



# Roosevelt County Farm Bureau News

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## WHAT IS THE FARM BUREAU AND WHAT IS IT GOOD FOR?

During the past few days, incident to the Farm Bureau campaign which has been conducted in several communities of Roosevelt county, there have been numerous questions asked as to what it is good for. The people have a right to know and they must know these things if this movement or any other movement in the direction of organized agriculture is to bring into reality the fullest potential of benefit. It has been explained by Mr. Wallace, president of the Curry County Farm Bureau, and others that the first purpose of local organization and the county organization is to solve the existing problems of production and marketing in a straightforward, businesslike way. There is no deception. What the Farm Bureau leaders here contemplate is an application of the principles that have been successful in other parts of the country during the past few years—that is—an open, aboveboard attempt to help the farmer help himself by placing him in a position to deal with other groups of society in a businesslike way, in an organized way, just as other groups deal with each other. When this task has been accomplished the farmer and the men he deals with will be benefited, for the farmer will not only concern himself with producing a large quantity of his crops and other products, but he will strive to place them in the hands of the consumer in an attractive condition, in the condition the consumer wants them. Experience has proven that the consumer is always ready to pay for what he wants if he knows that the party with whom he is dealing is reliable and will not try to slip something by that is not up to standard. All business but farming has found that fair dealing through organization is the best policy and the farmers are coming to realize that the same principle applies to them. It is not the intention to convey the idea that all farmers are no businesslike in their methods, but in an unorganized condition the progressive, businesslike farmer suffers from the unbusinesslike acts of his neighbor.



Mrs. Bertha D. Laws

Business expansion and methods necessarily changed to meet the conditions, but in the midst of this great development of civilization agriculture was neglected. So to enable agriculture to catch step with the march of events agencies of agricultural research were established. The Department of Agriculture and the Agricultural Colleges developed the scientists that were to give to agriculture the knowledge and methods that would make it more nearly a science and a business and less of a haphazard attempt to eke out an existence on the soil. Today we take for granted the Babcock cream test, blackleg, aggression, etc., because they have been perfected to the stage of simplicity and are considered as a part in the everyday activities of the farm. But we would never have had these things had not someone realized that agriculture was behind the times and needed to catch up. Before Mr. Babcock perfected his butter fat test, all kinds of attempts to accurately and quickly test milk and cream were tried but all were failures. During the time of their operation it was almost impossible to place the dairy industry on a business basis.

After scientific facts pertaining to agriculture had been discovered it was necessary to apply them to the everyday operations of farming. So in the beginning of the twentieth century Farmers' Institutes were established in an endeavor to carry improved practices to the farms. The progress was slow, just as has the progress of farmer organization been slow. Many adverse conditions were in the way; the farmer is more or less isolated and has an inherent pride of independence. He had fought nature barehanded and had made a living, thereby coming to depend upon his own resources, and his isolation and self-dependence has made him suspicious and skeptical. But slowly and surely improved methods were adopted. Farm folks began to realize that it was not good business to keep a cow or a hen just because she passed as such, but that by proper selection even a farmer without capital can grade up his stock or herd and thereby raise his standard of living. And the result has been that today such farm practices and many others are taken for granted in the everyday run of affairs when not many years ago they were laughed at.

Our whole modern civilization took wonderful strides in the 19th century and we have just shown that the comparative late efforts of agricultural leaders helped the farmer to fall in line with the forward march. By improved methods he was able to produce more efficiently just as the manufacturer was doing. And it was well for American Agriculture that these improvements came when they did for the virgin fertility of the plains was being depleted and it was necessary for the farmer to establish his business on a permanent paying basis and to stop the practice of robbing the soil of its initial fertility. But though a great change came to us in the 19th century and the early part of the 20th, we might say that we have been revolutionized since 1914. In Ex-Vice-President Marshall's words, "The

old Heaven and the Earth have passed away." We have come through a great war and are trying to adjust ourselves and are just beginning that it will have to be a new adjustment to meet new conditions. "It is a new normalcy that we seek to attain and not the old." We are in for a shake up in our relations with each other and the different classes recognize their new position and their new privileges and duties, the quicker will the new normalcy come. The farmers are no exception; they must begin to do things in a different way. They must recognize that new privileges carry with them new duties and they must fit themselves for those new duties.

The last few sentences contain part of the doctrine of the American Farm Bureau Federation, an organization of farmers barely two years old, an organization that has in that time secured a membership of almost one and one-half million of farmers, an organization that planned and put across the Farm Bloc idea with its attendant results in Congress (support of this statement can be found in the Literary Digest of Feb. 4, 1922), an organization that is the culmination of all the farm organization failures of the past and the educational influences that have been working during the past few years. And lastly, an organization that grew from the foundation of County Farm Bureau organizations in the great agricultural states of the North and South.

In the next issue the details of the growth of the Farm Bureau will be taken up.

(To be continued.)

We like to sell Tanias because it satisfies our customers. Portales Drug Store.

Advertisement—14c

U.B. Thrifty says



The fellow born with a silver spoon in his mouth some times casts his eye back on a poorer one

—and the fellow who pays the same account twice learns a thing or two, also.

