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Portales Starts New Year With Building Program

Portales continues to grow, and that 1928 will be a prosperous year is indicated by the number of new business buildings which have been contracted and which are now under way.

Ed J. Neer has a crew of workmen busy tearing out and moving back to the alley, the building occupied by the Woodell Produce Company.

On his lots between the N. M. Drug Co. and Poteet Barber Shop he will erect three tile buildings 15x35 feet with solid glass fronts. One of these buildings will be occupied by Dr. Owens' shoe and harness shop.

One will be occupied by the Poteet Barber Shop, and one will be for rent.

The Woodell Produce Co. will occupy the building now occupied by the Poteet Barber Shop as soon as the new buildings are completed. In the meanwhile they will conduct their cream and produce business in the building they now occupy, only it is moved to the back of the lot on the alley. Mr. Woodell states that cream will be received from the curb as in the past and that he will have a man there to take care of his customers.

Ed Ross will soon begin the erection of two brick buildings on the lots now occupied by his market and the Portola Cafe. These buildings will be 12x50 and 14x50 feet and he is considering making them two story.

Across the street, where the fire destroyed the Dickbreder building, the wreckage is being torn away preparatory to the building of a brick 25x6 feet.

On the lot between this building and the W. E. Crow property, J. W. Clem announces that he will erect a brick 30x60 feet.

J. B. Priddy, who owns the building occupied by the candy kitchen which was damaged in the recent fire, states that he will probably build a brick on this lot, but has not fully decided at this time. It is rumored that Mr. Bouldin might erect a brick on his lot next to the Portola, but the report could not be verified.

However, the above building activities show that the property owners of the town have confidence in the future of Portales, and that they expect a healthy growth through the year of 1928.

All Dressed Up and Nowhere To Go

This is the condition that W. W. VanWinkle finds his business in. He is forced out of his present location and on Wednesday afternoon stated that he did not know where he was going to move, but that he expected to make the move this week.

The building that has been occupied by Mr. VanWinkle will be occupied by the Ashley Produce Co.

Prof. Bickley Will Conduct Men's Class

Prof. Bickley, superintendent of the city schools of Clovis, will have charge of the Men's Bible Class at the First Methodist church Sunday morning. Every member of the class, as well as visitors, are urged to be present.

Mrs. H. M. Livingston has received a message conveying the news of the crossing over of her sister, Mrs. Richard Livingston, Livingston, Wisconsin, on Dec. 28. Mrs. Livingston has a host of friends here who deeply sympathize with her in her sorrow.

A CORRECTION

Mrs. M. L. Moore was in Saturday, Dec. 31st, and stated to The News in regard to the reported on the Midway filling station, that there had been no raid on the place since they have had possession, and that no whiskey was there or sold from there.

That the facts in the case mentioned, were that on the night of December 17th, a dance was given at the Midway Filling Station, which is also the home of Mr. and Mrs. Moore, and that while the dance was in progress, the officers arrested two boys, capturing some amount of liquor which was found in their car, but that this was in no way connected with this place, and no more so than the holding of parties on the streets of Portales with whiskey in their possession would be considered a raid on business houses of Portales.

Walker Dismissed In Preliminary

On last Saturday the court house was packed, people coming from many miles to attend the preliminary hearing of R. S. Walker, charged with manslaughter, in the case where Jimmie Johnson lost his life on the 26th of December.

Many witnesses were examined, and the trial consumed the entire day.

After weighing the evidence, Justice Campbell dismissed the charge, stating that he found no evidence warranting the holding of Walker for the slaying of Johnson.

Winners Named For Tenth Club Contest

The Tenth Annual State Club Contest, which was postponed from October until December on account of a threatened epidemic of contagious disease, was held December 28 to 30 at the New Mexico College of Agriculture and Mechanical Arts. Due to the postponement of the contest and the prevailing stormy weather, the attendance was light as compared with that of previous years, there being present only 135 club members, county agents and chaperons. However, the lack of interest shown and the quality of the demonstrations put on by those attending. The work done by the contestants was fully equal to anything in that line ever presented at previous contests.

The right to represent New Mexico as Grand Champions at the Denver Stock Show was won by the stock judging team from Lea county, composed of Bernard Love, Floyd Gray and Clifford Gray; the Dopa Ana county baking team, Marguerite Taylor and Yuki Yabumoto; and in the miscellaneous work, the Curry county team, Bernard Love and Austin Brooks, who won the place on their demonstration on milk testing. The highest individual score in livestock judging also went to Clifford Gray.

Three Indian schools were represented at the contest, the Pueblos in Taos and Valencia counties and the Mescalero Agency in Otero county. All of these teams gave very creditable demonstrations. The Taos county team placing third in sewing and the team from Valencia county also placing third in the miscellaneous group. The team from Taos county was accompanied by H. L. Morrison, Day School Inspector, and Miss Corryne Monroe, and the Valencia team by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Whitman.

Two days of the contest were devoted to demonstrations and stock judging and the winners were announced the evening of the second day, and awards given. Friday, the third day of the contest, was devoted to an inspection tour of different manufacturing plants, etc. in El Paso, embracing the smelter, Globe Mills, Rio Grande Dairy, Peyton Packing Co., and El Paso Herald-Times establishment. Lunch was furnished the party by the El Paso Chamber of Commerce and El Paso merchants have also contributed liberally to the fund for the medals awarded the winning club members.

WINNERS AT STATE CLUB
State College, New Mexico
December 28-29, 1927

Livestock, Poultry, Horticulture
And Crops Demonstration
1927

Livestock Judging
Given by Palace of Class, Name, County and Points.

HIGHEST TEAMS
First (Grand Champions) Bernard Love, Floyd Gray, Clifford Gray, Lea, 4485.

Second: Bob McKinley, Leland Bryan, Richard Johnson, San Miguel, 4181.

Third: Randall Eckes, Ernest Pegau, Robert Pegau, Bernalillo, 3840.

HIGHEST INDIVIDUALS
All Classes

First: Clifford Gray, Lea, 1535.
Second: Floyd Gray, Lea, 1490.
Third: Bernard Love, Lea, 1460.

DAIRY CLASSES
Jersey, Leland Bryan, San Miguel, Bernard Love, Lea, 190.
Guernsey: Floyd Gray, Lea, 192.
Holstein: Bernard Love, Lea, 190.

DAIRY CATTLE
First: Bernard Love, Lea, 405.
Second: Richard Johnson, San Miguel, 400.
Third: Floyd Gray, Lea, 397.

BEEF CLASSES
Hereford: Clifford Gray, Lea, 155.
Shorthorn: Bob McKinley, Leland Bryan, Richard Johnson, San Miguel, Clifford Gray, Lea, 25.
Fat: Clifford Gray, Lea, 180.

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Marking of the New Calendar



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Poultry Lecture January 9th, 1928

In line with the increased interest of the farmers of Roosevelt county in poultry raising, and to bring to them the best information and advice on this subject, the Portales Chamber of Commerce has arranged for a lecture on poultry raising. This lecture will be given in the form of a play entitled "The Lay of a Hen." It is a four act, four character play put on by poultry experts and covers every phase of poultry raising.

This play comes recommended by A. & M. colleges, universities, Chambers of Commerce and poultry organizations from all over the country. It has been shown in 38 states and has been seen by approximately 150,000 people. It is a new and interesting way of putting across a lesson in more profitable poultry raising. The five points are breeding, feeding, housing, culling and record keeping.

This play will be held at the auditorium of the Portales High School, Monday, January 9th, at 7:30 p. m. and should be seen by every agricultural teacher, student and farmer in the county. There is no admission charge. Tickets have been mailed to different communities in care of the schools, and may be had at the office of the Chamber of Commerce or at the auditorium.

WOMAN'S CLUB TO HAVE LECTURE-RECITAL ON GUEST DAY

The next meeting of the Woman's Club will be a lecture-recital on the Romantic Period in the History of Music in charge of Mrs. J. Howard Brown. It will be held on Wednesday, January 11, at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. T. A. Martin, with the social committee in charge of the social features of the occasion. Each member may bring one guest to this meeting.

ANOTHER PRIZE FOR ROOSEVELT COUNTY

Miss Kerr has received a message to the effect that the Roosevelt county 4H club exhibit by which the state of New Mexico was represented at the recent National Club Congress in Chicago, placed seventh with a prize of seven dollars and fifty cents. Roosevelt county also represented her state at the Club Congress in 1926 and won a prize of five dollars at that time.

NEW LOCATION

Dr. R. W. Means, Portales' very efficient dentist, is now located in his new dental parlors in the upper story of the new Forrest building on State street, just off Colorado. The doctor has been a resident of Portales some six years and has in that time acquired quite an extensive practice; he believes in keeping abreast of the times in his chosen profession, using modern equipment and up-to-date sanitary methods in his practice.

He will be pleased to meet all patrons in his new dental home.

Better Radio Service For Portales Citizens

N. M. Utilities has recently received a test set to aid in detecting radio interference from power lines and for the past week, T. A. Martin of the Utilities Company, and Gordon Lockard, local radio expert, have been busy running down the trouble and making corrections which will greatly aid in radio reception in Portales.

CLUB GIRL WINS CANNING PRIZE

Thelma Jones of Roosevelt county won fourth place in meat canning at the exhibit held by the Hazel-Atlas Jar Company in connection with the Sixth Annual Boys' and Girls' Club Congress. This club congress was held during the International Livestock Show in Chicago from November 25 to December 2.

This contest was open to all 4-H club members and 1400 jars of fruit, vegetables and meats, put up by canning clubs and schools where home economics is taught, were entered in this year's contest. The exhibit was on display during the club congress in the Boys' and Girls' building.

The canned meat upon which Miss Jones took fourth place was a jar of stewed chicken, a part of her exhibit which took first place in third year canning at the state contest.

Miss Jones is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Jones of Floyd and has been a faithful, persevering club member, having done three years of canning club work, as well as work in a cooking club during 1925 and 1926.

When the competition in such an event as the National Club Congress is taken into consideration, Miss Jones is indeed to be congratulated upon her achievement. It is an honor for New Mexico and Roosevelt county and speaks well for the class of club work that is being conducted in the state.

Red Cross Thanks Legion Auxiliary

The local American Legion Auxiliary unit recently received a letter of thanks from the Red Cross Field Secretary at El Paso for Christmas gifts sent to three disabled service men whose names had been sent to the Auxiliary by the Red Cross. For these gifts the local unit spent some of the money so generously contributed to the Poppy Fund last Memorial day.

The Poppy Fund is used exclusively for welfare work among service men and their families. Quite recently a contribution of ten dollars was made to the family of a hopelessly disabled soldier in the state to whom the state auxiliary asked all local units to contribute. The case was an exceptionally needy one.

Most of the Poppy Fund is reserved for use in the county. In case of great need or opportunity for service here, the state organization would ask other units over the state to assist the local unit.

Eastern Star Holds Ann'l. Installation

At a special meeting of the Eastern Star last Thursday, the annual installation of officers was held; Mrs. E. T. Moody and J. C. Compton, retiring Worthy Matron and Patron, presided. The new panel of officers is as follows:

Mrs. Virgie Copeland, Worthy Matron.
C. M. Compton, Worthy Patron.
Mrs. S. B. Fletcher, Associate Matron.
Mrs. C. M. Compton, Conductress.
Mrs. S. M. Seay, Associate Conductress.

Miss Bess Dehoney, Secretary.
Mrs. S. N. Hancock, treasurer.
Miss Lucile Rowley, Marshal.
A. H. Sweetland, Chaplain.
Mrs. T. A. Martin, pianist.
Mrs. H. F. Wood, Adah.
Mrs. Coe Howard, Ruth.
Mrs. Henry Carroll, Esther.
Mrs. H. T. Brasell, Martha.
Mrs. Fred Luper, Electra.
E. T. Moody, Sentinel.

Four new members were initiated prior to the installation service. They were Mrs. and Mrs. J. R. Poindexter, Rufus Stinnett and Ray Bonner.

1927 was a splendid year in the work of the local chapter. The organization is in better financial condition than it has been for some years. During the year, 28 applications for membership were received, 24 new members were initiated and two affiliated with the chapter. Two of the applicants have not been initiated. An outstanding social event of the year was a large banquet given by the chapter for Masons and their wives.

At the close of the evening, C. M. Compton, newly-elected Worthy Patron, gave a splendid talk on the significance of the Masonic and Eastern Star organization in the promotion of world friendship and world peace.

A social hour followed, during which time the refreshment committee served a most acceptable lunch.

L. A. Tolliver of Floyd was in town Tuesday and stated that the farmers of his section were in better shape than they had been in years, and that with a reasonable season for the coming crop year, he saw no reason why the county would not be prosperous.

HOME FROM CLUB ENCAMPMENT

The county champion 4H club canning team, Misses Vernie Hudgins and Mayme Davis of Floyd, accompanied by County Extension Agent Miss Sara Kerr and local leader Mrs. J. I. Jones and son, Floyd, and the champion crop team of Roosevelt county, Bruce Lackey and Orville Harris, of Rogers, accompanied by County Agent R. R. Will, returned Saturday night from the club encampment at the State College.

The canning team placed second and won silver medals bearing the club emblem—the four-leaf clover. The crop team missed the state championship by a very small margin.

Chamber of Commerce Raising Funds For E. N. M. Normal Site

The Board of Regents of the Eastern New Mexico Normal School are now ready to select site for the normal buildings in Portales.

A number of proposed sites have been tendered the board, and a selection will be made within the next week or so.

In securing the Normal location at Portales, the town pledged the donation of the grounds. To fulfill this pledge necessitates the raising of \$7,000.00 immediately.

Committees from the Portales Chamber of Commerce are now in the field raising this amount. You will be called upon this week for assistance. Be very liberal and get the grounds located, so that everything will be ready to go before the next legislature for an appropriation for the buildings and operating funds.

Old Time Cowman Goes On His Last Big Round-Up

Ben Baker, a pioneer of south-eastern New Mexico and one of the best known cowmen on the eastern slope of the state, died just before midnight Sunday night at St. Mary's hospital after only a brief illness. Mr. Baker had not been well for a number of years, but until early last week was in as good health as usual.

Mr. Baker, aged sixty eight, was well and favorably known by all the stockmen in this section of the state, having lived here for over 40 years.—Roswell Record.

SWEET POTATOES FEATURED S. C. CLUB DEMONSTRATION

Team Places Second in Canning Division

How to cook and can sweet potatoes was the subject of the demonstration given by the Floyd girls' canning club champion team of the county, at the state club encampment last week at State College, near Las Cruces. Miss Vernie Hudgins and Miss Mayme Davis were the members of this team, whose demonstration won second place in the canning division.

In their demonstration the girls gave much interesting information about the sweet potato plant and the methods by which it is raised and cured here in the Portales Valley, and gave many suggestions for the use of sweets in the menu. They gave some statistics about the quantity grown here, and the markets to which they are sent. The girls have thus been instrumental in spreading the name and fame of the Portales Valley and its sweet potatoes to the state club members, club workers and extension leaders who attended the demonstrations at the annual club encampment.

The girls gave out some printed sheets containing a number of recipes and suggestions for use of sweet potatoes. These will soon be printed in The News columns.

The girls left Portales last Tuesday morning, spent Wednesday and Thursday at the College, spent Friday in El Paso, where they had an opportunity of going through a number of large industrial establishments, a co-operative dairy, a packing plant, newspaper office and smelter. On Saturday they made the return trip.

C. V. Harris reports the best holiday sales in the history of his store.

H. M. C. ELECTION

The H. M. C. met in regular session Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 4th, at the court house, with seventeen ladies in attendance.

The session was purely business, this being the time for the annual election of officers. The result of the election is as follows:

President, Mrs. Fred Orr.
First Vice President, Mrs. J. P. Ford.
Second Vice President, Mrs. T. A. Martin.
Sec.-Treasurer, Mrs. W. H. Catt.
Next meeting Wednesday, Jan. 18, with Miss Kerr at her apartment on Utah street. Subject: "The Home Maker and Her Job."

Leader, Mrs. T. E. Livingston. Roll call response: "A tribute to home." The social hour will be in the nature of a reception to the new officers.

Bronson Cutting Appointed United States Senator

On Thursday of last week, Gov. Dillon appointed Bronson Cutting of Santa Fe to fill the unexpired term of Senator A. A. Jones, deceased.

The public will watch with interest to see if Col. Cutting fills the place with credit to himself, the state of New Mexico and his worthy predecessor.

A. AND M. BANQUET AT FLOYD

One of the pleasantest events of the holiday season was a banquet at Floyd December 21, given by the boys who attend A. and M. College for their parents and friends. The occasion had been planned by the boys even before they came home. Each of the boys gave talks, telling of their work, their freshman initiations and college experience in general. Several of the fathers spoke. Mr. and Mrs. Lang were present, and Mrs. Lang's father, Mr. Howard, teacher in the University of Minnesota, made a talk that was much appreciated.

MAYOR INSTALLS NEW HEATING PLANT IN HOME

The Roswell Pump and Supply Company have just completed the installation of a Success Hot Air Heating System in the home of Mayor Bryant.

THANKFUL

Portales, N. Mex. 12-30-27. With the closing of another year, will say that I, for one, have lots to be thankful for and believe most every one feels as I do; and especially those who live in the Sunshine State. Although it has been very disagreeable the past ten days, we are looking forward to the beautiful summers we have here. We hear lots of complaining about hard times, but if every one would do their part the country will stand the test when other countries fail. We have been in Mexico 22 years and we have never made a complete failure. Let's everybody try and make 1928 the best ever. Do unto others and you would have others do unto you; and at the close of the year I believe we will feel better and be more willing for God's will to be done.

I will bring my letter to a close by wishing one and all a prosperous year.

Mrs. G. W. Atkins.

Once more the constant sun, Revolving round the sphere, Its steady course has run And brings another year.

Market Reports

The following markets prevailed at the close of business on Wednesday, Jan. 4th:

Kaffir and maize, threshed	 \$1.05 cwt.
Shelled corn	 \$1.25 cwt.
Maize and kaffir heads	 \$13.00 ton.
Ear Corn	 \$12.00 ton.
Hogs	 \$7.75 cwt.
Heavy hens	 17c
Light hens	 12c
Leghorn hens	 11c
Springs	 10c
Leghorn springs	 10c
Roosters	 5c
Eggs, per dozen	 33 1/2c
Butter fat, per pound	 42c
Dry hides	 15c
Green hides	 12c

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DEMOCRATIC IN POLITICS

Portales Valley News bought Portales Herald-Times September 12, 1916.
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Portales Herald consolidated with Portales Times, March 27, 1923.

MEMBERS:
National Editorial Association
Pamphleteer Press Association
Southern New Mexico Press Association

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

IN NEW MEXICO
1 Year \$1.50
6 Months \$1.00
3 Months50

OUT OF NEW MEXICO
1 Year \$2.00
Alaska, Canada, Mexico \$2.50

In the death of Senator A. A. Jones, New Mexico suffers a loss that is felt in every section of the state. Senator Jones was one of the really big men in the United States Senate, and it is doubtful if his place can be filled. He was a man who had the welfare of his state and nation at heart and whose council was sought by men of affairs whenever important legislation came before that body. New Mexico mourns his loss, and his name will go down in history as a true patriot, honored and revered by people of every political faith.

FIGHTING THE NEWSPAPER

The mistaken idea with some people is that the newspaper is an individual proposition. If they do not like the editor, they feel they must knock the paper and stand in the way of its success whenever possible. They do not realize that the local paper is just as much a part of the community as the schools, churches, or any thing else. The newspaper is different from any other business. It is a community affair. It is for service to the people and not for any individual. You may not like the editor and the editor may not love you any too well—but the paper he is responsible for does just as much for you as the service rendered others. There is nothing personal with it, it is here for a purpose and that purpose is to do what good it can in every way it can; the greater the support of those it undertakes to serve the better service it can render. It takes the people to make a good newspaper and without the help of the people, no one can run a successful newspaper. It requires money to operate any kind of business—even the churches, and the papers are no exception, and for this reason they must have the financial support of the business interests as well as the good will. —Bristow (Okla.) Daily Record.

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Announcements

DEMOCRATIC

RATES

County and District \$12.50
Precinct and City \$10.00

Names of Nominees Will Be Carried To Time of General Election

The following announcements are made subject to the action of the democratic primaries of Roosevelt County:

For County Clerk—
JOHN W. BALLOW

For County Treasurer—
A. J. GOODWIN

For Sheriff—
S. T. (TOM) JERNIGAN
J. G. COX
JOE BEASLEY
COLEMAN PENDLEY

For District Attorney (Ninth Judicial District)—
J. C. COMPTON

THE "HICK" TOWN

The so-called "hick" town has been, now is and ever shall be, a source of great inspiration to the professional humorists. "Main Street" didn't make it so. And it was so before the commuters in Hicksville, L. I., tried to change the town's name because it gave a wrong impression of the "exclusive suburb."

Humorists, novelists, and urban provincials define the hick town as a place where even policemen sleep at night; where "central" can tell you whether it is a boy or a girl; where the neighbors can supply you with a conscience if you lack one; where there is no traffic or parking problem except on Saturday night; where one knows the family in the next block better than people in adjoining city apartments know each other.

But that is only part of the definition. The hick town is the place that produced twenty-six out of twenty-nine presidents of the United States; where seven out of ten of the immortals in the American Hall of Fame began ascending the ladder to immortality; where most of the great men and women of today call home. The nation in its hour of need went to a hick town for Abe Lincoln. And great cities from little hick towns grow. And a hick town is a place where a boy has an excellent opportunity to lay the foundation of future greatness.—Rutland (Vt.) Herald.

Some of the modern hair styles were in vogue about 400 years ago in England.

The Boss: "Robert, I hope you try to save half of what you earn."
Office Boy: "I don't get that much, sir."

The Portales Valley News will pay cash and the highest price for your clean cotton rags. We will buy all you have. Bring them in now.



