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IN ORDER TO REDUCE OUR STOCK

To make room for Larger Stock coming.

We will for the next 60 DAYS give you 5 per cent discount on all Stoves, and are making a reduced price on all classes of Hardware, Implements, Wind Mills, Piping, &c., especially Moline and John Deere Plows.

HUMPHREY & SLEDGE.

S. P. MOODY Furniture Company

is now offering the Best Bargains in Furniture, Carpets and Stoves. Ever having been offered in Portales. Come in and buy while goods are cheap.

Mattresses, Comforts, Blankets and Feathers

at the Lowest Prices. Window Shades, Lace Curtains, Curtain Poles and Suit Cases

At the lowest prices in Portales. Come in and see the nicest line of PICTURES ever in Portales, ART SQUARES, RUGS and COMFORTS, from the cheapest to the best. See them.

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Candidate for Sheriff
Mr. W. M. Cox authorizes us to announce his name as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Roosevelt county. Mr. Cox is well known in this county and all who know him like and respect him. He is honest, honorable and fearless, and will spare no trouble or expense to run down and prosecute a criminal. Having served quite a time as deputy sheriff he understands all the intricacies of the office, and can attend to the duties as well as anyone. He will be pleased to have your support and promises the people if elected to serve them faithfully in every way.

The Board of County Commissioners adjourned Friday morning after a four days session, in which they transacted an incredible amount of business. The people of Roosevelt county are to be congratulated for having elected such efficient commissioners.

Ask for the Tickets
A number of the enterprising business men of New Mexico have interested themselves in giving away, absolutely free, a beautiful Diamond Ring, a Gold Watch and a valuable Organ.
The organ is to be given to the organization receiving the greatest number of votes, and the diamond ring and the gold watch to the two individuals receiving the greatest number of votes—the one getting the greatest number get the ring and the one receiving the next highest the gold watch.

The plan is a novel one and at once commends itself to the public, there being no outlay on the part of any one other than the people who are doing this to stimulate cash trade, and at the same time bestow valuable gifts that will be a permanent advertisement to them. A ten cent purchase entitles to one vote, 20 cents to two votes, 50 cents to five votes, \$1 to 10 votes and so on. Tickets should be filled out in ink or indelible pencil and can only be had from the firms who have secured an interest in the contest, and on cash purchases. No charge whatever is made for tickets. You can vote for the organization and individual of your choice

on each ticket. Each week the vote will be counted and the standing announced in the Roosevelt County Herald. A disinterested committee will be selected to count the votes. Contest will close April 15th, 1908, at noon, at which time the organ will be awarded the organization having received the greatest number of votes, and the diamond ring and watch to the individuals having received the greatest number of votes.

The merchants interested in the affair agree, should a tie occur, to divide the amount of the prize equally among the tying contestants. The following firms will supply voting tickets free of charge on line of goods indicated and take pleasure in explaining all about the contest:
-Voting Box at Pearce & Dobbs Drug Store.
Organ, Diamond Ring and Watch on Exhibition at Hanna & Son's Jewelry Store.
Pearce & Dobbs, drug, wall paper, M. J. Faggard, Groceries, Warren Footsue & Co. Dry Goods Clothing.
Humphrey & Sledge, Hardware, Window Glass.
R. M. Sanders, Saddles, Harness, J. A. Hanna & Sons, Jewelry, Diamonds, etc.

C. W. Morris & Sons, Grain & Coal, Ripley Jordan Lumber Co., Lumber and Building Material.
A. B. Austin, Bakery and Confectionery.
Portales Herald, Subscriptions.
The Vote for the Merchants' Prizes.

FOR THE ORGAN.

1000	31.000
Portales Public School	20.000
Portales Band	10.000
Fairview School	10.000
W. O. W.	10.000
W. O. W. School	10.000
M. E. Church	10.000
Baptist Church	10.000
Arch School	10.000
Mary School	10.000
Pres. Church	10.000
A. F. & A. M.	10.000
Emmanuel School	10.000
Zora School	10.000
Pleasant Valley School	10.000

FOR RING and WATCH.

Miss Lula Anderson	10.000
Miss Ursula Robertson	10.000
Miss Debra	10.000
Mrs. Hanna	10.000
Mrs. D. Kemp	10.000
Miss Mamie Harris	10.000
Miss Ione Austin	10.000
Miss Harvey	10.000
Mrs. McLaughlin	10.000
Miss Ula Tubbs	10.000
Miss Sadie Moore	10.000
Miss D. Stewart	10.000
Miss Mary Wright	10.000
Miss Joe Green	10.000
Miss Alma Hamble	10.000
Miss Horner	10.000
Miss Louise Fernandez	10.000
Miss Lottie Smith	10.000
Mrs. Vaughan	10.000
Miss Pearl Smith	10.000
Miss Bettie Williams	10.000
Bibbel Crawford	10.000
Ors Brock	10.000
Pearl Smith	10.000
Hand Lead	10.000
Hand Thompson	10.000
Miss Lee Ford	10.000
Laura Terrell	10.000
Julia Rogers	10.000
Her Molester	10.000
Mrs. John Hamman	10.000
Mrs. D. Barnes	10.000
Mrs. Hines	10.000

We like opposition. We defy competition! And under no condition will we budge from our position, as the Cheapest place to buy Hardware in Portales.

Hardy Hardware Co.

A car of Ellwood and American Hog and Rabbit fence. Cable wire, barb wire, nails and roofing on hand. Every rod of fencing guaranteed.

Dont Forget That FEBRUARY 14 IS Valentine Day

And we have received a New Up-To-Date stock of VALENTINES, From six for a Nickle up to \$2.00 each. From the UGLIEST to the PRETTIEST from the Comliest to the Neatest, Come and look as they are going fast.

Dont Forget that New Postal Cards are arriving Daily. **J. A. HANNA & SON.**

Red Cross Drug Store.

We handle Pure Drugs, Sundries, Toilet Articles, Jewelry, Our Prescription Department is under the supervision of a graduate and licensed Pharmacist.

Do You Want to Look Neat?

Then have your clothes Cleaned and Pressed, or order yourself a New Suit from **Claude F. Anderson & Co.** Who handle the Latest Things in the Gent's Furnishing Line, such as Hats, Shoes, Shirts, Vests, Ties, Hosiery and all apparel worn by men. See them. —Located In— The Portales Bank and Trust Co. Building.

GOODWIN & WILLIS, Meat Market and Grocery.

Fresh and Salt Meats of all kinds. Groceries of best Grade. Fresh Butter and Eggs. Country Produce and Vegetables Bought and Sold. —We solicit your patronage and Guarantee Satisfaction.—

M. Honea made a business trip to Clovis this week. Messrs Frank and Minnie Hair, who have been in Portales the past week, returned to Kansas City Wednesday.

Now that Xmas is over and the holiday goods put away dont you think a little judicious advertising would pay?

Mrs. S. E. Massey of Carter left Wednesday morning for Britton, Texas, to attend the bedside of her father, who is very ill.

Mr. Isaiah Clark left yesterday for his old home at Morton's Gap Ky. He will be absent for about three months.

Mrs. Cora Thompson and children, who have been visiting the family of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Loooper left Wednesday for their home at Sugden, Okla.

Sheriff Joe Lang came in from Melrose Wednesday night bringing with him a man by the name of McDonald, charged with assault with intent to murder.