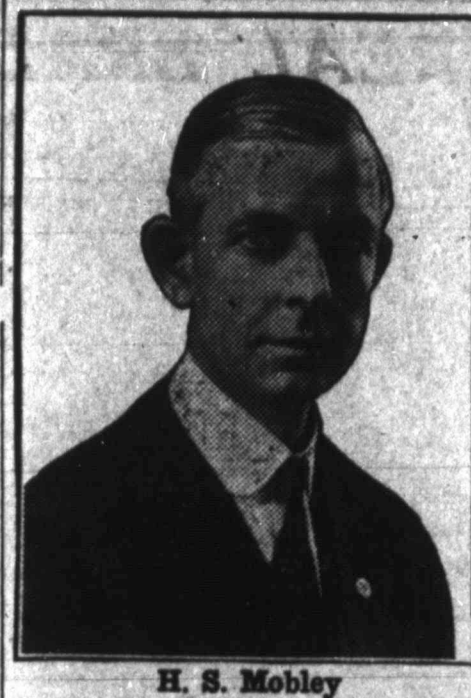
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H. S. Mobley

## SHORT COURSE ASSURED

### This Community Fortunate in Securing Important Series of Meetings.

A series of interesting and helpful meetings in agriculture, horticulture, gardening and home conveniences has been assured for this community through the co-operation of the Agricultural Extension Department of the International Harvester Company. They will be held in Clovis on March 23rd and 24th. A joint meeting of the Curry County Farm Bureau and the Chamber of Commerce was held at the Court house on Friday afternoon and the following committees were appointed to have charge of this series of meetings, six in number, and probably a poultry and registered hog exhibit:

Arrangements Committee—D. W. Jones, chairman; E. C. Hollinger, Mrs. Edna Durand.  
Program Committee—Ora Kennedy, chairman; J. A. Wallace,

J. M. Bickley, Miss L. E. Kendall, Mrs. S. J. Wright.

Exhibit and Prize Committee—E. A. Douglas, chairman; Gordon Wicks, Joseph A. Smith, John D. Fleming.

Finance Committee—Alex Shipley, chairman; A. S. Veazey, S. A. Jones.

Reception Committee—W. L. Luikart, chairman; Mrs. C. E. Smyers, Miss L. E. Kimball.

School Committee—Mrs. C. V. Steed, chairman; J. M. Bickley, J. W. Tanner.

Woman's Committee—Mrs. S. W. Murphy, Miss L. E. Kimball, Mrs. S. J. Wright, Mrs. C. H. Delozier.

The purpose of the meeting will be to help the people of this community solve the many problems in agriculture, horticulture and home making.

The Extension Department has a large force of people engaged in strictly educational work. The party coming to this vicinity will consist of H. S. Mobley and Mrs. Bertha Dahl Laws.

Mr. Mobley was national chairman at Washington of Farmers' Organizations' Legislative Committee during the discussion and adoption of such laws as the Farm Loan Bank, Parcel Post, Smith-Lever Bill, etc. He is a practical farmer of many years' experience who sees things from the farmer's viewpoint, a successful livestock and alfalfa grower, a leader among community builders, and a well-known lecturer on the various agricultural subjects and home and rural school problems.

Mrs. Laws is superintendent of woman's work at the Minnesota State Fair and is a most interesting lecturer on home, health, sanitation and kindred topics.

The plan is to hold both day and evening sessions, at which admission will be free and every-

body—men, women and children—will be welcome.

In the talks and lectures large charts and lantern slides will be used and at every session the subjects treated will be thrown open for discussion.

Moving pictures of an educational and instructive nature will be a feature of the evening meetings.

Complete arrangements for the sessions will be announced as soon as they are completed.

## STATE FARM PROJECTS

This year the Agricultural Extension Service is offering, thru the office of the County Agents in the various counties, the advantage of certain state projects, the idea being to carry the efforts of the College and Experiment Station closer to the people of the state who are interested. Following are brief outlines of the projects applying to this section of the state:

### Poultry Culling

In each community of the county interested in this work arrangements are being made with one poultryowner to have culling demonstrations conducted the coming summer. Much interest has been manifested in this work and to reach as many of the people as possible, the people of the community will be invited in to see the work done. The culling will be done by a poultryman from the College, who will explain the work and show the individual owners how to do this work. The owner who has this work done agrees in writing to keep records of the production of his flock before and after the culling and to feed for egg production one month previous to the date of culling. This will insure a flock in good condition for culling when

# PUBLIC SALE

## TUESDAY, MARCH 7TH, 1922

I will offer for sale at my place 7 miles west and 4 miles north of Portales, 6 miles east and 2 miles north of Floyd, the following property for sale without reserve or by-bid:

### 7 Head of Horses and Mules

- 1 Bay Horse, 12 years old, weight 1300 lbs.
  - 1 Brown Horse, 10 years old, weight 1275 lbs.
  - 1 Black Mare, 7 years old, weight 1050 lbs.
  - 1 Bay Mare 5 years old, weight 1050 lbs.
  - 2 Black Horses, match, 4 and 6 years old, weight 1025 lbs.
  - 1 Bay Mare, 4 years old, weight 1000 lbs.
  - 1 Black Horse Mule, 9 years old.
- These horses are all good stuff.

### 6 Head of Cattle

- 1 Jersey cow, 7 years old, calf 4 months old.
- 1 Jersey Cow, 6 years old, Calf March 25th.
- 1 Holstein Cow, 5 years old, fresh now.
- 1 Holstein and Jersey Cow, Calf in April, mix 3 years old, extra good.
- 1 Heifer, one year old.
- 1 Heifer, four months old.

Economy King Cream Separator.

### Hogs—60 to 75 Head

- 15 to 20 Sows. 40 to 50 Pigs.
- Two of these sows are subject to register. I will get the papers. They have some pigs. All these hogs are Duroc Jerseys and are all good stock.

### Farming Implements

- 1 Low Wheel Wagon.
- 1 Moline Row Binder, good shape.
- 1 Mowing Machine—a good one.
- 1 two-row Go-Devil, good as new, knives attached.
- 1 Lister Planter. 1 Double Shovel.
- Hoes, Shovels, etc., etc.
- 2 Sets Harness, collars, bridle.
- 1 saddle. 1 Scraper, No. 2.

