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J. W. Grant Found Unconscious

Potato Assn. Head Gives Market Views

Lewis A. Little, secretary and manager of the Sweet Potato Growers' association of Portales, has just returned from an extensive trip covering the main market points for the Portales yams in California, to study the market conditions and the chances to dispose of the last year's crop.

Mr. Little says that at present the markets are flooded with potatoes from Arkansas, Tennessee and other eastern and middle Atlantic states, which are being shipped in bad condition, causing a drop in price of the better potatoes such as are shipped from here. After the dumping of cheaper grades on the market, a better price for better market may be obtained.

Mr. Little expects to find a market for the remainder of the 1931 crop. Two cars have been shipped to California since Mr. Little's return.

When asked about the future crops of potatoes and the market for them, Mr. Little said that was too big a problem, but he felt as if the country had hit the bottom and that conditions would gradually improve. Also, the potato farmers should cut their acreage down to where they could practically handle it themselves, cutting out the cost of labor, and should the market be bad they would not be out anything, "playing safe is the thing to do now," he concluded.

Dairy Cattle Values Reduced

The farmers of Roosevelt and adjoining counties will be saved hundreds of dollars through the reductions which have been made in the assessed valuation of dairy cattle. The Roosevelt county board of appraisal, which consists of Assessor Floyd T. Kennedy, D. A. Gordon and C. V. Harris, made a trip to Santa Fe on the first of the month, where they met with the tax commission. Since that time they have met with the boards of Curry, Chaves and Lea counties and have secured an understanding regarding the valuation of live stock, especially dairy stock.

This will save the dairy men of Roosevelt county about \$300,000. The values of milk cows will be reduced from \$30 to \$18, and of bulls from \$50 to \$27.

The assessor and the board have been supported by the county commissioners and the Portales Chamber of Commerce as well as individual citizens in making this adjustment, which seemed only fair and just.

Roosevelt is one of the very strongest dairy counties of the entire state and any movement which would cripple this industry would harm and retard the growth of the county.

Schumpert Displays Modern Machinery

Next Thursday, Feb. 25, B. M. Schumpert of the Schumpert Implement company, is introducing some of the most modern and convenient farm implements put out by the McCormick-Deering company.

Beginning at 8 o'clock in the morning the company will conduct a truck driving contest. Prizes will be awarded for this show of skill. In the afternoon representatives of the company from the Amarillo office will be here and will explain many of the details about the machinery.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Batton and their family drove to Roswell Sunday to visit with Mr. Batton's sister, Mrs. George McFadden.

Mrs. J. D. Marlow has been ill with the flu but at present is again able to be up.

Masons Celebrate Washington's Birthday Next Monday Evening

The Masons have a program that will be of interest to all Masons. The program will begin promptly at 7:30. The following aspects of the life of George Washington will be discussed:

"Early Life," Kenneth Livingston.
"A Citizen," Floyd D. Golden.
"A Soldier," Ralph Will.
"A President," R. A. Young.
"A Master Mason," C. M. Comp-ton.

All Entered Apprentices and Fellow Crafts, as well as Master Masons, are invited to attend.

Miss Georgia Woolford, one of the teachers at Portales, came to Portales for the association meeting Saturday and remained for a week end visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Woolford.

Portales School Marble Tourny Entering Finals

The marble tournament of the Portales grade school has advanced to the finals of each room. The room finalists for the downstairs, or third and fourth grades, are as follows:

Room 1, George Hemme vs. J. C. Sherman; Room 2, Roland Crane vs. I. M. Patterson; Room 3, Amos Masterson vs. Luther Tyson; Room 4, Rodney Doyal vs. Talmadge Shipp; Room 5, J. B. Morrison vs. Roy Lee Paschal.

For the upstairs, or fifth and sixth grades, the finalists are:

Room 1, John David Ferguson vs. Paul Taylor; Room 2, J. B. Naylor vs. Onas Ray; Room 3, J. C. Bates vs. Albert Wallace; Room 4, Archie Haddow vs. Raymond Likely; Room 5, Wilton Childress vs. A. M. Wallace; Room 6, Edgar Harvey vs. Wayne Orendorf.

Much interest has been manifested in the contest, there being 144 boys from the four grades participating.

The room finals will be played this week. The room champions will then play a round-robin to decide the champions of each division, after which the winners will meet for the school championship.

New Model Ford Soon on Display

The Universal Motor company have been busy this week repairing its floor and decorating its windows preparatory to the showing of the new model Ford, which will be on display by the first of the month.

Advance information is that this will be in two models, a four and a six-cylinder car, and that the engine will be interchangeable.

This announcement has long been watched for by the motoring public.

Hanvey Store Has Saturday Opening

The Hanvey grocery store and Burke meat market are opening their new store to the public on next Saturday.

These gentlemen have rented the building at the corner of State and Nevada streets, across from the Wood garage, and in addition to the grocery store and market will also give space to the Mistletoe creamery representative, who will operate a cream station.

Several gifts will be given away during the course of the opening day.

Howard's Confectionery Cleans Up for Spring Trade

The past week Frank C. Howard, manager of Howard's confectionery, has been remodeling and repainting in preparation for spring.

A coat of green paint, with the crepe paper decorations, has made an entirely new store out of this confectionery.

STEALS TWENTY-FIVE PRIZED PULETS

Last Wednesday night thieves entered the hen house of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goodie and got away with twenty-five Black Minorca pullets. Mr. Goodie had about fifty of these young fowls and was giving them some special care as they were from prize stock.

The sheriff's office was notified of the loss and they are making investigations, but to date have not made any arrests.

CARMEN CARR CHOSEN COLLEGE QUEEN

The Sunday issue of one of the Albuquerque papers carried the picture of Miss Carmen Carr, who has been selected one of the five queens for the Mirage, the school annual.

Miss Carmen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Carr of Fort Sumner and a niece of O. W. Carr of Portales. She is a freshman in the university and to thus be honored in her first year is indeed a compliment.

Durwood Wright is assisting this week in the county assessor's office while Lewis Terrill, deputy assessor, is suffering with an infected thumb.

Eastern N. Mexico Normal School Land Bill Passes House Committee

Biology Class to Give Washington Program

The biology class of the Portales high school will present a program honoring George Washington next Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock in the high school auditorium.

This will be the only public program given by the school in celebration of the two hundredth anniversary of the first President of the nation, and the public is cordially invited to be present. There will be no charges and the program will occupy about one-half hour of time.

Miss Edith Wheeler, a member of the biology class and also president of the student council, will announce the following numbers:

"Father of the Land We Love," Glee club.
"Biography of Washington," Burl Howell.
Song, "Trees," Biology Glee club.
Picture, "Where Washington Failed," Opal Setzer, Lloyd Vaughn. (The story of this picture will be told by Annie Maud Hunter.)
"Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean," biology class.
"Washington as an American," Harold Knox.
"Stars and Stripes Forever," by the band.
Hoisting the flag by the Girl and Boy Scouts.
"Dedication of the Trees," Rev. R. F. Davis and A. F. Jones.
Song, "America," student body and the band.

Mrs. Kenneth McCall is head of the biology department and has been instrumental in the preparation of the program.

Mr. Pogue will direct the numbers given by the band.

CHANGES SPEAKING PLACE FOR CANDIDATES

It was necessary for the political speaking scheduled for Kentucky Valley tomorrow night to be changed, as on that evening a great many from that community are going into Elida for a school program, and since it is desired that a full representation of the voters of the community be present at these speaking, Saturday night has been given to the people of the New Hope community, which is seven miles south and two miles east of Portales. The meeting at Kentucky Valley will be held on Tuesday, March 29.

JUNIOR CLASS TO SELL WASHINGTON BUTTONS

On next Monday which is the two hundredth anniversary of the birth of George Washington, the members of the junior class of the Portales high school will have for sale George Washington buttons.

These are being secured from the Bicentennial commission in charge of activities for the celebration of Washington's birthday.

HAS BROKEN LIMB

Miss Nelle Carter, who was reported in last week's paper as suffering from injuries received when she fell in her home, was taken to Clovis and upon x-ray examination was found to have broken the bone of her limb just below the hip joint.

She was placed in a cast at the Baptist hospital and will probably be in the hospital for ten days or two weeks. It will be necessary for her to be confined to her bed in the hospital for several weeks. Miss Nelle tripped when crossing the floor to turn off the radio.

FARM TO BE SOLD AT AUCTION FEB. 23

T. P. Hobson will sell a half section farm at auction on Tuesday, Feb. 23, near Rogers.

Attractive terms are being offered and some one has a chance to secure a good farm at a bargain. See his advertisement in this issue.

Mrs. Julia Barnard, Mrs. Rolfe Barnard, Misses Evelyn Barnard, Lois and Jewel Webb drove to Clovis Wednesday to spend the day visiting and sight seeing.

Mrs. E. J. Norris is reported in a serious condition at the family home on Ohio street.

Mrs. S. A. Jackson is ill of flu and unable to be at her duties with the J. C. Penney company.

I. L. Adams, father of Mrs. Lillian Taylor, is seriously ill at the home on State street and friends, as well as members of the family, are much concerned over his condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Stone have returned from their visit to the home of Mrs. Stone's father in Little Rock, Ark.

Congress Asked for 76,667 Acres for School Use

Act Was Reported Favorably from Senate Committee Some Time Ago

On Tuesday of this week, Coo Howard received the following telegram from Congressman Dennis Chaves:

Coe Howard, Portales, N. M.
House public lands committee this morning unanimously reported favorably H. B. 679 granting public lands to state for use and benefit of Eastern New Mexico Normal school.
Dennis Chaves, M. C.