INK SPOTS BY THE LINO OF

Well, several things have happened since our last effort at—er—you name it. Santa Claus, Christmas, a birthday, new year's and the family physician have all visited our house; and the old purge has ample space to care for the dinero owned and controled by ye Op.

Reading state papers the past week, we saw where some mother (or am a wrong) in Oklahoma was endeavoring to relieve herself and husband of the burden of a small babe. Said they were intending to see the country and a child would hamper them in traveling. She asked some one to please take the baby as their own as she did not want it.

The rate has undoubtedly increased since P. T. Barnum made his famous wise-crack.
Or possibly he was not up on his figures.
And each issue of the papers carries an article of some child being kidnapped by some one calling themselves a ridiculous name.

And one great back-set the law officers of today receive is that the metropolitan papers give long interviews with the criminal and tell how he feels and describe him as a wayward boy—a child who has made an error and is sorry. They paint him up as everything on earth except what he really is—a criminal who deserves the worst the law can mete out.

And the machinery of the law is hampered by any number of technicalities, which are no more than loop-holes through which the murderers escape.

Although the Kansas City youth has signed confessions of numerous crimes of the past two years, he will plead not guilty—with the

CRIME REMEDY SUGGESTED

At a recent conference on press relations at the University of Virginia's Institute of Public Affairs at Charlottesville, Judge Archie Dabney of that city declared that if the press would paint the criminal in his true colors it would do more for the suppression of crime than all the court reforms ever attempted.

"Let the court reporter show the criminal as he is, not a hero or a martyr, but a degenerate, a diseased creature, if not abnormal at least subnormal, and a weakling without manly vigor to resist the temptation to do wrong," he said. "The reporter should appeal to the sporting instinct of the public by showing that the criminal is one who has taken unfair advantage of his victim."—N. E. A. Bulletin.

entire world knowing that no one was ever more so.

Really, it is sometimes hard to tell just who is the victim, the one brutally killed or the dear boy who has made a mistake—for which he is sorry.

And I doubt if ever there was a criminal caught who failed to advise the youth of the nation to go straight, as Edward Hickman has done. And the dailies play it up in a box on page one or headlines that you cannot fail to see.

And the longer one of the calibre of Hickman and Hassel waits for trial, the harder it is for the law to bring the wrath of justice upon their heads. People are all fickle and soon forget the brutality of the crime when thinking of how sorry they are for the wayward lad who has been caught.

Sympathy for such as Hickman places in danger the household of every man in the nation, and invites disaster to the children of another generation.

But few, in reading of this episode in criminal history, think of the suffering that has been brought upon the family of Perry Parker.

WILL EXPLORE FOLSOM CAVES

Hugo Seaberg, who yesterday returned from Folsom, where he went to investigate at first hand the possibility of developing as a tourist asset the caverns of that region, declared that steps would be taken at once to seek funds necessary for a thorough exploration of the region and its caves.

He was enthusiastic concerning the possibilities presented, convinced that one cavern in that area would prove to be as large and as wonderful as the famous Carlsbad cavern.

Another cave, known as an ice cave, from which ice is cut by the wagon load, and has been for years, Mr. Seaberg believes will be one of the most unique attractions of this kind in the entire world.

His definite plan is to have the matter brought before congress with a request for an appropriation for exploration, and also to have it brought to the attention of other organizations which might be interested in exploring these caverns.

Mr. Seaberg said that the cavern which, he believes, will prove as great as the Carlsbad cavern when explored, was discovered by a pros-

pector who was searching the region for diamond mine locations. The formations of the region, he said, are favorable to the possibility of finding diamonds there.

This cavern, which is entered through a cleft, three feet high and about eight feet wide, has never been explored further than 60 feet from its mouth.

A shale slide encountered at that distance warned the man who entered the cave of great danger, and he did not attempt to go further.

However, tossing a pebble into the cavern, he waited what seemed several seconds before he heard it strike bottom.—Raton (N. M.) Range.

Ben Clark's GENERAL SALE

Wednesday, January 11th 1928

I Will on the date mentioned at my farm 18 miles South and 8 miles East of Portales. 5 miles North of Garrison and 1/2 mile South of Longs school house, sell the following described property

ONE SPAN OF GRAY HORSES 8 OR 9 YEARS OLD, 1250 LBS. EACH—1 BLACK MARE 10 YEARS OLD 1100 LBS. —1 BAY MARE 9 YEARS OLD WEIGHT 1100 —1 GREY MARE 10 YEARS OLD WEIGHT 1250 —1 DUN MARE 7 YEARS OLD WEIGHT 1400 —1 BLACK HORSE 9 YEARS OLD, WEIGHT 1300 —1 BLUE HORSE 7 YEARS OLD, WEIGHT 1250 —1 GREY HORSE 12 YEARS OLD, WEIGHT 1250 —1 BAY HORSE 7 YEARS OLD, WEIGHT 1500

30 1/2 GALLON, FRUIT JARS. —1 KITCHEN CABINET. —1 RADIO WITH LOUD SPEAKER. —2 ROCKERS —4 STOOL CHAIRS —1 MILK COOLER. —1 HEATER.

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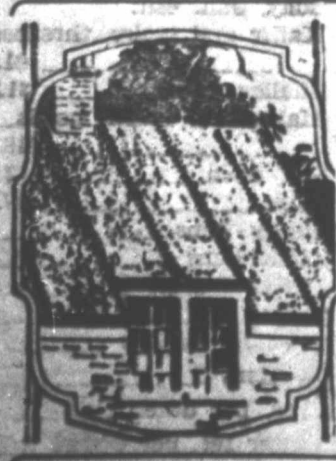
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CLAYTON DALE recently surveyed the mud on his new overcoat. An automobile had swept by, regardless of the thaw which ushered in the first day of the year, and left him plentifully bespattered.

"I shall make another resolution," said Mr. Dale, as he tried to flick the tenacious mud from his garment. Entering his office in the little prairie town where he was known as "our enterprising realtor," Mr. Clayton Dale, he seated himself at his desk and took from his pocket a memorandum book. It opened at a page inscribed, "New Year Resolutions," and Mr. Dale smiled grimly as he read the one and only entry: "Under no circumstances will I allow myself to be married to any female during this year.—C. D."

That entry had been made in a poignant moment. At just two o'clock that morning, on his way home from the Old Timers' ball, he had paused at his office to place his decision on record. It was the immediate result of the behavior of Miss Adeline Hill, who, after protesting to Mr. Dale that her program was full, had danced eight times with Amery Hodge, proprietor of the Pinville garage.

"Hodge-Hill," Mr. Dale commented bitterly. He took up his pencil and made a second entry. "I shall be careful to observe the speed limits and not to splash innocent pedestrians," he wrote.

At that moment his telephone rang. "Oh, Cliff, this is Adeline speaking. I am so glad I got you—"

"You are, eh? Well, you haven't got me yet, let me tell you, young woman—"

"Oh, Cliff, don't be silly! We're broke down. Dad and I, eight miles out on the main road south. Father has telephoned Mr. Hodge, but



Spattered Mud in Every Direction.

you know he is so unreliable. Won't you come?"

But Mr. Dale was firm. "Maybe I'd find your program full," he growled.

A silvery laugh over the wire disarmed him. "I'll explain all that—if you get here first," she said. Then she added, significantly, "There's more than a broken car at stake."

Mr. Dale made a dash out of his office, jumped into his car, and whizzed into Main street just as Amery Hodge turned in from the other side of the thoroughfare.

In a moment the two cars were abreast. They crossed the railway tracks, splattering mud in every direction.

Both drivers knew that just at the town limits the southbound road narrowed down to the width of one vehicle. The car which reached that narrow road last would have to remain behind for the rest of the trip.

Punching his accelerator down as far as it would go, Mr. Hodge, in his new speedster, got the edge on his adversary. But just as he swung into the country road his wheels skidded, and Mr. Dale slipped by, missing him by an inch. Fortunately there was a pool of muddy water at the spot, and when Mr. Dale glanced back the new speedster had the appearance of a resurrected scow.

Thereafter Dale set his own pace. Hodge overtook him, but could do nothing but hunk at the real estate magnate's car ambling on ahead.

At the stranded Hill car Adeline, her eyes warm with welcome, took Dale's hands in hers. "You win," she said.

"But I don't understand! Why did you turn me down last night?" "I'll tell you on the way home. Amery can help Dad out. After all, it's his car."

"His car?" "Yes, they drove on together Adeline explained. "I've been trying to get Dad to trade in the old car," she said, "but he and Mr. Hodge couldn't agree on the price. After eight dances last night Amery raised his bid a hundred dollars. That's a little better than twelve dollars a dance, isn't it?"

Mr. Dale took out his notebook and made another entry. "Resolutions Nos. 1 and 2 are vetoed by the president," it read. Then:

Adeline, you are a business woman," he said with profound admiration.

"Perhaps," she laughed. "But I've read enough poetry to know that Hill and Dale always go together."

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COMMON SENSE LIVING

BY THOMAS C. CLAYTON
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FOOD FOR SCHOOL CHILDREN

We may live without poetry, music and art;

We may live without conscience, and live without heart;

We may live without friends, we may live without books—

But civilized man cannot live without cooks.

He may live without books—what is knowledge but grieving?

He may live without hope—what is hope but deceiving?

He may live without love—what is passion but pining?

But where is the man who can live without dining?

—Owen Meredith.

With all respect to Meredith, the child must live before the man, and must be provided for if we want him to become a man.

Whether it is due to poverty or shiftless indifference, many children are attending school without any noon lunch. In some cases children are hurried off on the school truck without breakfast, and are given a little money to buy something to silence a gnawing hunger.

This way of raising children is nothing less than horrible. Even if the child has a good warm breakfast before he leaves home, no child should go all day without a noon lunch. If it be estimated in dollars and cents, it is loss to any community to permit its childhood population to grow up that way. A hungry child cannot do efficient work at school. His discomfort forces him to be an annoyance. Without any doubt at all children are often corrected at school for conduct which is the consequence of hunger—a poor breakfast, or no breakfast, or lunch.

In all seriousness: Which is the better outlay for the community—to provide voluntarily opportunity and comfort for the development of the children, or to be forced to provide hospitals, asylums and prisons for the adults?

When children are given a little money to buy a lunch near the school, stimulated by appetites already perverted by careless feeding, they too often buy the very things which never should go into a hungry stomach. The fact that the adult portion of a community is not awake to the injury its indifference causes, is a worse affliction to the community than the foibles of its children. The mistakes of children can easily be corrected, if the adult population will arouse to the situation. But neglected childhood assures another generation of inefficient adults.

Enough has already been said in this series to enable parents to select proper foods for their children; and it ought to be enough to arouse them to take such care. The things that children buy at lunch booths near at hand are making of their little stomachs engines of torture instead of machines through which to build up health and strength. And this condition of things can be easily remedied. How? Suppose the school authorities should establish lunch booths of its own? How long would the "little booth last?"

"Oh, but the public school has no right to go into competition with private enterprise. Besides, the long acquiescence of public authority has conceded vester rights to the private individual which it has no right to annul."

Thus pleads the antiquarian. But the fact is that every state in the Union has schools which provide lunches for the children in attendance. In practice such a system is put under the direction of the domestic science department, where the school maintains such a department. But where there is not such a department usually some teacher—or the teacher, if it is a one-room school—takes charge and directs matters.

And again comes the antiquarian into court and pleads: "But, as soon as the noon period is announced the children run to play." Of course they do, if permitted to do so.

How can the service of a hot lunch be managed? Make the lunch period as exact and as obligatory as the recitation period. Keep every child in his seat to the end of the period. Those who are assigned to serve the lunch first pass paper napkins to keep the desks clean. The child pays only the cost of the material in his lunch. When the period ends, the children are dismissed orderly.

In this way children are taught to serve and be served and maintain becoming behavior; and the school authorities determine the character of the food served. And it need not be added that none but wholesome foods are put on the menu.

To show what is now being done in our neighboring state of Texas, the following is clipped from The Christian Science Monitor:

School Lunches On Extensive Scale Houston, Texas, Special Correspondence.

Feeding 40,000 children is the formidable job facing the cafeteria department of the Houston school system this year. Two years ago this department took over 12 lunch rooms, formerly operated by the parent-teacher associations. Last year the number was increased to 47. This year 62 Houston schools opened with cafeterias. Only one large school, the Booker T. Washington negro school and very small rural schools will be without cafeterias. A food purveying stand will be maintained at the negro school, under the supervision of the cafeteria directorate, until a lunch room can be established.

The school board has followed the policy of taking over the lunch rooms at the request of the parent-teacher associations as it has been concluded practically by them that lunch rooms can be managed more efficiently, economically, and satisfactorily on the whole under this department than by individual groups.

The plan to use the simplest of foods, last year decreased the consumption of candy one-third in proportion to the number served, while the use of fresh vegetables increased one-half, and the scale of whole-wheat bread raised from "nothing flat" to about one-fifth of the bread used. This was accomplished by putting these things before the children in an attractive way and by encouraging them to select a balanced lunch. The only restriction is that a pupil may not confine his entire lunch to sweets. The first ten cents of a child's lunch must go to substantial food. No portion of food in the lunch room costs more than 5 cents. Milk is served in individual bottles.

An innovation this year will be the breakfast service. Children who come to school without breakfast may be served with a bowl of hot cereal and milk or fruit before class time. Only oranges, apples, milk and ice cream will be sold at recess, and it is hoped later to eliminate eating at recess time.

Due to the financial success last year, a better salary will be paid cafeteria managers and attendants this season. In the 47 lunch rooms operated last year the increase in salary will be from \$3500 to \$4000 more during the 1927-8 session.

Some idea of the quantity of foods served in the 42 lunch rooms this year may be gained from the statistics on the 47 operated last year, namely: 37,906 loaves of bread and 67,580 cups; 561,731 half pints of milk; 928,960 individual servings of ice cream; 7,243 pounds of butter; 122,950 pounds of fresh produce; 56,935 pounds of fresh meat and 24,650 pounds of cured meat and proportionate amounts of staple groceries.

Bids are advertised and the low bids submitted to the school board for approval. Menus are made out two weeks in advance and supplies delivered to the individual schools. All money left over from last year have been used to purchase equipment, with a view of bringing all cafeterias up to the standard of the better ones, and although 16 out of the 47 cafeterias operated last year failed of self-support, the system on the whole is self-supporting and will continue to be so, according to H. L. Mills, business manager of the schools.

In our next we shall discuss the Tight Waistband.

"I regret to inform you that my rent is considerably overdue, will you kindly let me have check by return mail?" wrote a landlord to one of his tenants who was behind with his rent.

"I see no reason on earth why I should pay your rent. I can't even pay my own," the tenant replied.

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—HORSES—

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—COWS—

1 RED COW — 2 JERSEY COWS — 1 BROWN COW — 1 SPOTTED COW, DURHAM AND HEREFORD — 1 BLACK HEIFER, 2 YEARS OLD — 1 RED YEARLING HEIFER — 1 JERSEY YEARLING HEIFER

—FEED—

2 RICKS SLED CUT CANE — 1 RICK SLED CUT KAFFIR — 2 RICKS BROOM CORN FODDER.

—FARM IMPLEMENTS—

2 GO DEVILS — 1 CULTIVATOR — 1 DISC CULTIVATOR — 1 JOHN DEERE LISTER — 1 KNIFE SLED — 1 LOW WHEEL WAGON, OTHER IMPLEMENTS NOT MENTIONED.

—HOUSEHOLD GOODS—

1 DRESSER — 1 ORGAN — 1 COOK STOVE — 1 BEDSTEAD — 1 DINING TABLE. 150 JARS FRUIT AND VEGETABLES. 300 LBS. CURED MEAT.

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SOCIETY and Club

U. D. C. Meet

The members of the U. D. C. met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Howard Tuesday afternoon for their regular monthly meeting. Mrs. H. F. Jones, the president, was not present on account of illness and the vice president, Mrs. C. V. Harris, was in the chair. Plans were made for a birthday celebration of Jackson and a same time during the latter part of the month. The meeting was marked with friendliness and good cheer.

Mrs. Howard served a lovely plate lunch at the close of the meeting. Mrs. R. H. Smith, Mrs. Lillian Taylor and Mother Green were guests.

Dr. and Mrs. Brasell At Home

Dr. and Mrs. Hugh T. Brasell were at home on Sunday at noon with a beautifully appointed six course dinner. The guests were seated at one large table which was centered with a Christmas tree. The color scheme was red and green, and red candles aided in carrying out the color scheme.

The guest list included Dr. and Mrs. E. T. Hensley and son, Turner; Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Camp and

Charles Thompson; Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Rowley, Mr. and Mrs. Harve Walcott, and Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Harris. The party spent the afternoon in social conversation.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris At Home

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Harris were at home at a family dinner Thursday evening of last week. The guests gathered around one large table centered with a tree and other suggestions of the Yuletide. Those enjoying this occasion were Lawrence Davis, Frank Stocking, Mrs. Prue Connolly, Heck Harris, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Jones and Miss Marion Jones.

Miss Leta Smith's S. S. Class Enjoy Party

Miss Leta Smith and her class of girls of the Methodist church entertained a number of their friends at the home of Miss Smith on Thursday evening. The young folks enjoyed games and delicious refreshments.

Miss Helen Compton At Home to Friends

Miss Helen Compton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Compton, was at home Wednesday evening of last week to a number of friends. Colors of red and green and a beautifully lighted Christmas tree made a Christmas atmosphere for this lovely party of young people. There were twenty present and they enjoyed 42 and took. A delicious plate lunch was served before the going away hour.

Mrs. J. C. Compton and Mrs. E. W. Means Entertain at 42

Mrs. J. C. Compton and Mrs. E. W. Means were hostesses at a delightful 42 party on Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Compton. The occasion of the party was the birthday of Mr. Compton and Dr. Means, which occurred during the month. The ladies remarked that "Every dog has his day" and they thought it about time Mr. Compton and Dr. Means had theirs. In keeping with the idea, the place cards were hand-painted bull dogs, with the words "Have a Good Time".

The house was artistically decorated with suggestions of the holiday season. On the porch was a beautifully lighted Christmas tree to greet you. The windows of the living room and dining room were tastefully draped with tulle, silver and green hung from the lights to the corners of the rooms.

The guests were seated at quarter tables, each centered with red candles on glass candle sticks. The nut cups were red roses and held red mints. The first course of the delicious three-course dinner was grapefruit decorated to look like poinsettias. The effect was lovely. After the dinner course served by Miss Helen Compton and Miss Carter, the guests enjoyed 42 until a late hour.

The guest list included Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Moody, Mr. and Mrs. J. Rex Forster, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Grissom, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Rowley, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Compton, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wise, Dr. and Mrs. Means, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Greaves, Miss Elmore Bowman and Miss Nelda Cooper.

Bridge Party

A number of ladies spent a most delightful afternoon Wednesday, Dec. 28th, at the J. J. Spire home on Montana street when Mrs. Marjorie Richardson entertained with four tables of bridge. The guest list included Mesdames E. N. Neer, H. H. Buchanan, Fred Luper, Herman Luper, Joe Howard, Lucile Cumby, H. C. Watson, Jas. Christie, C. A. McNabb, H. C. Walton, J. E. Camp, T. E. Mears, and Miss Kate McManaway of Portales. Mrs. R. H. Smith of Amarillo, Miss Bowman of Borger, and Mrs. Wright of Texas. Being an adept at counting, Mrs. Christie won first prize, while her sister, Mrs. R. H. Smith, who is a little lax in the same art of counting, was awarded the booby prize.

Rainbow Girls

The Rainbow Girls will meet tonight, Thursday, at the Masonic Hall and complete their work to constitute an assembly. These girls have been organized something like a year and have done excellent work. They have received their charter now and after tonight will constitute an assembly.

New Year Day Activities

New Year Day in Portales ran a close race with Thanksgiving day in the number and excellency of her dinners. On Nevada street the hospitality of the S. N. Hancock home was extended to more than a score of friends in one of Mrs. Hancock's very palatable dinners. The guest list included the J. K. Robertson, R. H. Grissom and C. J. Whitcomb families; Misses Bess Dehoney and Laura Turner; Messrs. Jack Turner and J. D. Lee of Portales; Mr. and Mrs. Reed Murrell and John Denton of Kenna.

On the same street in the next block, Dr. and Mrs. H. T. Brasell delightfully entertained with a most appetizing dinner.

While the Johnson-Livingston home on east Colorado street was open to guests, and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Ford and son, Evans; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bremer and son, Carl; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Livingston and daughter, Jacqueline; and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Livingston enjoyed one of the excellent dinners for which Mesdames Johnson and Livingston are noted.

And at six o'clock Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Whitcomb, at their home on Utah street, were host and hostess to a delightful little dinner party, the guests being Mrs. Rose McDowell and son, Scott, of Clovis; Miss Betty Thraikill of Floyd, and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wilcox of Kansas City, Mo.

Turkey Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Walton were at home on Tuesday, Dec. 27, at a most excellent six o'clock dinner, the place of resistance being a huge turkey. Places were laid for Messrs. and Mesdames T. E. Mears, J. Rex Forster, Ike Hughes, H. T. Brasell, J. E. Camp, H. C. Rowley, Henry Bremer, J. J. Spire, C. A. McNabb and Misses McManaway and Bowman. The after-dinner hours were spent playing 42. Mrs. Mears winning first and Mrs. Rowley consolation prize.

Bridge Luncheon

On Friday afternoon, Dec. 30th, Mrs. James Christie was hostess to a number of friends at a bridge luncheon. To those who have known Mrs. Christie's hospitality

it would be superfluous to say the luncheon was excellent.

The afternoon hours were anything but dull at four tables of bridge. Among those present were Mesdames E. N. Neer, H. H. Buchanan, T. E. Mears, Fred Luper, Herman Luper, E. R. Black, J. J. Spire, C. A. McNabb, R. H. Smith, H. C. Walton, J. E. Camp, and Misses Johnson and Kate McManaway.