### CHICKENS

- 2 Dozen White Wyandottes.
- One-Half Dozen Brown Leghorns. All last spring pullets.

TERMS OF SALE:—Six months time on approved security, on sums of \$10.00 and over. All stuff must be settled for before it leaves the place.

Free Lunch at Noon, Hot Coffee. Sale Starts at 10 O'clock, Come Early

# D. W. CRISWELL, Owner

V. TATE, Auctioneer

PAUL M. JONES, Clerk

the poultry man arrives. To date the following persons have agreed to have their flocks culled in this interest of this work in their communities:

Ed Miller, 12 miles northwest of Portales; B. B. Greathouse at Inez; John Howl, 10 miles south of Portales; J. C. Ainsworth at Milnesand, and J. W. Sloan at Causey.

Any poultry owner in communities not above represented and who is interested in making arrangements for this work in the community should get in touch with the County Agent at once.

**Herd Testing**  
This project deals with the weeding out of boarder cows by the keeping of records of milk and butter fat production and the amount of feed given. The dairyman agrees to:

(a) Keep daily or monthly milk production records.  
(b) Take samples once a month for butter fat test and send them to the County Agent.  
(c) Keep feed records of the cows under test.

Arrangements will either be made to test the samples within the county or the work will be done at the college. The college makes a charge of 15c per month per cow to cover expense of making the test. The dairy expert at the College will take the production and feed records, and compile data showing just what each cow has done in the profit and loss account. He will also make recommendations from time to time concerning improvements in the rations.

Any dairyman interested in this work should see or write the County Agent for further details and make arrangements for the work.

**Maize and Kaffir Seed Improvement**

The purpose of this project is to establish raisers of purebred seed in the state and to publish a list of the same. Any party interested in establishing himself as a grower of pure bred maize or kaffir agrees in writing to plant pure seed sufficiently isolated from other crops to insure its purity. He will be supplied with information as to where pure seed may be had. At the end of season his farm and seed will be examined and upon the satisfaction of the College that the seed is pure, the grower's name will be published in a list of growers of pure bred seed in the state. Particulars can be obtained by applying to the County Agent.

The membership drive of the Portales Co-operative Broomcorn and Warehouse association is in full swing with the directors of the organization in charge of the work in their respective districts. The directors have appointed deputies to assist them. New members are being secured continually and the contracts sent in to the secretary-treasurer. An accurate report of the membership drive is not available at this time but the association is about one hundred strong. The position of the association will have to be strengthened by the addition of new members and the conviction of the officers and they are going after the strengthening material. There is not any doubt but that the association will meet determined opposition the coming season as it did last and the broomcorn growers are getting ready for the fight. All members are urged to pledge their loyalty to their organization and not become victims of any misleading propaganda sent out by enemies of the association.

**EFFORTS BEING MADE TO SECURE CANNERY**

Efforts to locate outside capital and canning factory experience with a view to establishing a cannery here have continued by the Farm Bureau during the past three weeks. However, to date, nothing definite has been located but several possible parties in California and Colorado have been gotten in touch with. The time for establishing the industry this season is short and it is possible that the job cannot be accomplished this season. It is the policy of leading farmers to do the job right rather than quickly and it is certain that the community does not want a monument of a canning failure in Portales. A canvas made of prospective tomato growers last month showed that 100 acres can be secured for this crop in the event of a cannery's being established. It is more and more evident as time goes on that this is a sound cannery location and that the sweet potato industry needs it for its fullest development.

**WOMEN CO-OPERATORS TO ASSIST IN FARM BUREAU DRIVE**

It is expected that the Women's clubs at Rogers and Inez will be influential factors in promoting the organization of the Roosevelt County Farm Bureau.

The women in these communities have recognized the advantages of cooperation. Last fall they requested the services of women extension workers from the Agricultural College to assist them in making dress-forms, making over old clothing, and in doing their millinery work at home. To date both clubs have been visited by women extension workers and have gone ahead with the work of making dress-forms for their members.

This month they will take up millinery work under the direction of Miss Nieman from the college and plans are being made to do pressure canning work the coming summer.

The women of other communities may secure the advantages of cooperation as the women of Inez and Rogers have done by getting County Farm Bureau in touch with the Roosevelt

**CO-OPERATION LEGALIZED**

(By H. W. Moorehouse, Acting Director, Department of Research)  
The application of co-operative principles of American business enterprise received new impetus when the Capper-Volstead Co-operative Marketing Bill passed Congress by an overwhelming vote. This Act, urged and backed by the American Farm Bureau Federation, writes into the national statutes those principles which had already been declared valid by three-fourths of the states.

The Act provides that producers may organize marketing agencies, that such associations shall be operated for the mutual benefit of the members; that no member shall be allowed more than one vote because of the amount of stock or membership capital he may own; and that the association shall not pay dividends on stock or membership capital in excess of 8 per cent per annum. Provision is further made that associations shall not deal in products of non-members to an amount greater in value than those handled by it for members.