The Woman's Home Mission Society will meet at the M. E. church January 23, at 8 p. m.

C. A. Pylant and wife, accompanied by W. A. Kennon, left Wednesday for Billings, Mont., where they will make their future home.

We have a new supply of post cards; cards that will please everyone. We have some beautiful western scenes. Call at the Herald office and look at them.

Messrs J. C. and C. M. Compton Jr., who have been spending their vacation with the family of their father, Judge C. M. Compton, left Wednesday for Lebanon, Tenn., to complete their course in a law school at that place.

Mr. Chas. Woodcock, of the firm of Blankenship & Woodcock, accompanied by his wife, left last Friday for a week or ten days visit to old friends in Oklahoma and Mississippi. The Herald wishes them a pleasant visit and a safe return.

Stag Saloon Sold.

Mr. Jack Norris of this place has bought out Mr. W. A. Kennon and is now proprietor of the Stag saloon. Mr. Norris is a courteous gentleman and will appreciate your patronage and treat you right. E. E. Terrell, better known as "Little Jack County" is tending bar for him.

The merchants interested in the contest which is published in the Herald each week, have requested us to state that if anyone is detected in the act of cheating in any way in this contest the name of the person thus voted for will be stricken from the list and no more votes for that person counted.

Some people's room is better than their company; a few such persons have bid adieu to our little city, with a notice not to call again.

T. L. Carter and family of Olustee, Okla., arrived in Portales this week and will make this place their future home. We are glad to welcome Mr. Carter and family among us, and hope they will be pleased with their new home.

Mind Your Business.
If you don't nobody will. It is your business to keep out of all the trouble you can and you can and will keep out of liver and bowel trouble if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills. They keep biliousness, malaria and jaundice out of your system. 25c. at Pearce & Dobbs drug store.

How is Your Digestion?
Mrs. Mar: Dowling of No. 228 8th Ave., San Francisco, recommends a remedy for stomach trouble. She says: "Grattine for the wonderful effect of Electric Bitters is a case of acute indigestion, prompts this testimonial. I am fully convinced that for stomach and liver trouble Electric Bitters is the best remedy on the market to-day." This great tonic and alternative medicine invigorates the system, purifies the blood and is especially helpful in all forms of female weakness. 50c. at Pearce & Dobbs drug store.

If a cough once gets into your system it acts on every muscle and fibre of the body and makes you ache all over. It especially affects the intestines and makes you constipated so in order to get rid of a cold thoroughly and without delay you should not take anything that will tend to constipate. Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup acts upon the bowels and thereby drives the cold out of the system. It contains no opiates —it is pleasant to take and is highly recommended for children. Sold by Pearce & Dobbs.

See the ad of the Oklahoma Store elsewhere. Mr. Furray and son, the proprietors, are nice clever gentlemen, and will keep nothing but the best of groceries, and a share of your patronage will be highly appreciated by them.

Mr. M. J. Beck, with Warren-Ford & Co. of Clovis, was in Portales the first of the week.

Mr. J. M. Pordu, wife and children of Blacktower, have been visiting the family of Mr. Mr. W. S. Pordu this week.

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CHIEF OF THE SECRET SERVICE



Mr. Hoover is a former Chicago newspaper man who made a specialty of criminal investigation. He was appointed to his present position by Secretary of the Treasury Gage in 1898, and during the Spanish-American war succeeded in driving from this country the chief Spanish emissaries and arresting many of their spies. He is 47 years old.

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MRS. PATTI LYLE COLLINS



Employs of the dead letter office in Washington, D. C., who handles all the letters addressed to Santa Claus.

EX-BANKERS IN PRISON

Twenty-one former financiers at Leavenworth. Serving Sentences in Government Penitentiary in Kansas—Shown No Favors and They Make Model Prisoners.
Leavenworth, Kan.—Capt. Flavius J. Tygard, the former Butler (Mo.) banker, and the twenty-first member of the bankers' colony in the United States penitentiary here, is in poor health and has spent most of his time in the prison hospital since his arrival.
The advent of Tygard has called attention to the number of former bankers now confined in the prison. There are 21 in all and they are rapidly becoming the most numerous class in the prison, being exceeded now only by the horse thieves and territory lifters.
The ex-bankers are the aristocrats of the prison life, most of them being educated men of refined tastes and accustomed to polite society. But now they are shorn of all outward distinguishing marks of respectability by which they were identified in the old days before high finance sent them behind the bars.
They wear the prison uniform, they walk lockstep in the convict march, they eat prison fare, they are liable to be hustled into the dungeon if they become refractory.
But the 21 bankers are not refractory. They are model prisoners, every one of them. Most of the colony have attained the honor of being made "trustees" and their work is clerical in its nature. They keep the prison books, check up the prison laundry and otherwise look after the records of the institution.
One long row of cells is known as "Bankers' Row." It is on the second floor of the prison, where the deputy warden has his office. Many of the bankers occupy cells in that row, but the same rules about locking up, lights out, and hours of rising, prevail there as elsewhere in the penitentiary.
The ex-bankers are not required to eat with the mechanics and other convicts who do manual labor. But that is not because of any sympathy. They might get their clothes dirty sitting by laborers and dirty clothes would soil the books on which the bankers work.
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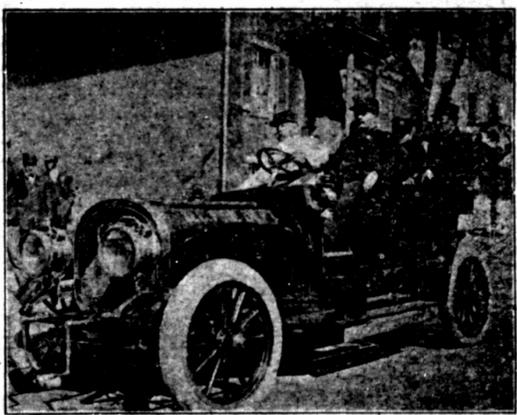
BEARD WORTH \$15,000.

WHISKERS SOLE MEANS OF WINNING NICE FORTUNE.
Old Lady Who Forget Name of Her Favorite Nephew Left Money to Twin with the Hirsute Appendage.
South Royalton, Vt.—Allen Pike, a former resident of this place, now living at Appleton, Wis., has a \$15,000 beard. At least Mr. Pike is that much richer because of his whiskers, according to a letter received here by one of his relatives.
There is nothing particularly wonderful about Allen Pike's beard except the fact that it grew on his chin instead of upon that of his twin brother Hiram. This was what meant \$15,000 to Pike, for an elderly aunt with a poor memory left her fortune to the twin with whiskers.
The Pike brothers grew up near here. They were as much alike as two peas as far as appearances went, but when it came to dispositions that was another matter. The neighbors said that Allen was kindly disposed and easy to get along with, while Hiram was more assertive. Naturally the latter made more money than the former and when the brothers moved west Allen was in Hiram's employ.
Among the many relatives of the Pikes was Mrs. Abigail Wilson, a frugal woman who inherited some property and who saved all of her principal, as well as considerable interest. Her one peculiarity was her inability to remember names and she was always mixing up Hiram and Allen. She openly confessed that she liked the assertive Hiram best and once confided to a friend that when she died her fortune should go to him. Allen was to be given the household furniture.
As matters turned out, however, Allen became ill with throat trouble and upon the advice of his physician he grew a beard. This developed into the duplicate of Hiram's, and when the beard got its growth folks who were not exceedingly well acquainted with the men got them badly mixed. This greatly troubled Hiram who, being the