This land bill was introduced in the senate several years ago by Senator Bratton, and received a favorable report from the senate land committee, but congress adjourned before it was acted upon in the house.

Now that Congressman Chaves has received a favorable report from the house committee there is no reason why it should not pass the senate at an early date.

This bill provides that 76,667 acres of the public domain be set aside for the use of the eastern New Mexico Normal school at Portales.

The first unit of this building has been completed and is now ready for the school, and with this additional fund will become a going institution.

This favorable action is possibly the result of the land committee stopping off at Portales a few minutes about a year ago, when they received a great reception by the people of Portales.

Boy Scouts Held City Government on Last Saturday - Many Arrests

Roosevelt Co. Teachers Hold Annual Assn.

There were twenty-one of the teachers of Roosevelt county absent from the platform, which was held on the last Saturday of the all-day session of the association. In most cases illness prevented the individuals from being present.

President W. A. Stephenson presided at the meeting, which was held in the auditorium of the high school building about 9:45 a. m.

With F. R. McKinley at the piano and Miss Alene Harris directing, the audience was invited to join in the singing of the opening numbers, the first of which was "America." This was followed by the invocation by Rev. C. A. Loria.

After the roll call by Miss Eula Grimmitt, associational secretary, Mr. Stephenson called Mr. McKinley to the platform and he introduced Miss Maureen Harper of the Elida school music department, who gave an impromptu performance. Since the persons mentioned were all members of the Portales school faculty, the numbers were highly entertaining to the local persons in the audience.

Mr. Stephenson appointed a resolution committee which consisted of Ray Lofton of the Floyd school, Miss Gilbert from the Rogers school and L. L. Brown of Portales.

L. W. Harvell gave a report of the forensic committee's work and outlined the rules and regulations for the county forensic meeting to be held here in Portales Mar. 12.

Eugene Butts was not present to report for the basket ball committee and the remainder of the morning was given over to the sectional meetings. These occupied the entire time until the noon hour. At 1:30 the teachers gathered for the business meeting.

Eric Ming, principal of the school at Richland, was elected president of the association for the coming year and Miss Vada May Jackson secretary. The other matters of business were given consideration after which the remainder of the time was given to the addresses by Dr. Gossard, Dr. Nanniga and Mrs. George Lusk.

Dr. Gossard, president of the University Normal at Las Vegas gave a most interesting address on personalities. The doctor stated he considered personality 70 per cent in the selection of a teacher.

Dr. Nanniga, who is president of the State Educational association, reviewed the school problems of the state at the present time and pointed out some of the emergencies.

Mrs. Lusk discussed the values of school advantages.

The association will convene in Portales again next year.

Office of Mayor, City Attorney, Traffic Cops

Boys Make Good Officers and Enforced the Traffic Laws Impartially

On last Saturday Troops 18 and 7 Boy Scouts of America, officiated as officials of the city of Portales. The boys took turns in acting as mayor, city attorney, city clerk and traffic cops.

It was a busy day for the boys and they changed officers so often that it was impossible to obtain the names of the boys occupying the various positions of responsibility.

One of the first mayors was Durwood Wright, with David Jones acting as city attorney.

Many arrests for traffic violations were the result.

Jack Howard was hailed into court and fined 50 cents for wrong parking.

J. W. King was fined 20 cents for jay walking.

Miss Grace Smith was fined 5 cents for blocking traffic.

Luther Thomas was fined 15 cents for violating the traffic ordinance.

Hub Mize was hailed before the court for running over a stop sign, but pleaded his own case, which resulted in a dismissal.

A number of others were arrested and released upon promises to obey the traffic ordinance in the future.

The editor of the News was called down for jay walking, but on looking him over they decided that he did not have sufficient funds for a fine, so he was not hailed into court.

The boys had a big time and learned wonderful lessons in city government.

OKLAHOMA SCHOOL TO HAVE A FIE SUPPER

The teachers and patrons of the Oklahoma school have made arrangements for a pie supper to be held at the school house on Friday evening, Feb. 26.

The candidates are given an invitation to attend and the evening will be given to them to address the voters.

CORRECTION

Appearing in last week's issue of the News was an article concerning a meeting of Firestone tire dealers, discussing the tire business and how to meet mail order competition, where cheap tires are used.

The article put Firestone tires on the same basis as the cheap tire. However, this was a mistake, as any user of Firestone tires knows that Firestones are the very highest quality tires and are in no way to be classed as a cheap tire.

Head Injuries Responsible for Condition - Cause Unknown

To the Public

At this time the News is receiving a number of communications criticizing officials and candidates.

The various candidates are paying good money for advertising space to put their claims or defense before the public and were we to print these articles attacking them, we would be compelled to allow them free space in which to defend themselves.

It costs money to run a newspaper, and especially during election, we will have to decline to publish communications which in any way reflect upon any candidate for any office.

This is only fair to the 35 candidates in the field.

United's Style Show Tonight

Manager Bert Rawlins has everything in readiness for the first style show of the season which the United Dry Goods store will hold at their place of business here in Portales this evening.

Local persons will appear as models and will present the very latest styled clothes.

This show will display clothes suitable for sport and business wear and will also give the smartest in afternoon and evening wear.

A musical program has been arranged and in connection with the interesting presentation of the newest in ready-to-wear garments the visitors will be treated to a very pleasing program.

A prize will be given to the lady wearing a costume of the oldest style. Everyone is given a cordial invitation to attend the style show.

SINGING PROGRAM

The musicians of the East Valley View community are preparing for a singing next Sunday afternoon, beginning at 3:30 o'clock.

Prof. Ganius of Clovis will be present and will direct the music. Everyone interested in singing is cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Shock drove over to Floydada Sunday and visited until Monday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Shock's mother, Mrs. Todd, who has been visiting in Texas. She has continued on to her home at Elida.

James Stratton has left for his home in Nevada, Mo., after visiting for a few days in the home of his uncle, Earl Stratton.

T. K. Knight, an employee of the Santa Fe railroad stationed at Willard, N. M., has returned to his work after spending thirty days with his wife and daughter here in Portales.

Rev. A. C. Bates has returned from Colorado, where he has been attending a district meeting of the Assembly of God church.

W. I. Maxwell has been ill with an attack of the flu and has not been able to be down town for a few days.

Miss Verda Oakley and Mrs. Sam Cook took little Edna Cook to the free clinic which was conducted in Roswell last week. They received much encouragement concerning Edna's condition and feel she will again be able to walk after the proper treatment which she will receive when admitted into the Shriners' hospital in Dallas.

District Scout Jamboree Draws Big Crowd - Troop 7 Wins Seven Events

Over 200 Fed Portales Products

Scout Leaders Pronounce This One of the Best Rallies of District 7

On last Friday night the district jamboree of the Boy Scouts was held at the high school gymnasium. Before the jamboree the Scouts and visiting Scouts and executives were given a luncheon at the Methodist church, consisting entirely of Portales Valley products, the menu being pinto beans cooked with beef, canned yams, sweet milk and roasted peanuts. Coffee was served to the elders.

Over 200 persons were fed in 45 minutes.

Injured Man in Critical Condition

Wednesday afternoon while coming to town Ross Armitage found J. W. Grant lying beside the Lovington highway about three miles out of town in an unconscious condition.

He was brought to town for medical attention, and when examined by Dr. Pearce and Dr. Wol-lard, was found to have sustained serious injuries above the left eye. It was thought that he was suffering from concussion of the brain.

The cause of his injuries were unknown, and various suppositions were advanced.

One theory was that he had been hi-jacked, and another that he had been struck by the corner of a truck.

Another belief was that he had been riding in the rear of a truck and fell out.

His brother, who lives on the R. G. Bryant place, was notified. Mr. Grant had started to walk to the J. E. Edwards farm, near where the accident occurred, and the latest supposition is that he was hit by a truck.

The sheriff's office is checking up on all trucks that traveled this highway.

The accident occurred about 2 o'clock.

The injured man is being cared for at the Portales hotel.

Palace Theatre Changes Hands

R. E. Griffith Theatre, Inc. have purchased the Palace theatre and will operate the same beginning Sunday, Feb. 23, under the new name of the Portales theatre. Temple DeVellis will be local manager.

This firm is a New Mexico corporation and is now operating in Clovis and Roswell.

The theatre will show all of the latest pictures and expect to build up a great theater business in Portales.

ROEBUCK

There is quite a lot of sickness in this part of the country.

It is reported that Mrs. A. E. Mernick has pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Parrish have moved. The step-mother of Mrs. Parrish went a part of last week here, returning home last Sunday.

Lester and Lois Blakley and a Mr. Gossard spent last Sunday in the R. M. Young home.

We were glad to have C. W. Bre-shers and family at our Lord's day worship last Sunday at Causey.

They spent Sunday afternoon in the Marsh home. Hope they attend our services often.

There are others that should awake to their duty and meet with us each Lord's day. When that awful day we see, oh, what shall our answer be?

Jack Scott, Miss Oona Gates and Mrs. Maud Judah attended a funeral at Elida last Sunday.

The farmers are beginning to prepare their land for another crop and would like to get a good run soon, as the high winds are drying the land out.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation to the friends and neighbors who were so kind and helpful to us at the time of the death of our dear son and brother Clarence. And also for the beautiful floral offerings.