**To the Farm Bureau Page**

The last page of the Farm Bureau proposed many necessary plants for the development of the Valley and surrounding country, but to my mind they left out the most important of which is a beet sugar plant. The soil of this country has not got so great a depth of fertility as some of the soils farther east and they have been depleted through the same methods of farming that we are using now. The class of farmers that make good pioneers are not good soil builders. Their habit is to move west and let some other man build up what he has run down until there is no more west to go to and it is up to us to become soil builders with a beet plant. Our valley would become a stock feeding ground. The pulp from the beets, the grain and cattle from the dry land fed in the valley would make both prosper. Heavy manuring don't bring much returns where the rainfall is insufficient and irrigating poor land is a dead loss. "All kinds of truck farming is soil robbing without putting something back on the land and the few stock kept in Portales and among the truck growers is not sufficient to build up 40 acres in a decade. The land can scarcely be made too rich for most farm products and those crops that don't feed such rich land can be rotated in such a manner as to come a year or two after a coat of manure is given that it would not injure them and the richer the land the cheaper the irrigation costs are and the heavier the yield making it pay at both ends.

If this don't get in the waste basket, I will try again.  
D. A. GORDON.

To make the Roosevelt County Farm Bureau the success that it is expected to make it is necessary to have the support of all its members and it is again necessary to have a large percentage of the farmers in its membership. The prospects for a large membership are bright. At the present time leading farmers in each community having a local organization are working for memberships to the Farm Bureau. From time to time as the unorganized communities are ready for it locals of this organization will be formed.

**FLOYD WILL ORGANIZE CREAM AND EGG MARKETING ASSOCIATION**

The Floyd Local Farm Bureau wishes to announce that it will conduct a meeting at the Floyd school house on Monday, March 11th at 7 p. m., for the purpose of outlining plans to aid the cream and egg marketing situation. Mr. McNabb, State Market Specialist, will be in attendance and will address the meeting. Mr. McNabb has been asked to draw plans for the cream and egg marketing project, details of the situation having been sent him. It is believed that much benefit can be secured for the dairy and poultry farmers through the agency of cooperative marketing. One of the greatest possible benefits is the improvement of the products, encouraged by the selling of the product by grades.

**A COTTON GIN FOR ROOSEVELT COUNTY**

A meeting of the farmers interested in securing a cotton gin for Roosevelt county will be held Saturday, March 11th, at 1 p. m. For some time there has been talk of securing a gin at various places in the county and this meeting is for the purpose of conferring with prospective gin men and coming to definite conclusions. Letters are being mailed to leaders in the several cotton communities in which they are asked to attend this meeting as their community's representative and bring with them accurate data as to the possible acreage to be raised in their communities. All interested parties are invited to be present.

A general meeting in the interest of the Farm Bureau organization was held at Dora, Wednesday evening, February 22, at which time the people of that community were told of the Farm Bureau work contemplated in other parts of the county. Mr. J. H. Breshears had charge of the meeting.

**DR. McNABB COMING TO FLOYD**

Monday night, March 6th, Dr. McNabb will be at the Floyd school house. The meeting which was advertised to be Friday will be postponed so that we may have Dr. McNabb with us.

Dr. McNabb is working with the farmers of New Mexico, trying to establish a better marketing system, also means of distribution of farm products. At this particular meeting he will take up the cream problem of this locality. It is very fortunate indeed that we can have this man with us. Let us give him a large crowd and show to him the interest we have in this problem. He has helped the bean growers of New Mexico, also potato associations. Let us get him to help us.  
JOHN W. RUSSELL.

**DECLARATION OF PURPOSE BY C. C. DAVIS**

I wish to repeat my former statement that I have always been law abiding and believe fully in law enforcement. If elected sheriff it will be my purpose to enforce the law as fully as it is humanly possible. I will also organize an official force and public sentiment to this end.

While all the laws are made to be obeyed, this is especially true of prohibition because our prohibition laws are the result of organized public sentiment covering a long period of discussion and public contest. If the responsibility of sheriff is mine I promise especially to wage unceasing war against bootleggers and gamblers.

In conclusion permit me to say I would not seek a responsibility I did not intend, or felt I could not meet, in an efficient and economical manner.  
It-e-Advertisement.

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**TO THE VOTERS OF ROOSEVELT COUNTY**

My policy and platform of running the Sheriff's office for Roosevelt county:

First in mind is to handle the office at a minimum cost to the taxpayers.

The office belongs to the People, and remains with the people, and the Sheriff is selected to carry out the enforcement of the Law. Conditions bring about changes and we are living in a day when everything worth doing must be done through organization. It is a duty of the sheriff to help every precinct, both men and women, in a perfect organization. Through this organization they may select a Constable and Justice of the Peace. The Constable to be commissioned by the Sheriff as his deputy, thus giving the community an officer and at the same time saving the Sheriff from spending the taxpayer's money in running about to different parts

of the county often times on call when the services of a constable on the ground would answer the purpose just as well. Where duty calls the Sheriff in more serious matters he should go.

I believe in saving the taxpayer by each community handling its minor difficulties, as far as it is possible, and avoid the necessity of 21 men for a long term Grand Jury.

A two-cent postage stamp is another economic method I would expect to use. Many District Court matters can be handled in this way.

The best people make the law and ARE THE law—law breakers want no law and respect none unless made to do so.

Enforcement of the Prohibition law will eliminate a large per cent of law breaking—organization is the weapon with which to fight the Organized Gang.

My solemn pledge is given to this policy and platform, first as a Citizen, next as a candidate, and, if elected, is my guarantee as your obedient servant.

S. B. OWENS.  
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Portales, New Mexico



# SOCIETY

**Domestic Science Department of Public Schools give Washington Birthday Dinner to School Board and Faculty**

Under the direction of Miss Garrett, domestic science instructor, a dinner was served at 7 p. m., perfect in all its appointments and beautiful in its decorations, with shaded lights over the long dining table in the center of which stood the cherry tree, profuse in foliage and bearing most delicious red cherries, each place had a miniature cherry tree also bearing cherries. The service was perfect. Miss Garrett's demonstrated by this four course dinner that the domestic science department can be made to do practical service and that young girls can serve a dinner equal to any professional.