42 Party

Mrs. H. F. Wood very delightfully entertained a few friends on Friday night, Dec. 30th, with a 42 party honoring her sister, Mrs. Ethel Crawford. Guests enjoying Mrs. Wood's hospitality were Misses Janie Warnica, Cymbeline Warnica, Bernice Hayes, Helen Lindsey, Bess Dehoney and Mrs. Ed Copeland. Mrs. Wood and Miss Crawford completed two tables of 42.

Enjoyable Dinner Party At E. N. Smith Home

Delightful indeed was the six o'clock dinner at the E. N. Smith home Thursday evening. Mrs. W. E. Daniels and Mrs. Smith were joint hostesses for the occasion and it was one of the largest and most enjoyable occasions of the Christmas holidays.

The new Smith home was tastefully decorated with colors suggesting the holiday times. A Christmas tree decorated the table at which the young folks were seated, while carnations centered the other tables.

A most delicious three-course dinner was served to the following:

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Brown and daughter, Wanda; Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Wheeler and daughters, Misses Audene, Ruth and Edith, Ernest Wheeler and Thurman Harris; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Krattil and son, Walter, Jr., and daughter, Miss La Verne; Mrs. W. E. Daniels, Mrs. Dunscomb, Miss Mary Dunscomb, Mrs. Kenley Spence, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Jones and little daughter, Claudine; Mrs. Bertha Gillette and little daughter, Floy Clarice; and J. R. Shock.

After the dinner the evening was spent in social conversation and group songs.

Mrs. N. F. Wollard Entertains B. Y. P. U.

The home of Dr. and Mrs. N. F. Wollard was the scene of one of the largest parties of the holiday season, Thursday, when Mrs. Wollard entertained the members of the B. Y. P. U. Mrs. Wollard has been the "power behind the throne" for these young folks for some years, and has guided their steps, spiritually, socially and otherwise. In appreciation of this these young people took this scene of beauty as a fitting scene for presenting her with a lovely gift in appreciation of her services. Clovis Green as president of the B. Y. P. U. made the presentation.

About forty of these young people were seated along one big table and enjoyed a delicious five-course banquet.

Between courses there were toasts and musical numbers. Kenneth Jones gave two saxophone solos, with Miss Lois Trout at the piano. George and Clovis Green gave a cornet and clarinet number with Miss Lois Oldham at piano. Chas. Owens rendered two vocal numbers.

Rev. and Mrs. McCann of Roswell and Rev. and Mrs. Grizzle were guests. Rev. Grizzle gave the invocation, and Rev. McCann gave a most interesting talk.

Miss Mary Alice Walton At Home

Miss Mary Alice Walton and a few friends enjoyed a watch party at the Walton home on Saturday evening. They enjoyed progressive 42 until the end of the old year and the birth of the new.

Miss Ruth Carter At Home
Miss Ruth Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Carter, was at home to a number of her friends on Friday evening at the home of her parents on Colorado street. 42 was the game of the evening and a merry time was enjoyed. Delicious refreshments were served.

Mrs. Cumble Entertains

Mrs. Lucile Cumble entertained last Thursday afternoon with four tables of bridge. Mrs. H. H. Buchanan and Mrs. E. R. Black received high and low awards. Guest prizes were awarded to each of the three out-of-town guests. A plate lunch beautifully carried out in holiday colors was served to the guests by the hostess and her mother, Mrs. S. F. Moore. The guests of the afternoon were Mrs. Rose McDowell, Mrs. J. E. Wilcox, Mrs. R. H. Smith, Mrs. T. E. Mears, Miss Kate McManaway, Mrs. Maude Smith, Mrs. J. E. Camp, Mrs. Dave Isenberg, Mrs. Marjorie Richardson, Mrs. E. R. Black, Mrs. Herman Luper, Mrs. Fred Luper, Mrs. Joe Howard, Mrs. James Christie, Mrs. H. H. Buchanan, Mrs. Edwin Neer.

Camp At Home New Year's Eve

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Camp were at home to a number of their friends at a jolly celebration on New Year's Eve. Bridge and forty-two afforded entertainment during the evening. Near midnight Mrs. Camp served a bountiful supper.

The hostess had the guests cut for prizes and awards were made to Mrs. J. J. Spire, Mrs. E. T. Hensley, Joe Howard and Judge T. E. Mears. Many of the guests expressed their enjoyment of the oil paintings of scenes of the Southwest on the walls of the living room. These were painted by Mrs. Camp's father, Captain Molinari, well known in Portales. One was a desert scene showing yucca and cactus, painted just a few weeks ago; one a scene in old Santa Fe, and a third a pueblo scene. Those enjoying this merry party were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Luper, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Luper, Dr. and Mrs. E. T. Hensley, Dr. and Mrs. H. T. Brasell, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Whitcomb, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Harve Walcott, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Howard, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Spire, Judge and Mrs. T. E. Mears, Mr. and Mrs. James Christie, Mrs. Maude Smith, Mrs. R. H. Smith, Mrs. Ray Cumble, Mrs. J. L. May, J. R. Shock, Leon Jones, Mrs. Camp's son, Charles, and the host and hostess.

J. R. Shock Entertains

J. R. Shock was at home to a few friends Wednesday evening at his home with a dinner. The evening was spent playing games. The guest list included Miss Ellen Norris, Miss Wayman Norris, Miss Loretta McCarthy, Ray Bonner, Leroy Cranford, Otto Kapina. The guests report a very pleasant party.

Mrs. Rockey Entertains For A. & M. Boys

Mrs. Nell Rockey entertained a party of young people last Thursday evening in honor of her son, O'Neil, and the A. & M. boys. Forty-two furnished the diversion of the evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Mack Tolliver, Misses Wilma Sweat, Myrtle Walker, Hazel Wharton, Bonnie Foster, Mabel Morrison, Esther Richardson, Rosalie Littlefield, Helen Compton, Odor Perry and Messrs. Raleigh Dupuy, Summer Clary, Tulos Tolliver, Donald Gordon, Leland Campbell, O'Neil Richard and Richard Vernon Rockey. Miss Helen Compton had high score and Malvin Clary low. A delicious lunch was served.

Bridge Club Entertained

Judge and Mrs. T. E. Mears entertained the Bridge Club and their husbands at a seven o'clock bridge dinner Tuesday evening. The dinner was served in three courses. After the dinner there were five tables of bridge. Mrs. Edwin Neer and Mrs. C. J. Whitcomb won high and low score for the women, and E. N. Neer and Herman Luper high and low for the men. Those enjoying the evening besides the host and hostess and Miss Kate McManaway were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Luper, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Luper, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Whitcomb, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Neer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Spire, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wilcox, Mrs. Rose McDowell, Mrs. James Christie, Mrs. R. H. Smith and Mrs. Marjorie Richardson.

CHRISTIAN LADIES AID

The Christian ladies aid will be entertained on Thursday afternoon Jan. 27th, by Mesdames Carl Oase and J. V. Spire at the home of the former.

This is the regular monthly social and Bible study session and promises to be a very interesting meeting at this time. The identity of each "peanut" is to be revealed and every member is urged to be present.

Bible study lesson: Questions number thirty to thirty five, inclusive, in "Bible Questions."

Leland Campbell returned Wednesday from points in California and Arizona.

Miss Josie Good of Kenna spent several days last week in Portales, the guest of her friend, Miss La Von Brown.

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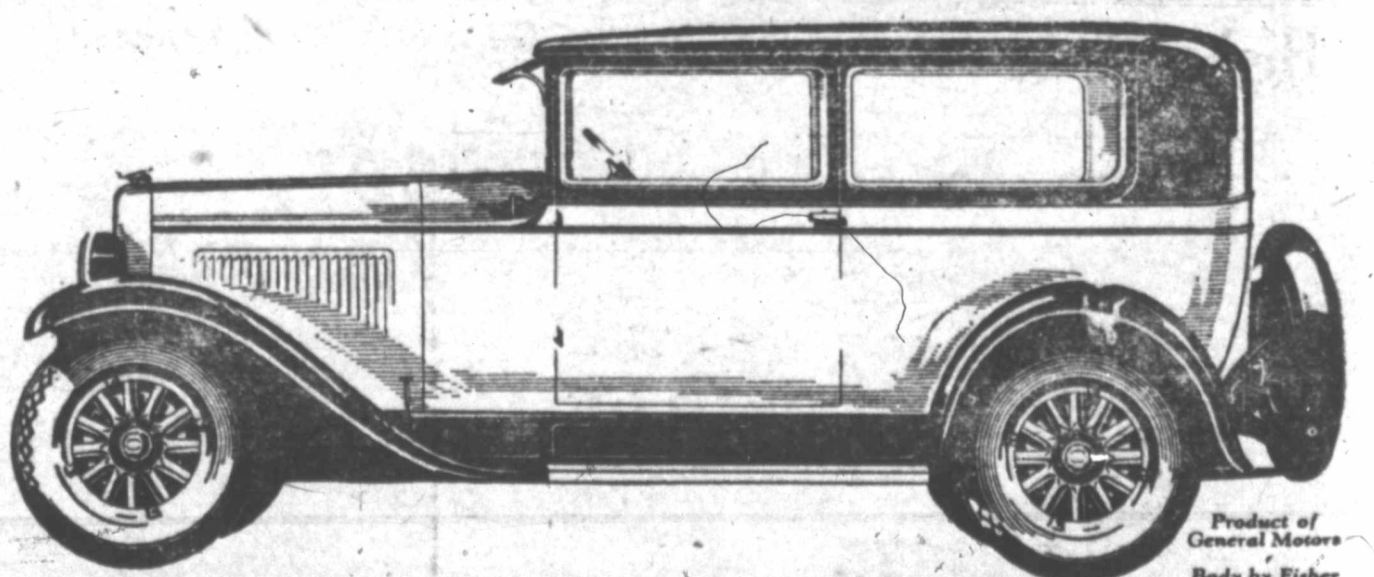
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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

At Portales, In the State of New Mexico, at the Close of Business on Dec. 31, 1921.

RESOURCES

1. Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsement of this bank (except those shown in Item 1-b)	\$258,242.32
2. Overdrafts	930.03
3. U. S. Government Securities Owned:	
a. Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value)	50,000.00
b. All other United States Government securities (including premiums, if any)	102,700.00
4. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc owned	6,380.00
5. Banking House, \$15,000.00; Furniture and Fixtures, \$5,000.00	20,000.00
7. Real estate owned other than banking house	1,963.50
8. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	49,985.71
9. Cash in vault and amount due from national banks	211,412.06
11. Amount due from state banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States (other than included in Items 8, 9, and 10)	130.00
14. Miscellaneous cash items	1,423.60
15. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer	2,500.00
16. Other assets, if any: Cotton Bills of Exchange	15,425.00
Total	\$723,422.28

LIABILITIES

19. Capital stock paid in	\$50,000.00
20. Surplus fund	10,000.00
21. Undivided profits	3,630.98
22. Reserved for taxes, interest, coll. but not earned	2,788.63
23. Circulating notes outstanding	50,000.00
24. Cashier's checks outstanding	21,445.62
25. Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):	
30. Individual deposits subject to check	442,537.79
31. Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)	14,239.00
32. State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond	88,805.05
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, of subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):	
35. Savings deposits (including time certificates of deposit other than for money borrowed)	39,775.21
46. Letters of Credit and Travelers' Checks sold for cash and outstanding	200.00
Total	\$723,422.28

STATE OF NEW MEXICO, County of Roosevelt, ss:
I, Arthur F. Jones, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
ARTHUR F. JONES, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of January, 1922.
My commission expires Oct. 1, 1931.
J. E. WISSE, Notary Public.
Correct—Attest:
J. B. FRIDDY,
ED J. NEER,
N. F. WOLLARD, Directors.

WE WISH AT THIS TIME

to make grateful acknowledgement of friendship and support given our bank during the past year by the people of Portales and Roosevelt County, and we hope to repay same in a fuller measure by extending a more helpful service this coming year than we did the past.

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YOACHUM & SON

LOCAL PERSONAL NEWS

A family arrived last week from Springer, N. M., and are now located in Mrs. Rhoda Johnson's house on East Colorado street.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Knox, who were called to Lockney, Texas, last week by the death of his brother-in-law, have returned.

After spending the holidays with her family, Miss Edna Locker left Sunday for East Las Vegas, where she will resume her work in the New Mexico Normal University.

Leslie Smith was a Clovis visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Sleeper and two children of Clovis spent New Year's day with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Conway of Clovis, formerly of Portales, announce the arrival of a son, Robert Louis, born on Christmas day.

Miss Edna Disney returned to Canyon, Tuesday to take up her work in W. T. S. T. C.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wilkerson and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mauer, of Friona, Texas, were visitors in the A. D. Ribble home Sunday. They were on their way from a vacation spent in El Paso.

Mrs. Lillian Taylor, who has spent several months with her sister at Clovis and niece at Tucuman, came home Friday.

Miss Thelma Salls of Clovis spent the week end in Portales, the guest of her friend, Miss Lucile Wurster.

Miss Iris Ribble and Miss Lucile Wurster were Clovis visitors Friday.

Howard McDonald left Sunday for Abilene to again take up his duties at McMurray.

Rufus Stinnett and Walter Bostick left Sunday for Albuquerque where they are attending the State U.

Vernon Autry, O'Neil Rockey, George Bedinger, Tullios Tolliver, Donald Gordon and Coy Jackson left Saturday night for Las Cruces to take up their studies at A. & M.

Harold Sweetland left Tuesday for Abilene, where he is a senior at Simmons U.

Turner Hensley left Sunday night for Fayetteville, Ark., where he is attending the State U.

Frank Stocking of Clarendon spent Saturday in Portales a guest in the Harris home.

Mrs. Lula May and children, Winifred and James Albert, spent Sunday in Clovis.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Yoachum returned Sunday from an auto trip to points in Texas.

Miss Adele Oldham left Sunday for Belton to again take up her studies at Baylor-Belton.

Earl McCollum drove to Las Vegas Monday, and took Miss Opal Beck, Paul Sanford, Miss Lois Oldham, Emil Herbert, Miss Charm Killian and Miss Bow, where they are each attending school, part of them at the normal and the others at Montezuma.

M. B. Jones left Tuesday for Albuquerque, to attend a meeting of the Board of the Montezuma College.

Chas. Owens, son of Dr. and Mrs. S. B. Owens, left Monday to take up his work at Simmons U.

C. W. Varney came so near depicting his stock that when he decided to continue in business, he found his shelves as bare as Mother Hubbard's Cupboard.

J. B. Priddy reports his Clear-ance Sale as being a wonder. He cleared out so much of his stock that the inventory work was considerably reduced.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Isenberg spent the New Year holidays with friends and relatives in Amarillo. Dave says that he enjoyed a splendid business through the past year.

C. W. Isen reports a good business throughout the past year and is making plans for an increased stock for 1922.

Mrs. Delbert Bivens and baby have returned to their home in Deming after a several weeks visit with her mother, Mrs. J. M. Yates.

Rev. I. S. Strothers of Sweetwater, Texas, will preach Sunday at the Church of Christ. Everyone is cordially invited.

Oscar Thurston left Saturday for Pecos, where he teaches in the Pecos High School.

Miss Damaris Wayland was a Clovis visitor Saturday.

S. M. Stroup returned Saturday from Denton, Texas, where he spent the holidays.

Miss Iris Ribble left Tuesday evening for Canyon, where she takes up her college work as a Junior.

O'Neil Rockey left Friday for Las Cruces, where he is attending A. & M.

Misses Katherine McCall, Marion Jones and Lillian Bell left Monday for Canyon to take up their work in W. T. S. T. C.

Ray Thurston and Ed Smith left Sunday for Greenville to take up their work in Wesley College. Dan Smith drove them to Amarillo, in his car.

Walter Scott and family are enjoying a visit from Mrs. Scott's mother, Mrs. Bromley, of Hollis, Oklahoma.

The T. J. and D. M. Sullivan families, who have been living in the Cope residence in south Portales, moved the first of the week. The T. J. family now occupies a little rent house belonging to Fred Ohr and the D. M. family one owned by Chas. Goodloe.

Miss Dolores Meiner, who has her people, the A. B. Meiner family, left Sunday night for St. Paul Minn., where she will resume her school work at the University.

Ben Dunn came up from Artesia last week and Mrs. Dunn and little sons, Ben, Jr., and John Paul, who have been with her people, the B. B. Thigpen family, for some time, accompanied him home Saturday.

Mrs. John Cothran, who underwent an operation in Clovis several weeks ago, has returned home and is convalescing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Edmunds, former residents of Portales, are again at home in our little city.

Turner Hensley, who has been spending the holidays with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. T. Hensley, returned Monday to his law studies in the university at Fayetteville, Ark.

Roy Balfow of Clovis spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Balfow.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Johnson, who have been spending their vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Johnson, left Saturday for Temple, Oklahoma, where Mr. Johnson is principal of the schools.

Mrs. R. D. Kirk and children and Miss Nell Morehead returned Sunday from Bluit, where they spent the holidays with Mrs. Kirk's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Williams.

Mrs. R. C. Grunig, who has been ill with pneumonia, is reported improving.

Jack Medlin was in Farwell, Texas, Saturday on business.

Douglas Stone returned Saturday from Palo Alto, California, where he spent the Christmas holidays with his mother. He left Wednesday to resume his work in N. M. M. I. at Roswell.

Misses LaVon Brown and Wanda Brown left Friday for Lawrence, Kansas, where Miss LaVon will resume her studies as a senior in Kansas U., and Miss Wanda will take a business course.

Miss Caroline Bradley left Saturday for Lawrence, Kans., where she is working on her master's degree.

Long's Items

Church services were held at the Long's Baptist church last Sunday morning by Rev. Davis and again Sunday afternoon by Rev. Edwardson, both of Portales.

Miss Ruth Frazee and Miss Lois Pruitt left last Sunday for Portales and Clovis to take up their school work again in the respective places, after spending the Christmas holidays at home.

Philip Frazee went hunting last Friday and after an enjoyable chase he caught a large coyote.

Mrs. Betty Long has been ill for several days, but we are glad to know that she is on her road to recovery.



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Visitors praised the rendition of the Christmas program given by the children of the Longs school.

Mrs. Austin and her son and daughter, Heber and Georgia, are here from Oklahoma on a visit and we were glad to have them at church services Sunday morning and Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Paul Walker and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Adams of Portales last Sunday.

Mr. Vandiver and family spent last Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Harvey.

Miss Myrtle Walker returned last Sunday to take up her school work at Longs, after spending the holidays with her parents at Floyd.

U. S. Frazee made a business trip to Portales last Monday.

Floyd

Mrs. Loyd Wharton and children spent the day at Mrs. Price's last Thursday.

Mrs. Jerry Branch has been sick ever since they came back from the mountains. We hope she will soon be well.

The Floyd canning club girls won second place at Las Cruces last week.

Izell Jones and family spent the day at Mrs. Price's last Friday.

Jolly Haragan's baby has been heal sick but is some better now.

Rogers Items

Miss Nellie Bow left for Las Vegas, where she will enter the normal.

Progress is being made toward converting our auditorium into a combination gymnasium and auditorium. Soon we can invite those teams whom we have met on their own courts to return our visits here. But basket ball is not the only possibility in a gymnasium. We can have, if we will, volley ball games played by those in the community. The floor can also be used in training the smaller children. This feature is even more important than games, as more can take part.

Because the play, "The Prairie Rose," was so well patronized and apparently enjoyed, Miss Brannen has decided to put it on again. This time it is to be free. So everybody come next Saturday night and see the play without cost.

Oscar McCormick, Coyt Jackson and Edsel Post returned to Las Cruces last Sunday.

Orville and Bruce returned from the club encampment at College Station the last of the week. They report a splendid time, and a near winning. The boys lacked only a small fraction of a point winning first place.

Mr. Hendrix and family spent the latter part of the week with relatives near Amarillo.

New Chevrolet Wonderful Car

Surpassing all its former achievements as a leader in the building of low cost transportation, the Chevrolet Motor Company, announces the most distinctive low priced automobile of all time.

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Known as the "Bigger and Better" Chevrolet, the new car that went on display throughout the United States January 1, not only succeeds the "Most Beautiful Chevrolet" but incorporates all the advantages that made the latter so popular and in addition embodies a host of refinements that combine to produce what General Motors officials believe will be the sensation of the automobile industry in 1922.

A quick picture of the new car that seems destined to write a new chapter into the history of the automobile business may be had by noting the following highlights of the 1922 Chevrolet:

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rolet owes its outstanding virtues to the manifold facilities at the disposal of the Chevrolet Motor Company, including the General Motors Proving Ground, the General Motors Research Laboratory, the Chevrolet experimental laboratory, the Chevrolet engineering department and the skill and resources of the Fisher Body Corporation.

Seven passenger cars, including five closed and two open types, comprise the line. Every driving requirement is cared for in the make up and appointment of the various body types.

Beauty in appearance, performance in driving and economy in operation are the keynotes of the

car that owes its every detail to withering tests of days, weeks and months under all types of weather, road and driving conditions.

The new car has a distinctive big car appearance entirely foreign to its price class. This is achieved by adding four inches to the wheelbase, bringing the present total to 107 inches.

All passenger cars have larger 30 by 4.50 balloon tires and steel disc wheels as standard equipment. Other standard equipment includes spotlight, rear vision mirror, gasoline gauge, complete tool set, and theft proof steering and ignition lock. Additional equipment is standard with individual models.