May God's richest blessings be on each of you—Mr. and Mrs. N. B. O'Neal and family.

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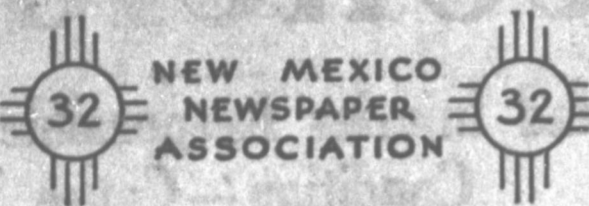
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DEMOCRATIC IN POLITICS

Portales Herald consolidated with Portales Times, March 27, 1918.
Portales Valley News bought Portales Herald-Times, September 12, 1916.
Portales Valley News consolidated with Portales Journal, December 14, 1920.
Roosevelt County Herald absorbed by purchase January, 1929.

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SUBSCRIPTION RATES

Table with 2 columns: Rate (1 Year, 6 Months) and Price (\$1.50, \$1.00, \$2.00, 2.50)

A SENSIBLE FIVE-YEAR PLAN

Here is a five-year plan of farm development recently adopted by Montgomery county, Mississippi. It has no startling features rendering it comparable to the Russian five-year plan.

- Cooperative buying and selling of farm products.
Only one variety of cotton in the community.
Pure bred stes for both hogs and cattle.
Soil improvement.
Every farm poultry flock properly culled and fed.
Every dairy herd properly culled and fed.
Live-at-home program.
Blot out forest fires.
Some of these projects have already been adopted in Dona Ana county.

EASY TO CRITICISE

It is easy to criticise, but oftentimes the criticism is destructive and not constructive.
In the past 34 years of newspaper experience, the writer has never seen a national, state, municipal, or school government with which some fault could not be found.
He has noticed changes for reform, and the reformers were, like their predecessors, subject to criticism.
Every public official, from the President down, is open to criticism, and oftentimes unjust criticism.
The motion picture industry employs a large corps of historians to make their pictures fit the time and place of the story, but on one occasion over twenty-five years ago the writer witnessed a picture which he thought good.
It was a railway story. It happened that it was shown on a holiday, and the audience was mostly railroad men.
For them the picture was spoiled by showing the engineer on the wrong side of the cab.
This was immaterial to the majority of the general public.
On another occasion, a colonial scene was shown, and one of the principals was shown lighting a cigarette with a modern match, when to conform to the age a sulphur match or taper would have been used.
An official may in all fairness and good faith make a mistake in the expenditure of a few dollars, just the same as any good business man.
A banker oftentimes makes a worthless loan, but does not close the bank on account of it, but goes ahead playing the game and safeguarding his clients in their finances.
By all means criticise when it is constructive, but use care that your skirts are clear.
The man who never made a mistake in his lifetime has accomplished nothing. The wise man profits by his mistakes.

READ THE POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENTS

In each issue of the News is appearing advertisements by the various candidates for office.
They are outlining their qualifications, so that you may arrive at a conclusion as to who is best fitted for office.
By careful study of these qualifications you can vote intelligently.
You should consider the qualifications of each candidate and vote according to your better judgment and not be swayed by personal prejudices.
Read the advertisements and judge by qualifications.

KEEP COOL

We are now in the midst of a political battle which may become bitter, and in which many bitter enemies may result.
Keep cool.
Candidates and the general public are cautioned against making any statement which may act as a boomerang.
It is not worth the price to destroy lifelong friendships for the sake of some candidate who is seeking office.
After the primary election in April the men chosen will be elected to serve you for the next two and four years.
They will be as much your servants as if you had given them your support in the primary election.
Keep cool, and refrain from mud slinging, as it will only result in sorrow for you in the long run.

BOTH SENTIMENTAL AND SELFISH

Most of the arguments concerning trading at home have been worn out with constant repetition. Yet the subject is still a vital and important one.
During the past few years there have been important changes in merchandising. The argument by most local merchants is not now so much to trade at home as to trade with the particular type of store that they represent.
Mall order business has declined, and most of the mail order houses have established their retail outlets.
The method of distributing merchandise over the country, a personal transportation between buyer and seller, was never more firmly established than today. That is a favorable fact for local merchants.
The local merchant still has his competition. It is usually in the next town or nearby city.
The appeal to people to buy at home must be put upon more than mere sentimental grounds, though there is force to the argument of loyalty to friends, neighbors and customers.
Many people in small communities state that they cannot buy as cheaply at home as in some distant point. Sometimes facts bear out this argument. But when people live in a small community they must expect to do business on the basis that is essential to success of business in a smaller town. It is selfish to expect your customers to pay the prices that you ask and yet be unwilling to pay fair prices for what you buy of them. Business must be done at a profit. If you get a profit yourself you must expect to pay due to the other fellow.
We are not discouraged about the small town and city. Some folks say that decline of the smaller centers is inevitable. There is little to prove it. Population is not growing as rapidly in smaller communities as in the cities. But the cities have grown too rapidly—too many of their people have no work. Population is no asset unless that population is well employed.
On every hand there is evidence of improvement in small communities. That improvement consists of better streets, schools, highways, homes and stores. And with all of these things there is a most reasonable evidence of community loyalty—a spirit which makes for sound development and for general good will.
When you trade at home you help other people to trade with you. There are both sentimental and selfish reasons for trading with your neighbor.—Herald-Review, Grand Rapids, Minn.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

RATES
County and state offices \$12.50
Precinct offices 10.00
Representatives 10.00

All political announcements and advertising are cash in advance.
Announcements on above terms consist of the name being carried in the announcement column until the primary election, and of the nominee until the general election.
All candidates announcing will be given the privilege of a write-up in the news columns of ten inches space. All space over ten inches will be charged for at the regular advertising rates.

Democratic

The following announce their candidacy subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

For District Attorney (9th Judicial District)—
J. C. COMPTON
(for Re-election)
FRED E. DENNIS

For Senator (21st Senatorial District)—
T. E. MEARS
TOM JERNIGAN

For Representative (28th Legislature)—
COE HOWARD
MONEYLESS GOVERNMENT
H. C. McCowen

For Sheriff (5th District)—
J. A. (BACK) HOWARD
J. T. FULTON
J. H. BOND
FRANK H. JERNIGAN
HENRY BEBEE

For Treasurer—
HOMER BARNETT
C. F. (FRED) MARSHALL
C. M. SETSER
(photographer)

For County Clerk—
MRS. PAUL E. MORRISON
H. A. HUNTER
J. W. KING

For Tax Assessor—
FLOYD T. KENNEDY
(re-election)
J. E. (WOODY) McCALL
SAM B. FLETCHER

For Co. Supt. of Schools—
A. E. HUNT
(re-election)
ARTHUR C. WOODBURN

For Probate Judge—
H. S. (BOB) ADAMS
J. HARVE BAKER
(the shoemaker)
F. T. BURKE
EARL J. STRATTON
W. B. OLDRAM

For County Commissioner (Precinct No. 1)—
TOM HAILSIP
W. T. SIRMONS

For County Commissioner (Precinct No. 2)—
R. L. ALLEN
S. E. JOHNSON

For County Commissioner (Precinct No. 3)—
D. A. GORDON
CHARLES H. GREATHOUSE

Read News Want Ads

- All Candidates Who Have Opponents Should Have New York Life INSURANCE Bill Thompson

USE THE NEWS WANTADS—
Use News Want Ads for Results

SOCIAL ANNEX

By THE BOSS

Folks, we are in a dilemma.
We had practically promised Ray Bonner to support him for steamboat inspector. We thought that he would be a sure winner, having no opposition.

On Thursday night after the paper was out with Ray's announcement, C. J. Whitcomb threw his hat in the ring for this important office.

Whitcomb claims to be better qualified.
He says that the whistle of the steamboat is the most important part, and that Bonner knows nothing of the mechanics of the steamboat whistle.

Whitcomb says that his experience as a watchmaker eminently fits him for the timing of the whistles.

He also claims that his idea was to use the steamboats to transport him and his friends to the golf course, and not for use as warships.

Whitcomb's coming out embarrasses the News to some extent, as it had practically promised to support Ray Bonner, so we will vote for Ray and ask the readers to support Whitcomb.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that there will be a pie supper at the New Hope church house, seven miles south and two east of Portales, N. M., on Saturday night, Feb. 20, 1932, at 7 o'clock p. m. of said day. All candidates are cordially invited to be present and present their candidacy at said meeting.—Committee: Mrs. W. W. Greenhaw, Mrs. J. J. Carter.

MRS. W. E. NELSON OF RALLS (TEX.) DIES

At 2:10 p. m. Wednesday, Feb. 3, 1932, Mrs. W. E. Nelson, a pioneer of Crosby county, Texas, died at the family home in West Ralls, Mrs. Nelson had been seriously ill for the past fourteen months. Although she suffered greatly she bore her burdens with a smile that is an example of faith in God.

With the passing of this good woman Crosby county loses a most valuable citizen, the husband a most devoted and loving wife, and

the daughters the best friend anyone has on earth.
In her quiet, unassuming way, Mrs. Nelson stood as a monument to good citizenship and home building. She was a power for good in her own home and the entire community, always thoroughly reliable and true to every trust.

Mrs. Nelson was born Dec. 28, 1855, in Denton county, Tex. She was married to W. E. Nelson in that county on Oct. 1, 1885. They moved to Haskell county, Tex., in 1904, and to Crosby county in 1906, where they purchased land five miles northwest of where Ralls now stands.