MAKING OF MATCHES

ABOUT 3,000,000 A MINUTE USED THROUGHOUT WORLD.
Wood Supply for Enormous Demand a Burning Subject—Hundreds of Factories Engaged in the Industry.
Washington.—The nations of the world strike 3,000,000 matches every minute of the 24 hours. Nearly half of these are ignited in this country. Americans use up the enormous total of 700,000,000,000 a year.
Hundreds of factories over the country are engaged in this industry. One on the Pacific coast covers 240 acres, with 32 miles of railroad which supply the match machines with 200,000 feet of sugar pine and yellow pine logs a day.
For the manufacture of the match the best grade of wood is necessary. Sapwood, knotty or cross-grained timber will not do.
The match manufacturers are as much concerned over the timber supply question as any others. It might be supposed that because matches are small the makers of them would utilize scraps and left-overs. This is never the case. The match machine takes the finest timber and what it rejects goes to the by-product yard. Among the by-products turned out by the large Pacific coast factory are 1,000 doors and 800 sashes daily.
As a matter of fact, it would be impossible to carry on the match business at all at present prices if the rejected lumber were not worked into something else.
This country, although it has the most abundant material and the finest machinery in the world, does not manufacture enough matches to supply the home market. Thousands of dollars' worth are annually imported from Germany, Austria, France, Sweden and other countries where they are made by cheaper labor and poorer machinery and usually from higher-priced wood. The imports are largely safety matches which can be struck only on the box or other specially prepared surface.
Nearly every manufacturing company has machinery made specially for its use, and covered by patents, and it also employs processes discovered or devised by its own chemists and mechanics, and kept secret to pre-

AUTO FOR FIRE CHIEF



The fire department of the District of Columbia has recently purchased several automobiles and their practicability will be given a thorough trial. The above photograph shows the special auto for the use of the chief of the department in responding to alarms.

vent rivals from obtaining and profiting by them. A single machine has been known to turn out 177,926,400 matches in one day—boxed and labeled ready for shipment.
Some matches are shaved with the grain from sawed blocks, some are cut both ways by saws. In some factories the blocks are boiled to make them cut easily. By some machines a boiled or steamed log is revolved on its own axis and a shaving—the thickness of a match—is cut round and round. This shaving is at the same time cut into lengths and split into match sticks. Round matches are made by forcing them through dies. The Japanese make paper matches.

'POSSUM LIVES IN TOMB.

Burrowed into Grave and Made Home in Coffin.
Dickson, Tenn.—While some colored men were digging a grave at a burying ground out in the country from Dickson, an incident happened that has completely severed the friendship of people of their race and the Tennessee opossum in this neck of the woods. Some dogs that accompanied the diggers bayed at a nearby grave. Investigation revealed that a smoothly worn hole extended from the side of the mound to the interior. Into the hole a switch was thrust, and was answered by a hideous, sepulchral growl. The switch was given a vigor-

Should be the "Simmer On."

Original Story of Naming of Cimarron River in Oklahoma.
Oklahoma City, Okla.—Many stories as to how the Cimarron river in Oklahoma was named have been told.
It is claimed by some that the name is an Indian word and it means red. It is true the river looks red when it is high and the whirling water stirs up the red sand at the bottom. The most likely story, however, is thus related:
Many years ago a band of explorers and hunters, probably from New York or Boston, were going over this country and came to this river, where they camped for several days. While in camp a large pot of beans was prepared for boiling, probably to break the monotony of the fresh meat which had been about their only food for some time.
A man was left in camp to look after the beans, and the others went for their daily hunt. On returning to dinner the cook informed his comrades that the beans had not cooked enough and would not be ready for eating before supper. Accepting the situation as best they could, the little band ate dinner and all except one returned to their hunt. The fire was kept going under the pot all afternoon, and the hunters, with their appetites keenly whetted by the day's

Wild Rides to Test Engines.

Lima, O.—Five men will be shot through space at cannon-ball speed in a test of locomotives to be made by the Pennsylvania railroad on the Wayne-Crestline division in a few days. The men will be placed in specially-constructed boxes on the pilots of the locomotives and will make observations while the engines are going at top speed. A call for volunteers for this service met with many responses from brave railroaders. Five locomotives of different types will be tested as to their respective merits as to speed, coal consumption and steam pressure.

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Announcements.

We are authorized to announce the name of E. H. ROBINSON, as a candidate for the office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

STATEHOOD FROM THE SIXTIETH CONGRESS.

Territorial government is the nursery of citizenship, and New Mexico reached years of discretion long ago.

Real estate in Portales still on the jump; values increasing every day. An investment made now will more than double within a year.

When in Portales call at the Herald office and have a chat with us. We want to get acquainted with everybody in Roosevelt county and will be glad to see you at any time.

There was a dance given at the Vendome last Saturday night at which quite a crowd was present. Music was furnished by the Lloyd & Genter orchestra and all present enjoyed themselves immensely.

There is more business transacted in Portales than in any other place its size we ever saw, and nearly all the business done is on a strict cash basis. This is an ideal place for a home, the climate being even and mild, and we have less wind than most places situated on the prairies, as Portales is built in a kind of hollow, surrounded by very high land.

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Lodge meets every Monday night. All members earnestly requested to attend.
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LOCALS

Ray Irvin, Texico Monday. Bring your children to the Hortons.

T. J. Reynolds, Lacona, Texas. For the Best of \$6.

J. M. Howard, Portales Saturday. Go to Caraway chickens. Phone 5.

S. Brasley from Portales. Mrs. N. E. R. day for Dalhart. It is her sister.

Hughes for free. at Star Bah.

W. M. Nichols, Portales Monday. Herald a pleasure.

A job lot of Face the Arkansas Store.

Messers H. E. of Parkdale, Ariz. tales first of the Home rendered had at Horton's.

Mrs. Ross Dove, Falls, Texas, has her parents, Mr. Roberts, of Portales. Go to the City your fresh and cured eggs, etc.

W. P. Babank, Tex., was a visit this week and gave office a pleasant time.

See those fine boys at Hughes' Star Bar.

Miss Stella H. been visiting the Williams for the returned to her home, Okla., Monday.

The next sack of go the B. B. at Store. The best on Dr. J. F. Garm, Tex., was prospective this week at to locate here. E day for Bailey to and will make P ture home.

See our line of lin ing elsewhere. Hat Silk Handkerchief a reduced price a Store.

H. O. Miley and tea, Okla., have a tales, where the their future home hearty welcome and family and be satisfied with the.

Call up Phone 78 meat, eggs, etc., for will be delivered pr

Boarders wanted men and find good at my house. Pol

Answer to Following is a ter received by l in answer to the gard to the lower sessed valuation lands in Rooseve \$7.50 to \$8.00 per

R. Y. Gregg, Esc Dear Sir: I acknowl the petition encl ter of the 4th in the same presen meeting of the F Monday, Jan. 13 acknowledge re petition address dent of the Be county. Your F

We want to mot ing soon, and was before we move everything at the

It is not neces worry about the your valuable wills, deeds, when you can ri posit Box from Co., where they ly secure.