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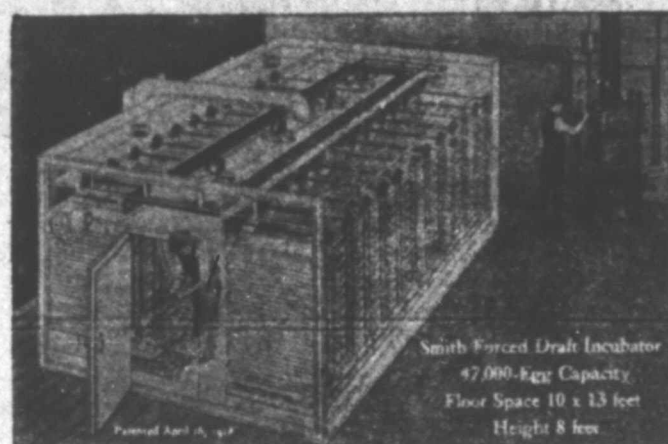
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TO RENT—My 5 acre truck farm
in north Portales. \$225 money rent
in advance, or good bank note.
(Would be glad to have cattle for
rent.) Mrs. Rachel E. Ervin. If
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J. Neer. 711c

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IN THE PROBATE COURT OF
ROOSEVELT COUNTY, NEW
MEXICO

In the Matter of the Estate of Em-
mett Gore, Deceased. No. 392.

NOTICE

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO,
to Bert Gore, William Gore, E.
R. Gore, Ralph R. Gore, Hazel
Raydon, Helen O. Horney, Daisy
Gore, Irene Gore, Edna Gore,
Ruth Gore, Lucille Gore, Juanita
Gore and Oliver Gore, Junior.
GREETINGS:

Notice is hereby given that E. L.
Raydon, Administrator of the
above estate, has filed his final
report in said cause, and the 5th
of March, 1922, has been the day
set by the Court for hearing of said
final report and accounting, and
as the day to determine the heirs of
the said deceased, the ownership
of his estate, the heirs of said es-
tate, and the interest of each re-
spective claimant thereto or there-
in, and to determine the persons
entitled to the distribution hereof,
and a final settlement of said es-
tate.

Therefore, any heir, creditor or
other person interested in said es-
tate may on or before the date
aforesaid, file objection thereto for
any particular item thereof, and
the same will be heard and de-
termined by the Court, together
with said final report.

Compton and Compton of Por-

PICTURE FRAMING—See Henry
George. 1111c

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clean and in first class condition.
Claude Ervin, Olive, N. Mex. 1011c

LOST—Between Carl Mueller's and
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house, 1 sugar sack of clothes.
Contains 2 shirts, 3 collars, 6 dresses,
2 suits of underwear and some
socks. Monday or Tuesday. Re-
turn to News Office or drop a card
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11-21p

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Portales, New Mexico, are attorneys
for Administrator, given unto my
hand and official seal this 3rd
day of January, 1922.

(SEAL) PAUL E. MORRISON,
C&C Jan 5-26 Clerk.

NOTICE

In the Matter of the Last Will and
Testament of Allie Holmes, De-
ceased:
To George Sanders, Albert San-
ders, Pearl Hughes, Jack Sanders,
Mayme Murrell, Irene Cole, John
Sanders, Charley Sanders, and Mrs.
C. E. Smith, and to all others
whom it may concern, Greeting:
You are hereby notified that the
alleged last will and testament of
Allie Holmes, deceased, late of
Roosevelt County, N. M., was pro-
duced and read in the Probate
Court of Roosevelt County, N. M.,
on Dec. 29th, 1921, and the day of
proving of said alleged last will
and testament was thereupon fix-
ed for Monday, Feb. 6th, 1922, at
ten o'clock in the forenoon of said
day.

Given under my hand and the
seal of said court this Dec. 29th,
1921.

(SEAL) PAUL E. MORRISON,
County Clerk.
Dec 29-Jan 19.

Notice, Taxpayers!

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE TAXPAYERS OF ROOSEVELT COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, THAT
THE TAX ASSESSOR OR A DEPUTY WILL VISIT THE PRECINCTS OF THE COUNTY AT THE TIME
AND PLACE DESIGNATED BELOW FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING THE ASSESSMENTS OF ALL
TAXABLE PROPERTY FOR THE YEAR 1922. LIVESTOCK WILL BE ASSESSED AS OF JANUARY 1st.

Assessor's Notice to the Public

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

Office Open Each Day During Month of January

For the convenience of taxpayers I will be at the various places in Roosevelt County on the respective
dates as follows, for the purpose of making lists of property:

Monday 2	Arch, morning; Ines, evening.	Friday 13	Fairfield, all day.
Tuesday 3	Emzy, morning; Lingo, evening.	Saturday 14	all day in office.
Wednesday 4	Bluit, morning; Milnesand, evening.	Monday 16	Rogers, morning; Causey, evening.
Thursday 5	Eagle Hill, morning; Valley View, evening.	Tuesday 17	Garrison, morning; Richland, evening.
Friday 6	Kenna, all day.	Wednesday 18	Highway, morning; Redlake, evening.
Saturday 7	all day in the office.	Thursday 19	Dora, all day.
Monday 9	Floyd, morning; Upton, evening.	Friday 20	Elida
Tuesday 10	Claudell, morning; Derena, evening.	Saturday 21	Elida
Wednesday 11	Tolar, all day.	Monday 23	Elida
Thursday 12	Perry, morning; Rocklake, evening.	Tuesday 24	Elida
		Wednesday 25	Elida

Any person failing to meet me at these appointments may make return to my office in Portales at any
time within the limits fixed by law as given above, or blank for mailing rendition will be sent upon applica-
tion, by mail or in person, to my office.

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

I would advise each taxpayer to bring tax receipt or a true description of their real estate and their
School District to help eliminate many errors that go on the rolls by incorrect descriptions and non-render-
ing.

An exemption of \$200 will be allowed for heads of family.

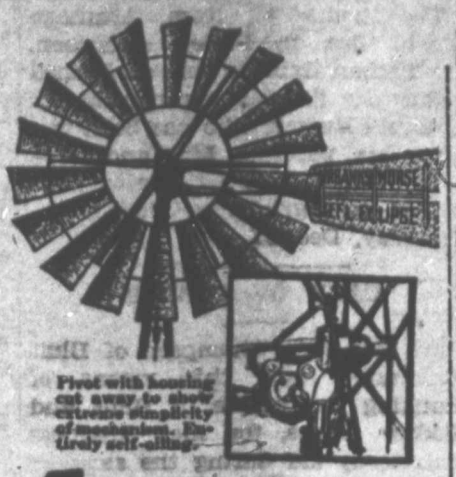
I SUGGEST THAT THE TOWN PEOPLE, WHEN POSSIBLE, LET SATURDAYS BE GIVEN TO THE

FARMERS.

SOLDIERS MUST RENDER AND ASK FOR EXEMPTION

SAM J. STINNETT, Assessor

ROOSEVELT COUNTY, NEW MEXICO



5 reasons why STEEL ECLIPSE WINDMILLS run in lightest breeze

Why does the Steel Eclipse run when other mills are motionless? The answer is, scientific design and fine workmanship. Note these five reasons—
(1) Wheel is tilted to take advantage of lightest breeze. (2) All working parts run in oil. (3) All wearing surfaces are made of the right materials and surfaces are machined. (4) Mill starts on two-thirds load—not full load; quick downstroke and slow upstroke means less effort required on the lift or pumping stroke. (5) All bearing surfaces are in line, reducing internal strains and power loss.
Ask us to show you!

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A PSALM FOR NEW YEAR'S EVE

By Dinah Muloch Craik

A FRIEND stands at the door:
In either tight-closed hand
Hiding rich gifts, three hun-
dred and three score;
Even as seed the sower.
Each drop, he trends it in,
and passes by:
It cannot be made fruit-
ful till it die.

O good New Year, we clasp
This warm shut hand of
thine,
Loosing forever, with half
sigh, half gasp,
That which from ours falls
like dead fingers'
twine:
Ay, whether fierce its grasp
Has been, or gentle, hav-
ing been, we know
That it was blessed: let
the Old Year go.

O New Year, teach us faith!
The road of life is hard:
When our feet bleed, and
scouring winds us
scathe,
Point thou to Him whose
visage was more
marred:
Than any man's; who saith,
"Make straight paths for
your feet," and to the
oppress.

"Come ye to Me, and I will
give you rest."

Yet hang some lamp-like
hope
Above this unknown way,
Kind year, to give our spir-
its freer scope
And our hands strength to
work while it is day.
But if that way must slope
Tombward, oh, bring before
our fading eyes
The lamp of life, the Hope
that never dies.

Comfort our souls with love—
Love of all human kind;
Love special, close—in which,
like sheltered dove,
Each weary heart its own
safe nest may find;
And love that turns above
Adorning, contented to re-
sign
All loves, if need be, for the
Love Divine.

Friend, come thou like a
red-
And whether bright thy
face,
Or dim with clouds we can-
not comprehend,
We'll hold our patient
hands each in his
place,
And trust thee to the end,
Knowing thou leadest on
wards to those spheres
Where there are neither
days, nor months nor
years.

Every Year a Milestone

Every year is a milestone. A
stepping-stone or a stumbling
block? Your life is a part of many
lives, and these many lives are a
part of yours. Character is the
estimation of your conduct in life
by those who dwell about you.

1922 Greeting

The Lord bless thee and keep
thee. The Lord make His face to
shine upon thee, and be gracious
unto thee. The Lord lift up His
countenance upon thee and give
thee peace.—Numbers 6:24-26

For colds, grip and flu take



Calotabs

TRADE MARK REG.

Relieves the congestion,
prevents complications,
and hastens recovery.



EAGLE PENCIL CO.
MEXICO

Medical Sermonettes

By W. E. LEONARD, M. D.

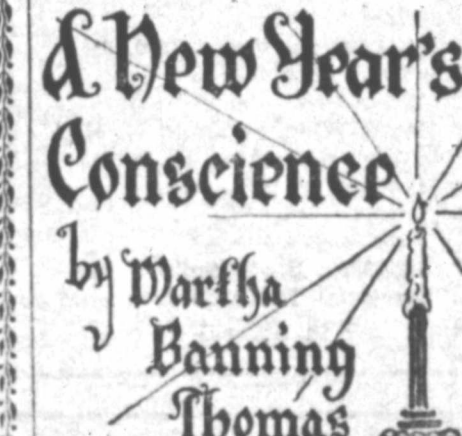
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"You cannot know wine by the
barrel."
"Where the drink goes to, there
the wit goes out."

Again the stinty George Ber-
bert sends mots of wisdom down
the centuries. All that has been
said throughout all time, in the
Scriptures and elsewhere, against
the abuse of strong drink, is just
as applicable in these prohibition
days as ever, for no man-made law
will ever prove a complete deter-
rent to all men against excess in
drink or anything else. Some learn
by example, others do not get the
lesson driven in without actual per-
sonal experience and suffering.
The latter seem to be very much
in evidence in these days, per-
haps in the same way as the froth
and scum of the pond only serve
to conceal the deep, still waters
underneath, when no storm stirs
the surface.

No one who has fairly made the
trial, and not drifted into a fixed
habit, will testify that the exhi-
loration and stimulus of drink,
pleasant as it may be for a time,
fully offsets the bad feelings of
body and brain which quite surely
follow—the morning after. Don't
experiment yourself, but accept
the wisdom of the ages in this mat-
ter.

Miss Ethel Crawford, after hav-
ing spent her vacation with her
people, the J. B. Crawford and H.
F. Wood families, left Sunday for
Ropesville, Texas, to resume school
duties.



Some of us were born in New
England and have that kind of
a conscience. Why New Eng-
land should produce a particular
conscience different from other's
conscience seems a little difficult
to explain. However, there seems
to be a tradition about it. If you
possess a New England conscience
you are supposed to be responsi-
ble to the last degree. You go
one point further than actually
necessary and worry for fear you
won't think up all the possible
things you might have done under
a certain set of circumstances.

Well then—

We all rather like to think we
obey our conscience; it gives us
a faint glow of saintliness.
(Though, of course, to admit this
publicly would ruin us for life!)
Whatever conscience is—a still
small voice, unbroken habits of
right thinking, an instinct that
urges us toward the best—most of
us possess an inner law of some
sort or another; and we either
follow this law, or push it off ir-
ritably.

At New Year's we take stock of
our affairs. And very often con-
science sits as judge. And let us
never forget that we are respon-



sible. Not to be responsible is a
kind of crime. Just so far as
we have pushed our abilities, then
just so far should we use them for
the finest development. To do less
is sheer waste of invaluable ma-
terial. To do less is being false
to ourselves. To do less is sinning
against truth.

Convictions may change from
year to year; we should keep stride
with them as strong men—not
take it out in thinking, but dem-
onstrating them by doing. If we are
good workmen—be it in the woods
or in the shop country or town—
and do not do that work for the
glory of doing it well, then we
never should have been trusted
with ability. For ability is a two-
edged sword—if not sharpened for
the gallant battle of life, it turns
to rend the owner.

Let this year's conscience be
nourished by that higher, unwrit-
ten responsibility which answers
the quiet, inner knowledge of life
carried forward with the utmost
strength and courage.
Happy New Year to our con-
sciences!
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Chinese Observe New Year's

The Chinese now officially cele-
brate their New Year's Day on the
same day we do—January 1. When
the Chinese republic was estab-
lished in 1912 that nation adopted
the Gregorian calendar which in-
vokes its name from Pope Gregory, and
which is now in general use
throughout the world.

Look for Opportunity for Good Investment

You do not have to go a thou-
sand miles from home to make
money. Opportunities are all
around you. Look about. Keep
your eyes and ears open. Ask
questions. Investigate. If you
find—and you will—an enterprise
in your town which has fallen on
evil days, get at the reason for its
difficulties. It may be bad man-
agement. It may be dishonesty.
It may be extravagance. It may be
family manufacturing. It may be
any one of a hundred things. No
matter! If the business is one
which justifies itself—that is, if it
serves or tries to serve, some good
purpose—the chances are nine in
ten that, some day, somehow, it
will "come back." When it starts
—when it is evident that it is head-
ed up grade, put what money you
can spare into it. You may lose;
but I doubt it. One of the richest
men I know bought stock in the
company of which he is now pres-
ident and the largest stockholder
when it was so thoroughly discred-
ited that its \$100 shares were sell-
ing at less than a dollar, and he
was bookkeeper on a salary of less
than \$100 a month. But, invest-
gate before you invest, not after,
if you would play safe.—From the
New Age Illustrated.

New Guinea Natives Hostile to Visitors

New Guinea is the largest island
(except Australia) in the world. It
is situated in the South Pacific
ocean just north of Australia and
somewhat southwest of the Philip-
pines.

There are over six hundred
thousand black natives on the is-
land, some of them still very sav-
age and hostile to strangers. Be-
ing so near to the equator, the tem-
perature is never cold, except on the
mountain tops; and for this
reason the natives do not require
solidly built houses. Their habita-
tions are very simple structures.
They are made of reeds or the
branches of certain trees, and cov-
ered either with some of the long
grasses that grow in the islands
or with the leaves of palm trees.
Some of the villages have streets
as straight as our own, but they
are not paved, being merely dirt
roads worn smooth by the naked
feet of the inhabitants. The houses
must be rain-proof, for rains in
these regions are often heavy; and
they are also proof against earth-
quakes.

Mystery of Rheumatism

Rheumatism used to be thought
an ailment due to reptiles and ex-
posed to a cure. It was considered a
natural that agricultural laborers
should be bent and gnarled in old
age.

Slowly there came the knowl-
edge that rheumatism is due to a
poison in the blood, and has nothing
to do with hard work or the
weather. Now we know that
rheumatism affects the heart.
In a British ministry of health
report, Sir George Newman says
that almost all deaths from heart
disease of people under forty are
caused by the effects of rheumatic
infection. The nature of the in-
fection has still to be discovered,
and research work in this direction
is badly needed.

Kidding the Kids

"I won't drink milk," exclaims
little Tommy, petulantly. Don't
spank him! Be diplomatic. Make
a game of it.
Children can be made to do
things in this way, and enjoy do-
ing them. For example, to make
a child drink milk:

Do not give him a whole glass.
Use a small glass. Ask how many
sips it will take him to drink it all.
He will count. Then doubt him.
Let him count each sip. When it
is gone, make a wager he cannot
better his record. His will say
he can, and very likely will prove
it. In this way the child will prob-
ably drink more than otherwise.
—Pathfinder Magazine.

Beer of Ancient Days

Researches conducted by an em-
inent Assyriologist deal a schol-
arly blow to the notion that the
Egyptians were the first brewers.
A thesis by Doctor Hubert, the As-
syriologist, published by the Ger-
man Society for the History of
Bibliography of Brewing, shows
conclusively that the Egyptians
learned the art of making beer
from the Babylonians. Sumerians
in the seventh millennium before
this era used beer in religious sac-
rifices, early authentic records in-
dicate. The art of malting ap-
pears to have been perfected in
the fifth millennium and after the
time of Hammurabi, b.c. 1750, a
special kind of wheat, and barley,
were used.—Exchange.

Sense and Philosophy

A colored man being interviewed
by authorities in regard to shoot-
ing affray gave to the world this
bit of philosophy:
"Ah didn't see nothin' so ah
don't know nothin'!"
"You all know, boss, I spends
six months of every year tendin'
mah own business and ah spends
the other six months of the year
tryin' to keep from tendin' other
people's business, so all in all, I
a busy man."—Birmingham A/E-
Herald.

Earning Praise or Blame

What people say of us after we
are dead matters little so far as we
are concerned. What they say of
us while living may be of utmost
importance to us. Yet for the one
as well as for the other we are
very largely responsible.—Grit.

CLUB WINNERS

(Continued from first page)

BEEF CATTLE

First: Clifford Gray, Lea, 180.
Second: Bernard Love, Lea, 151.
Third: Bob McKinley, San Miguel, 130.

SHEEP CLASSES

Rambouillet: Floyd Gray, Lea, 185.
Shropshire: Ernest Pegau, Berna-
lillo, 76.
Fat: Bernard Love, Lea, 185.

SHEEP

First: Floyd Gray, Lea, 410.
Second: Robert Pegau, Berna-
lillo, 385.

HOG CLASSES

First: Clifford Gray, Lea, 380.
Second: Ernest Pegau, Berna-
lillo, 190.

HOGS

First: Clifford Gray, Lea, 220.
Second: Bob McKinley, San Mi-
guel, 413.

CROPS

First (Seed Selection): Orville
Harris, Bruce Lackey; Roosevelt,
92 1/2.

WINNERS AT S C TWO

First (Seed Corn Selection): Ce-
cile Gray, George Gray, Dona
Ana, 91.

WINNERS AT S C TWO

First (Seed Corn Testing): Ce-
cil Love, Phillip Robinson, Lea,
71-3.

HORTICULTURE

First (Potato Culture): Waldo
Jones, Roy Payne, Hidalgo, 911-2.

POULTRY

First (Caponizing): Joe Brooks,
Gedric Reagan, Curry, 921-6.

MISCELLANEOUS

First (Testing Milk): Bernard
Love, Austin Brooks, Curry, Grand
Champion, 921-3.

FOODS, HOME FURNISHING

Given by place, county, name of
winners and name of demonstra-
tions.

FOOD PREPARATION

First (Grand Champion): Dona
Ana, Marguerite Taylor, Yukie Ya-
bumoto; Biscuits and their varia-
tions.

Second: Lea, Muriel Scrivner,
Frances Scrivner; School lunch.
Third: Bernallillo, Mary Gallegos,
Annie Chaves; Making Spanish
dishes.

CANNING

First: San Miguel, Alta Jones,
Maurine Jones; Making of jellies.
Second: Roosevelt, Mayme Davis,
Vernie Hudgins; Canning sweet
potatoes.

SEWING

First: Hidalgo, Maurine Merrill,
Florence Payne; Drafting patterns
and cutting nightgowns.

Second: Chaves, Rosie Hubbard,
Wilma Deak; Care of shoes and
hosiery.

HOME FURNISHING

First: San Miguel, Martha
Madrid, Rosita Lucero; Making a
fly trap.

COMMUNITY CLUB OF HIWAY TO PUT ON PLAY SAT. NIGHT

The Community Club of Hiway,
N. Mex., is putting on a play Sat-
urday night, Jan. 7, at the Hiway
school house.

The play, "Deacon Dubbs," is a
fine old comedy in 3 acts, any one
of which is guaranteed to dispell
the blues. Come and spend a hap-
py evening with us.

CAST

The Deacon (all the way from
Sorghum Center, by heck)—Carl
Radcliff.

Miss Philpina Popover—Miss
Gladys Walker.

Yennie Yensen (Little Swede
girl)—Miss Jo. Williamson.

Deuteronomy Jones (country boy)—
Harold Radcliff.

Emily Dale (stuck up)—Miss
Louie Hunt.

Trixie Coleman (full of pep)—
Ethel Radcliff.

Rawdon Crawley (villain)—Jack
Williamson.

Rose Raleigh (the heroine)—
Berdie Loughridge.

Amos Coleman (young lawyer)—
Henry Walker.

Major McNutt (auctioneer)—J.
B. Crouch.

The curtain will rise at 7:30. Ad-
mission 10c and 20c.

Mrs. A. E. Wilks of Emay, N. M.,
was transacting business in Portales
on Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Isenberg and
Mrs. Marjorie Richardson spent
the week end in Amarillo.



TO THE VOTERS OF ROOSE- VELT COUNTY

Believing that I am thoroughly
competent and qualified, having
served about two years in the
United States Military Service dur-
ing the World War, during which
time many of my duties were sim-
ilar to those of a sheriff, I hereby
announce to you that I am a can-
didate for sheriff of this county,
subject to the action of the Dem-
ocratic Primary.

Most all voters wish to know
some things about a candidate that
they do not ordinarily find out by
association before they vote for
him. I therefore, submit the fol-
lowing as information concerning
myself:

I was born June 25, 1893, at
Llano, Texas, and lived in Texas
until 1913, when I married and
moved to Oklahoma, where I resid-
ed until August, 1917, when I en-
listed in the United States Mil-
itary Service to serve during the
World War; which I did until
1919 when I received an honorable
discharge. A short time thereafter
I moved to New Mexico and bought
a farm near Portales.

Any investigation you may make
in regard to my character or rep-
utation will be appreciated.