In 1919 they moved to the city of Ralls and have occupied a home in the western section of that city since. She had been a member of the Church of Christ many years and was a faithful and consistent member of that organization.

Funeral services were held at the Church of Christ in Ralls Thursday at 2:30 p. m. with Bro. R. L. Travis and H. Hall officiating. Interment was made in Ralls cemetery.

The large funeral procession and beautiful flowers were symbolic of the high esteem in which this most excellent character was held by Ralls country folk.

Surviving near relatives are the husband, W. E. Nelson; one daughter, Vallie Lee Nelson, and one granddaughter, Edna Earl Nelson. Edna Earl will be remembered by the people of the Bethel community, as she spent the summer a house guest in the Ed Adams home. Mr. Adams spent a part of his boyhood with the Nelson family.

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Fine Chance for Prairie Chickens in Eastern N. M.

An excellent opportunity exists for reforestation of prairie chickens on the eastern side of New Mexico, J. Stokely Ligon, game specialist for the New Mexico game and fish commission, states in a report just received in Albuquerque by Gilberto Espinosa, a member of the commission.

The report is one of a series being made by Mr. Ligon on game problems which are likely to come before the commission. It was based on an investigation made recently in southern Roosevelt county, between Milnesand and the Texas line—the heart of the present prairie chicken range in that section.

"I found the birds more numerous than they have been for several years," Mr. Ligon said. "While the chickens are now confined to a comparatively small area, there is a sufficient number of them that if immediate steps are taken by the department, not only can the present supply of this fine game bird be retained but the species can be retained on their former range."

In the past, he said, farmers of the prairie chicken country formed a serious enemy of the bird because some damage was done by them when shrike disease was allowed to remain in the fields until winter. The great abundance of corn and "head" crops this winter with virtually no market for such feed has resulted in little complaint against the chickens, although they are around the fields in greater numbers than for several years past.

Farmers are beginning to appreciate more and more, Mr. Ligon said, that in the prairie chickens they have an asset rather than a liability.

Any serious depredation to seed crops may be avoided or largely offset by co-operation from the game department, he said. As one of the most effective means, Mr. Ligon suggested the selection of a list of farmers who would be paid to plant small areas on their farms with suitable feed to be left in the fields for the chickens.

The farmers could also be supplied with bobwhites, or be given small refuges in their vicinities, or given a few scaled quail for breeding. The report declared "a better time to initiate the co-operative program with eastern New Mexico farmers will probably never present itself."

"It is my intention to submit in the near future," Mr. Ligon continued, "a recommendation for a conservation unit management plan, including all of the territory east of the Pecos river and north to the main line of the Santa Fe railway, extending between Clovis and Fort Sumner. When funds are available, a suitable department man should be assigned to this area. There is sufficient work here to require all of the time of a salaried man in the interest of conservation and restoration of the prairie chickens, wider distribution and protection of scaled quail, restoration of the sandhill white-tailed deer and peccaries, experiments with bobwhite quail and control of predatory animals and injurious hawks. Through such a plan, with the co-operation of farmers and ranchmen, a most interesting game management area may be established."

WOULD CLOSE ALL GRADES IF SCHOOL TERM CURTAILED

In school districts where a curtailment of the term is contemplated this year, R. H. Crismon, educational budget auditor, recommends that both high school and grade school classes be closed at the same time.

This recommendation is made in a letter sent out to secretaries of all school boards.

Under certain conditions the North Central association will allow full credit for curtailed terms, the letter says.

Mr. Crismon recommends that budgets be arranged for next year so there will be no necessity of closing early.

School budget hearings will begin Mar. 28 and end May 28 in the various counties.

Students Should Continue in School

At a recent conference of representatives from the National Education association, the federal office of education, the National Congress of Parents and Teachers, the federal board for vocational education and kindred agencies, with the President's organization on unemployment relief, it was felt that renewed interest should be focused at this time upon the need for community efforts to encourage and assist the young people to remain in school.

The need for such encouragement and helplessness is accentuated because of the tendency, even in normal times, for students to drop out of school between semesters.

The splendid spirit put forth by school officials and teachers during this period when financial conditions have caused great hardship has been one of the bright spots in the depression. Even when

RICHLAND

Friday afternoon the Richland boys met the El-way boys on the El-way court in a game of basketball. The score was 16 to 8 in favor of Richland.

Friday night the Richland boys drove to Rogers, where they played the Rogers second team. The score was 19 to 4 in favor of Rogers. Some of Richland's men were unable to play on account of previous injuries.

The health nurse, Miss Schlays, was at Richland Friday evening. She gave a very instructive lecture on the subject of why we should keep our bodies fit. Her lecture was very much enjoyed by the students.

Most of the rooms had a valentine box Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Talley and Mrs. Frank Cares visited school Friday.

The corn thresher has been very busy in the north part of the community.

Mr. Platt's son-in-law from Ballevboro, Tex., has moved to the old Underwood place.

Mr. Dewey James has been very ill from an attack of pneumonia the last week or so.

Miss Marie Chenaunt, who has been recovering from an appendicitis operation, took a slight setback Thursday afternoon. She was carried to the doctor Friday, but is doing nicely again now.

The McClintocks installed a new radio last week and, of course, they are proud of it. Who wouldn't be in these hard times?

Last week Jack Gray went to live with the Sprigg family. We wonder about this.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH HAS SERVICES SUNDAY

The third Sunday of each month is the date for our regular preaching services at Portales. Preaching services are held but once a month and it is very easy to get confused and miss the day. Our church year is hastening to its close—in April—and we will be glad to have a full attendance Sunday morning and night of all our members and friends.

Any Presbyterian moving into this locality will be welcome to come to both services and to Sunday school. The Bible class will meet next week and the women's auxiliary will hold a session, with the study book, "Facing Foreign Missions," as subject.

We are getting ready for our Women's Presbyterial in April at Lubbock. Will everybody please try to be on time next Sunday?

Subject at night: "Christian Salesmanship, or Selling the Goods." Prosperity always follows the sale of the goods. Let us have a fine attendance and a good song service. The old Gospel and the Church has comfort for people nowadays. You are invited to all of our services.—Invitation committee.

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Junior Hi School to Give Program

Each year the students of the junior high school give a public program, but the evening entertainment planned for this year promises to be the best ever given by that school, and will be presented tomorrow evening in the school auditorium.

The two one-act plays which are to be given are first class entertainments. They alone are worth the price of admission. "Raspberry Red," portraying the high ideals of a boy's life, is woven about a most fascinating scheme of the family to reform the young ruffian. The family is willing to sacrifice almost anything, even its social attainment, for the reformation of the young son.

Equally as interesting is the one-act play, "The Orange Colored Necktie." This will probably make the women understand more fully a husband's tie fancy, and all will appreciate the determination of Mr. Hawkshaw, who is determined to wear a tie that has been misplaced (on purpose).

These programs give the students of the junior high an opportunity to appear before the public, thereby increasing their appreciation of the finer arts. Students of this age need more of this kind of work, as it develops personalities and stage technique.

The proceeds of the evening will be used in the purchase of library equipment in the junior high school. The tickets are selling for ten and fifteen cents and students from the respective home rooms are competing in the sale of these tickets.

The program is being given tomorrow night, Friday, Feb. 13, and the curtain is scheduled to rise at 7:30 o'clock.

The numbers will appear in the following order: Chorus—Twenty boys and girls. Play—"The Orange Colored Necktie." Baloneyphone solo by Warren Wright. Minuet—In Colonial Costumes. Play—"Raspberry Red."

Miss Jamie Greenwald is in charge of the first play and has for the cast of characters Marie Nelson as Mrs. Hawkshaw, Junior Means as Mr. Hawkshaw, Marie Neer as Marjorie Hawkshaw, Valgene Hudson, messenger boy; David Jones, Solomon; Elizabeth Burke, Nora.

Eurith Compton has been the coach for the second play and has the following cast: Red Sims, Joe Tyson; Mother Sims, Wilma Newman; Father Sims, Hearn Milam; Ione Sims, Martha Jo Barnard; Letty Sims, Jo Ethel Smith; Jack Adams, Randal Braxton; Bobbie Adams, Frank McDonald; Carol Clark, Lennis Kenyon; Mrs. Clark, Lola Chapman; Rev. Dunn, Loys Whitton; Mrs. Dunn, Thelma Meador; Phillip Briggs, Tilden Cissell; Hulda, Christene McDonald.

Lewis Terrill, deputy assessor, has been suffering this week with an infected thumb, which has been paining him dreadfully.

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INCOME TAX ASSISTANCE MAR. 15

On Mar. 12, 1932, until 4 p. m., O. N. Wherret and S. R. Walls, deputy internal revenue collectors, will be in Portales, N. M., at the First National bank, for the purpose of assisting taxpayers in preparing and filing their 1931 income tax returns.

Mrs. F. D. Golden substituted at the Junior Hi school on Thursday and Friday of last week. On Thursday Eurith Compton was ill and on Friday Miss Jamie Greenwald was confined to her bed.

Mrs. Cline Caperton was confined to her home several days last week on account of a threatened attack of the flu.