LOCALS and PERSONALS

Ray Irvin was down from Texico Monday. Bring your chickens, eggs and butter to the Horton Market. T. J. Reynolds left Monday for Lacona, Texas. For the Best of Everything, phone 4. J. M. Howard of Arch was in Portales Saturday. Go to Caraways for nice dressed chickens. Phone 45. S. Brasley from near Delphos was in Portales Monday. Mrs. N. E. Reynolds left Monday for Dalhart, Texas, on a visit to her sister. Hatches for fresh home made Candies at Star Bakery. W. M. Nichols of Arch was in Portales Monday and paid the Herald a pleasant call. A job lot of Facinators at cost at the Arkansas Store. Messers H. E. and Robt. Gill of Parkdale, Ark. were in Portales first of the week. Home rendered lard can now be had at Horton's market. Mrs. Ross Dovelace of Wichita Falls, Texas, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Roberts, of Portales. Go to the City Meat Market for your fresh and cured meats, chickens, eggs, etc. W. P. Bubank of Panhandle, Tex., was a visitor in Portales this week and gave the Herald office a pleasant call while here. See those fine home made Candies at Hughes' Star Bakery. Miss Stella Pyle, who has been visiting the family of Alva Williams for the past two weeks, returned to her home at El Reno, Okla., Monday. The next sack of flour you buy, get the B. B. at the Oklahoma Store. The best on the market. Dr. J. F. Garmany of Bailey, Tex., was prospecting in Portales this week and has decided to locate here. He leaves Monday for Bailey to get his family and will make Portales his future home. See our line of fishes before buying elsewhere. Hardy Hardware Co. Silk Handkerchiefs and Mufflers at a reduced price at the Arkansas Store. H. O. Miley and family of Okustee, Okla., have arrived in Portales, where they will make their future home. We extend a hearty welcome to Mr. Miley and family and hope they will be satisfied with their new home. Call up Phone 78 when you want meat, eggs, etc., for breakfast. They will be delivered promptly. Boarders wanted. Four gentlemen find good accommodations at my house. Folk Williams. Answer to Petition. Following is a copy of the letter received by Mr. R. Y. Gregg in answer to the petition in regard to the lowering of the assessed valuation of agricultural lands in Roosevelt county from \$7.50 to \$3.00 per acre: Santa Fe, N. M. Jan. 7, 1908. R. Y. Gregg, Esq., Portales, Dear Sir: I acknowledge receipt of the petition enclosed in your letter of the 4th inst. and will have the same presented at the next meeting of the Board, beginning Monday, Jan. 13th, 1908. I also acknowledge receipt of a second petition addressed to the president of the Board from your county. Yours resp'tly, R. J. PALLEN, Sec'y. We want to move in our new building soon, and want to sell all we can before we move. Reduced prices on everything at the Arkansas Store. It is not necessary for you to worry about the safe keeping of your valuable papers such as wills, deeds, mortgages, etc., when you can rent a Safety Deposit Box from the P. B. & T. Co., where they will be absolutely secure.

Proceedings of Board of County Commissioners. Proceeding of the Board of County Commissioners of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, at a called session thereof, held at the court house in Portales on the 12th day of November 1907. Present, G. W. Carr, Chairman; E. C. Price, Commissioner; B. F. Birdwell, Clerk. Meeting called to order by G. W. Carr. The account of S. A. Dotson for putting a new roof on the county jail was allowed and ordered paid, \$130.00. There appearing no further business the Board adjourned until the next regular meeting. G. W. Carr, Chairman. B. F. Birdwell, Clerk. ATTEST: B. F. BIRDWELL, Clerk. Proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, at a called meeting thereof, held at the court house in Portales on the 14th day of December 1907. Present, G. W. Carr, Chairman; E. C. Price, Commissioner; B. F. Birdwell, Clerk. The claim of J. E. Morrison for commission on tax collected for 1907 was allowed and ordered paid, \$380.00. There appearing no further business the Board adjourned to meet the 1st Monday in January 1908. G. W. Carr, Chairman. B. F. Birdwell, Clerk. ATTEST: B. F. BIRDWELL, Clerk. Proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, at a regular meeting thereof, held at the court house in Portales on the 6th day of January 1908. Present, G. W. Carr, Chairman; E. C. Price, Commissioner; W. H. Montgomery, Commissioner; B. F. Birdwell, Clerk. In the matter of the Justice Precinct petitioned for by O. N. Chandler, et al, petition granted as follows: Beginning at the Southwest corner of Section 31, Twp. 5 South of Range 36 East, thence North to Northwest corner of Section 19 Twp. 4 South of Range 36 East, thence East to Texas line, thence South to Southeast corner of Roosevelt county, thence West to place of beginning. Said precinct to be officially known as Lane Precinct No. 15. An election is hereby ordered to be held at Lane's Store in said precinct on the 4th day of April, 1908, for the purpose of electing one Justice of the Peace and one Constable for said precinct. J. H. Lane, G. W. Jones and E. T. Nae are hereby appointed judges to hold said election. Said election to be held and conducted in accordance with the General Election Laws of the Territory of New Mexico. The annual report of G. F. Baster, road overseer of road district No. 1, in precinct No. 3, was received and approved and account allowed for \$88.50. In the matter of the Justice precinct petitioned for by T. J. Morrison et al, petition granted as follows: Beginning at the Northwest corner of Section 18, Twp. 3 South of Range 36 East, thence East to Texas line, thence South to Southeast corner of Section 22, Twp. 4 South of Range 39 East, thence West to Southwest corner of Section 19, Twp. 4 South of Range 36 East, thence North to place of beginning. Said Precinct to be officially known as Williams Precinct No. 16. An election is hereby ordered to be held at the residence of S. W. Tollett on the 4th day of April, 1908, for the purpose of electing one Justice of the Peace and one Constable for said precinct. Said election to be held and conducted in accordance with the General Election Laws of New Mexico. The Quarterly Report of W. B. Gates, J. P. Precinct No. 5, for the 4th quarter 1907, was received and approved, and account allowed for \$19.30. In the matter of the road petitioned for by E. T. Hasler, et al; petition granted, said road to be opened, to travel at once. In the matter of the road petitioned for by Guy Lawrence, et al, petition granted and said road to be opened to travel at once. The butcher bond of C. C. Blair & Hiram K. Hall was received and approved. The bond of S. K. McCall, road overseer of Precinct No. 2, was received and approved. The butcher bond of T. B. Carnway was received and approved. The official bond of A. B. Hubbard, Constable of Precinct No. 13, (Clowie) was received and approved. The resignation of J. D. Hurley, Surveyor, was received and accepted. In the matter of the road petitioned for by J. W. Duke, et al, petition received and filed and jury of view appointed as follows: W. B. Anderson, C. T. Gregory and T. L. Spears are hereby appointed viewers to view and mark out said road, said jury of view to meet at the place of beginning designated in said petition on the 14th day of February, 1908, and proceed to view and mark out said road and report their findings in writing to the Board ten days before the first Monday in April 1908. W. F. Tallent is hereby appointed County Surveyor of Roosevelt county to fill the unexpired term of J. D. Hurley, resigned. JANUARY 7TH. In the matter of the road petitioned for by W. A. Lester, et al, and granted August 7th 1907, it is hereby ordered that Joe Bradley be allowed \$50.00 damages and allowed to construct a causeway across said road, said causeway to be 6 feet wide and 12 feet long, said road to be 30 feet wide instead of 40 feet as formerly granted. The Quarterly reports of W. B. Gates, J. P., Precinct No. 5, for the 3rd and 4th quarters 1907, was received and adopted. In the matter of the road petitioned for by Guy Lawrence, et al, petition granted and road ordered open to travel at once. In the matter of the road petitioned for by T. J. Jordan, et al, petition received and filed and jury of view appointed as follows: W. A. Stuart, Wm. Kelly and M. M. Bonds are hereby appointed viewers to view and mark out said road, said jury of view to meet at the place of beginning designated in said petition on the 14th day of February 1908, and proceed to view and mark out said road and report their findings in writing to the Board ten days before the first Monday in April 1908. In the matter of the road petitioned for by Ben F. Moss, et al, petition received and filed and jury of view appointed as follows: O. E. Byrons, W. J. Montgomery and Will Crenshaw are hereby appointed viewers to view and mark out said road, said jury of view to meet at the place of beginning designated in said petition on the 14th day of February 1908, and proceed to view and mark out said road and report in writing to the Board ten days before the first Monday in April 1908. It appearing that R. W. Langley has paid a certain tax in the amount of \$11.36 to the Treasurer twice, it is hereby ordered that the amount be returned to him by the Treasurer, and that the proportion of said duplicate payment credited to the Territory be charged against the account with the Territory by the county Treasurer. In the matter of the road petitioned for by J. B. Jones, et al, road granted as petitioned for, said road to be 40 feet wide and opened to travel within 60 days. The Quarterly Report of C. H. Hannum, J. P., of Precinct No. 6, for the 4th quarter 1907 was received and approved. In the matter of the road petitioned for by H. J. Wolf et al, report of viewers received and approved and petition rejected. In the matter of the petition of J. A. Fairly et al, to reduce width of Fu-ra-Bianca road, petition rejected. In the matter of the road petitioned for by A. A. Furray et al, petition granted as asked for and road ordered opened to travel within 60 days. The Quarterly Report of W. S. Alford, J. P., Precinct No. 3 for the 4th quarter 1907, was received and approved. The Quarterly report of M. H. Davis, J. P., Precinct No. 4 for the 4th quarter 1907 received and approved. JANUARY 8TH. The Quarterly Report of J. W. Denney, J. P. Precinct No. 2 for 3rd and 4th quarters 1907 was received and approved. The resignation of J. W. Denney, J. P. Precinct No. 2, received and accepted. V. O. Montray is hereby appointed Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 2 to fill the unexpired term of J. W. Denney, resigned. The said V. O. Montray shall file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$500.00. The Quarterly Report of W. P. Hart, J. P. Precinct No. 9 for 4th quarter 1907 received and approved. The resignation of W. P. Hart, J. P. Precinct No. 9 was received and accepted, and L. P. Strayham is hereby appointed Justice of the Peace to fill the unexpired term of W. P. Hart resigned. The said L. P. Strayham shall file a good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$500.00. The official bond of W. F. Tallent, County Surveyor of Roosevelt county, received and approved. In the matter of the petition of citizens of the town of Texico to incorporate said town, it is hereby ordered that the County Surveyor survey said district proposed to be incorporated and establish permanent monuments at the corners of said district. The following accounts were considered, allowed and ordered paid: Geo. D. Barnard & Co. Stationery \$ 4.25