If you should nominate me and
I am elected sheriff, I shall do my
very best to enforce the laws. I
shall at all times be conscious of
my duty and treat all persons alike
with special privileges to none. I
will personally see that the sher-
iff's office shall not lack for honest,
conscientious attention, ever hav-
ing in mind the taxpayers' interest
and an economical administration.

Yours for active and honorable
service.

S. T. JERNIGAN.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The announcement of V. J.
Campbell, candidate for County
Treasurer, was received too late to
appear in the regular announce-
ment columns this week, but will
be found in the regular place next
issue.

Upton

The home of Ross Armitage
caught fire on Friday afternoon.
The kitchen fixtures were all burned
before the fire was extinguished.
Harold Russell, who has been vis-
iting his parents, Mr. and Mrs.
John W. Russell at Upton, re-
turned to Agriculture College on
Saturday, Dec. 31.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson of Blunt
community take this means of
thanking the people of Blunt and
Bledsoe, Texas, for their kindness
and timely aid during the sickness
and death of their little daughter,
Hazel.

We wish also to thank the peo-
ple of Bledsoe and the Cemetery
Association for the kind and ef-
ficient way in which the funeral
and interment were conducted, and
for the nice wreath which they
presented. We also wish to thank
Bro. Perry Wilmeth for officiating
and for his kind words of con-
dolence.

SCOUT MEET

The Boy Scouts, with Scoutmas-
ter Stroup, had a very pleasant
meeting on Tuesday eve. After
the business session, they repaired
to the Tourist Cafe, where Mr.
Stroup provided refreshments and
enjoyment for the troop. It is un-
derstood they learned several new
songs.

Richland High Times

Bennie Jones Editor
Ralph Williamson Reporter
Glen Danforth Reporter
Walter McClintock Reporter
Miss Elizabeth Greaves Sponsor

Eighth Grade Book Reports
For the past two months the
eighth graders have been very busy
reading novels and making book
reports. By making book reports
on eight different novels they will
not have to take the state exam-
ination in reading.

Five to two reports have been
handed in by each pupil already.
These book reports will be sent
into the state department along

with the examination papers.

Fernale

Miss Lillian Marshall spent the
Christmas holidays with her par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Marshall.
Miss Marshall is attending the
teachers university at Las Vegas.
Mr. and Mrs. George Rogers of
Littlefield spent Sunday in the
home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs.
B. B. Rogers.

Singing Night at Richland

Next Sunday night is singing
night at Richland. Every one is
invited to come and sing with us.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Brant and
little daughter, Shirley, from Mc-
Lean, Texas, arrived at the home
of her mother, Mrs. E. M. Partin,
last Thursday to spend a few days.

Miss Bernice Bradford, who is
attending school at Las Vegas,
spent the holidays with home folks.
Walter George Short spent
Christmas at home. Mr. Short is
teaching school at Bellview.

Willis Slaten and family moved
to Portales last week. The Jim
Thomas family have moved to the
Slaten place.

Mr. Portenberry has moved to
the Green place in the Richland
community.

Party

Last Thursday night, a party
was given in the home of Ed Cox.
Several new games and jokes were
played until twelve o'clock. About
twelve o'clock cocoa and cake were
served.

BRING US YOUR PRODUCE

You will find us still
in business — just
moved back to the al-
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Cream Received
From the Curb

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Portales

Miss La Von Brown, who is at-
tending school at Kansas Universi-
ty, and Miss Josephine Good from
Elida, former Richland teachers,
were among those who were pre-
sent. Every one enjoyed a nice
time.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms
close in. Inquire Henry Bremer.
11-24c

For A Good Lunch

BRING YOUR BUCKET TO
THE HOT SHOT

and have it filled with the best
Chili in the State

HAMBURGERS AND SHORT
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FOR SALE—German Police pups,
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triction and from a ribbon win-
ner. V. E. O'Dell, 506 Reed St.,
Clovis, N. Mex. 11-17p

Gifts of Character

For Your Parties
UNUSUAL PRIZES

Beautiful Hand-Painted Tallies
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Boxes, Paper and Cord to Dress
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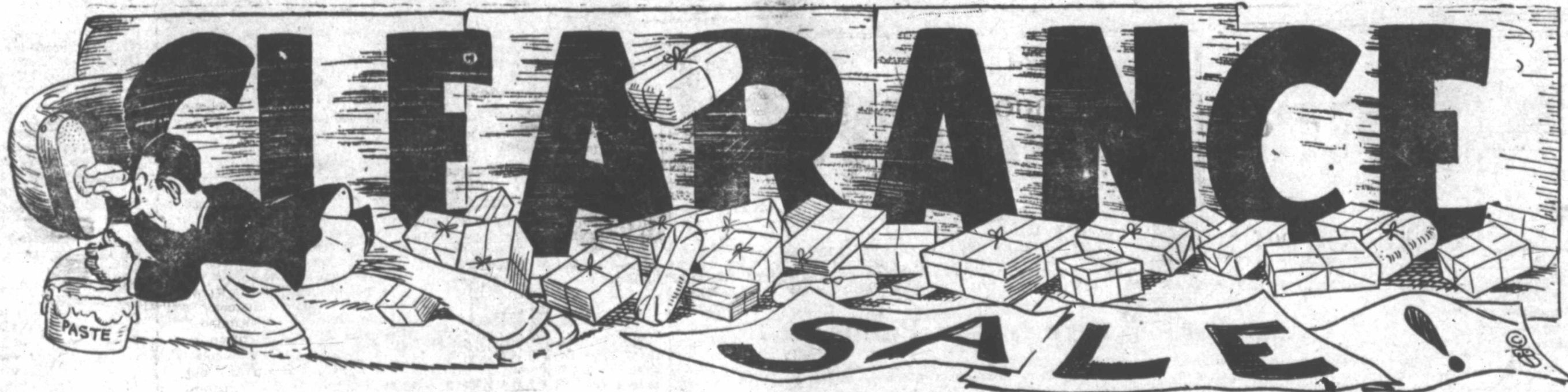
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Let 1928 be a year for
building that addition for the con-
venience of the home or farm, be it
a sleeping porch, garage, barn or
dairy shed or chicken house.

We are here to serve
you with first class building mater-
ials.

Portales Lumber Co.

JANUARY



For Fifteen Days you buy high Class Merchandise at your own price. This is the opportunity you have been looking for. These are the prices you have been waiting for. Come every day and take advantage of the Greatest History Making-Money Saving event ever witnessed in Portales.

Every Day During this Sale will be a Money Making Event. Come every day, Come expecting Bargains. This is not just an ordinary Sale but an Extraordinary Buying Opportunity.

Sale Ends Saturday, January 14

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STOCKHOLDERS OF FIRST NATIONAL BANK HOLD THEIR ANNUAL MEETING

On Tuesday night, January 10th, 1928, the regular annual meeting of the stockholders was held in the office of the First National Bank; the following directors were elected for the year 1928:

J. B. Priddy, Ed. J. Neer, N. F. Wollard, Arthur F. Jones, who, with J. H. Lee, elected to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Lee Carter, constitutes the new Board.

The officers elected were: J. B. Priddy, President; Ed. J. Neer, Vice President; Arthur F. Jones, Cashier; J. E. Wise and J. H. Lee, Assistant Cashiers.

Arthur F. Jones made the following statement concerning the policy of the bank for the coming year:

"For and on behalf of the stockholders, directors and officers of the First National Bank, I wish to express our sincere appreciation for the friendship, loyalty and support given to us by the people of Portales and Roosevelt county which has made possible the splendid business we have enjoyed the past year, and for the coming year we pledge to our friends a continuation of the present policy of our bank, that of using our total resources in every way that would be of the greatest benefit to our people and the making of Roosevelt county a better and more prosperous place in which to live.

"We wish for our friends that the year 1928 may be one of prosperity and success and it is our desire and will be our constant aim to contribute in every way to that end. Organized in 1902, for over twenty five years the First National Bank has been a friend indeed to the people of this county. It has stood the tests of time, has grown stronger with age and today is recognized as one of the safest as well as one of the most progressive banks in the State of New Mexico.

"We also recognize the fact, that being the only bank in our little city, ours is indeed a responsible position in this community; however, we have never taken any advantage of that fact, but on the other hand have to a greater degree tried to fulfill the obligations we have assumed and to fully take care of the needs of our people.

"We realize during the past year we have made some mistakes, for 'tis human to err, and we are sincerely sorry such has been the case. But in handling the trust funds deposited with us, and we consider them a sacred trust, we believe you will recognize the fact, that we must use the greatest care, that the safety of the savings of our friends and the funds of this community must be our first consideration, and therefore, when we have differed with you, have in your opinion been in the wrong, we ask that you credit us with that mistake as having been only in error of judgment, and having upmost in our mind the very best interest of our community and deep in our heart the welfare of all.

"We have faith in our people, in our town and county, and our greatest endeavor will be to so conduct our bank as to justify that same faith in us and to deserve the undivided and wholehearted support of our community and at the end of this year if it can be truthfully said of our bank, 'Well Done, Thou Good and Faithful Servant,' then we will feel amply repaid and more than satisfied with the efforts we have put forth."

RAMS SCHEDULE ANNOUNCED

The high school basketball schedule has just been completed and promises many thrills for the coming season.

The season opened Jan. 6, when the fast Floyd girls and boys teams tangled with the Rams. The following Friday night Texico teams will be entertained on the home floor. The following three weeks will be spent on foreign ground. February 10 will inaugurate another series of home games with the Elida, Tucumcari, and Clovis teams.

This year season tickets are being sold and offer a considerable saving to those who attend regularly. The tickets went on sale January 3.

Following is the home schedule: Jan. 6—Floyd Boys and Girls. Jan. 13—Texico Boys and Girls. Feb. 10—Elida, Boys and Girls. Feb. 17—Tucumcari Boys. Feb. 24—Clovis Boys and Girls.

Away from home: Jan. 20—At Elida. Jan. 21—At Clovis. Jan. 27—At Tucumcari. Feb. 3—At Texico.

Mrs. Maggie Wright is visiting relatives at Abilene, Texas.

ELIDA HIGH SCHOOL A CREDIT TO COUNTY

On Tuesday it was the pleasure of The News editor to visit the new high school of Elida, and through the courtesy of Superintendent McKinley, he was shown over this handsome building.

The building is one story, and contains a modern library, numerous class rooms and a large auditorium and gymnasium.

The building is steam heated and electrically lighted, giving one of the best high school plants in the eastern part of the state.

In addition to the regular high school, a junior high is conducted in this building, which fills it to capacity, and with a continued growth of that community, it will soon become necessary to add additional buildings to take care of the increase.

The vocational agriculture is housed in a frame building, which is rather small for this department. This department is under the supervision of R. A. Young of this place.

Every department of the school is doing splendid work, and Superintendent McKinley is rendering Elida and Roosevelt county a valuable service.

FIRE BOYS DO SPLENDID WORK

On Wednesday morning about eight o'clock the fire alarm sounded, calling the department to the old Pecos Valley Hotel on Commercial street.

The fire was in the roof and had burned through. Prompt efforts on the part of the local fire department soon had a stream of water playing on the burning building, and the flames were extinguished.

This is one of the oldest buildings in town, and would have burned like tinder had it gained a little more headway.

REBEKAH OFFICERS

The newly installed officers of the Rebekah lodge are:

Mrs. J. N. McCall, P. N. G.; Mrs. Niel Rockey, N. G.; Mrs. C. C. Pendley, V. G.; Miss Tina Mae Lockyer, Sec.; Miss Hazel South, Treas.; Theo. Summers, Chaplain; C. C. Pendley, Inside G.; John W. George, Outside G.; Miss Ruth Johnson, Musician; Miss Alma Stinnett, R. S. N. G.; Miss Mae Watts, L. S. N. G.; Miss Macy Morris, R. S. V. G.; Miss Alice Stratton, L. S. V. G.; D. Jackson Melton, Degree Captain.

After the installation, the social committee, under the leadership of Mrs. C. C. Pendley, served delicious refreshments.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

There will be no preaching service at the Christian church on next Lord's day morning as the pastor will fill his regular appointment at Elida on that day. All other services at the usual hour. Bible school 10:00 a. m., followed by the Lord's supper.

Junior C. E., Senior C. E. and evening sermon at the regular hours.

A cordial welcome awaits you.

EXTENSION MAN VISITS PORTALES

Professor Coleman, new extension director from New Mexico Normal University, was in Portales Tuesday of this week in the interest of university extension work in Roosevelt county. Three courses may be given in Portales and some work will probably also be given at Elida and Rogers. The courses in which there is interest in Portales are Educational Hygiene, the History of Latin-American Republics, and the History of the Southwest.

The first two to be given by Mr. Coleman, and the third by Mrs. T. A. Martin of Portales. Any one interested in this work should communicate with Supt. Krattill of the Portales schools.

Mr. Coleman reports great interest in this section of the state. His work will probably center in the Pecos Valley.

Market Reports

The following markets prevailed Thursday morning, Jan. 12:

Kaffir and maize, threshed...	\$1.10 cwt.
Shelled corn	\$1.25 cwt.
Maize and kaffir heads...	\$1.10 ton
Bar corn	12 @ 13
Hogs	\$7.10 cwt.
Heavy hens	14c
Leghorn hens	12c
Springs	18c
Roosters	50c
Eggs, per dozen	33c
Butter fat, per pound	42c
Dry hides	15c
Green hides	14c
Turkeys	24c

FLOYD STOCK JUDGING TEAM OFF FOR DENVER

Wednesday morning of this week, the Floyd Stock Judging Team, accompanied by Prof. A. E. Lang, superintendent of the Floyd schools, left for Denver, where this team will compete in the Denver contest.

At this meet 15 states will enter the competition, and Prof. Lang expresses confidence that he Floyd team will not only bring home the bacon, but that they will come back covered with blue ribbons and other honors.

The team is composed of: Albert Parrish, Bentlen Bostick, John Spears, Dan Fruit, Coke Chumley.

In the recent contest at State College this team won the high honor for the highest placing of any team in the state, and also for the three leading men coming from the state school, which broke all state records.

The Denver contest takes place on Saturday, the 14th, and the results will be eagerly watched by the people of Roosevelt county, as the honors of this team will be shared by the entire county as the home of the Floyd High School, which has produced such many and capable young men.

WORK IS FINISHED ON MEXICO ROAD

Work on the road between Bledsoe and Bluit, connecting Bledsoe with all of the main New Mexico points has been completed, and is now suitable for travel, even with very heavy loads. The sand has been scraped out through the entire strip that has been giving trouble, making tourist travel very satisfactory. The work has been well supported by the entire citizenship of Bledsoe and Eastern New Mexico. Mr. Palmer was generous enough to donate a strip of land off of the northeast corner of his tract in order that a good rounding corner could be made to the requirements of the state highway department, but also allowed building through a large sand hill—Cochran County (Tex.) News.

THE NORMAL SCHOOL

The Chamber of Commerce has been busy the past week raising funds to buy the grounds for the Eastern New Mexico Normal School. The citizenship of the town has responded liberally to this cause, and the committee is well on the way to secure the \$7,000.00 which must be raised immediately.

The location of the normal grounds is in the hands of the Board of Regents, and every loyal citizen will make their donations to this fund and not try to inject local politics or prejudice into the issue.

The Normal School is for the whole people and not for the individual gain of any man or clique of men.

Let us all get behind the Chamber of Commerce and put the normal over before it is too late.

Ruth Carter left Monday night for Vaughn. She was called to the bedside of her cousin, Gladys Sutton.

Mrs. J. C. Compton is leaving Saturday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. B. T. Johnson, of Canyon, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph R. Will are rejoicing over the arrival in their home on Saturday morning, Jan. 7th, of a fine seven and one-half pound boy, Frank Goodwin Will.

Mrs. W. Krattill expects to leave Portales on the 19th of this month to go to Emporia, Kansas, where she will continue her study at the Kansas State Teachers' College.

O. D. Lamberth of Pleasant Valley was transacting business in Portales Saturday.

Mrs. John Cotheran and little daughter, Mottie Jo, are guests in the Ben Grung home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Blanton motored over from Vernon, Texas, New Year's day and were guests of Mrs. Blanton's people, the Frank Warnica family, until Tuesday.

BUCHANANS BUY TROUT HOME

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Buchanan have recently purchased the A. G. Trout home at the corner of Arizona and Liberty streets. They will make extensive improvements in the property and expect to be at home there some time next month.

ANOTHER PIONEER PASSES AWAY

S. H. (Uncle Henry) Stinnett died at the family home in West Portales January 6th at 11 p. m. Interment was in the Portales cemetery at 3:30 p. m. on Sunday, January 8, Rev. W. T. Simmons, of Portales officiating. The Neer Mortuary was in charge of the funeral.

Mr. Stinnett had been ill for the past month or six weeks and up until last Friday was thought to be on the road to recovery, when the change for the worse came, and complications set up from the flu. Loving friends and skilled physicians did all in their power but of no avail.

Deceased leaves a wife, five sons, seven daughters, seventeen grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren and a host of friends to mourn his loss.

"Uncle Henry" Stinnett, as he was familiarly called, was a typical pioneer, having lived on the frontier of West Texas and New Mexico all his life. His parents moved from Tennessee to Hopkins county, Texas in 1852, where Uncle Henry was born January 29, 1854. His parents soon moved to Parker county, Texas, being among the first settlers of Parker county.

This section of Texas at that time was thinly settled and human life was in danger on account of Indian depredations, and many people were massacred. Schools were unknown. In early life his father died in the Civil War. At the age of seventeen, "Uncle Henry" volunteered his services in the Texas Rangers, where he experienced many hardships fighting the red man back and protecting his state, which made it possible for us to have the peaceable and prosperous country which we enjoy today. He helped to organize Parker county, and resided there continuously for forty years.

At the age of twenty five, Mr. Stinnett was united in marriage to Miss Almida Hancock of Weatherford, Texas. To this union were born seven children. Three died in youth. Those surviving are Sam J. Stinnett of Portales, Charles H. Stinnett of Portales, Mrs. E. J. Bilberry of Spur, Texas; Mrs. L. S. Bilberry of Dickens, Texas. His first wife died January 7, 1894. He was married again to Mrs. Mary Jane Woodburn of Strawn, Texas, September 1897. To this union was born four daughters and two sons, whose names are as follows: Marion M. Stinnett of Portales, Mrs. W. A. Watson of Medicine Lodge, Kansas; Mrs. John W. Henderson of Abilene, Texas; Rufus M. Stinnett of Portales; Miss Lucy Stinnett of Ft. Sumner, New Mexico; and Mrs. Newton Watson of Abilene, Texas. He also leaves two step-children, Arthur C. Woodburn of Portales and Mrs. R. A. Bilberry of Jackboro, Texas. All were present at the funeral, except two daughters who were prevented by sickness.

Uncle Henry Stinnett moved with his family from Dickens county, Texas, to New Mexico, August 18, 1902, locating on a homestead seven miles northwest of Portales, where he engaged in stock raising for many years. In 1920 he moved to Portales, where he has resided since.

He was a member of the Primitive Baptist church, became converted in early manhood and lived a conscientious Christian the remainder of his life. He always took an active part in all county, state and national affairs, and used his influence for the upbuilding of the community in which he lived. He was well and favorably known all over West Texas and Eastern New Mexico. Thus it can truly be said of this pioneer that in his passing the family has lost a devoted husband and a loving father, and the community, a valuable citizen.

F. T. A. IN PORTALES

Mrs. W. W. Phillips of Roswell, State President of F. T. A., and Mrs. Emma Golden, National Organizer, were in Portales yesterday and were instrumental in effecting an organization here. The local officers are as follows:

Mrs. J. G. Greaves, president; Mrs. J. V. Mauk, vice pres.; Mrs. O. S. Strickland, secretary; Mrs. R. G. Bryant, treasurer.

A number of interested people met with the officers and organizers last night at the home of Senator and Mrs. R. G. Bryant. Further plans were made and committees appointed.

Committee chairmen are as follows: Mrs. Edwin Neer, program; Mrs. T. E. Mears, membership; Mrs. James Christie, publicity; Mrs. Arthur Jones, social.

All those interested in the organization are asked to communicate with any of the above-named persons.

DRILLERS MARK TIME AWAITING INSTRUCTIONS

The Olive test well 10 miles west of Kenna is attracting nation-wide attention in oil circles.

The News has received many inquiries from a number of states as to the status of this well, and on Tuesday sent a representative to Kenna to investigate.

It was learned that the Kenna driller is being held there on instructions to proceed at a moment's notice.

The log of this well has been identical with several geological reports on that structure. It is now below 1300 feet and was shut down after a good showing of gas.

Every one is confident that it will become a producer within the next few hundred feet, and while the village of Kenna is almost deserted, all who live there are keyed up to a high degree of expectancy.

Should this field become productive, both Roswell and Portales will get considerable oil play, but Kenna will make a real oil camp and its hills will soon be dotted with tents and shacks.

Predictions are that it will make a second Wink, and town lots which have been going begging for the past fifteen years, piling on taxes, will be much sought after by those who follow the trail of the Black Goldcoast.

Nesting in the valley between the rugged hills of Kenna Pass, this village stands ready to spring into a real oil town. The few business houses which have remained, when residences and business houses were loaded on trucks and moved away a few years back, all report a good healthy business and the few pioneers who have remained are now dreaming of the wealth which will follow the announcement that this well has blown in.

The promoters have an ironclad drilling contract which calls for continuous drilling to a depth of 3400 feet, or until a producer is brought in at a lesser depth. They have notified the drillers to go ahead with the work and it is expected that drilling will be resumed within the next two weeks.

Kenna has long been a picturesque cow town, where cattle by the hundreds of thousands have been loaded for shipment. The old adobe ranch house which was built long before the railroad entered this part of the state, still stands in a good state of preservation. In this ranch house years ago our fellow townsman, J. B. Sledge, once made his home. This house is surrounded by a native grove of china berries which gives a dense shade, which in the past twenty years has been the scene of many a picnic gathering. Here the cowboys have rested while waiting for the chuck call after grueling hours of labor in the branding pens.