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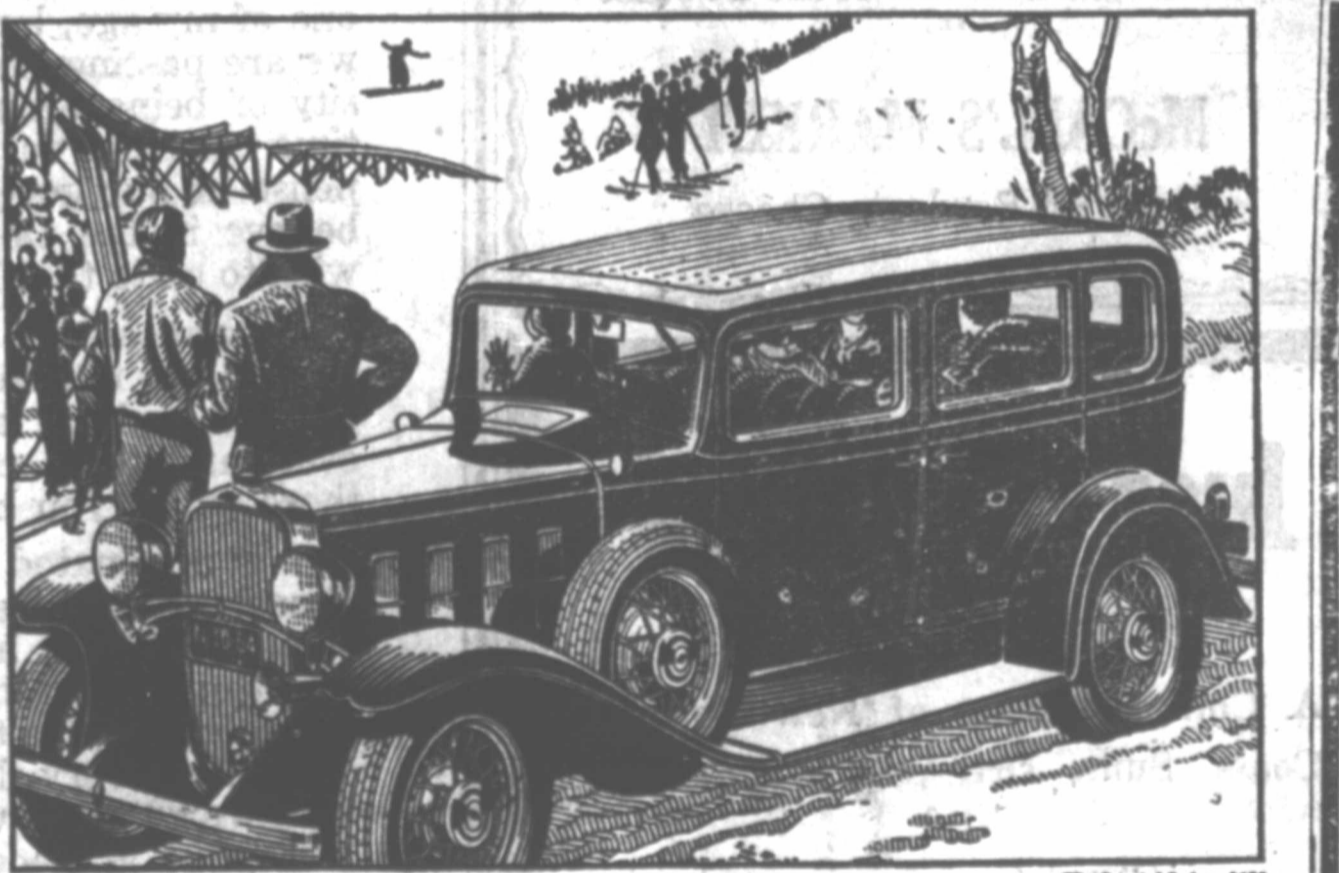
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FOR SALE—Or Trade: Two 60-inch canopy coal burning brooder stoves; one Giant 50-Hot old brooder, old style; one 400-egg incubator. This equipment cost \$175 new; will sell for \$50 cash or trade for ten tons milk heads delivered. Make us an offer! Youngdale Poultry Farm, 1/2 mile south cemetery. 1242c

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FOR SALE—450-egg incubator, used one season; will sell cheap. A. M. Marsh, half mile south of cemetery. 1712c

LOST—A bed roll; near Delphos on Elida highway. Finder leave at News office or notify L. S. Mitchell, Belview, N. M. 1712c

FOR SALE—Good milk cows and heifers. These can be seen on my farm three miles north and two miles west of Floyd. M. E. Hawkins. 1712c

PRUNING TREES—I am prepared to do all kinds of pruning work on either fruit or shade trees. See me or phone 977123. A. O. Baum. 1712c

FOR RENT—Furnished five-room apartment, equipped with gas and modern in every way; has garage; rent reasonable. Dr. E. T. Hensley. 1712c

FOR SALE—One Model A coupe; one 29 Chevy coupe; several used listers, one and two row; one-row cultivator; several disc breaking plows, two to four discs; one Eureka gas stove, three burners and oven; heavy block and tackle. See us for your onion plants, \$2.50 crate of 5,000. Schumpert Implement Co. 1712c

FOR SALE—Peanut hay, 25c per bale. Nice seed sweet potatoes, no black rot. V. F. Newman, Portales, N. M. 1742c

SCHOOL SECTION for sale; good house; 100-acre farm; price \$75. Portales Realty Co. 1712c

CLASSES—Shorthand and type-writing classes. Interested persons inquire Mrs. Myrtle Thomas, Security Bank bldg. Phone 24. 1712c

THE CANDIDACY OF H. C. McCOWEN
MONEYLESS GOVERNMENT
(Political Advertisement)
To the fair-minded voters of this county I wish to say: Do not be misled by any slurs or misrepresentations on the subject of Moneyless Government.
Relief from recurring depressions, mounting taxes, increasing crime and insurance against war is only possible through a complete change of systems—something that is entirely without precedent.
The Moneyless Government idea was born 13 months ago after 14 years of study on the economic situation. After consideration and arguments from every angle the theory has stood the test.
Moneyless Government would undoubtedly
Reduce crime of all kinds 90 per cent.
Banish unemployment.
Abolish taxes, debts and interest of course.
Would benefit every last man, woman and child in United States.
Would double or triple the actual wealth of America in twenty years and—
Best of all, would distribute it equitably.
You ask: If that is so, why hasn't somebody thought of the idea before? Why haven't we adopted it ere now?
As a matter of fact, Bellamy advocated it in 1848, but not until 1890 had science and modern development reached a stage where Moneyless Government could be satisfactorily adopted.
We are fast reaching the stage where we will have to adopt it.
Let us remember that no other nation on earth could adopt Moneyless Government with as much success as can our own United States. Just like the Ford factory can build a better car than any machine shop in this county, so United States has reached the civilized stage where it can make a better job of co-operative government than Russia.
The abolishment of money, the Christianity feature, the one man for one woman training, the grading and promotion incentive in the Moneyless Government theory places that plan as far ahead of Bolshevism as a 1930 model of car surpasses a 1902 model.
This great emancipation (freedom from burden) program which my candidacy gives all a chance to vote for is a legitimate demand for a big vote in this election, from

Roosevelt county will startle the state legislature and in turn our nation congress into the realization that somebody somewhere knows exactly what kind of new governmental and economical deal is wanted.
Somebody has truthfully said: "Knowing exactly what you want is half the battle."
History is in the making.
The day is coming when the charter voters for Moneyless Government will be proud of their vote.
Right here, let it be understood that I am seeking no fame, publicity or notoriety.
This step is taken with embarrassment, but taken nevertheless because any man who had something good for his fellowmen and withheld it for lack of courage or on account of false timidity would be a slacker.

J. C. COMPTON FOR RE-ELECTION
To the Voters of Roosevelt County:
In announcing my candidacy for re-election to the office of District Attorney, I desire to make a few observations for the consideration of the voters concerning me and the office. I was Assistant District Attorney when my brother was District Attorney, performing this work on a small salary, and equipped myself with the knowledge which is indispensable in handling criminal cases. The public has the advantage of the knowledge thus acquired as Assistant District Attorney. I was then elected District Attorney and am now serving my first term as such, and I appeal to the voters, if they are satisfied with my services in the past, to give consideration to that ancient Democratic custom of a second term as a reward for prompt, courteous, efficient and well performed duties. If re-elected I assure you of my honest desire to give to the public the same fair and impartial disposition of all matters that may officially come to my attention.
There are two major district offices in the Ninth Judicial District, that of District Judge and that of District Attorney. The office of the District Judge is properly located in the City of Clovia, which makes it easily accessible to all litigants of the District. During my present term the office of District Attorney has been located in Portales. I keep a well qualified and capable Assistant District Attorney, Mr. E. M. Grantham, located in the City of Clovia, whose services are immediately available to the citizens of Clovia. Should not the district honors be divided throughout the various counties of the District? Is Mr. Dennis right in his efforts to be elected District Attorney and thereby centralize these major offices in the City of Clovia? I am assured by the citizens of Clovia and Curry County that they are well satisfied under present conditions and they feel

that the office of District Attorney should remain in some other County of the District.
My opponent, Mr. Fred Dennis, and myself are the best of friends and would no condition could I say anything derogatory of him, and would not do so. The voters will look to the qualifications of the two candidates and vote for the party who will best serve the people.
With the knowledge and experience I have gained in handling criminal cases and with your continued co-operation, it will be my honest desire to make my second term in office even more successful than the past, and relying solely upon my record in the disposition of the duties of my office, I solicit your consideration for a second term.
Respectfully submitted,
J. C. COMPTON.
—Political adv.