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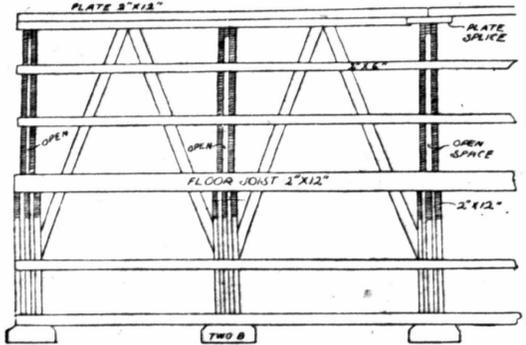
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How to Build a Plank Frame Barn

The plank or joist frame is said to have originated in the New England states, where they have been found to stand the storms and weight of snow in winter without collapsing. The side walls should not exceed 20 feet in height, with a hip roof will give good storage capacity. For very wide barns parline posts should be used, but up to 50 feet the roof is safe if a supplementary truss is placed in the angle of the rafters.

In building such a barn, set it if

leaves a 2-inch space between planks; break joints systematically, and spike a 2-inch piece over each joint. The bents are all framed before raising, which would take, with a good carpenter in charge, and about four men helping, two or three days for a 40x60 ft. barn. When the bents are up and well braced, it is best to board up the walls before putting on the roof. Use perpendicular siding, with 3-inch battens, as it is less liable to let in moisture and to rot. It would also be best



Side View of Plank Frame.

possible on land that is level and dry. Set stone or concrete posts under the frame posts, coming well above the surface of the ground, and going down to a solid foundation. Between the concrete and the bent post, place a 2-inch plank, to absorb the moisture. These posts and the bents may be from 16 to 20 feet apart, depending upon the nature of the fodder or grain that will be stored in the upper story. On the interior and across the ends of the barn these posts may be set where it is convenient to place posts to support the heavier stringers that will carry the joists for the floor over the stables. The bents are then framed, using plank 2x10 inches for an average-sized building, and 2x8 inches if under average size. Fit the upright and the cross planks together, which

to get the joists in place and lay the floor before putting on the roof. When ready to put up the rafters, which should be at least 2x5 inches cut them to give the lower rafters a square pitch and the upper ones a quarter pitch. The rafters may terminate at the plate, and should be braced well at the joints with 2x4-in. pieces. Erect the end rafters first, stay them well, and proceed with the others, bracing them firmly with two or more nails to each brace. The projection at the eaves can be given by spiking on 2x4-in. pieces. The roof may be of different materials, but if shingles are used, it adds to their durability to dip them in oil or tar before putting them on. If oil is used, it improves the appearance of the roof to add Venetian red to the oil.

VENTILATING THE COW STABLE

By E. L. Aderhold, Wisconsin

The King system of ventilation removes the lower layer of air, but does not permit the warm air to escape. In a well constructed stable this insures a rapid change of air without unduly lowering the temperature.

Outlet flues are built tight, usually of lumber, beginning eight or ten inches from the floor and extending higher than the ridge of the roof to insure a good draft at all times. When made of metal, it is liable to form on the inner walls. One such flue is sufficient for a small or medium sized stable, while a very large one would probably be better served with two flues some distance apart.

The proper capacity of the outlet flue is determined by the total weight of live stock in the stable, figuring one square foot of cross section inside for each 5,000 pounds of live stock.

For instance, if the stock weighs about 20,000 pounds, four square feet would be required, which could be furnished by one flue two feet square, or by two flues 12x14 inches each. Each flue should be provided with a damper for regulating the flow of air when a strong wind prevails. The lower layer of air at every part of the stable should have an opportunity to flow along the floor to an outlet flue. These flues may be placed where least in the way. If one happens to be placed close beside a cow, she could be protected from draft by a partition several feet high and as long as the cow.

Fresh air is admitted through the small flues at the walls, which compel the air to travel upward about four feet, after which it is discharged at the ceiling, where it meets the heat and becomes warmed. This arrangement prevents the warm air from flowing out, inasmuch as it will not travel downward against the colder, heavier air outside. These inlet flues are usually four to five inches in diameter and are distributed on two or more sides of the building, say one every ten or fifteen feet. Where cows are facing away from the walls I think some of these flues should be extended along the ceiling, so that they will discharge the fresh air directly over their heads.