Like the Rip Van Winkle of old, Kenna will awaken in the near future to see as great a change as took place in the hamlet occupied by old Rip before his historical sleep.

JOINT BANQUET FOR LEGION AND AUXILIARY

The Carl McDermott Post of the American Legion and the local unit of the Legion Auxiliary will have a joint banquet on Friday night at seven o'clock in the Bryant building. The Christian ladies will serve the dinner. Both organizations will hold business sessions following the banquet and will elect officers for the new year.

LIONS PLAN LADIES' NIGHT

At their luncheon last Thursday the Lions Club decided to entertain their wives and friends at an early date not yet decided upon. The Lions hold luncheon meetings regularly twice on month, on the first and third Thursdays. The Lions are a service organization and exist to work for the welfare of the community as well as to promote fellowship among the members.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS

The stupendous task of crediting the immense subscription list of The Portales Valley News is under way. A special clerk has been employed for the past week on this work, and an effort will be made to have every credit on the mailing galleys by next week.

If you are entitled to the paper and are not receiving it, please notify us giving the name of contestant which your subscription was given to, as this will save much time in checking the records.

If you are receiving two copies of the paper, notify us so that your credit may be extended to the proper date.

PORTALES VALLEY NEWS.

HARVEY O. GARST IS SOLD ON FUTURE OF PORTALES

While the following letter from Harvey O. Garst of the State College was written in the nature of a private letter, the News feels that it is violating no confidence in giving the letter in full.

In fact, it states the situation better than could be done by re-writing an article in regard to it. The letter follows.

Mr. J. G. Greaves, Editor "The Portales Valley News," Portales, N. M.

My Dear Mr. Greaves: I am inclosing a check of \$1.50 for a one year's subscription to "The Portales Valley News." I will try to be a booster in my own town and for the State generally. I believe that you have the boosting spirit up there and I want to encourage it along to the extent of being a subscriber.

I have been pretty busy since returning to State College and have not time to write an article and anyway I feel like giving you the facts as I see them and letting you write them to suit yourself if you happen to see them the same way I do.

I certainly do believe in the future of Portales. You have had a remarkable growth up there and the fine thing about it is that it is a steady, healthy growth and not the mushroom sort of growth that accompanies a boom. I believe your possibilities for the future are just as great or even better than the past. Your rural development and your agriculture is going to make Portales a still bigger and better town. The Normal School that is assured you is going to be a big factor in your growth. I believe the State is already blessed with too many State schools for the reason that there is not enough money to adequately support what we now have. In other words, I think for the good of the State as a whole there is a question whether it would not be better to consolidate some of our institutions rather than multiply. But this school is provided for up there and I am for you. It will be a big thing for Portales and for Roosevelt County. You fellows up there must get right in behind it and give your every support to see it properly started and adequately supported.

Nothing is more fundamental to your town growth than this sewer and water question. It will protect what you have and give the basis for further and greater growth. The present disposal plant is not only a nuisance but it is a danger to health. The nuisance alone is enough to condemn it. You can't build the best town around such a nuisance as that present plant. Pleasant, inviting surroundings attract the best and most desirable citizens. Towns, like individuals, can go to sleep on the job and by failing to push their opportunities may never realize their maximum and best growth. Suppose though that your town would grow materially in spite of such nuisance as is your present sewage plant—can you afford to retain right with in your city such a menace to health? The idea that you have been getting along for some time under present conditions and have not had any outbreak yet may simply give you the false assurance that there is no danger and hush you along till a real epidemic breaks out. In the last few years your town has literally been growing around this festering pollution. It is a constant danger. You might get by a little while longer but you can't afford to take the chance on human lives.

The extension of water mains needs no argument other than those of sound business policy. Wherever these mains go they constitute a real property value. Properties will be better developed throughout your town generally by the building of these mains. The development and enhancement of values in any considerable portion of a town has its effect on every other property. In the scheme that is proposed for extensions of water mains in your town there will be 82 blocks brought within the net work of new lines of else adjacent to a new line along at least one side of a block. From the standpoint of fire hazard alone it is not good business to put off any longer the extension of city water mains.

The present well will supply the town with water for some time IF nothing happens to interfere with its operation. However many things can happen and who can tell but some of these things might happen right at the time of a fire outbreak? Another well is badly needed. It can be drilled near the present well but should be equipped with an absolutely independent pumping unit.

The program suggested by the Town Board and Chamber of Com-

munity is outlined as follows: Improvements To Be Financed By Bonds Issue

New Sewage Disposal Plant, including outfall sewer line, pumps, etc., \$40,000.00

Water Extensions: Bogard Addition \$9800.00

East Portales Addition \$11000.00

High School Section \$7200.00

New Well and Independent Pumping Unit \$3500.00 \$31,500.00

Total to be Financed by Bonds \$71,500.00

Improvements To Be Financed By Assessments

Sewer Extensions: Bogard Addition \$7596.00

East Portales Addition \$10677.00 \$18,273.00

Total Amount of all Contemplated Improvements \$89,773.00

If this letter gives you any information or ideas which you desire to use you are welcome to work it over as you see fit. If I can be of any further service to you I shall be glad to have you command me.

Yours very truly, HARVEY O. GARST

Harvey O. Garst, P. O. Box 106, State College, N. M.

HAWKEYE VALLEY FARM LOAN ASSOCIATION ELECTS OFFICERS

On Tuesday the Hawkeye Valley Farm Loan Association held their annual stockholders meeting at Elida.

A dinner was prepared for the stockholders and their families, and a good attendance was present. The dinner was prepared at the Dolby Cafe, and the tables were loaded with the usual good eats, as is the custom in that part of the county.

After the noon hour, the stockholders retired to the Odd Fellows Hall for the business session.

Reports for the past year were presented and accepted, after which the election of the board of directors took place.

The board elected for the year 1928 was: J. E. Miller, T. A. Tingle, B. W. Kensing, G. T. Littlefield, Edwin G. Taylor, F. C. Ruckman, A. Grimshaw.

The Board of Directors then proceeded to elect J. E. Miller as president, B. W. Kensing as vice president and J. L. Paxton as secretary.

The load committee elected is as follows: C. E. Herbert, Esq. J. Taylor and J. L. Paxton. This was the eleventh annual meeting of this association, and from their report it is in a healthy, growing condition.

A. L. MOORE, P. E., TO PREACH ON SUNDAY

Rev. A. L. Moore, the presiding elder of the Roswell District, will preach at 11 o'clock on Sunday morning at the Methodist church. The regularly quarterly conference will be held some time in the afternoon.

L. O. P. OFFICERS

N. G.—A. C. White. V. G.—Floyd Kennedy. Sec.—Treas.—Eura Watts. P. S. N. G.—S. J. Stinnett. L. S. N. G.—C. M. Sullins. F. S. V. G.—Theo. Summers. L. S. V. G.—W. F. Miller. Inner Guard—C. C. Pendley. Outer Guard—C. T. Rankston. Warden—Tom Maxwell. Conductor—Stokes Sanders. Chaplain—John W. George. R. S. E.—Bill Turner. L. S. S.—Carl Yeochum.

DORA ORGANIZES F. T. A.

Prof. Irving of the Dora school was in town Saturday and reported that a Parent-Teacher Association had been organized in his district with Mr. Brumfield as president, Mrs. Shaffer as vice chairman, and Miss Jessie Richards as secretary.

The association will meet at 2:30 p. m. on Friday, the 13th, at which time Prof. T. E. Clayton and Attorney D. Jackson Melton will address the organization.

Tuesday of this week, W. A. Angley of Tahoka, Texas, opened a new furniture store in the Warnick building on State street.

Mr. Angley states that he has long had an eye on Portales and deems this the logical time to open a furniture store at this place. He will carry a complete line of new and second hand furniture.

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ELECTION BALLOTS CALLED FOR SENATE

Washington, Jan. 5.—Subpoenas demanding the removal to Washington of the remainder of the ballots cast in the Ware-Wilson senatorial contest in Pennsylvania, in 1926, were issued today by the senate privileges and elections committee.

FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING AT MILNESAND CHURCH

Program for the Fifth Sunday Meeting of the south half of the Portales Baptist Association to be with the Milnesand Baptist church, January 27-29, 1927.

Friday Evening, January 27

7:00 Devotional led by J. E. East-

er.

7:30 Sermon—Rev. W. G. Mac-

Arthur.

Saturday Morning, January 27

9:30 Devotional led by Jessie

Barnes.

10:00 Exegesis of Acts 2:1-6

Revs. L. A. Blair, J. K. Hicks.

11:00 Sermon—Rev. R. W. By-

num.

Noon

Devotional led by G. B. Dough-

1:30 Meeting of Members of ex-

ecutive board—Joe F. Grizzle.

2:00 Bible Sanctification—Revs.

P. M. Fortner, Newell Clark.

2:30 Baptists in New Mexico—

Secretary C. W. Stumph.

7:00 Devotional led by Rev. H.

M. Edwardson.

7:30 Sermon—Rev. W. E. Davis.

Sunday Morning

10:00 Sunday School.

10:45 Sunday School Lecture—

Mr. J. E. Wise.

11:15 Sermon—Rev. Newell

Clark.

Noon

2:00 Devotional led by Rev. A.

W. Dalrimple.

2:30 Layman's Organization in

the Rural Church—Round Table

Discussion led by K. L. Sproles.

7:15 Sermon—Rev. J. K. Hicks.

Prof. George Luce will have full

charge of the music in all services.

J. T. Riddle,

For Committee.

In 1823, the Pennsylvania legis-

lature granted a charter to John

Stevens to construct a railroad

from Philadelphia to Columbia,

Pennsylvania. Stevens being un-

able to finance the construction,

the legislature in March, 1828, ap-

propriated funds for the construc-

tion, and work was begun in 1829.

Twenty miles were placed in ser-

vice with horse-drawn cars Sep-

tember 20, 1832, and the remain-

der April 26, 1834. This is now a

part of the Pennsylvania system.

Ambulance Service—Ed J. Neer

Announcements

DEMOCRATIC

RATES

County and District \$12.50

Precinct and City \$10.00

Names of Nominees Will Be Car-

ried To Time of General Election

The following announcements are

made subject to the action of the

democratic primaries of Roosevelt

County:

For County Clerk—

JOHN W. BALLOW

For County Treasurer—

A. J. GOODWIN

V. J. CAMPBELL

HOMER BARNETT

CASS LYONS

For Sheriff—

S. T. (TOM) JERNIGAN

(Veteran of World War)

J. G. COX

JOE BEASLEY

COLEMAN FENDLEY

CHARLES M. COX

For District Attorney (Ninth Ju-

dicial District)—

J. C. COMPTON

For Tax Assessor—

SAM J. STINNETT

(For Re-Election)

For County Superintendent of

Schools—

J. R. SHOCK

(For Re-Election)

For Commissioner Dist. No. 1—

SAM B. FLETCHER

J. G. COX ANNOUNCES FOR

SHERIFF

Having decided to make the race

Roosevelt county, on the democr-

atic ticket, I believe that it is but

right that I make a brief personal

statement.

I came to New Mexico in 1907

from Erath county, Texas, and set-

tled on a farm near old Redland,

New Mexico, where I conducted a

store and was postmaster. Between

five and six years ago I moved to

Portales and since that I have been

in business in the C. & T. Service

Station.

I have never held office in Roose-

velt county, but my experience

with the public has been such that

I believe I am qualified to meet

and deal justly with my fellowmen.

I am making no promises as to

what I will do or to my policies if

I should be elected to the office to

which I aspire. I only pledge my-

self to perform the duties of the

office as the law requires in every

respect. I have no desire to en-

ter the office merely to favor

friends or to punish enemies. It

is the intention of the law that

every person be given a square

deal and that shall be my motto

WHEELER BROTHERS GENERAL HARDWARE Welding and Machine Work

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Where The Eating Is Best

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Open All Nite

FURS!! FURS!! FURS!

The season is here and the price is high on all furs, and the place to sell is

Robertson Produce Company

Cotton Tail Rabbits, properly killed and handled are in good demand.

If you elect me. I have been a democrat all my life and have always supported those men nominated for office upon that platform.

TO THE VOTERS OF ROOSEVELT COUNTY

Believing that I am thoroughly competent and qualified for the office of Treasurer, I hereby announce to you that I am a candidate for Treasurer of Roosevelt county, subject to the action of the democratic primary.

If I am nominated and elected as your next treasurer, I will handle the office in a business-like manner, devoting my entire attention to the duties of the office; treat all persons alike and showing no special privileges to any one.

I was born in Oklahoma October 22, 1900.

In 1904 I was carried from the hospital at Mangum, Okla., where I had my left arm amputated, to Texas, and in April of 1909 my parents came to New Mexico.

Upon our arrival in New Mexico, I began to improve, and after the first month began to walk.

I came to Roosevelt county in 1923 and have been teaching school in the county since that time.

I ask that you consider my qualifications and if you find me worthy, cast your vote for my nomination in the coming primary election.

Yours for an accurate and honorable service.

HOMER BARNETT.

JOE BEASLEY ANNOUNCES FOR SHERIFF OF ROOSEVELT CO.

In the announcement columns will be found the name of Joe Beasley as candidate for Sheriff of Roosevelt county, subject to the action of the democratic primary.

In making his announcement, Mr. Beasley states that he is a life long democrat.

He came to New Mexico in 1897 and has been engaged in the cattle business since that time.

He came to Portales 26 years years ago, and has been a citizen of the town since that time, and has played an important part in the development of the town and county.

He served as a peace officer under Joe Lang, and later as deputy sheriff under Jess McCormack.

He is known to every man, woman and child in the county, and needs no introduction at this time.

Mr. Beasley states that if the people choose him as their sheriff, he will devote his time in fair and impartial discharge of the duties of this office, without fear or favor to any one. That he will conduct the office upon an economical basis as in consistent with the efficiency of the office.

He asks that you weigh his claims and qualifications and cast your vote accordingly.

BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY, JAN. 15

9:45. Sunday School. If you are not a member of some Sunday school in the city we invite you to come with us. We are happy to say to mothers that we now have our cradle roll room ready for use. You will find Mrs. Ike Maxwell with her helpers there to look after all children up to four years old. The room is warm and sufficient help will be found there to look after as many children as may be left in their care. Bring the little folks to Sunday school and church.

11:00. Morning Worship. Just a plain, simple old time service.

6:00. All B. Y. P. U.'s meet in main auditorium for Senior opening program; then to their rooms for lesson study.

7:00. Evening Worship.

We invite the public to worship with us. If we can help you we are anxious to do it and we assure you that your presence in our service is a help to us.

Joe F. Grizzle, Pastor.

FROM ST. LOUIS December 28, 1927.

Editor The News, Portales, New Mexico.

My dear sir:

Pardon me for this intrusion, but I wonder if through your publication I cannot get in direct touch with parties who would feel interested in the employing of a conscientious, all-around handy man around factory, ranch or farm? I am white, unmarried, age 40, strictly sober, steady and reliable in every way. Am very adapted to the use of carpenter's tools; in fact, am handy with tools

of all mechanical trades. I understand the care of stock fairly well. Can also drive and repair any make of truck or automobile.

Nineteen years has disgusted me with the city, where it is impossible for a conscientious working man to get ahead. I am not seeking the highest wages. All I want is a job in the western country where I can work up to advancement and prove my worth to my employer.

Thanking you in advance for the requested favor, I am, believe me,

Very respectfully,

Chas. W. Toomes,

1807 North 18th St.,

St. Louis, Mo.

One of the earlier railroads advertised that its locomotive engine would depart daily with a train of passenger cars when the weather was fair, but that on rainy days horses would be attached. However, the inadequacies and difficulties were eliminated and improvements made so rapidly that in a few years locomotives furnished adequate and dependable motive power.

Bethel

We are sorry to have the Jay family preparing to leave us. They have been here a long time and will be greatly missed.

Mrs. Boteler has been sick for a few days. We hope for a speedy recovery.

Mrs. O. B. Sherman and two small children have been suffering with severe colds.

Mr. and Mrs. Huse Griffin and daughters, Belei and Ernestine, and son, Thames, called at the Adams home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Boteler and daughter Eunice spent New Year's day there also.

Ambulance Service—Ed. J. Neer.



"OH, BOY! BUT THEY'RE GOOD! GOT ANY MORE?"

DON'T BE SURPRISED if you hear comment like the above from your youngsters — very shortly after you offered them some of our delicious Hostess Cakes. They'll just eat and eat and EAT 'til there's not a crumb left.

YOACHUM & SON.

HOME AND FARM CONVENIENCES

Let 1928 be a year for building that addition for the convenience of the home or farm, be it a sleeping porch, garage, barn or dairy shed or chicken house.

We are here to serve you with first class building materials.

Portales Lumber Co.

"TEX" RICKARD World Famous Sports Promoter, writes:



"Lucky Strikes never injure my throat. Many of my friends in all walks of life use and enjoy them."

Tex Rickard



The Cream of the Tobacco Crop

"No article can grow without quality behind it. LUCKY STRIKES are growing and have grown because of their quality. The Cream of the Crop goes into LUCKY STRIKE. The best Tobacco is bought for them. I know, because it is my job to see that this is so."

J. B. Brown
Buyer of Tobacco
at Louisville, Ky.

"It's toasted"

No Throat Irritation—No Cough.

Highest Prices For Clean Cotton Rags



When Sunday Dinner Brought Folks Together

In horse and buggy days Sunday dinner used to be quite a social event to bring folks together.

Nowadays the occasional social contact afforded by Sunday dinner has been increased to daily visits by telephone.

The telephone has made everyone neighbors and will help you to obtain greater enjoyment by establishing more friendly, sociable contacts.



An Advertisement by
The Mountain States Telephone & Telegraph Co.

In This Huge Under-Price Selling Event, Profits have been thrown to the Four Winds. New, Seasonable Merchandise is priced at unheard of Figures.

All Winter Goods Must Go!

Without Regard for former value—The Price Shears have clipped unmercifully in a Store-wide Effort to clean out everything.

January Clearance Sale

A SPECTACULAR CLEARAWAY! STARTING FRIDAY, JANUARY 13TH

Men's Part Wool Union Suits

A fine ribbed, part wool garment, silk trimmed and excellent make. Regular \$2.50 value.

SPECIAL \$1.39

Men's Heavy Flat Fleece Union Suits

A well made garment and is heavy fleeced. \$1.75 value.

SPECIAL \$1.00

Men's Slip-Over Sweaters

Every one guaranteed pure wool; all new fancy patterns. \$4.95 values.

SPECIAL \$2.98

Men's Lumber Jacks

Jersey knit, a good warm Jacket at a real bargain. Regular price \$2.98.

SPECIAL \$1.95

Men's Submarine Coats

Full length overcoat style; has belt all around and is wind and water proof. \$8.95 value.

SPECIAL \$4.98

Boys' Overcoats

All wool overcoats that are made like a man's; sizes 10 to 16. Regular price \$11.95.

SPECIAL \$6.95

Men's Pure Wool Lumber Jacks

Everyone guaranteed pure wool; large fancy plaids; regular price \$5.95.

SPECIAL \$3.89

Men's Socks

35c. Army and Navy socks or 35c pure silk socks; all colors and sizes.

SPECIAL 19c PR

\$1.75 Men's Heavy Ribbed U. Suits, all sizes, Special \$1.00

85c Men's Blue Work Shirts, all sizes, Special 50c

\$1.50 Men's Domet Flannel Shirts, gray or khaki, special 89c

\$2.50 Men's 4-Pocket Sport Sweaters, Special \$1.49

\$3.00 Men's Wool Shirts, Solid Colors, Special \$1.95

\$2.95 Boys' Dress Pants, in Sizes 6 to 16, Special \$1.95

A 'SWIRL' OF BARGAINS

Bargains to the left of you....
the right of you.....in front
and back of you....will greet
you in

This Great January Clearance Sale

\$2.50 54-INCH WOOLEN GOODS SPECIAL \$1.49 YARD

\$3.50 54-INCH WOOLEN GOODS SPECIAL \$2.39 YARD

\$4.50 54-INCH WOOLEN GOODS SPECIAL \$2.89 YARD

\$1.98 SILK DRESS GOODS SPECIAL \$1.59 YARD

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\$3.95 SILK DRESS GOODS SPECIAL \$3.39 YARD

\$1.00 SILK RAYONS SPECIAL 79c YARD

79c SILK RAYONS SPECIAL 47c YARD

35c PONGEE PRINTS SPECIAL 25c YARD

17c OUTING 5 YARDS FOR 49c



LADIES' COATS AND DRESSES

This is a real sensation for you as every garment will be sold far below actual cost. You will wonder how we can sell them so cheap.

SILK DRESSES

THAT SOLD FROM \$13.75 TO \$24.75

WILL GO AT

\$7.95 and \$12.95

LADIES' COATS

THAT SOLD FROM \$12.75 TO \$39.75

REDUCED TO

\$6.95-\$14.75-\$19.75

Children's Coats Sizes 3 to 8

Fur trimmed and full lined; colors are blue, brown and red. Regular Price \$5.95.

SPECIAL \$3.69

Ladies' Winter Union Suits

Nicely trimmed and have long sleeves and ankle length. Regular price \$1.25

SPECIAL 89c

Turkish Towels Size 20 x 40

These are double terry and large size. Regular Price 35c.

Special 2 For 45c

Ladies' Hose Full Mercerized

All colors and sizes. Regular Price 35c.

SPECIAL 27c

Ladies' Silk Hose

\$3.50 Values Reduced To \$2.49
\$2.25 Values Reduced To 1.79
\$1.95 Values Reduced To 1.49
\$1.75 Values Reduced To 1.29
\$1.00 Values Reduced to79

ALL THE ABOVE ARE GUARANTEED PURE THREAD SILK.