Mrs. Lucy Armstrong was absent from her desk at the post office several days this week on account of illness.

FORECLOSURE SALE NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that whereas, on Jan. 18, 1932, in Cause No. 2822 pending in the District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, wherein George W. Robertson was plaintiff and William C. Thornton et al. defendants, a judgment and decree was rendered and entered in favor of plaintiff and against the defendants for the sum of \$2,603.40, with 10 per cent per annum interest thereon from date of judgment until paid, with costs, amounting to date of sale hereinafter fixed to the sum of \$2,662.90, besides costs, and same being a decree of foreclosure of a mortgage lien upon the lands securing said

indebtedness and ordering the sale of said lands, to-wit: the E 1/4 of Sec. 18, Twp. 2 S., Range 23 East, N. M. P. M., in Roosevelt County, N. M., with the improvements thereon, and directing the undersigned, as Special Master, to sell said lands and premises for the purpose of paying said indebtedness and all costs. Now, by virtue of the premises aforesaid, I, S. N. Hancock, as Special Master, will at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. on Mar. 21, 1932, at the N.E. front door of the court house in the City of Portales, N. M., sell said lands and premises at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, subject to the prior lien thereon in favor of the Federal Land Bank of Wichita, Kan., for the purpose of paying said indebtedness and costs, Feb. 6, 1932.
S. N. HANCOCK,
Special Master.
Feb. 11, Mar. 3

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To the Citizens of Roosevelt Co., N. M.

In announcing my candidacy for the office of County Treasurer and Tax Collector I realize that the office is an important one and carries as much, or more, responsibility as any of the County offices. I feel that each and every citizen should know something regarding my qualifications and I am taking this method to outline briefly my qualifications and how I will handle the affairs of the office if I am nominated and elected.

I was born in Oklahoma in 1900 and came to New Mexico with my parents in 1908. I received my education from what aid my parents could give me and by selling newspapers. After graduation from high school I attended the New Mexico Normal university at Las Vegas, after which I began teaching school.

I have eight years experience in teaching and also have completed a course consisting of bookkeeping and accounting from one of the leading business colleges of our country.

I came to Roosevelt County in 1921 and since that time have made it my home. Being a taxpayer myself, I realize what a burden the taxpayers have to carry and will do all that is in my power to do to lessen the burden by saving every dollar of your money possible.

I have been through as many hardships as any one of my age, but believe it takes such conditions as we are passing through to make us realize the necessity of being economical and I sincerely believe the time has come for us to economize by holding the expense of our government to a minimum. I strongly believe in the Democratic form of government and wish to state that I have been a Democrat all my life.

I am seeking the office solely upon my own merits and am not being run by any person or group of persons, neither am I obligated to anyone whatsoever, and I am not making you any promises only those which you know that I can fulfill.

If nominated and elected to the office of County Treasurer I will stay in the office, give it my undivided attention, handle it in a businesslike manner, run it on the least money possible and give the same courteous service to all, with no special favors to any one. For every dollar I receive I will return a dollar's worth of service. If I am elected I will do my best to be as good an official as you have had and one that you will be proud of.

Believing that I am qualified and making no promises only those I can and will fulfill, I am asking each and every one for your vote and support on April 2nd.

I am yours

For Honest, Economical and Efficient Service.

Homer Barnett

Candidate for the Office of County Treasurer and Tax Collector. Subject to Action of Democratic Primary.

P. S.—Because of a Political Rumor, I wish to make the following statement: My present physical condition was caused by an accident I received in 1904. Being physically unable, I did not serve in the World War, either as soldier or sailor, and I am not drawing any compensation from the Government or from any other source.

Quality, Sanitation, Courtesy
HOME OF
Swift's Premium Products
Prime Select Roasts ----- 10c
Bacon Squares ----- 14c
Sausage (we know how to make it) ----- 10c
Baked Ham (surely fine) ----- 50c
Salt Meat ----- 10c
Everybody Talks About the Goodies
AT
McCALL'S MARKET
Home of Borden's Cheese

Just Received
A Complete Line of New Spring Coats, Suits, Dresses and Jackets
Jackets ----- \$3.95
Spring Coats \$5.95 to \$10.95
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Spring Dresses \$3.95 to \$9.95
Come and pick your Spring garment out now. A small deposit will hold it until taken out. The price is right and the styles correct.

The Return of Good Business Can Come About Only by Co-operation

The people who have money can assist the return of prosperity by depositing their money in a bank, so the bank in turn may loan it to its customers, thereby aiding the return of good times.

Do your part by depositing your money in your home bank.

The First National Bank
Portales, N. M.

STOOL'S

SOCIAL

WOMAN'S CLUB PROGRAM

The program to be given at the high school next Wednesday at the regular meeting of the Woman's club will be of about forty-five minutes duration.

There will be several numbers of various nature which Mr. Bailey will use as curtain raisers, but the closing number will be the main feature of the afternoon. This will be a one-act play and has been chosen especially for this occasion, as it deals with the home life of a couple with both mothers-in-law in the family. The scene is laid in the kitchen of the home with each mother seeing the fine traits of her lover's wife. The climax of this is interesting and the program is open to any person who wishes to attend.

Three o'clock is the hour announced for the opening of the meeting.

U. D. C. MEETING

Mrs. E. A. Herndon was in charge of a very splendid program given at the meeting of the U. D. C. last Tuesday in the home of Mrs. J. C. Compton.

The program was in recognition of the anniversary of the birth of George Washington and began with the ladies giving the pledge of allegiance to the American flag. This was followed by all singing "America." Most of the program was given over to musical numbers and some of the city's most splendid talent was enjoyed.

Mrs. L. E. Canon gave some of the character traits of Washington, touching a more personal view than do many of the sketches of his life.

Mrs. Ernest Fogue and Miss Ro Jean Herndon gave piano selections, having made selections very appropriate for the occasion. Miss Elizabeth Pickett gave two splendid violin numbers. Mrs. Taylor McCasland and Miss Allen Harris delighted the ladies with vocal solos. Miss Harris sang the new Washington song composed for the bi-centennial celebration and Mrs. A. W. Freeman closed the program with "Dixie."

There were about twenty-five ladies present for the program. Mrs. Compton served refreshments in two courses during the social hour which closed the meeting. Since this is national cherry pie week, pie with whipped cream formed the dessert course.

ACE HI BRIDGE

Three additional friends joined with the members of the Ace Hi Bridge club last Friday when three tables of players met in the home of Mrs. T. W. Johnston for an afternoon of contest. The players were all residents of Portland with the exception of Miss Osborne of Logan, N. M., who was a guest in the city. After several progressions the scores were totaled and the high score gifts were presented to Miss Osborne and Mrs. J. D. Marlow.

At refreshment time a plate lunch was served. Valentines were given as individual favors and the season's colors were accentuated in the preparation of the food.

VALENTINE PARTY

About forty young people were guests of Miss Greenidge last Saturday night when she entertained with a valentine party in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Allen.

The nucleus of the gathering was the members of the Rainbow Girls organization, and each of the girls was permitted to invite a friend who is not a member of the society.

Mrs. Allen assisted in making the evening wonderfully happy by helping to direct the game and planning interesting entertainment for every hour of the time. The young people gathered about 7 o'clock and remained for the entire evening.

The Rainbow Girls had procured valentines which were given to their guests at refreshment time as greetings for the season.

THIRD BIRTHDAY

Little Joan Bremer celebrated her third birthday last Saturday, February 13, with a party at which time her mother, Mrs. Carl Bremer, assisted her in making the time most happy for six of her little friends.

The friends were invited to come at 3 and from that hour until 5 the children played games and enjoyed the entertainment prepared for them.

Balloons in bright colors were given to the children and at refreshment time each received a pretty valentine.

The white birthday cake bore pink lighted candles. The pink sandwiches were cut in the shape of valentines.

The children at the party were Bobbie Kent Sanders, Jack Gordon Loris, Dolly Jean Luna, Martha Ann Brown, Jimmie Wayne Johnson, Jeanne Ray Snelson and Jean Snelson.

CLASSES DEBATE

A debating contest was conducted in the Portales school by K. D. McCall between the students of the sophomore and freshman classes.

On last Thursday morning a debate was held between a team from the freshman girls and the sophomore girls, also between the boys of the two classes.

The debaters discussed the advantages and disadvantages of a compulsory unemployment insurance. Esther Nelson and Glenda Patterson, sophomores, met Velma Marr and Ethel Newberry and defeated the first year girls.

Thursday morning boys from these two classes met for a debate on the same subject. Durwood Wright and Albert Woodburn appeared for the sophomores while Clarence Franse and Butler Johnson represented the freshmen with the negative of the question. The judges gave the freshman boys the decision.

On Tuesday of this week the sophomore girls debated with the freshman boys. The decision was given to the girls. Butler had been sick with the flu and Raymond Reed was assigned to a place on the team.

Derry Wise and Jack McCollum won over Cornelia Crume and Deloris Hutchinson, both teams from the freshman class.

Jay T. Morgan and J. E. Maxwell of the senior class, with the affirmative side of the question, won the decision over Hubert Burke and Allen Barker of the junior class.

All teams debated upon the same subject.

COFFEE CLUB

The ladies of the Coffee club met last Thursday with Mrs. Ted Forbes, and spent a very informal time singing and visiting.

The simple refreshments which the club members always serve were enjoyed at the close of the party.

The ladies were invited to be the guests of Miss Mabel Morrison at the next meeting, when they will be entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Black.