At present I don't know how important the inlet flues are, as I have seen apparently satisfactory results where only the outlet flues were used, and I would urge every dairyman to install the latter and follow directions closely.

Heat in a stable represents food, so during the winter we can't afford to waste it. It should be utilized to the fullest extent in warming fresh air. It should not be permitted to flow, leak or be conducted out. That implies a tight ceiling, tight walls, preferably with one or more dead air spaces or some other good insulation.

Value of the Grasses—The grasses stand first among plants in their agricultural importance. This is particularly true of the agriculture of civilized countries. In barbarous lands the grasses are not made so much of, as the people live largely by hunting and fishing. The great value of grass is realized by the modern agriculturist. The grass in the fields and pastures is not the only grass there is. Indian corn is a variety of grass and some of the other cultivated crops are varieties of grasses. It must be remembered, also, that wheat is a grass and that this is a great source of human food. The grass family also includes oats, rye, barley, sorghum and millet. The numbers of varieties of grasses that have been described by the botanists is about 4,000, and there are other varieties that have not yet been described.

Gives What Customers Will Take. It is generally true that the average dairyman will deliver just as poor milk and butter as the average customer will tolerate.

A Valuable Food—The egg is still one of the most valuable foods on the farm.

RECIPE FOR CHILI SAUCE.

Better Than Any Variety to Be Found in the Stores.

A chili sauce is made by a western housekeeper, which will be found much better than any ready-made variety to be had in the shops. Chop fine six large green peppers, from which the seeds and white pulp have been removed, and four large onions. Cut into small pieces 24 large ripe tomatoes. Put them together in a kettle, mix thoroughly, and add three tablespoonfuls of salt, eight cups of vinegar, two teaspoonfuls of cinnamon and one of cloves. Boil it gently one hour, then seal in pint cans. Following is a cucumber pickle recipe: Pare and slice two dozen cucumbers and one dozen small onions. Sprinkle them with salt, and allow them to drain well in a colander. Then place them in a bowl, adding one quart of vinegar, one cup of olive oil, one-quarter of a cup each of black and white mustard seed and one teaspoonful of celery seed and one-quarter teaspoonful of powdered alum. Mix thoroughly and seal in pint cans.

GOOD PICKLE OF TOMATOES.

Can Be Made of the Green or Ripe Variety, as Desired.

While tomatoes are procurable, a very good pickle may be made from the recipe of an old New England housekeeper. Chop one peck of green tomatoes and arrange them in layers in a stone crock, sprinkling each layer with salt, using in all not more than a cup of salt, let them stand over night, and in the morning strain away the liquor and add to them about two quarts of vinegar, to which has been added a tablespoonful each of cloves, cinnamon, ginger, and allspice, and six chopped green peppers, the seeds and white pulp having been removed. Bring the whole pulp to a boil, then simmer slowly for four or five hours, adding, a few minutes before it is done, two and a half pounds of brown sugar.

Quite a different result may be obtained by substituting ripe tomatoes for the green. In consistency, it will be a little thicker and a little rougher than the ordinary tomato catsup.

To Clean Fur. Ermine, white fox and all other light furs that have been packed away during the summer months should be cleaned before putting them on to wear. Sawdust and plaster of paris should be mixed half and half, heated until blood warm, and then rubbed into the skins several times. Then put the fur out of doors to air. With darker furs use bran. Divide a pound of bran into two portions and place one in the oven to heat. Spread the fur on a paper on the table and rub it well over with the cold bran. Shake out the bran and brush the fur with a soft hat brush. Then rub the hot bran in the fur evenly. Then shake it and brush it until the fur is free from both dust and bran.

Salted Almonds. First put the almonds after they have been shelled into boiling water until the skins can readily be removed. Dry carefully. Put a piece of butter in a pan and while melting stir in the almonds. Then place the pan in the oven. Be careful and stir often so as to color the nuts without scorching. When slightly brown take them out, spread on white paper and sprinkle with table salt. They should be eaten cold. A plain salad of lettuce with French dressing may be served before the dessert.

Care of House Plants. Don't be afraid to scrub the plants brought in for the winter. With a brush, water, soap and an infusion of tobacco every leaf and stem should be scrubbed to remove insects. The bathroom spray is excellent to use in rinsing, which should be thorough. A frequent drenching and occasional meals of flower food will make up to the plants for the loss of outdoor life and they will repay with vigorous growth and bloom during the winter months.

Crumpts. Take one quart of dough from the bread in the early morning, break three eggs, separate the whites from yolks, whip both to a light froth, mix into the dough and gradually add lukewarm water till the consistency of middle cakes. Beat well and let rise till breakfast time, then have the griddle hot and well greased, pour on the batter in small cakes and bake brown.

A Good Way to Rip. I found in ripping the worn facings from the bottom of a dress skirt that had several rows of stitching that I accomplished the task with greater ease and speed and less danger of cutting the goods when I pinned the skirt to my knee and held the facing firmly with my left hand, and with a sharp knife ripped from instead of toward me.

Neat Garters. In gathering a sleeve or any other portion of a garment an inconceivable amount of time can be saved by running two threads, knotted at each end. Draw in opposite directions. The material will fall into perfect folds and can be straightened by drawing firmly from top to bottom when it is ready to put into garment.

Pineapple and Peach Cocktail. This is a sweet course for the beginning of a dinner. The fruit is cut into small pieces, maroons are added, and sherry or lemon juice poured over. Add a little powdered sugar, mix, make very cold and serve in cocktail glasses.

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If You Suffer with Your Kidneys and Back Write to This Man.

G. W. Winney, Medina, N. Y., invites kidney sufferers to write to him. To all who enclose postage he will reply telling how Doan's Kidney Pills cured him, after he had doctored and had been in two different hospitals. For eighteen months, suffering intense pain in the back, lameness, twinges when stooping or lifting, languor, dizzy spells and rheumatism. "Before I used Doan's Kidney Pills," says Mr. Winney, "I weighed 143. After taking 10 or 12 boxes I weighed 162 and was completely cured."

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Going to Be Fined. When George Ade was a newspaper reporter he was sent to "write up" an Irish laborer who had fallen from a building. When Mr. Ade arrived on the scene, several officers and others were helping the injured man into the ambulance. Mr. Ade pulled out his pad and pencil. "What's his name?" he asked one of the policemen.

The injured man, who had heard Ade and who mistook him for the timekeeper employed by the contractor, rolled his eyes in a disgusted way. "What d'ye think o' that?" he muttered. "I'm goin' to be docked for the few minutes I lose goin' to the hospital!"—Success.

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A Sensitive Soul. Owen Mudge was a very sensitive man. More than once at a harsh word he had forsaken profitable work and gone home for sympathy to his wife.

One morning Owen started out to help Glenn Butler, who had bought a new stump-pulling machine and was preparing to clear a field.

Toward noon Owen came back. Mrs. Mudge sighed and waited sympathetically for the explanation.

"I just couldn't stand it," said Owen, rubbing his jaw. "When I see that stump-puller twist them roots out, it reminded me so of the times I went to the dentist to get back teeth extracted. The first thing I knew I was limp as a rag, and I just ached all over and had to quit."—Youth's Companion.