Speeches were made by all the members of the board as follows: Pres., W. E. Lindsey, Mrs. J. P. Stone, R. G. Bryant, W. B. Oldham and R. Hardy. Then Miss Garrett made a welcoming address and Mrs. Lindsey proposed a toast to Miss Garrett and her class.

**Busy Bee Sewing Class Meets**

Saturday the girls Busy Bee Sewing class met at the home of Mrs. Tom Kidd and had a most enjoyable day, also a fine dinner. Those present were: Mary Lee Cyphers, Marie Wolford, Alice Wolford, Lula Percifull, Emma Stirmah and Irva Taylor. They decided to meet at Emma Stirmah's next Saturday.

**BOUCHER-ATKINS WEDDING**

(From Calexico Chronicle)  
This forenoon in El Centro, Earl S. Boucher, member of the local police force and son of Chief Boucher, and Miss Jewell Atkins, popular young high school girl, were married by Judge Mayfield. Following the ceremony the happy couple left for Jacumba where they will spend a brief honeymoon and when they return the bride will resume her studies at the high school and graduate with the class of 1922 of which she is a member. Earl Mitchell and Miss Quintella Boucher accompanied the happy couple to the county seat.

"Seven Wonders of Heaven," will be delivered at the Baptist church soon, by the pastor. Watch for the announcement.  
It-c Advertisement

**INCOME TAX FACTS**

Farmers, rangers, herders, dairy men, truck gardeners, vineyard and orchard owners, and other food producers must compute their net and gross incomes for 1921 and ascertain whether an income tax return, or a tax, or both are due. All gains, profits, and income derived from the sale or exchange of farm products, whether produced on the farm or purchased and resold, must be included in gross income. When a farmer exchanges his products for groceries, clothing, or other merchandise, the fair market value of such goods must be included. Profit received from the sale of farm land, or rent received for the use thereof, must be included.

In determining income, upon which the tax is assessed, the farmer may deduct from gross income all necessary expenses incurred in the operation of his farm during the year 1921. These include cost of cultivation, harvesting, and marketing of his crops, cost of feed and fertilizer used, amount spent in repairs to farm buildings (other than the dwelling) and to fences and machinery. Wages paid to farm hands are deductible, but not wages paid to a domestic servant, which is a personal expense.

As an aid to farmers, the Bureau of Internal Revenue has prepared a special form, 1040F, for recording sales of livestock, produce and a summary which must be attached to the individual return of income and expenses.

An unmarried or widowed farmer or one living apart from his wife must file an individual return for 1921 if his net income for 1921 was \$1,000 or more, or if his gross income was \$5,000 or more. If married and living with his wife on December 31, 1921, a return must be filed if his net income was \$2,000 or more, or if his gross income was \$5,000 or more.

The News—\$1.50 a year.

**SNOW COVERS WHEAT BELT OF THREE STATES**

The Panhandle of Texas is blanketed with five inches of snow, the heaviest since March 27 and 28 last year, and the snow is still falling before a driving north wind. The blizzard, which is said to be the most severe since January, 1918, extends through Kansas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Colorado and other states to the north and west, and swept down on the Panhandle during the night Sunday, and continued through Monday and Tuesday night.

A four and one-half inch snow was reported in Amarillo Tuesday morning by T. J. Considine, local weather observer. The temperature at 7 o'clock was four degrees above zero, and is recorded as the minimum temperature of the blizzard.

According to information given out by the local Weather Bureau, the blizzard now sweeping the country is the worst since 1918. On January 11, 1918, the temperature dropped to eight degrees below zero and a ten inch snow was recorded. Many cattle were frozen in the Panhandle and much suffering was reported in this section of the state.

"Cattlemen in the Panhandle are not uneasy about their stock, unless the present spell continues an unreasonable length of time," declared Lish Bennett prominent stockman of Amarillo. Mr. Bennett declared that the cattle generally are in excellent condition, and physically able to withstand the severity of the weather, and it is his opinion that there will be a minimum loss.

Conservative grain men declared Tuesday morning that the heavy snows falling over the wheat belt will be of great benefit to the growing crop, and it is believed that more than a fifty per cent crop will be realized. They declare that before the snows the estimated yield was placed at a low figure, in some instances as low as thirty-five per cent of last year's crop, and while it is believed that the crop will now be probably fifty per cent, it cannot be accurately determined until a few days of warm weather occur.

**TWO WOMEN SLAIN IN BED**

AMARILLO, Texas, Feb. 27.—Two young women were shot and killed while sleeping in bed and a third woman was fired at but escaped injury about thirty miles east of Plainview, according to advices here. The shooting occurred about 4 o'clock this morning.

A young man named Upton tried to kill himself while being pursued later by officers.

The young women slain, were the Misses Salomen and Umberson, and the third young woman was Miss Wilson. The shooting occurred at the Umberson home.

**DR. McNABB COMING TO FLOYD**

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Dr. McNabb is working with the farmers of New Mexico, trying to establish a better marketing system, also means of distribution of farm products. At this particular meeting he will take up the cream problem of this locality. It is very fortunate indeed that we can have this man with us. Let us give him a large crowd and show to him the interest we have in this problem. He has helped the bean growers of New Mexico, also potato associations. Let us get him to help us.  
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**VII. WAR'S HORRIBLE WASTE**

Mr. R. C. Leffingwell was the assistant secretary of the treasury in charge of finances during the war. While he was in the treasury he became deeply impressed with the magnitude of government expenditures and the looseness, inefficiency and waste that are a part of government method. All the secretaries of the treasury since the outbreak of the war have shared this feeling of apprehension and concern with Mr. Leffingwell. I quote here a recent utterance of his on war expenditures:

"Of the \$4,000,000,000, exclusive of interest on the public debt, spent in the fiscal year 1921, \$1,101,615,013.92 was spent by the War department, \$950,375,835.58 by the Navy department, \$900,000,000 on the railroads, \$290,000,000 by the bureau of war risk insurance, and \$337,814,897.01 by the Interior department, mostly, I take it, for Civil war and Spanish war pensions—a total of \$3,080,000,000 under these heads.