Cotton Bats

3 Pound Stitched Size 72 x 96, made of pure snow-white cotton. Regular Price \$1.25.

SPECIAL 98c

Men's Overalls

Dark Blue denim, every pair full cut, extra heavy, and guaranteed to give satisfaction or a new pair free. Regular Price \$1.95.

SPECIAL \$1.69

Men's Dress Pants

\$7.50 VALUES REDUCED TO.....\$6.25
\$6.95 VALUES REDUCED TO..... 5.45
\$5.95 VALUES REDUCED TO..... 4.85
\$4.50 VALUES REDUCED TO..... 3.45

OTHERS REDUCED ACCORDINGLY



MEN'S SUITS —and— OVERCOATS

ALL OF OUR HIGH GRADE SUITS AND OVERCOATS HAVE BEEN SLASHED TO UNBELIEVABLE PRICES. COST HAS POSITIVELY BEEN FORGOTTEN AND ALL WE HAD IN MIND WHEN MARKING THESE WAS TO MOVE THEM OUT

OVERCOATS THAT SOLD FROM \$18.50 TO \$25.00 REDUCED TO

\$10.95 \$12.50 \$14.95

SUITS THAT SOLD FROM \$18.75 TO \$35.00 REDUCED TO

\$12.50 \$13.75 \$19.75



Extra Special—Garno Perfume Set
CONSISTS OF THE FOLLOWING—
PERFUME SELLS FOR \$2.00
TOILET WATER SELLS FOR \$1.00
FACE POWDER SELLS FOR \$1.00
TALCUM SELLS FOR 50c
VANISHING CREAM SELLS FOR 50c
TOTAL VALUE \$5.00. **SPECIAL FOR THIS SALE \$1.49 FOR ALL**

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PORTALES.

NEW MEXICO

- SHOES -

EVERY PAIR IN OUR STORE HAS BEEN SLASHED TO ROCK BOTTOM PRICES

SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Bryant and Mrs. Wright at home.

The Bryants and Mrs. Jno. W. Wright entertained friends Thursday evening with a lovely six o'clock dinner. The guests were seated around one large table centered with a bouquet of flowers, and a small table with a centerpiece of flowers. The dinner was served in a room decorated with a red and green color scheme was red and green and was carried out in all decorations. A delicious four-course dinner was served to the following: Judge and Mrs. T. E. Meares, and son, Edridge; Miss Kate McManaway, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Luper, and Dr. and Mrs. E. T. Henley. The evening was spent in social conversation.

Mrs. Wise and Mrs. C. C. Compton at home.

On Friday evening, Mrs. C. C. Compton and Mrs. J. E. Wise were at home to several friends with a six o'clock dinner at the beautiful new bungalow. The guests were seated at small tables, each centered with a bouquet of flowers.

The dinner was delicious and was served in three courses. The evening was spent in playing 42 and listening to the radio.

The guest list included Dr. and Mrs. R. W. Means, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Moody, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Priddy, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Greaves, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. J. Rex Forrest, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Compton, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Rowley, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Spire.

Class Party
Two classes from the Baptist Bible school, the girls taught by Mrs. J. E. Wise and the boys taught by Carl Case, were delightfully entertained Friday night, Jan. 11, by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Case at their home, 715 Utah. The evening was

spent in games and contests and the climax to the evening's enjoyment was the delicious refreshments consisting of fruit salad with whipped cream, cake and cocoa, the attractiveness of which was enhanced by tiny lighted candles in decorative holders.

The young people unsparingly voiced their appreciation of the hospitality extended them.

Those enjoying the occasion were Miss Vera Nighton, Marguerite Huel, Kathleen Goodwin, Josephine Goodloe, Hazel Adams, Pearl Coolcy, Letha Hawes, Willa Maxwell, Jewell Fulton and Messrs. Henry Brummett, Fredrick Balarge, Henry Balarge, Robert Newman, Elbert Adams, John Melner, Henry Ford and Omer Livingston.

Rainbow Girls Receive Charter
At the regular meeting of the Rainbow Girls last Thursday night, they received their charter and were formally constituted as assembly No. 5 of New Mexico Order of the Rainbow for Girls. The local assembly now has a membership of 39, of which 25 were charter members. Elida, Floyd and Red Lake, as well as Portales, are represented in the organization.

Effective officers for the first three months of 1934 are as follows:
Rosemond Deen, Worthy Advisor; Hazel Burleson, Associate Worthy Advisor; Myrtice Shock, Faith; Ruby Ison, Hope; Nora Belle Grizzle, Charity; Mildred Rowley, Secretary; Ruth Carter, Treasurer.

The new officers will be installed at the next regular meeting. The installing officers will be Louise Trout, Worthy Installing Officer; Lois Trout, Marshal; Mrs. S. M. Neely, Recorder; Mrs. Joe F. Grizzle, Chaplain; Mrs. T. A. Martin, Pianist.

Parents of the girls and Masons and Stars are invited to be present at the installation service.

THE CLOVIS PLANING MILL

is now equipped with modern machinery for polishing edges of Automobile Glass.

We carry a full line of Automobile Glass.

Your Patronage Appreciated

EXPRESSION

Have taken over Miss Nello's Corner's Class in Expression. Will be at Dr. Means' home Tuesdays and Fridays. Phone 34.

WILL TAKE A FEW NEW PUPILS

Miss Beatrice Eastham

Woman's Club Enjoys

Lecture-Recital.
One of the outstanding events of the club year was the lecture-recital on the Romantic Period in the history of music given at the home of Mrs. T. A. Martin. The program was in charge of Mrs. J. Howard Brown, an accomplished musician, who gave the lecture and played many of the recital numbers.

In her lecture, Mrs. Brown said somewhat as follows: Prior to 1800 there were few great composers. One can almost count them all on the fingers of one's hands. The 19th century, however, ushered in a period of remarkable development. Really good composers now appear in large numbers. One of the reasons for the sudden advance was the perfection of musical instruments that came at this time. Mozart had tried writing for the piano but the instrument in his day was still quite inferior. If either Haydn or Mozart had had a better vehicle for expression they might have accomplished far more than they did.

The Romantic Period proper, according to the music historian Pratt, is the period from 1830 to 1860. From 1800 to 1830 we have a period of transition from classicism to Romanticism. The outstanding men in the transition period were Beethoven, Weber and Schubert. Beethoven was the last and greatest of the classicists and yet in him we find the beginning of Romanticism. Classical music was built mostly by forms and rules. Finding the classical forms too restricted to express his individual feelings, Beethoven started with the freer forms.

The main composers of the Romantic Period were Schumann, Mendelssohn and Chopin. These composers broke away from the old forms. Liszt's name is not included in the list of great Romanticists for the reason that Liszt was not a creative genius. What he did was to embellish and adorn the compositions of other composers.

Schumann may be said to be an extremist. This accounts for the fact that many do not like his work. He was very temperamental. His music is sometimes very sad, but when it is jolly, it is decidedly so. He was very careless about the placing of bars and about his note values and his work has required much editing.

His work is full of changes in tempo and he shifts hastily from loud to soft passages. He wrote every type of music except church music.

Mendelssohn acted as something of a damper to Schumann's extremes, bringing musical ideas back to a saner basis. He used a little more real form. In Mendelssohn one finds nothing sad or sorrowful. His music reflects the bright side of life.

He composed a great deal of church music—two famous oratorios, "Elijah" and "St. Paul," and a large number of anthems.

Chopin's romanticism was different from that of Schumann or Mendelssohn. He was dreamy but not like Schumann. He wrote with grace and symmetry but not like Mendelssohn. At times he approaches the one and at times the other and then goes to heights and depths unknown to both. His music is full of passion and pathos, due to the tragic history of his country, Poland. He is known as the "poet" He particularly

loved beautiful tones. He wrote only for the piano with the exception of a small group of songs, and some piano solo with orchestra accompaniment.

Along with her lecture Mrs. Brown played from Beethoven and Schubert to illustrate the work of transition period.

The recital included piano duets, and vocal numbers as well as piano solo. Six people besides Mrs. Brown gave numbers on the program. A helpful feature was the interpretation by Mrs. Brown of each of the numbers. Programs were provided for all those present. Out of town guests were Mrs. W. W. Phillips and Mrs. Emma Golden, who gave short talks about P. T. A. at the close of the program.

A large number were present at the meeting. It was guest day and many who are not club members were invited. The social committee served tea to the crowd after the program was over. The full program is given below:

PROGRAM

I Lecture: The Romantic Period in the History of Music.
A Sonata Op. 27, No. 1. First Movement—Beethoven. (Andante-Allegro-Tempo 1-Allegro molto e vivace)
B Impromptu Op. 142, No. 2—Schubert—Mrs. J. Howard Brown.

Recital
I. A Piano Duet: Pictures from the East Op. 66—Schumann.
(1) Vivace.
(2) Like a Folk Song.
(3) Con divozione penitente.

—Lella Mae Freeman, Mrs. J. Howard Brown.
B Traumerel—Schumann—W. B. Traumerel—Schumann—Willie Vale Oldham.

C (1) The Lotus Flower: Schumann.
(2) Those Songs that Haunt My Spirit: Schumann—Mrs. W. Krattil.
D (1) Arabesque Op. 13: Schumann.

(2) Novelette in B minor from Op. 99: Schumann—Mrs. J. Howard Brown.
II. A Spring Song: Mendelssohn—Willie Vale Oldham.
B Praeludium in E minor: Mendelssohn—Mrs. T. A. Martin.
C Recitative and Aria from Elijah: If with all your hearts: Mendelssohn—Mrs. W. Krattil.

III. A Valse Op. 64, No. 1: Chopin—Laverba Borough.
B Valse Op. 64, No. 2: Chopin—Mrs. T. A. Martin.
C (1) The Maiden's Wish: Chopin.

(2) In Spring: Chopin.
(3) What a Young Maiden Loves: Chopin—Mrs. Fred Luper.
D Nocturne in F sharp major: Chopin—Mrs. J. Howard Brown.

—Willie Vale Oldham, pupil of Mrs. Freeman; Laverba Borough pupil of Mrs. Krattil.

Youngs Entertain
Mr. and Mrs. J. B. H. Young entertained with a pleasant evening party on Tuesday of this week. There were three tables of forty-two. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Moody, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Hapcock, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Whitcomb, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Rowley and Leon Jones. The hostess served appetizing refreshments at a late hour.

Ambulance Service—Ed J. Nier

Longs Items

Articles will be held by Rev. Ed. Wardson at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Beldage next Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Every one is invited to come.

We are glad to know that Mrs. Bettys Long's health is still improving and that Mrs. Ben Clark and Troy Walker, who have been ill, are recovering.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. George Parks is ill and we wish her speedy recovery.

Ben Clark will have his sale on Wednesday and we regret very much to see them leave.

Austin Fullerton finished threshing his grain today.

Mr. and Mrs. Poe, Mrs. Austin and son and daughter, Heber and Georgia; Miss Lois Pruitt and Miss Ruth Frazz visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. U. E. Frazz last Sunday.

Mrs. Donna Harcrow from Clovis visited Mrs. T. H. Long last Sunday.

The farmers of the surrounding community met at the home of U. S. Frazz Monday night to discuss the problems of co-operative grain marketing and dairying.

R. H. Crosby and sons, Bob and Harold, of Kenna, were guests in the home of Mrs. J. Jones one day this week.

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We have catalog and other literature that will help you make a success of your chickens. It is free to you. Call and let us be of help to you.

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OR MAIZE HEADS TO CRUSH?

I have this week installed a new up-to-date Crusher with which I can give you better service. Bring your crushing on any day except Saturday. I can not crush on Saturday as I devote the whole day to Corn Meal Grinding.

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Best Corn Meal Made—All Wheat Flour—Corn and Kaffir Chops.

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TOM JERNIGAN

ACROSS STREET FROM BALLOW & PRICE

New Spring Fashions

In coats of grey wool novelty fabrics in two tones, plaids, stripes, tweeds, as well as in plain colors, with or without fur collars.

ALSO A NEW LINE OF

Spring Suits

Fabrics are varied and interesting in the sense that novel mixtures and indefinite patterns appear. Oxford gray and brown mixtures in smart color effects, as well as navy blue, and dark. Prices ranging from \$22.50 to \$37.50.

NEWEST HATS EACH WEEK AT

THE LADIES SHOPPE

Portales :: :: :: N. Mex.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Crow enjoyed a week end visit from Mrs. Crow's father, V. Carwright, who came over from Gore, Texas, Friday, returning Sunday.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

A NEW SUPPLY of Best Cane at The Texas Mercantile 12-1tc

IMMEDIATELY: city loan wanted. \$1500; first mortgage 10 per cent interest; by home owner; property value increasing. M. W. Whitney, Portales, New Mexico, 12-1tc

AMAZINGLY ADVANTAGEOUS opportunity to invest \$500, with or without services, in enterprises of much merit. Immediate response necessary. M. W. Whitney, Portales, New Mexico, end of North Main. 12-1tc

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All Leghorn Hens and Springs 16c
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Smut treated, triple cleaned and tested. A positive guarantee of purity and germination with each bag.

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We grew these seed here in Illinois this past season, and have been growing Broom Corn Seed for the planters for 35 years. We have sold thousands and thousands of bushels in Oklahoma, Kansas, Colorado, New Mexico and Texas in the past. Our dwarf seed produces the finest brush grown.

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We use and sell the famous BUCKEYE brooders, in Coal, Oil or Electric, as you choose. Write for full particulars and prices. Address all mail to Clovis, Route No. 4.

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Buy Now And Save
Sale Ends Saturday Night, January 14th

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 THE HOUSE OF BETTER VALUES

LOCAL PERSONAL NEWS

Earl Malone has completed his house seven miles west of town and moved to same Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Adams left last week on a pleasure-business trip to Abilene and other Texas points.

Floyd Pendergraft of Amarillo spent Saturday night and Sunday with his parents, Attorney and Mrs. C. J. Pendergraft.

Prof. Geo. F. Howard left Friday night for California and other coast points, after a visit with his daughter, Mrs. A. E. Lang and family.

Miss Georgia Anna Richardson left Jan. 2nd, for Lubbock, to enter the Tech. for the present term.

Mrs. H. L. Dewese and Mrs. W. B. McBryde of Elida were Portales visitors Monday of this week and

paid the News a pleasant call.

Ray Bonner, Abe Ribble and Paul Wurster spent Sunday in Roswell.

W. H. Martin of Mobeetie, Texas, spent Sunday a guest in the F. G. Ribble home. Mr. Martin is a son-in-law of Mrs. Ribble and a brother-in-law of A. D. Ribble.

Mrs. T. C. Clayton of Albuquerque is visiting her husband, Prof. T. C. Clayton, for a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Priddy left Saturday to spend a few days at Wink.

Miss Beatrice Eastham of Clovis came in Tuesday and will take Miss Cooper's expression class. Miss Cooper will be Dr. Means' office girl in his new office.

Mrs. Richard Houghton arrived last week from Miami, Arizona, for

a visit with her mother, Mrs. W. B. Jones, and family.

J. C. COMPTON FOR

DISTRICT ATTORNEY

I making my announcement for District Attorney of this District. I wish to make certain statements in behalf of my candidacy for the office.

I have always espoused the cause of democracy and supported its principals as manifested by its founder, Thomas Jefferson. I firmly believe in its doctrines as the guiding force by which all mankind must be controlled.

I came to Portales when of the age of seventeen years, attended High School in Portales, New Mexico, and later taught school in the Floyd District in this County. Thereafter I took my collegiate course at the Goodnight Baptist College at Goodnight, Texas, from which I went to Cumberland University at Lebanon, Tennessee, and received my law degrees from that institution in 1908. I returned to my home at Portales, New Mexico, and opened an office for the general practice of law in 1909, and have continued my office in Portales, New Mexico to the present time.

During the term of office of the present District Attorney, I have been Assistant, and feel that my association with the office and with the duties to be performed by it, that I am eminently qualified to continue the work of the office with its present degree of efficiency.

I believe in the enforcement of all the laws on the Statutes of New Mexico, and especially do I believe in a strict enforcement of the Prohibition Laws of the State of New Mexico, and fully recognize the eighteenth amendment to the constitution of the United States as fundamentally setting forth the duties of this office.

In closing this announcement, I would not overlook the support, sympathy and cooperation given to the office of District Attorney in the past by the public which has, in a large measure, contributed to the success of the office. I solicit your further consideration and support for the office and if you elect me District Attorney to carry forward the work of the office at the expiration of the present incumbent, I promise to give conscientious and honest consideration to its duties and perform them in as efficient manner as I am capable of doing.

J. C. COMPTON.

KENNA NEWS

J. H. Crouch was a Roswell visitor Monday.

Mr. Greaves, editor of The Portales Valley News, was in Kenna Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Denton have a new daughter at their home. The young lady made her arrival on the morning of Jan. 10th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kimmons and sons, James and Mack, were visitors in Portales Monday.

W. H. Cooper is visiting his daughter, Eupha, at Santa Fe, N. Mex.

Kenna folks are wearing smiles because of the wonderful spring weather we've had of late. However, we need not be astonished to see more cold any time.

Mrs. L. C. Denton was obliged to go to Portales last week for medical aid, as she had quite a sick spell with some kind of stomach trouble.

Things in general seem rather quiet about Kenna now, especially so since the work at the oil well has stopped. We're hoping drilling may be resumed soon.

The ladies of the A.M.S. Society were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. Joe Cooper last Thursday afternoon.

Richland High Times

STAFF

Bennie Jones Editor
 Ralph Williamson Reporter
 Glen Danforth Reporter
 Walter McClintock Reporter
 Miss Elizabeth Greaves Sponsor

Richland Victorious in Ball Game Friday

Both boys and girls won in the basket ball games played with Midway on the home court last Friday afternoon. The score for the girls' game was 19 to 7 in favor of Richland. The boys' game finished with a score of 19 to 16, Richland in the lead.

A large crowd attended the games and much enthusiasm was shown for both teams. The boys' game was a hard fought one with both teams showing good teamwork. The girls played an interesting game.

LINE-UP

Richland: Boys: Truman Short, Bill Vick, forward; Walter McClintock, center; Ralph Williamson, Glen Danforth, guards.

Midway: Paul Henry, Tip Barnes, forward; Gene Solomon, center; Rex Cealy, Jack Copeland, guards. Richland: Girls: Marcel O'Neil, Lucille Stroud, forward; Merle Thomas, center; Bennie Jones, side center; Daryl Cox, Gladys Gumm, guards.

Midway: Irma Henry, Willie Bell Payne, forward; Jewel Vick, center; Vernie Helmer, side center; Naomi Silvers, Sarah Belle Williams, guards.

New Lockers Being Built
 Lumber has been bought to build lockers for athletic gear, library books and for supplies in the primary room.

Sunday School Class Social
 Mrs. W. A. Stephenson will entertain the junior and intermediate Sunday school classes with a social at her house, Friday night.

Richland School Growing
 Nine new pupils have entered school since Christmas. Some of these are new people in the community and others who have been away at work have returned.

Personals

Fred Jones and Dwight Cox left Tuesday for Las Vegas, where they will attend N. M. N. U.

Ruby and J. D. Fortenberry started to school here Monday. Walter McClintock spent Thursday night in the George Williamson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Partin visited Mrs. Maude George and Mrs. E. M. Partin Sunday.

Eastern Star.

The regular meeting of the chapter will be held Thursday, Jan. 12. At this time the advisory board for the Rainbow Girls will be elected. There will be a call meeting of the present advisory board at 7:00 p. m. the same evening.

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Words cannot express to you our appreciation in this sad hour and for the beautiful flowers contributed.

May God bless all of you. We assure you your kind acts will always have a pleasant memory in our minds.

Mrs. S. H. Stinnett, Sam J. Stinnett and family, C. H. Stinnett, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bilberry, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Henderson, Arthur C. Woodburn and family, L. S. Bilberry and family, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Watson, Lucy Stinnett, Marion M. Stinnett, Rufus Stinnett, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Watson.

Miss Josephine Goodwin was an overnight guest of Miss Kathleen Goodwin Friday.

Mrs. E. A. Eads is at present in Clovis doing practical nursing.

Mrs. L. C. Denton of Kenna is a guest in the home of Mrs. W. B. Jones while under the care of a local physician. Mrs. Jones formerly resided in Kenna and she and Mrs. Denton are life-long friends.

Milnesand Items

There is no such thing as scarcity of news around Milnesand. The need is a reporter.

Northwind left us a long remembrance by his icy breath the last few days of '32.

Because of the inclement weather the past few Sundays, there has been no Sunday school.

Those who attended singing at L. J. Pates last night report a well filled house and a most enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Albright have sold their home here and will leave one day this week to make their future home in Roswell. We regret very much to lose the old

friends and neighbors and wish them much happiness and prosperity in their future home.

J. B. Disto of Lubbock, Texas, has moved back to his old home one mile east of the store.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Baker and little son, Harold Ray, have been visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary T. Baker.

Quite a few new comers moving to this part of the world of late. We hope there will be many more in the future.

J. T. Black and family arrived yesterday to make their future home.

Esra Watts is erecting a garage at his home on Utah street and C. V. Harris one at his rent house on Montana street.

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PORTALES BREAKS EVEN WITH FLOYD

Portales split a double-header with Floyd last Friday night in the first regular games of the season. Neither team showed much improvement over the work done in the practice games with Muleshoe, due doubtless to the holidays.

The girls' game was exceptionally rough and slow. The Floyd girls had the better teamwork and

the more accurate forwards and held the top side of the score throughout the game.

Portales rallied a bit in the last half. Their efforts were not successful, due to the close guarding of the Floyd girls. The game ended with a score of 20-13.

In the boys' game, the Rams had much the better of it and amply repaid the girls' defeat. Portales displayed a fast offense and a fairly effective defense. Hall, Floyd forward, made the majority of their points from the center of the floor.

Slaten and Smith worked well at guard and Green at forward. During the last half Coach Steiner substituted freely and outplayed the Floyd with a quintet of inexperienced men. The score at the half was a 9-3 and at the end of the game 30-12.

