt, Evelyn St. Canyon City, Texas, says: "Doan's Kidney Pills have been so beneficial in our family that we advise their use to anyone having a weak or aching back. This preparation can always be depended upon."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Go to Dobbs' for the best candies.

Guaranteed irrigation outfits for sale, complete, on one and two years time at six per cent interest. Write Frank E. Summers, Memphis, Mo.

If it's good flour you want, go to C. V. Harris's and buy American Lady flour.

Anderson Automatic computing scales, the best in the world for sale by C. M. Dobbs.

Lemonades at Dobbs. Come and get 'em.

Sixty Years the Standard

DR. PRICES
CREAM BAKING POWDER
A Cream of Tartar Powder Made from Grapes NO ALUM

BAND CONCERT

Our regular monthly band concert will be given Thursday night March the 25th, consisting of band music and five reels. This is to defray the salary of our director which means for your entertainment. Do not fail to be there with your family or sweetheart. Respectfully yours, THE PORTALES CONCERT BAND.

Turn Over a New Leaf

By subscribing for THIS PAPER

Dobbs—for lemonades—see.

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OPENING SALE

Starts Saturday, March 30, and Lasts Until April 14

Warren-Fooshee & Company

Novelties

Ladies wash bags in all the new 1912 styles price..... **50c to \$1.50**

Ladies leather hand bags in new styles the price..... **\$1.00 to \$2.50**

Ladies collars and neck wear in all the late novelties, price during this sale..... **25c 35c & 50c**

Ladies belts, all the newest things in the wash belts, narrow leather and elastic, price..... **35c to 75c**

Ladies imported white embroidery handkerchiefs price..... **25c to 50c**

Ladies' linen handkerchiefs, price..... **24c**

Ladies plain and embroidery handkerchiefs at this sale..... **4c to 14c**

Ladies belt pins and collars pins in latest designs price..... **24c to 49c**

Ribbon Special

100 bolts of 15c to 25c width ribbons, all out on counter your choice per yard..... **10c**

Embroidery Special

500 yards of narrow and medium embroideries and insertion. All out on counter. Your choice at..... **5c**

500 yards of 12c to 20c embroideries in broken lots. Out on counter. Choice..... **10c**

Window Shades

A large stock of window shades. All colors. At this sale..... **35c to 50c**

Men's Pants

We have just received a large stock of men's spring and summer trousers. All the newest styles, price..... **\$2.50 to \$6.00**
Also a line of cheaper pants in heavier weights for every day wear, price..... **\$1.00 to \$2.00**

Spring is here and so are our new Spring goods. Our buyer while in the eastern markets bought the largest and prettiest stock of Spring dry goods that has ever been shown in Portales. And notwithstanding the very marked advance in cotton and woolen goods we are showing the best merchandise at the lowest prices for several years. All kind of staple goods are advancing in price as well as the raw cotton. So our advice is to buy your spring goods early. Our main object in this opening sale is to show you the newest creations in 1912 dry goods and furnishings. Yet we will have many bargains in odd lots etc to offer you. We ask you to attend at least one day of this our Spring Opening Sale. Come and bring some one with you. Make our store your headquarters while in town. Remember the dates, Sat. March 30 to Sat. Apr. 14.

Men's Furnishings

Our spring line of Schloss Bros. suits are now in and ready for your inspection.

Blue serges... \$15.00 to \$20.00
Brown and grey suits in the latest 1912 styles \$15.00 to \$22.50

We also have a large stock of medium price men's suits in worsteds and cashmeres. All shades and new styles, during this sale..... \$5.00 to \$13.50

Men's Shirts

Be sure to see our new line of men's negligee shirts, both with and without collars.

Men's negligee shirts with collars..... 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50

Men's negligee shirts without collars, newest patterns and styles, price..... 75c to \$1.50

Men's white dress shirts, price during sale, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50

Men's Underwear

Men's spring weight union suits, Price..... 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50

Men's undershirts and drawers, spring and summer weight, sale price..... 25c, 35c, 50c

Men's suspenders..... 25c to 50c

Men's Paris & Boston garter 25c

Men's ties, new styles, 35c to 50c

Fancy cuff buttons and links, at this sale..... 25c to \$1.00

Men's watch fobs at 25c to 50c

Men's tie holders..... 25c to 50c

Men's Oxfords

Our new spring 1912 Walk-Over oxfords are the very best in men's footwear. They comprise all the late styles and are made in patent, gun metal and tan, price..... \$3.50 to \$5.00