"In the fiscal year 1920 the War department spent \$1,610,000,000, and the Navy department \$740,000,000, a total of \$2,350,000,000. Secretary Mellon estimates that in the fiscal year, 1921, the War department will spend \$1,025,000,000, and the Navy department \$700,000,000, a total of \$1,725,000,000; and that in the fiscal year, 1922, the War department will spend \$570,000,000, and the Navy department \$545,000,000, a total of \$1,115,000,000. This makes a three-years' total of \$5,190,000,000.

"Germany went to war to realize on her investment in arms and armies. The burden of universal military service, expenditures on the army and navy, subsidies and doles, became intolerable. She thought she would repeat the exploit of 1870 and make war so profitable in territory and indemnities as to recoup herself for the outlay of 40 years' preparation. The splendid resistance of the Belgians and the French and of the little British expeditionary force made the short war a futile dream. The untrained manhood and unmortgaged resources of the Western World, of the British empire overseas, and finally of America, determined the issue. Germany suffered economic collapse, though her armies, beaten but not routed, were still on enemy soil. So Germany's military preparedness was her cause for making war and was the cause of her defeat. In the issue, it was economic preparedness that mattered most.

"Today, men, women and little children are starving to death in Europe because of the war's horrible waste and because of the still more horrible waste of after the war. Two years and a half after armistice, nearly two years after peace was concluded between Germany and the allies, millions of men are under arms, eating and wearing the produce of the fields and of the labor of a civilian population which must bear the load of taxes and inflation necessary to maintain those armies in economic idleness. The peoples of continental Europe are staggering under the load of armaments, far too great before the war and intolerable now. Their rulers hold themselves in power by subsidies and doles, by playing, now on their fears, and again on their avarice, still again on nationalistic ambitions or ancient racial hatreds. The allies have undertaken to insure Germany's economic

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recovery by insisting upon her disarmament and the payment of reparations which means the development of a huge export balance; but for themselves they reserve the doubtful privilege of remaining armed to the teeth.

"We have demonstrated our military power. We have shown what may be done in a few short months to make an army and transport it to wage a foreign war. We have no need to be aggressors abroad, we are invulnerable at home. Let us accept the responsibilities of the position of leadership which is ours, show the world how to beat swords into plowshares, relieve the peoples of the world of apprehension and lead them back into the ways of peace and plenty. If we prepare for war we shall have it. If we lead the world in preparation for peace we may have that."

**Steel Barrels.**

If the statements of the makers are well founded, it is probable that steel barrels will eventually take the place of wooden ones. The steel barrel is composed of staves of light material locked together by an ingenious device; the hoops and heads are also of steel. It is claimed that the steel barrel is more durable and more compact than the wooden one. As it is said to be lighter and cheaper, it has already had favor in various quarters. About 300,000,000 barrels are needed annually in normal times, to supply the demand in the United States. Flour mills use about 30,000,000, the sugar industry 40,000,000, and the cement industry 75,000,000.—Christian Science Monitor.

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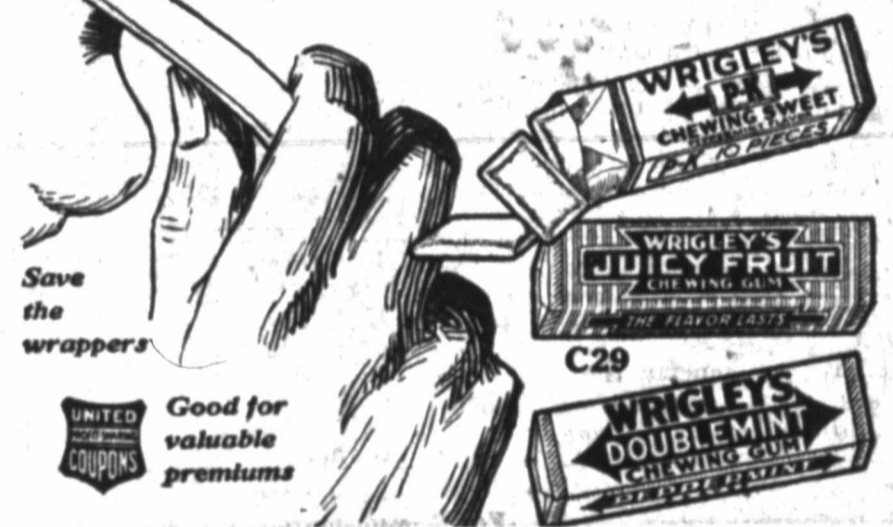
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Where Your Taxes Go... How Uncle Sam Spends Your Money in Conducting Your Business... By EDWARD G. LOWRY

WHERE YOUR MONEY GOES... I am indebted to the late Dr. E. B. Ross, of the United States bureau of standards, whose analyses of government expenditures I have already quoted in these articles...

THE GIRL, THE HORSE AND THE DOG

(Continued from Page 6) "Uh-huh; I reckon there was. They might 'a' gone on down to Angela. There's a justice o' the peace down there."