INTERMEDIATES HAVE PARTY

Mrs. Fred Baker, one of the teachers in the intermediate department of the Baptist Sunday school, invited the members of her class to the Baker home last Friday evening for a party. There were seventeen present and Mrs. Baker was assisted by her sister, Ethel Radcliff, in making the evening a very happy one.

After the usual evening games bountiful refreshments were served. The adults enjoying the occasion with the intermediates were Rev. and Mrs. Barnard, Mr. and Mrs. Radcliff, Mr. and Mrs. Baker.

S. S. CLASS MEETS

The women's Bible class of the Methodist Sunday school, which is known as the King's Daughters, enjoyed an all-day party last Friday with Mrs. A. W. Freeman.

Mrs. E. C. Murrell is class teacher and had arranged that each lady take one dish of food for the noon meal. There are about thirty members in the class. During the course of the day a business meeting was held, when some plans were made for raising class funds. A tea will be held in the pretty

ARCH HOME MAKERS' CLUB

The meeting of the Arch Home Makers' club last Thursday in the home of Mrs. M. O. Pate was not only a beneficial but a very pleasant and interesting session.

Mrs. Oakley was present and discussed with the ladies the uses of meat, fruit and vegetables in the daily diet.

The ladies decided to gather in the club house for the future meetings. Plans were completed for the pie supper which was held at the school house on Friday evening, when the candidates met for a political speaking. The receipts amounted to \$27 and this sum will be used toward improving the telephone lines from Portales to Arch.

There were fourteen ladies present at the club meeting and all fully enjoyed the social hour as well as the business session. Mrs. Pate served a plate lunch.

The next meeting will be at the club house on Thursday, Feb. 25.

EAST VALLEY VIEW

The Home Makers' club of East Valley View met on Wednesday of last week in the club house. There were nineteen members and three visitors. Three new members were received into the club. The visitors of the afternoon were Mrs. Temple Deal, Mrs. Ed Stafford and Mrs. Roy Williams.

During the business session some of the matters discussed at the county council was given attention.

Mrs. Oakley was present and had charge of the program, which was a discussion of fruit as a necessary diet. The responses to roll call were the favorite fruits of the members.

During the study Miss Oakley gave the proper preparation of the fruit that the greatest benefit might be derived.

LONGS HOME MAKERS' CLUB

Mrs. Ed Hill was hostess to the members of the Longs Home Makers' club when the ladies met in her home Tuesday of last week for an all-day meeting. There were thirteen members present and one visitor.

The ladies had a very enjoyable meeting as well as a profitable session.

Next Tuesday, Feb. 23, the members will meet with Mrs. Lyman. This will be an afternoon gathering.

home of Miss Beas Dohoney on Friday afternoon, Feb. 26. Invitations are being extended to all friends of the members.

On Saturday before Easter the ladies will have a bazaar and pantry sale at the United Dry Goods store.

DORA NEWS

Mabel Grinnell had an attack of appendicitis Sunday.

Arthur Victor has returned home from El Paso, where he has been employed, to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gaussey of Wink, Tex., and Mr. and Mrs. Tolbert Evans of Hobbs, N. M., were visitors in the Evans and Kilgore homes Sunday.

We are glad to have the two new pupils, Allen and William Lefler, in our school.

The first grade began work in the Supplementary readers Monday.

Keith Creamer, Elwood Thompson and Edna E. Evans are out with the flu this week.

Second and third grade departments had their valentine box Monday, which was enjoyed very much by all the pupils.

We are very glad to have Junior Fullerton and Raymond O'Neal enrolled in our school.

J. G. Hartar won first place in the marble tournament of the second and third grade departments.

Lloyd Powell won first in the tournament in Miss Baker's room.

Miss Richards and Miss Price's rooms had a valentine box Friday afternoon. Games were played afterwards in which the little folks

took a great interest.

Rev. Reeves of the Bethel community preached at the school house Sunday morning and Sunday night.

Miss Baker's room entertained in assembly last Wednesday morning with a short program, consisting of two plays, "In the Camp of Powhatan," portraying the capture of John Smith by Indians and his life being saved by Pocahontas. The other was "The New Car," wherein a family tries out their new automobile for the first time. They have a flat tire, are arrested for speeding and run over a chicken, at last returning home safely. The last play kept the audience in laughter throughout the play.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert O'Neal have moved into this community. The basket ball players were honored by the pep squad with a banquet last Thursday evening. There were several interesting talks made, concerning athletics. The color schemes of red and white, the school colors, were carried out in the decorations. Basket ball goals served the purpose of place cards and basket balls were used for invitations and programs. There were 30 present.

Bargains--

Every Day at This Store

If it's fresh fruits, vegetables, or anything from our shelves you will find the bargains galore, and you will see for yourself that every day is bargain day.

PIGGLY-WIGGLY

W. H. McDONALD, Prop.

We Handle a Complete Stock of

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and WE SELL AT A PRICE that will pay every housewife to shop here.



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Tires, Tubes and Batteries is complete and we are ready to take care of your tire and battery needs.

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PLEADS GUILTY TO FIRST OFFENCE

in asking for public office Consider my qualifications and ability to make you a good sheriff.

Vote for

J. A. 'Jack' Howard

on April 2nd

MEAT SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

- Beef Roast 10c lb.
- Pure Pork Sausage 10c lb.
- Best Loin Steak 15c lb.
- Pork Roast 12 1/2c lb.
- Dry Salt Meat, best grade 10c lb.
- Pure Home-made Lard 10c lb.

YOACHUM'S

To Be or Not to Be

KOUNTY KLERK

That is the QUESTION, Ladies and Gentlemen. Be it now made known that I choose to be and by and with your help before and on APRIL SECOND, I shall and will be your grateful and humble

SERVANT

striving at all times to serve you faithfully and well, with Economy, keeping in mind the

EFFICIENCY of the SERVICE. RESPECTFULLY

J. W. 'Bill' KING KANDYDATE

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I Will Offer My Place for Sale at

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To the Highest Responsible Bidder ON TUESDAY, FEB. 23

4 1/2 Miles North of Rogers at 1 O'Clock

Small Cash Payment

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Rogers, N. M.

PEOPLE WHO WANT TO SAVE MONEY

will welcome the opening announcement of

HANVEY'S GROCERY

Burke's Meat Market

and the

Mistletoe Cream Station

in the brick building across from Wood Garage

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20

We will have a big cake specially baked for our opening and with many fine souvenirs. We will serve coffee and cake to everyone attending our opening.

Mr. Burke who has been operating the Burke's Meat Market next door to the Palace Theater, will move his market into our new location and will be able to furnish you with the best meats. And will give absolutely free to each customer buying 50c worth of meats, 1 pound of sausage steak.

Mr. Shelton who has been running the Mistletoe cream station next door to Carr Lumber Company, has moved in the rear and will welcome you to bring your cream, eggs and produce in where the highest market prices are always paid.

Trade with Hanvey and Bank the Difference

FAIRFIELD

There was a big crowd out to Sunday school and church Sunday. Bro. Graham preached an interesting sermon.

INEZ

Mrs. Fred Duke and Jimmy spent Sunday visiting in the Morrison home at Morton, Tex.

DORA NEWS

(Delayed) DORA NEWS. STAFF—Dink Kilgore, editor-in-chief; sports, Hubert Hall; school news, Durwood Gaines; jokes, Lee Richards.

FLOYD

There is a music school being held at Bethel every Friday night. Everyone is invited to attend.

CAUSEY

"Hello, world; we are still here and very glad of it." Many people leave and go to different parts of the world, but they are like the old cat.

(Delayed) The Busy Workers' club met with Mrs. C. C. Curry Friday. Mrs. Ted Jones and Mrs. Russell Johnson were visitors.

children of Mrs. Browne are sick. There will be a pie supper on the candidates' night, Feb. 25, one of the candidates' night.

A large crowd was present Monday night at the candidates' meeting. The first time that it has been used for school activities.

REBEKAH LODGE MEETING. The new officers of the Rebekah lodge presided over the meeting which was held in the I. O. O. F. hall last Thursday evening.

of the activities of 1,286 farm families in eleven states and found that each family received an average of \$441 worth of food from the farm each year.

Isn't It a Lot of SATISFACTION to sit down in a barber chair and know that your wishes will be carried out and every thing done as you like it? It can always be that way at Portales Barber Shop

Use News Want Ads for Results

Speaking Dates For Roosevelt Co. Candidates. Fairfield Feb. 17, New Hope Church, 7 mi. so. and 2 east of Portales Feb. 20, Milnesand Feb. 23, Bethel Feb. 25, Elida Feb. 27, Portales Feb. 29, Union Valley Mar. 2, Rogers Mar. 4, Highway Mar. 7, East Valley View Mar. 9, Bluit Mar. 11, Pleasant Valley Mar. 14, Friendship Mar. 16, Causey Mar. 19, Roller Mar. 21, Rocklake Mar. 23, Richland Mar. 25, Kentucky Valley Mar. 29. Keep in Mind the Date for Your Community and Be There

There will be a box supper and program at the school house Wednesday night, Feb. 17. The candidates from Roosevelt and Curry counties are expected to be with us.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bonner, Otto Kaptina and Miss Sybil Lyons drove to Fort Sumner Friday evening to attend the ball game between the team of that school and the Portales Rams.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Adams were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Crow and family Friday. Mrs. W. B. Jones and son Harold of Portales were also guests.