SPECIALS FOR ONE DAY

Saturday March 30, 10 yards calico for **35c**

Monday April 1, 8 yards Red Seal and Toil Du Nord gingham **75c**

Tuesday April 2, 8 yards 36-inch percale for **50c**

Wednesday April 3, 4 pair men's 10 cent hose for **25c**

Thursday April 4, 8 yards of Scotch lawn for **35c**

Friday April 5, 2 1-2 yards of any dollar per yard silk for **\$2.00**

Saturday April 5, 10 yards of 12 1-2c Diamond Hill domestic **75c**

Monday April 8, 8 yards of best 10c lawn for **60c**

Tuesday April 9, 8 yards of best 8 1-2 LL domestic for **50c**

Wednesday April 10, 2 1-4 yards best grade oil cloth for **35c**

Saturday April 13, 5 yards best apron gingham for **35c**

10 yards calico for **35c**

Ladies' Oxfords

Don't fail to see those newest styles in ladies Dorothy Dodd Oxfords. They come in black, patent, tan, champagne and white. Price \$2.50 to \$4.00. Also in the leader R. J. & R. Oxfords we have a nice line of the medium price Oxfords at \$1.75 to \$3.00.

Staples

Best grade calico at..... **5c**

Light grade calico at..... **4c**

Red Seal or Toil gingham..... **11c**

10c percale in short lengths **7c**

Scotch lawns at..... **5c**

Best 8c brown domestic..... **7c**

Good grade 12c bleach..... **9c**

9-4 brown pepperel sheeting **22c**

9-4 bichd pepperel sheeting **25c**

9-4 slumber sheeting at..... **20c**

8 oz blue denim at..... **20c**

7 oz blue denim at..... **17c**

6 oz blue denim at..... **15c**

Best grade Kaki cloth..... **20c**

Best bleach drill..... **12c**

Medium bleach drill..... **10c**

Best 36 in percale **12c and 10c**

Childrens Oxfords

All the new styles. All the new leather, all the sizes, all prices during sale..... **\$1.00 to \$2.40**

Ladies' Coats

Ladies spring and summer coats. They are popular styles and clothes..... **\$3.50 to \$8.50**

Ladies' Skirts

We have a large stock of spring skirts in both wash goods as well as woolen. Quite a large stock of the new high waist line skirts, the price..... **\$1.00 to \$15.00**

Ladies' Underskirts

In silks, satins, gingham, lawns etc., popular priced at... **50c to \$3.50**

Muslin Underwear

Muslin corset cover, Muslin princess slips, Muslin underskirts, Muslin gowns, Muslin pants. All prices from cheapest to best.

Spring Dress Goods

All Ponge de Luxe will go at..... **25c**

Kildare Poplin in all colors, at..... **25c**

Shadow silk veil in blue champagne and white... **35c**

Silk stripe veil will be sold at..... **25c**

Lorraine Tissue in all shades at..... **25c**

Charone Brode in leading colors at..... **35c**

Carreaux organdi will be sold at..... **25c**

Shadow stripe organdi in leading colors at... **15c**

Berlin batiste in a large assortment of colors and patterns at..... **15c**

Grasmere Batiste will be sold at..... **10c**

Antrim Lawns, during this sale..... **5c**

Robaix suitings, during this sale..... **15c**

Saratoga Dutck, while this sale lasts,..... **10c**

Colored linens, during this sale..... **25c**

Brown linen while this sale lasts..... **25c**

White linen, in all grades during this sale..... **35c to \$1.00**

Glasgow suitings during this sale..... **15c**

French Madras, during this sale..... **20c**

Parkhill zephyrs, while this sale lasts..... **25c**

Imperial Chambrays, at this sale..... **15c**

India lawns, at this sale..... **10c to 35c**

Persian lawn at this sale..... **25c to 35c**

Mennens Talcum powder... **15c**

Colgates Talcum powder... **15c**

Williams Talcum powder... **15c**

Machine oil and can... **10c**

Ideal tooth picks, per box... **5c**

Williams Lilac soap..... **10c**

Fine combs..... **10c**

Dressing combs..... **10c to 50c**

Arm bands..... **5c to 25c**

Shoe laces, best grade, doz. **10c**

Silk thread, 2 spools for... **5c**

Barrettes at... **10c 15c and 25c**

Side and back combs **10c and 25c**

Embroidery needles, pr pack **5c**

Rubber sheeting, per yard, **50c**

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