Daddy and I Were Eating When We Saw the Army Coming.

men came on, leaving their guns behind. There was a climb of about thirty feet, maybe, coming up from the bench to the ledge upon which the mine buildings stood...

Legal Publications

In the District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico. J. C. Cox, plaintiff, vs. Ralph B. Converse, Hazel Converse, The Irrigated Farms Mortgage Company, Portales Utilities Company, Carl Heim, and A. A. Rogers Defendants.

NOTICE OF SALE. Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned Special Master under and by virtue of a judgment and decree of foreclosure of the District Court in and for Roosevelt county, New Mexico, rendered on the 7th day of December, 1921...

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., February 24, 1922.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Isolated Tract. PUBLIC LAND SALE. Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Feb. 9, 1922.

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE. Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Feb. 11, 1922. Notice is hereby given that Jonah B. Hamlett, of Upton, N. M., who, on May 19, 1917 made homestead entry No. 016711 for NW 1/4 Sec. 34, NE 1/4 Sec. 33, township 1 south, range 30 east, N. M. P. Meridian...

and sell said property as provided by law and to apply the proceeds to the satisfaction of plaintiff's judgment and demands. Therefore, pursuant to said judgment and decree of order of sale, the undersigned, special commissioner, will on the 8th day of April, 1922, at the northeast front door of the court house in the town of Portales, New Mexico, sell said described property at public vendue...

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., February 24, 1922. Notice is hereby given that George E. Fuller, of Causey, N. M., who, on October 6th, 1917, made homestead entry No. 017349 for NW 1/4 section 14, township 5 S., range 36 E., N. M. P. Meridian...

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE. Whereas on the 8th day of February, 1922, in cause numbered 1696, pending in the District Court of the Ninth Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, in and for Roosevelt county, wherein George L. Reese is plaintiff and Nu-Mex Oil Company, H. S. Lewis, J. F. Hallwegen and C. V. Harris, receiver, are defendants, the plaintiff recovered a decree in the total sum of \$576.40 and the foreclosure of a chattel mortgage securing said sum upon the following described personal property...

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M., Feb. 6, 1922. Notice is hereby given that Charlie K. Fisher, of Bluit, N. M., who, on October 10, 1918, made grazing entry No. 044574 for 8 1/2 Sec. 23; N 1/2 Sec. 26, township 8 south, range 37 East, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make 3-year proof to establish claim to the land above-described, before U. S. Commissioner at Jenkins, N. M., on the 18th day of March, 1922.

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT Office of Comptroller of the Currency Washington, January 12, 1922. Whereas, by satisfactory presentation to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that the National Bank of Portales, in the Town of Portales, in the County of Roosevelt, and State of New Mexico, has complied with all the provisions of the Act of Congress...

NOTICE OF FILING OF FINAL ACCOUNT. Notice is hereby given that T. Smith, administrator of the estate of John McKinney, deceased, in cause No. 174, in the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, has filed his final account in said estate and the court has appointed the second day of May, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., as the day and hour for hearing and final settlement of said account; all persons interested in said estate are hereby notified to appear and file any objections they may have to said account on or before the 18th day of March, 1922, at 10:00 o'clock a. m.

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### Americans Find Armenians Victims of Circumstances, not Beggars

The Armenian government would soon be able to work out its own solution if it could enjoy a brief period of peace, in the opinion of an American Commission which has just returned to the United States after an exhaustive survey of the situation in the Levant.

This Commission, which was sent out by the Near East Relief, made a personal inspection of conditions from Syria to the Caucasus Mountains. In addition, the reports of relief workers who have been long on the field and of government officials carefully examined.

"In those few districts where the Armenian has been able to live in peace he has thoroughly demonstrated his ability to care for himself and his own," declares Chas. V. Vickers, general secretary of the relief organization, who headed the Commission.

"Naturally industrious, with an inherent distaste for accepting charity, it has been the wholesale disorders of the past year that have prevented the people from realizing their cherished dream of a stable, independent government."

"Even in the present crisis, with starvation and cholera making such rapid inroads into the population that it is impossible for any to survive, the people are struggling bravely against overpowering circumstances."

"Armenia is starving, not because her people are depending on outside aid for their existence but because occupation of their land by hostile forces and the consequent interruption of normal occupation, have made them helpless."



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#### Homeless Waifs at Erivan Railroad Station

"Time after time since the outbreak of the world war, the Armenians have made a brave attempt to cultivate their land. And time after time some new disorder has prevented them from gathering their crops or laid waste their fields before the grain has ripened and been gathered in."

"After two years of American relief activity it seemed last fall as if we would be able to reduce our program in Russian Armenia to the care of the children we had gathered into our orphanages. But then came the new invasion, crops were trampled down in the fields, live stock was driven from their homes."

"We may not be able to save all of the helpless refugees who are now crowded in this territory, but we certainly cannot desert the hundred thousand orphan children who are now in our orphanages or under our protection in the Caucasus, Anatolia, Cilicia and other devastated areas of the Near East. Last spring, when our supplies ran low, 3,000 of these children died out of a total of 20,000 in one of our orphanages. These children are absolutely dependent upon aid from America and will perish if our aid is withheld."

"Next year, if further chaos can be avoided, possibly we will be able to reduce our program, but prompt action is necessary now or for thousands there will be no next year."

Quite a number of the people around here attended the basketball game between Rogers and Portales Saturday night on the Portales court.

The ladies around here are busy setting hens.

When you see someone go by in a new Ford, you had better get out of the road.

Frank Brown likes to go to Portales often. We wonder what his reason can be!

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#### ROGERS RUMBLINGS

Mother Earth is wearing her white cap again.

The basket ball game between Rogers High school boys and girls and Portales Highs, the score of both games being in Portales favor.