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BETHEL

We had fine services at Bethel Sunday school Sunday. There were 122 present and the young people's class had 32 present.

STOP USING SODA!

Much soda disturbs digestion. For sour stomach and gas, Adrika is far better. One dose will rid you of bowel poisons which cause gas and bad sleep.

BILIOUSNESS CLEARED UP

BILIOUSNESS may show itself by a coated tongue, bad breath, headache, spots before the eyes, dizziness, poor appetite, "dopiness," but prompt relief may be expected from taking Theo's Black-Draught.

"When I get bilious, I had a bad taste in my mouth, and then severe headaches that put me to bed," writes Mrs. Anna Cornelius, Anderson, S. C. "I found Theo's Black-Draught relieved this. I felt better after taking it. Black-Draught certainly is a good medicine."

It would not have been used so long, or by so many, if it wasn't really good. Get a 25¢ package at the drug store.

THEO'S BLACK-DRAUGHT. For CONSTIPATION, INDIGESTION, BILIOUSNESS.

"LAZY" GAS RUNS A LAZY CAR...insist on STANDARD'S OCTANE EFFICIENCY. 250 FT.—without knocking using "Standard" Gasoline. Starting speed was 25 miles per hour on 13% grade. 50 FT.—developed severe knocking using gasoline of average octane rating.

ANY GASOLINE that's low in its Octane Efficiency is just naturally "lazy" in today's improved motors. Side by side you have, illustrated above, two actual hill-climbing knock-tests that speak for themselves.

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Interesting News From Elida

By EMMA LEE O'NEAL

Miss O'Neal is authorized to gather news, receive subscriptions and classified ads for the Portales Valley News.

Our Robert's Brother

Passes Away Feb. 18
Carlton Edgar Robertson was born in Silveston, Tex., Mar. 23, 1861. With his parents he came to New Mexico in 1893.

He died in Roswell, Feb. 10, at 10 a. m. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Robertson of Wellington, Tex.; three brothers, Buddy of Wellington, Tex.; Marvin of Pecos, Tex.; Oscar of Elida, and two sisters, Mrs. J. W. Capps, south of Dora, and Mrs. McTalley of Pecos, Tex. Funeral services were held Feb. 11 at 2:30 o'clock from the funeral parlor in Roswell. All members of the family were present except one brother, "Buddy." Interment was in the Roswell cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Hadley and Mrs. Arley Snow were in Clovis Wednesday of last week.

Last Friday the eighth grade class met to have a business meeting to elect new class officers for the second semester of school.

Walter O'Neal was elected president, Alvin Stevenson vice president, Alha Lee French, song leader, Luper Gonzales vice leader. The eighth grade class meets twice a month on Friday to make and carry out new plans.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Martin of Kenna were business visitors in Portales Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Herbert and children, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Lamberth and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Herbert were dinner guests of Bro. and Mrs. Robinette last Sunday.

The eighth grade is studying the life of George Washington this week in the civics class.

Miss M. M. Robinette, who has been ill for some time, is taking treatments in Portales from Dr. Keller and Keller.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lee and Mrs. Ross Martin and children of Kenna attended the funeral services of Clarence O'Neal in Elida last Wednesday.

Ralph Tidale was absent from school several days last week on account of illness.

The Elida Tigers played the ranchville basketball team last Friday night. The score was 30 to 10 in favor of Elida. The crowd was not as large as usual.

The W. M. U. will meet with Mrs. A. Grimshaw Wednesday at 2:30 o'clock. This meeting was postponed last Wednesday on account of the funeral of Clarence O'Neal.

Wayne Pralcy, who has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Hadley, returned to his home in Colorado last week. He was accompanied to Clovis by his cousin, Mrs. Clifton Hadley, and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. O'Neal returned to their home in Clovis last Friday after attending the funeral of their brother Clarence, who was buried on Wednesday.

Mrs. Lillie Campbell was hostess to the Y. W. A. girls last Thursday evening with a radio program. Feb. 11 was the birthday of the Y. W. A. of the World. Those present were Misses Charlotte Herbert, Gladys Joyce and Erma Neely, Jessie Madgie Gibson, Geraldine and Velma Savage, Bonnie Mae Latta, Veda Rogers, Barbara Bonarden and Mildred Moore; Mrs. George Gibson, Mrs. Dolphus Hensley and Bro. Robinette. At the close of the program apples were served.

Mrs. J. F. Smith is taking treatments from Dr. Keller & Keller, whose office is in Portales.

Misses Jewel Evans and Lella Cooper spent the night with Miss Jessie Madgie Gibson Saturday night.

The Methodist ladies gave a social last Thursday. Miss Harper entertained the guests with numerous games. The ladies sold cake, sandwiches and punch.

The grade school was dismissed last Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock for Clarence O'Neal's funeral. There were a few of the high school students who also attended the services.

Miss Hazel McArthur spent Sunday with Miss Gladys Neely.

Freeman Butler of Comanche, Okla., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Verlon Miller, and family. He is also visiting with the Lonnis and Robert Butler's families and the family of R. L. Allen.

The basketball game between the Elida alumni and the Melrose alumni was postponed last Saturday night. Although there was a basketball game between the Melrose men and the single boys of Elida. The men were defeated by the boys.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Rogers spent Sunday afternoon in Portales visiting with the Hilliard family.

Miss Jewel Evans entertained a group of young people Saturday night, Feb. 13, with a leap year party. The ones present were the Misses Mildred Moore, Charlotte Herbert, Gladys Neely, Barbara Bonarden, Antia and Aba Lee French, Jessie Gibson, Lella Cooper, of Kenna, Ruth Laughlin, Lucille Burbridge, Frances McCowen, Jewel and Lucille Evans, Master Raymond and Warren Butler, Glynn Rogers, A. C. Holder, John Campbell, Harold Tusha, Estel Cryer, Ralph McClellan, Leland Campbell, A. Q. Evans, Alvin and Clifford Stevenson, T. R. Allen and Josh Stroud. They played table games and danced for amusement during the evening.

Estel Cryer spent the week end in town with Warren Butler.

Claude Mathews and family of Roswell attended the funeral of Mrs. Roundtree in Elida Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Roundtree dies, Sarah Ellen Roundtree, who has lived with her son west of Elida for several years, died Saturday morning, Feb. 13, at 2:30 o'clock. She is survived by five children and a host

of grandchildren.

Mrs. Roundtree would have been 65 years of age if she had lived until May. She was a member of the Christian church. The funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Baptist church house with Bro. R. L. Allen in charge of the service.

Interment was made in the Elida cemetery Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Price Crume of Kenna received word last Sunday morning at 2 o'clock that her mother, Mrs. Elrod, and her brother Taylor were accidentally killed. Mrs. Elrod and son lived at Paris, Ill.

Mrs. Price Crume left immediately for Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Case of Portales attended the funeral in Elida last Wednesday of Clarence O'Neal.

The R. A. S. and G. A. S. will meet at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the church house.

Misses Charlotte Herbert and Mildred Moore spent Sunday with Miss Barbara Bonarden.

Miss Lillian Nicholson spent Monday night in town with Miss Irs Laughlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Grimshaw and Buford Rogers visited with Mr. and Mrs. L. B. O'Neal in Clovis last Sunday.

The smilors are working hard on their play, "Headstrong Joan," which will be given Feb. 19 at the high school auditorium. The cast is as follows:

Grannie Day..... Hazel McArthur
Jim Day..... Glynn Rogers
Richard Randall..... A. C. Holder
Mary Vernon..... Mary Butler
John Van Peit..... Irs Laughlin
Jack Day..... Lewis Cooper
Kosie..... Lillian Nicholson
Ike..... Alvah Lee Erwin
Able..... Ralph Stevenson
Honora..... Lucille Bird
Miss Charlotte Burnette, the W. M. U. state secretary, visited the First Baptist church in Elida Sunday evening.

Miss Martha Beeman of Amarillo, Tex., visited with her brother John in Elida the first of the week.

The Oscar Robertson family will go out to the Richland school Wednesday night and play for the junior class program. Six of the Robertson family play musical instruments. Members of the musical family are Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Robertson, Misses Clara, Pauline and Velma and Mr. Busier.

The Economy store moved its Red and White store from the

south side of the square to the west side last week. They are now occupying the building recently vacated by Mrs. Lillie Dalby's Real cafe.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Walker of Elida attended the funeral in Roswell last Thursday of Carlton Robertson.

Miss Mildred Moore will be hostess to the Y. W. A. girls Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Those from Elida who attended the baptismal services in Portales last Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. John Tomlinson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Dolphus Hensley, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Herbert and family, Mr. and Mrs. Olive Lamberth and children, Bro. M. M. Robinette, Misses Emma Lee O'Neal, Bonnie Mae Latta, Velma Savage, and Pearl Butler. Bro. Robinette baptized four candidates into the Elida church.

The grade school has changed its assembly date from Tuesday to Friday. So at 10 o'clock Friday Mr. Pater's fifth and sixth grade pupils will be in charge of the program.

Last Saturday night Ernest Kilgore entertained the young people of the Pleasant Valley community at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Kilgore. As the musicians did not appear, the young folks enjoyed the evening dancing to the Victrola music.

The Economy store went to the Cannon theater last Saturday night and took a sack of flour, a jar of jelly and a box of oats. Ed Raymond received the sack of flour, Cecil Slack the jar of jelly, and Arnold Pippee the box of oats.

May God's richest blessings rest on you all—Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McClintock.

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