Best He Could Do. It was his first circuit, and, moreover, he had to defend his first client, who was a better known than respected burglar. In an interval he approached a veteran member of the bar and sought for advice.

"And how long do you think I ought to make my speech to the jury, sir?" he finished up.

"I should say about an hour," said the old hand.

"An hour! Why, I thought ten minutes would be ample! Why so long?"

"Well," said his adviser, "you see, they can't sentence him till you're finished, and the longer you talk the longer he'll be out of jail!"—Stray Stories.

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Plowing Contest Among English Women



A spirited competition in plowing took place recently at Brightlinges, Essex county, England, between the daughters of the yacht captains who reside there and the farmers' daughters, and resulted, strange to say, in a sweeping victory for the former.

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These few lines other women I had my night sweats I was run-down sit down to weak. I tried many doctors also any good. I take on me. At last I told him just what I wanted. He gave me a bottle of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I took five and now I am well. I had my night sweats I was run-down sit down to weak. I tried many doctors also any good. I take on me. At last I told him just what I wanted. He gave me a bottle of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I took five and now I am well.

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From Long.

I have been silent for some three weeks, but a man or woman cannot hold their tongue forever, you know. Long is booming—A brand new school house tells the story that theurchains will comb their hair in the morning, wash their faces, put a sandwich in a brown paper bag and hurry off to school. We understand school is to begin in this new school house on the 18th. inst. We understand that all but some \$11.00 odd dollars have been collected in regard to this school house, and we think the people in this particular district needs to be complimented on their work in this matter.

There was a dance given in the Haddock house last night, a delightful time was had by all.

A large crowd attended a ball at the South Camp eight miles from here, and did not go home until morning, what was the use they were having a good time.

Mr. Fred Hoover is home for the rest of the winter. He adds life and sparkle to this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Hassler and their son Master Ferdinand were in town this week.

T. H. Brook returned from Texas with his son Cecil, and that is not all, with a bride too and all the maids around her holding down claims to go to Texas. Well! well! well!

Mr. White south of Longs has moved his family into their new home on their claim and have ever thing in "ship-shape."

Mr. Breteking was successful in drilling a good well of water on his place at a depth, we understand, of 125 feet, an abundant supply was found.

A box social was given at the new school house, south of Long on Tuesday night, the 12th, for the benefit of the school fund we hope for a large crowd, an well-filled baskets.

A dance was given at Mr. Beckham's, and one of the large crowds gathered of the season is there, all place on dirt where the weather is as delightful as here in New Mexico. If would like to know what part the globe it is and we will go.

Grover Anderson is on claim; he comes from Oklahoma.

Ross Cook was in town this week.

Miss Maud Hazlet has been visiting near Rogers for the past two weeks.

Mr. Shanhan has completed residence on his claim four miles south of Longs.

Elmer Watson has been hauled feed to his place for the past week, and incidentally taking all the dances for miles around. That's right Elmer, enjoy yourself you may be married some these days.

C. A. Rector has been hauled feed over in Texas for the past two weeks.

The grist mill is going in shape now, come and get your brand and feed that cow has been falling all winter, let it be said New Mexico can give abundant milk.

So far little has been done by Congress except to quarrel with the President. All this make very evident that Roosevelt is at all popular with the leaders his own party and that there be general rejoicing on the 4th March when he steps down out and William H. Taft start to hold down the executive chair—Roswell Record.

If you are in need of Stand bred S. C. White Leghorn White Wyandottes. We can supply you with this stock at 1 main prices. Eggs for hatch \$2.00 per 15. Write now, unable to answer questions.

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Notice.

The Board of County Commissioners of the County of Pecos, Texas, do hereby certify that the following named gentlemen are candidates for the office under which their names appear, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

For County Superintendent of Public Instruction:
E. H. ROBINSON.

For Sheriff:
W. M. COX.

Announcements.

We are authorized to announce the following named gentlemen as candidates for the office under which their names appear, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

For County Superintendent of Public Instruction:
E. H. ROBINSON.

For Sheriff:
W. M. COX.

Portales Public School Notes.

W. ERMONT OSBORNE,
Superintendent.

ROOMS 1 AND 2.
Have to report a full attendance of busy, eager little folks. Each day a little more is added to their store of knowledge, the foundation of "Great Expectations."

ROOM 3.
Is doing some excellent work, especially the arithmetic classes. The A class is now in Roman notation. The B is not many pages behind them.

Two new pupils, Maudie Young and Leslie Sallee, joined our ranks this week.

GRADES 4 AND 5.
We are very sorry to note that Lucy Johnson is still sick. Several of our pupils have moved to their claims lately, but our room is still very badly crowded. Enough new ones come in to take the place of those who leave.

We are very anxious to have the children attend regularly during the remainder of the year in order to complete the work given in the course of study.

GRADE 6.
Several of our number were on the sick list last week, but we are glad to note most of them' back again.

Miss Pearl Leach was a pleasant caller on Thursday afternoon.

Last Friday afternoon was our society day. A very nice program was rendered, though a few failed to bring up their parts.

GRADES 7 AND 8.
Miss Dade Steward entered the eighth grade last Monday. The basket ball boys had their pictures taken. They will be mounted on postals.

The baseball boys entertained the Commercial College team Saturday on the H. S. diamond.

Chester Garrison favored the Corrinnean Literary Society by bringing an Edison music box to school.

Joe Stone is sick again.

Willie May Culberson was absent from school this week for the first time this winter. We regret that sickness has caused this break in her record of attendance.

HIGH SCHOOL.
We regret to state that Miss Florence Clevinger will not be in school any more. Her family has moved to their claim twenty miles from town.

Our supply of desks has at last reached us and the appearance and order of the room have therefore been greatly improved.

The pupils of the High School were entertained by the seventh and eighth grades last Friday. An excellent program was rendered, for which we are very thankful.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

Mrs. McLanglin is on the sick list.

On all winter Lap Roles I will give 10 per cent off for cash. R. M. Sanders.

Creed Copeland of Clovis is in town.

For Silverware, the finest ever brought to Portales, see Pearce & Dobbs.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Carter and children left Wednesday for Springfield, Ill.

Proceedings of Board of County Commissioners.

(Continued from Fifth page.)
Ed J. Neer, coffin and burial expenses of Cray Tom. \$ 33.00
Ed Johnson, services as deputy sheriff. 89.50
Joe Lang, board for prisoners and sheriff's fees. 883.00

JANUARY 9TH.

The account of S. W. Pease is allowed for \$30.00 for the burial of Dennis Riggs, over whose body there was an inquest held, and the account of S. W. Pease for undertakers supplies furnished for Carrie Riggs is hereby rejected.

Claim of Williams & Servis, coal to jail. \$ 71.50
Franklin Press Co., records for county. 71.45
Roosevelt County Herald printed supplies. 28.00
Geo. V. Johnson, printing notices for county health officer. 2.10
Territorial Penitentiary Board for Elmer I. Price. 46.00
J. H. Damron, witness fees in J. P. court. 6.15
B. F. Birdwell, expense in Hicks road. 5.00
C. W. Morris & Sons, coal for court house. 76.50
Bennett Printing Co., County Records. 32.00
B. J. Reagan, office expense New Mexican Printing Co. 89.10
Tax Receipts. 122.50
W. E. Lindsey, salary 4th quarter 1907. 25.00
Dr. T. C. White, services and drugs. 17.00
J. A. Fairly, salary 4th quarter 1907. 100.00
J. A. Fairly, office expense. 19.00
W. Morris, justice fees. 25.05
The quarterly report of C. W. Morris, J. P., for the 4th quarter 1907 was received and approved.