School is progressing nicely, not a very large attendance today on account of sickness and bad weather.

Miss Virginia Marek spent Saturday night and Sunday with the Misses Gladys and Bernice Maxwell.

Misses Marguerite and Marie Phillips, Ruth Wilson and Mr. Ben Duke took dinner in the J. D. Autry home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Maxwell and little son, Calvin, and Grandma Maxwell took dinner with Prof. and Mrs. Smith last Sunday.

Several from this place attended church at Mt. Zion last Sunday, Rev. Blair delivering a good message.

Singing last Sunday night was well attended by a large crowd of good singers. Arrangements were made and funds raised to get new song books for the class.

Our school is the finest it has ever been since the country was settled up. We give the credit to the faculty and the superintendent.

Mrs. Duran, the county demonstrator, and County Agent Will visited our school last Thursday, measuring and weighing the children, finding a very small per cent of the children under weight. After this the county agent put on a moving picture show especially for the smaller children which was certainly enjoyed by all.

Last Friday the teachers, surprised the pupils with a most interesting program, which was well rendered.

Miss Gussie Esau spent Friday night with Miss Ruth Wilson and Marguerite Phillips.

C. C. Maxwell who has been at Hot Springs, New Mexico, returned last Friday, reported that a fine place to go.

There will be singing at Rogers next Sunday night. Everyone invited to come and join in the singing.

Smith. Our school is rather lonesome without these pupils and we hope they will be able to return to school soon.

The Richland basket ball team played the Portales team last Friday but failed to carry off the blue ribbon by one score. The score was 28 and 29.

The mid-term examinations will be held some time this week to see who is WHO and WHY.

Mr. Miller has been absent on account of his little boy's illness, but as he is better we are glad to have him back again. His place as teacher was well filled by Mr. Partin and Mr. Butts drove the truck for him.

The tenth grade debated last Wednesday evening on the question of, "Resolved: that the U. S. army and navy should be reduced." The affirmative were defeated although both sides did some good debating. The next debate will be by the ninth grade on the question, "Resolved: that

the Japs should not be allowed to come into the United States."

Mr. Boyd Rice spent Saturday night with Lester Powers and Saturday eve with Miss Sybil Lyons.

The students of the ninth grade have missed Jack Williamson as he has been absent on account of his mother's illness but we are glad to have him return.

Mr. Ben Hinsley is out here from Oklahoma on business.

#### RICHLAND REVIEW

Honor Roll

12th Grade—Wanda Smith.

10th Grade—Jim Partin, Frances Hicks, Lawson Halford.

9th Grade—Dovie Stigall, Tolbert Smith.

8th Grade—Bernice Bradford, Icie Stigall.

7th Grade—Willie Creamer, Gladys Adkins, Birdie Loughridge, Blanche Slaten, Mae Horter.

6th Grade—Martha Evelyn Hodges.

4th Grade—Arsnow Rightmer, Chester Hobbs.

3rd Grade—J. R. Smith, Walter Adkins.

2nd Grade—Vivian Schwartz, Edmund Schwartz, Addie Wilson, Lecl Alexander.

1st Grade—Woodrow Slaten, Lecky Lott, Bonnie Helmer.

Primary—Frances Hodges, Tinnie Alexander, Monroe Wilson, Wesley Lott.

There has been organized at Richland a denominational Sunday school consisting of four different kinds of literature, Baptist, Methodist, Union and Christian which will be used quarter about.

There is a great deal of sickness in this community at present mainly of mumps and pneumonia. Donald Gordon, Bryant Partin, Dovie Stigall, Harold Radcliff, Walter George Short, are some of the mumps victims and of pneumonia Irene Partin, Lona Fritchett, Earnest Moore and Wanda

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#### TO THE VOTERS OF ROOSEVELT COUNTY

I regret that it has been impossible for me to meet with you for the last two weeks, owing to being laid up with the mumps.

I take this method of informing my friends and voters that I hope to be able soon to give my candidacy for sheriff the proper attention and in the meantime will appreciate anything done for me.

Yours, truly,

JOE (J. C.) WALTERS.

#### TO THE VOTERS:

Owing to the illness of my mother and brother, I am not at present able to make an active canvass for the office of County Superintendent.

I take this method of calling the attention of the voters of Roosevelt county to my candidacy and ask them to use their influence in my behalf.

JOHN W. WILLIAMSON.

The Portales Valley Sweet Potato Growers Association are considering sending a man to California to look after the sales of the sweet potato crop. Breaking into this market will mean much for the industry, and the Portales Valley Product will go out bearing the label of the association from now on.

The cold weather for the past sixty days speaks well for the salvation of the fruit crop. And when Roosevelt county fruit does hit, it cannot be excelled by the choicest California variety.

#### FRIENDSHIP VALLEY

Quite a number of people here have been on the sick list with lagrippe, but are improving at this writing.

G. B. Coleman is still very busy hauling grain.

Clarence Haskew of Portales visited relatives here the last of the week.

Mrs. J. L. Lindley and children of Crowell, Texas, are visiting with relatives, the Oney family.

Clarke Roberson has been visiting with his brother Jim Roberson.

Some of the young folks around

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here attended singing at Rogers Sunday night, and reported some fine singing. (Why sure, just look who sings.)

Miss Virginia Marek entertained a number of her friends last Wednesday evening. Music and games were enjoyed by all. At a late hour the crowd departed declaring that they had a fine time.

Most of the farmers around here have been hauling grain to town.

Miss Thelma Powell spent Wednesday night with her pal, Virginia Marek.

Mrs. Ida Givens of Clovis is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Lutz.

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