Following is the box score:

GIRLS	G	FT	F
F. Hayes, rf	3	2	3
Yochum, lf	1	3	0
McCauley, c	0	0	1
Anderson, rc	0	0	3
Rowley, rg	0	0	0
L. Hayes, lg	0	0	2
BOYS	G	FT	F
Wilson, rf	2	0	3
Green, lf	4	0	2
Stokes, f	1	1	1
Perry, c	4	0	1
Slayton, g	1	3	0
Smith, g	1	0	0

Substitutions:
 Stokes for Wilson, Beasley for Perry, Wilson for Stokes, Perry for Beasley, Stokes for Wilson, Smith for Green, Bivens for Smith, Hinger for Slayton, Beasley for Perry, Goodloe for Smith.

B-Y
ASSEMBLY NOTES
 Superintendent Krattil led the student body in a group of songs at the opening of assembly last Tuesday. Later some very interesting announcements were made. Mr. Steiner made one relative to the basketball season tickets—seventy five cents now is worth a dollar and a quarter later; that is, for the price of three games you can see five.

B-Y
SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS
 Next Thursday and Friday will be devoted to examinations covering the work done during the first semester. Those students who have been exceptionally high grades, who have been absent and tardy but few times and whose conduct has been excellent will be excused from the exams. On Thursday examinations will be given for morning classes and on Friday for the afternoon classes.

B-Y
SPECIAL ASSEMBLY
 Last Friday a special pep assembly was called. Mr. Hunter made some announcements and then the yell leader took charge. After a few speeches regarding the sale of season tickets the assembly was turned into a pep meeting.

B-Y
SENIOR NEWS
 The Annual staff had its regular meeting last Wednesday at the third period. The editor, Ro Jean Herndon, outlined the progress of the work done on the Annual and Fred Hinger reported its financial standing. Miss Foster, literary sponsor, gave a short talk on "The Interest and Co-operation of the Student Body." Miss Hankins, business sponsor, outlined the work of each member of the staff for the next few weeks.

Last week the annual campaign closed; 140 Yams had been sold.

B-Y
HOME ECONOMICS
 We completed our work on batters and doughs this week with the making of light bread and Parker House rolls.

On Friday, Myrl Miller and Hazle Jones of the morning section and Juanita Mustian and Mary Frances Trammell of the afternoon section demonstrated sandwich making to

their respective classes. The demonstrations were very interesting since they were well carried out and various kinds and shapes of sandwiches were made.

B-Y
DEBATING SOCIETY

Mr. Harris gave some pointers for the triangle debate with Clovis and Tucuman, but since then the question has been changed. It is now: Resolved: That a separate department of education should be established, with a secretary for the President's cabinet.

The debate will take place some time in February.

B-Y
PEP CLUB

The club is back in action and is ready for the basketball season.

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A call meeting was held last Thursday. The girls were given season tickets to sell; any one who sold \$15 worth is entitled to a free ticket. We hope that everyone will respond and help the girls by buying season tickets.

B-Y
LATIN CLUB

The Latin Club met last Thursday. The program committee, headed by Vincent Cox, developed the subject "Roman Houses and Their Construction."

After the program the club went

down to the auditorium to practice some Latin song for a special program which will be given in the future. The next meeting of the club will be held a week from Thursday, due to the semester examinations.

A story is going the rounds in the financial district about an old southern negro who was asked by the proprietor of a store how he happened to need credit when he had such a good cotton crop.

"De ducks got about all dat cotton, sub," was the mournful reply.

"What do you mean by the ducks got it?"

"Well, yu see," explained the old man, "I sent dat cotton up to Memphis and dey deducks de storage charges, and dey deducks de commission, and dey deducks de taxes—yassuh, de ducks got 'bout all dat cotton, and dat's why I'm here."—Clovis News.

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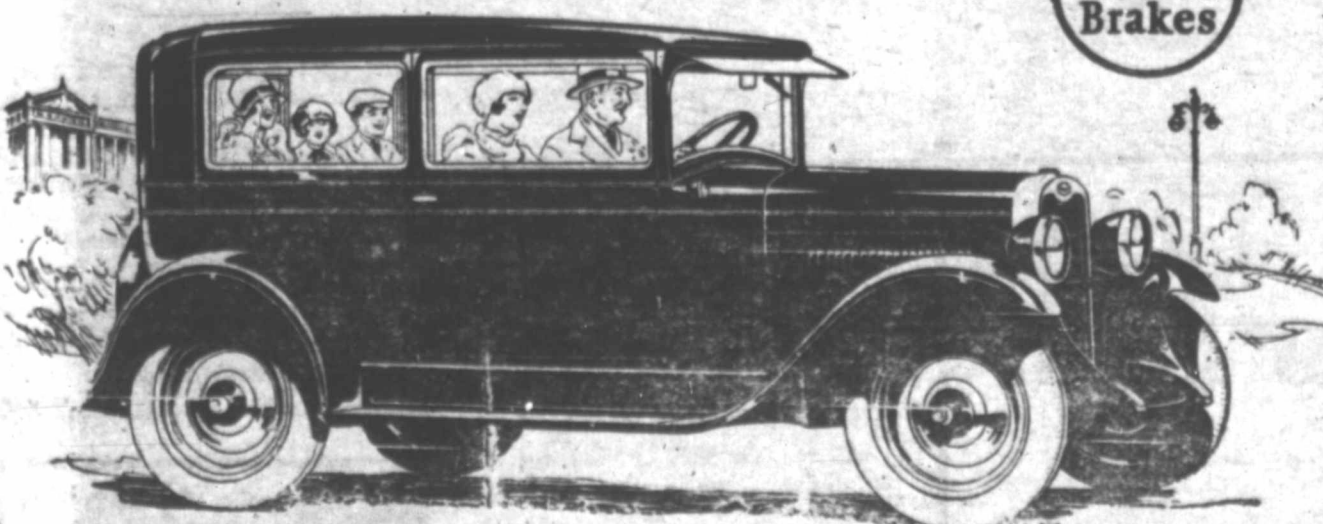
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to Bert Gore, William Gore, E.
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Raydon, Helen O. Horney, Daisy
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Ruth Gore, Lucine Gore, Juanita
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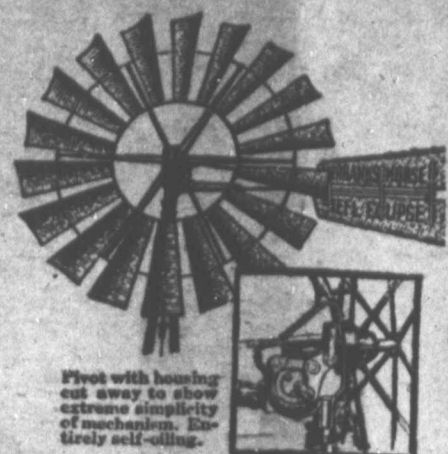
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termined by the Court, together
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lie Evans and Bettie Moffett,
Plaintiffs,

vs.

Bonnie Puckett, if living, and the
unknown heirs of Bonnie Puck-
ett, if dead; Stella Puckett, if
living, and the unknown heirs of
Stella Puckett, if dead; Harvey
Puckett, if living, and the un-
known heirs of Harvey Puckett,
if dead; Claude Puckett, if liv-
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Claude Puckett, if dead; Virgil
Puckett, if living, and the un-
known heirs of Virgil Puckett, if
dead; Albert Puckett, if living,
and the unknown heirs of Albert
Puckett, if dead; Ocie Puckett,
if living, and the unknown heirs
of Ocie Puckett, if dead; Silas
Puckett, if living, and the un-
known heirs of Silas Puckett, if
dead; May Puckett, if living, and
the unknown heirs of May Puck-
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if dead; Ralph Puckett, if living,
and the unknown heirs of Ralph
Puckett, if dead; Mildred Puck-
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Nolan Puckett, if living, and the
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living, and the unknown heirs of
Betty or Mollie Puckett, if dead;
Mary Collins Puckett, if living,
and the unknown heirs of Mary
Collins Puckett, if dead; and all
unknown persons having any right,
title or interest in the property
herein described. Defendants.
No. 2231

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO
to the defendants Bonnie Puckett,
if living, and the unknown heirs
of Bonnie Puckett, if dead, im-
pleaded with the following named
defendants against whom substi-
tuted service is hereby sought to
be obtained, to-wit: the said Bon-
nie Puckett, if living, and the un-
known heirs of Bonnie Puckett, if
dead; Stella Puckett, if living,
and the unknown heirs of Stella
Puckett, if dead; Harvey Puckett,
if living, and the unknown heirs
of Harvey Puckett, if dead; Claude
Puckett, if living, and the un-
known heirs of Claude Puckett, if
dead; Virgil Puckett, if living,
and the unknown heirs of Virgil
Puckett, if dead; Albert Puckett,
if living, and the unknown heirs
of Albert Puckett, if dead; Ocie
Puckett, if living, and the un-
known heirs of Ocie Puckett, if
dead; Silas Puckett, if living,
and the unknown heirs of Silas
Puckett, if dead; May Puckett, if
living, and the unknown heirs of
May Puckett, if dead; Ina Puckett,
if living, and the unknown heirs
of Ina Puckett, if dead; Rich
Puckett, if living, and the un-
known heirs of Rich Puckett, if
dead; Virgil Puckett, if living,
and the unknown heirs of Virgil
Puckett, if dead; Emmett Puck-
ett, if living, and the unknown
heirs of Emmett Puckett, if dead;
Bessie Puckett, if living, and the
unknown heirs of Bessie Puckett,
if dead; Ralph Puckett, if living,
and the unknown heirs of Ralph
Puckett, if dead; Mildred Puckett,
if living, and the unknown heirs
of Mildred Puckett, if dead; No-
lan Puckett, if living, and the
unknown heirs of Nolan Puckett,
if dead; Lela Puckett, if living,
and the unknown heirs of Lela
Puckett, if dead; Clarence Puckett,
if living, and the unknown heirs
of Clarence Puckett, if dead;
Chester Puckett, if living, and the
unknown heirs of Chester Puckett,
if dead; Dock Puckett, if living,
and the unknown heirs of Dock
Puckett, if dead; Betty or Mollie
Puckett, if living, and the un-
known heirs of Betty or Mollie
Puckett, if dead; Mary Collins
Puckett, if living, and the un-
known heirs of Mary Collins Puck-
ett, if dead; and all unknown per-
sons having any right, title or in-
terest in the property herein de-
scribed—GREETINGS:

Notice is hereby given that a suit
is pending against you in the above
named court wherein the above
named plaintiffs are suing for the
partition of the West half of Sec-
tion 9, Township 3 South, Range
37 east of N. M. P. M. and al-
leging that said plaintiffs and the
said defendants are the owners
and tenants in common of the
above described real estate and
that it is impossible to partition
the said real estate without ma-
terial injury to the interests of
the said plaintiffs and defendants
and praying that the said property
may be sold according to law and
the proceeds thereof be distributed
among the plaintiffs and defend-
ants according to their respective
interests.

You are further hereby notified
that unless you enter your appear-
ance herein in the said cause on
or before the 6th day of March,

1928, judgment will be rendered in
said cause against you and each of
you by default and the relief pray-
ed for by the plaintiffs granted.

Compton and Compton, of Por-
tales, New Mexico, and Lee R.
York of Abilene, Texas, are Attor-
neys for plaintiffs.

WITNESSES MY HAND this the
5th day of January, A. D. 1928.

PAUL E. MORRISON,
Clerk of said Court.

By A. J. Goodwin, Deputy.

NOTICE

In the Matter of the Last Will and
Testament of Allie Holmes, De-
ceased:

To George Sanders, Albert San-
ders, Pearl Hughes, Jack Sanders,
Mayme Murrell, Irene Cole, John
Sanders, Charley Sanders, and Mrs.
C. E. Smith, and to all others
whom it may concern, Greeting:
You are hereby notified that the
alleged last will and testament of
Allie Holmes, deceased, late of
Roosevelt County, N. M., was pro-
duced and read in the Probate
Court of Roosevelt County, N. M.,
on Dec. 29th, 1927, and the day of
proving of said alleged last will
and testament was thereupon fixed
for Monday, Feb. 6th, 1928, at
ten o'clock in the forenoon of said
day.

Given under my hand and the
seal of said court this Dec. 29th,
1927.

PAUL E. MORRISON,
County Clerk.

(SEAL) Dec 29-Jan 19.



Always Stiff and
Achy?

Too Often This Warns of
Sluggish Kidney Action.

I AM? Stiff? Achy? Sure your
kidneys are working right? Slug-
gish kidneys allow waste poisons to
remain in the blood and make one
languid, tired and achy, with often
dull headaches, dizziness and nagging
backache. A common warning is
scanty or burning secretions.
Doan's Pills, a stimulant diuretic,
increase the secretion of the kidneys
and thus aid in the elimination of
bodily waste. Use: everywhere en-
dorse Doan's. Ask your neighbor.

DOAN'S PILLS
60c
A STIMULANT DIURETIC FOR KIDNEYS
Doan's Pills are sold everywhere.

Help! Succor! Bring Us Your Rags!

Good choice unimproved forty acre
tract near town. Price \$3000; half
cash, terms on balance.
EZRA WATTS, Portales, N. M.

Hamburgers — Chilli — Pie
REGULAR DINNERS
TOURIST CAFE — PORTALES

Portales Mattress Factory
Yes, we are still at the old stand. We will make your
good New Beds, or will make your Old Beds New at the
Same Old Price. We are also prepared to Fumigate.
WE APPRECIATE YOUR TRADE
W. C. Reding, Owner

WE WISH AT THIS TIME
to make grateful acknowledgement
of friendship and support given our
bank during the past year by the
people of Portales and Roosevelt
County, and we hope to repay same
in a fuller measure by extending a
more helpful service this coming
year than we did the past.

The First
National Bank
Portales, N. M.

Before The Snow Flies—Get
That
ROOF FIXED!

KEMP LUMBER COMPANY

Notice, Taxpayers!

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE TAXPAYERS OF ROOSEVELT COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, THAT
THE TAX ASSESSOR OR A DEPUTY WILL VISIT THE PRECINCTS OF THE COUNTY AT THE TIME
AND PLACE DESIGNATED BELOW FOR THE PURPOSE OF MAKING THE ASSESSMENTS OF ALL
TAXABLE PROPERTY FOR THE YEAR 1928. LIVESTOCK WILL BE ASSESSED AS OF JANUARY 1st.

Assessor's Notice to the Public

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

Office Open Each Day During Month of January

For the convenience of taxpayers I will be at the various places in Roosevelt County on the respective
dates as follows, for the purpose of making lists of property:

Monday 2	Arch, morning; Inez, evening.	Friday 13	Fairfield, all day.
Tuesday 3	Emzy, morning; Lingo, evening.	Saturday 14	all day in office.
Wednesday 4	Bluit, morning; Milnesand, evening.	Monday 16	Rogers, morning; Causey, evening.
Thursday 5	Eagle Hill, morning; Valley View, evening.	Tuesday 17	Garrison, morning; Richland, evening.
Friday 6	Kenna, all day.	Wednesday 18	Highway, morning; Redlake, evening.
Saturday 7	all day in the office.	Thursday 19	Dora, all day.
Monday 9	Floyd, morning; Upton, evening.	Friday 20	Elda
Tuesday 10	Claudell, morning; Derena, evening.	Saturday 21	Elda
Wednesday 11	Tolar, all day.	Monday 23	Elda
Thursday 12	Perry, morning; Rocklake, evening.	Tuesday 24	Elda
		Wednesday 25	Elda

Any person failing to meet me at these appointments may make return to my office in Portales at any
time within the limits fixed by law as given above, or blank for mailing rendition will be sent upon applica-
tion, by mail or in person, to my office.

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

I would advise each taxpayer to bring tax receipt or a true description of their real estate and their
School District to help eliminate many errors that go on the rolls by incorrect descriptions and non-render-
ing.

An exemption of \$200 will be allowed for heads of family.

I SUGGEST THAT THE TOWN PEOPLE, WHEN POSSIBLE, LET SATURDAYS BE GIVEN TO THE
FARMERS.

SOLDIERS MUST RENDER AND ASK FOR EXEMPTION

SAM J. STINNETT, Assessor

ROOSEVELT COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

MID-WINTER CLEARANCE SALE

**Starts on Sat.
January 14th.**

**Ends on Sat.
January 28th**

Preparatory to our annual inventory, We are offering Our Entire Stock of Dry Goods, Shoes Work Clothing and Notions at a Reduction that will Save you real Money and it will pay you to travel many Miles to Purchase here.

Sale Starts Sat., Jan. 14th - Closes Sat. Night, Jan. 28th

Read every item mentioned and do your neighbors a favor by bringing them with you, so that They May Share in this Harvest of Values.

SPECIALS

Monogram Blankets, 70x80, pr... \$2.79
Arlington, Blankets, 70x80, pr... \$2.19
Baby Blankets, Good Size 89c
Esmond, Good Size, Blank'ts. Ea. \$3.19

36 in. Outing, dark and light 17c
Good 27 in. Outing 14c
200 Prs. Men's Work Socks, pr. . 12 1/2c

7 Spools Thread For 25c
4 Skeins Embroidery Thread 10c
Good Overalls, On Sale At \$1.29
Buck Overalls, a Good One \$1.49

Big Lot Childrens Coveralls, 1 to 12	\$1.19	\$3.25 Silk Black Crepe Sale Price	\$2.19
One Lot of Children's All Wool Sweaters	\$2.39	\$1.75 Silk Crepe de chine, Sale Price	\$1.49
One Lot of Little Men's Slip-On Sweaters	\$1.39	440c Sateen, All Colors Sale Price	29c
Oil Cloth, the Best Sale Price	29c	50c Sateen, Good One On Sale	37c
\$7.50 John C. Roberts Shoes	\$6.50	25c Bungalow Cretonnes Sale Price	19c
\$6.00 Men's Atlantic Shoes	\$5.00	25c English Prints Sale Price	19c
\$5.0 Men's Shoes, Sale Price	\$4.00	50c English Prints Sale Price	39c
ALL WORK SHOES DISCOUNTED 10 PER CENT.		One Lot of Good Gingham Sale Price	21c
JUST RECEIVED OUR NEW LINE OF SPRING SHOES IN LADIES, MEN'S AND CHILDREN'S AND IN THIS SALE WILL GIVE 10 PER CENT OFF.		One Lot of Good Gingham Sale Price	19c
		One Lot of Good Gingham Sale Price	12c
\$1.75 Dress Flannel Goods, Now	\$1.29	Everts Shirting, No Better Sale Price	16c
\$3.00 54-Inch Dress Flannels, Now	\$2.19	22x48 Bath Towels, Each Sale Price	55c
\$4.00 54-Inch Dress Flannels, Now	\$3.29	22x44 Bath Towels, Pair Sale Price	50c
\$3.50 54-Inch Dress Flannels, Now	\$2.49	One Lot of Towels Sale Price	25c
\$1.00 Wool Mixed, a Good One	69c	A Real Bargain in Crash Toweling	19c
\$2.50 Silk Black Crepe Sale Price	\$1.89	Silk Rayon, A Bargain Sale Price	79c

Boys' Overalls, All Sizes \$1.00
Virginia Hart Dresses, A Dandy Good One — and New \$1.89
Nice Lot of House Aprons 79c
100 Pair Good Shoes, In Broken Sizes, Worth Lots More, But go at, pr. ... 79c
50 Pair Misses and Children's Shoes, Good Ones, to go at \$1.79
Ladies' Black and Brown Silk Hose, \$1.50 Value, to go at 79c
One Lot Children's Silk Ribbed Hose, A 75c Value, to go at 55c
Carpet Warp, all colors 29c
One Lot of Children's School Hose in Black and Brown, at 36c

9-4 Unbleached Sheeting Sale Price	29c	Men's Union Suits, Silk and Wool, \$3.00 Value	\$2.49
9-4 Fort Mills Good Sheet-ing, Sale Price	35c	Big Yank and Legion Work Shirts	89c
9-4 Bleached Sheeting Sale Price	34c	Good Value on Men's Dress Shirts, \$1.00 to	\$2.75
9-4 Fort Mills Bleached Sheeting, Sale Price	37c	Men's \$3.25 Coveralls On Sale at	\$2.69
Big Lot of Hope Bleaching Sale Price	14c	One Lot Men's All Wool Sweaters; \$5.00 Value, Good One On Sale at	\$4.00
Big Injun and American Girl Bleaching	13c	Men's \$6.50 Lumber Jacks For	\$4.29
Good Feather Ticking Sale Price	23c	Ladies' Coat Sweaters Extra Good For	\$3.49
Amoskeg Feather Ticking Sale Price	27c	One Lot Ladies' Fancy Sweaters, On Sale	\$4.19
Best 3 lb. Bats, Stitched \$1.25; Now	90c	One Lot Ladies' Coat Sweaters, On Sale	\$2.49
All Allen A \$2.00 Hose Chiffon, Sale Price	\$1.69	One Lot Men's Work Pants, \$3.25 Value	\$2.49
All Allen A \$1.50 Hose Sale Price	\$1.29	One Lot of Khaki Pants, \$1.89 to	\$2.19
All Allen A \$1.00 Hose Sale Price	79c	One Lot of Boys' Pants Extra Bargain, \$1.89 to	\$2.19
Silk Rayon Bloomers On Sale at	79c	One Lot Men's All Leather Coats, A \$12.50 Value, Worth it, But going at	\$9.59
Children's Unionsuits, 2 to 8 On Sale at	65c	One Lot Men's Coats \$5.00 Values, at	\$3.89
Children's Underwear, 8 to 12, To Go at	79c	ONE LOT OF GOOD LEATHER GLOVES AT A REAL BARGAIN SEE THEM!	
Big Lot Good Men's Unions On Sale at	99c		

THIS SALE IS FOR CASH ONLY

C. V. HARRIS

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