The quarterly report of E. H. Bruce, J. P., precinct No. 8, for 4th quarter 1907 was received and approved.

The quarterly report of O. R. Gable, J. P., precinct No. 10, for the 4th quarter 1907 was received and approved.

Claim of Ed Nash rebate on tax allowed. 12.92
Claim of J. B. Priddy rebate on tax allowed. 5.67
W. L. Cecil, constable fees. 41.00
Dr. T. C. White, services and medicine. 185.10
In the matter of the assessment of J. S. Morgan the tax collector is hereby instructed to rebate the said J. S. Morgan on \$288.00 worth of property, tax amounting to \$2.23.
C. C. Cox, rebate on \$180.00 note. 6.30
W. A. Walker, rebated on \$145.00 worth of property. 5.07
J. H. Johnson, rebated on \$80.00 worth of property. 2.80
In the matter of the assessment of Charles Layless, the tax collector is instructed to rebate Charles Layless in full for 1907 taxes.

L. J. Sparks, rebated on \$288.00 worth of property. 10.08
Phillips & Copeland rebated on \$300.00 worth of property. 10.25
The following sculp claims were allowed:
John B. Jones, two lobos. 40.00
Urd Keen, two lobos. 40.00
Wellborn Wise, one cayote. 1.00
I. G. Trimble, one cayote. 1.00
J. V. Allen, one cayote. 1.00
W. M. Roberts, on cayote. 1.00
S. A. Cox, one cayote. 1.00
I. F. Johnson, five cayotes. 5.00
T. N. Clayton, three cayotes. 3.00
J. M. Vandruff, one wild cat. 1.00
B. J. Love, seven cayote. 7.00
A. Hall, one lobo. 20.00
Toney Hunter, three cayotes. 3.00
A. D. Green, two cayotes. 2.00
C. M. Clingman, three cayotes. 3.00
R. E. McAllister, one cayote. 1.00
G. W. Johnson, one cayote. 1.00
S. A. Cox, two cayotes. 2.00
J. P. Smith, three cayotes. 3.00
T. A. Tillinghast, six cayotes. 6.00
F. K. Douglass, one lobo. 20.00
F. K. Douglass, five cayotes. 5.00
T. N. Clayton, one cayote. 1.00
C. M. Clingman, eleven cayotes. 11.00
R. N. Reagan, four cayotes. 4.00
Herbert Hambr, two cayotes. 2.00
Ed Hunt, one lobo. 20.00
S. D. Hammond, one lobo. 20.00
Claim of J. E. Morrison, for commission on tax collected to Dec. 31st 1907, allowed for \$257.30.

D. L. Arnold, repairing jail \$2.00.

In the matter of the county printing for the year of 1908, the contract is awarded to E. A. Priest & son, they being the lowest and best bidders for same; the said E. A. Priest & son to furnish bond in the sum of \$500.00.

JANUARY 10TH.

The claim of the Dorsey Printing Co. for records and stationery allowed. \$34.25.
Claim of Portales Lumber Co., allowed for \$1.20.
Byron B. Parrish, constable fees, \$9.25.

It is ordered that the section line from the Southwest corner of section 26, Twp. 1, one south of Range 24 East, to the Southeast corner of said section 24 same Twp. and Range, be all the same is hereby declared to be a public highway.

The Commissioners Court now in regular session, hereby acknowledge the order passed by the Commissioners Court at their July meeting 1903, making all section lines and Township lines public roads, and it is further ordered that no person or persons be allowed to fence any section or Township line in Roosevelt county that are not already fenced. All roads to be not less than 40 feet in width.

E. C. PRICE,
W. H. MONTGOMERY,
G. W. CART.

Chairman,
There appearing no further business the Board took a recess to meet at the call of the chairman.

G. W. CARR,
Chairman.
B. F. BIRDWELL,
Clerk.

ATTEST:

Ralph Kerr drove to Black-tower last Sunday.

Do you need a stove, then get a Charter Oak from the Hardy Hardware Co.

Miller, the auto man, is back from points in Kansas.

M. M. Furray & Son invites you to call and get acquainted with them at the Oklahoma Store.

Jim Willis is on his claim twenty miles southwest of town.

For the next two weeks only, C. W. Morris & Son will sell cotton seed at 50 cents a bushel. These are native New Mexico seed.

Geo. W. Sand is made a trip to Texico and other points this week.

I also handle the Farmers, SA Horse Blankets and will give 10 per cent off for cash on these. R. M. Sanders.

Uncle Josh Morrison left Wednesday for several places on the Belen Cut-off.

Everybody buys the Enamel Roasters, they are much better than the common sheet-iron ones. Hardy Hardware Co.

The Vaughn Land Co. had 27 land buyers to look at Texas lands the past week.

"Because it makes my work easier," is the house-wif's reason for buying a Great Majestic Range. They are trouble and fuel savers.

Hardy Hardware Co.

Miss Lula Nail who has been visiting in Portales the past week left Wednesday morning for Denver, Col.

Those enterprising druggists, Pearce & Dobbs, invites everybody to call and see them at the Portales Drug Store, and purchase their goods. They guarantee to please you both in quality and price.

R. W. Jones left Thursday for Texico.

A car of Corrugated Roofing received. Hardy Hardware Co.

Thursday was pay day on the Santa Fe.

Our stock of Diamond Edge and Keen Kutter Cutlery is complete. Hardy Hardware Co.

W. H. Garrett left Thursday morning for a 15 or 20 days visit to Iowa.

For the next two weeks only, C. W. Morris & Son will sell cotton seed at 50 cents a bushel. These are native New Mexico seed.

Jno. Carmichael of Dalhart, Texas, visited Mr. W. O. Oldham and family this week.

Mr. Joe Howard left Thursday for an extended trip to North Dakota and other states.

The work on the building for the new coal and feed yard of T. M. Lester is near completion.

Miss Kate Standard who has been visiting the family of Mrs. Chesher returned to her home at Cimero Thursday.

Mares For Sale.

Good work and brood mares for sale. For information see W. J. Martin, at Humphrey & Sledge's.

N. B. Lyol, an old Union soldier, and son of Kinderhook, Park Co., Ill., was in Portales prospecting this week.

Miss Elma Ryan, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. D. L. Arnold and little brother, left Thursday morning for Chicago, Ill., where she will have an operation performed for appendicitis.

Agreeably Surprised.

Many sufferers from rheumatism have been agreeably surprised at the prompt relief afforded by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It makes sleep and rest possible. For sale by Pearce & Dobbs.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roswell, N. M., Dec. 11, 1907.

A violation of the laws of the United States has been committed in the following described land: Section 21, Township 4, South Range 24, East, by Samuel R. Chast, Contester, in which it is alleged that Samuel R. Chast has wholly abandoned said tract, has changed his residence therefrom for more than six months prior to the date of said contest affidavit and that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party, and that his alleged absence from said land is not due to his employment in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps of the United States, in time of war; said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on February 2nd, 1908, before W. E. Lindsey, United States Commissioner, at Portales, New Mexico, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on February 12th, 1908, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roswell, N. M.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed December 30th, 1907, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

HOWARD L. LEAND, Register.

Notice.

J. P. STONE, President
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