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Portales Wins Championship Game Thanksgiving Day 19-6

Portales ended the football season with the greatest victory that they have attained this season when they defeated the Clovis Wildcats Turkey day on the opponents' gridiron, the first time in six years.

Portales ruined the jinx that has kept them from winning a single game from the long time rivals for six years, when they walked over the Wildcats to finish with a score of 19 to 6.

The entire game was exceptionally thrilling from the first blow of the whistle until the final shot was fired. Portales was in perfect shape and did good work, gaining consistently thru the line, around and completing pass after pass. Clovis was also in good shape but was unable to stop the hard hitter Rams.

The most thrilling plays of the game were in the first few minutes of play when 30 yards to Clovis' 12 yard line. And in the last second of the game when Kirksey plowed thru center for a 45 yard run just at the final shot.

The entire Portales team played an exceptionally good game, the line was holding exceptionally well and the backfield were backing up the line and on the offensive were hitting the line hard enough to make gains almost every try.

Probably the greatest feature of the game was between halves when the two schools had their stunt by the band and pep club.

Probably the largest crowd that ever attended a football game on the eastern slope witnessed the final game of the season, Portales people more than occupied the bleachers that were reserved for them. Probably as many or more Portales people attended the game than Clovis fans.

The Game Play by Play
Clovis kicked to 14 yd line, Kirksey returned to 20 yds. Patterson around left end for 3 yds., King through left guard for 5, Clovis penalized 5 yds, offside. Clovis penalized 5 yds, more, officials, King circled left end for 35 yds, making first and ten. Kirksey was stopped on the line of scrimmage. Patterson 3 yds around right end. King 1 yd thru left tackle. King thru left tackle for 7 yds. Clovis penalized 10 yds, offside. Kirksey failed to gain. Kirksey scouted right and for first touchdown. King kicked the extra point.

Portales 7, Clovis 0.
Portales kicks to 20 yd line and is returned 8 yds. Clovis makes short gains thru line and runs for their first and ten, 4 more tries and ball goes over.

Portales' ball on their own 38 yd line. Kirksey thru line for 1 yd. Patterson gained 2 yds, left tackle, and King punts 40 yds out of bounds.

Clovis' ball on 32 yd line. Smith lost 3 yds. Portales penalized 5 yds. Smith left tackle for 2 yds. Another short gain and Clovis is penalized 5 yds, offside. Burns punts 40 yds and Patterson returns 15. Portales' ball on 35 yd line. Kirksey gained 1 yd and in another attempt failed. First quarter ended.

Portales 7, Clovis 0.
Second Quarter
Portales' ball, third down. King failed to gain. King punts 23 yds. Clovis returns to 47 yd line. Three slashes thru line nets first and ten. A long pass for Clovis is complete for 15 yds. Two more attempts net 4 yds. Another long pass is intercepted by King. Kirksey made two yds. Clovis penalized 15 yds, holding. Portales penalized 5 yds, offside.

Clovis penalized, 5 yds offside. Maxwell failed to gain. Patterson made 2 yds thru center. Patterson fumbled but recovered. Ball goes over.

Smith failed to gain. Portales penalized 5 yds offside. Clovis in three downs makes first ten. A short lateral pass gains 1 yd. Clovis passed 20 yds. First down and goal. Four attempts before Clovis can carry the pigskin over. Extra point failed. Clovis 6, Portales 7.

Clovis kicked to King who returned ten yds. King passed to Leflar for 34 yds. Clovis penalized 5 yds. King passed to Leflar 20 yds and had 18 for touchdown. Extra point failed. Portales 13, Clovis 6.

Portales kicks to Clovis' 20 yd line. Clovis returns 8 yds and fumbled 5 yds, hicialsey 1.6 cm cmcm fumbles. Portales recovers just as the half ended.

Portales 13, Clovis 6.
Third Quarter
Clovis kicks to the 20 yd line. (Continued on Last Page)

Odd Fellows Annual Banquet

The Portales lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows has announced the annual banquet and special meeting to be held in the lodge hall next Tuesday evening, December 2nd.

The banquet will be served at 7:30 p. m. and to this the families of all Odd Fellows and the Rebekahs are cordially invited. Immediately after the hour devoted to the banquet the lodge will be called to order by Noble Grand Ik Hahn and the special work of the evening be concluded. Each Odd Fellow will make a special effort to be present for this meeting.

Four Large Christmas Trees to Decorate Street Intersections

At last Portales has decided to put on real Christmas decorations. Bert Rawlins, Otto Kapitina and Wallace King, acting as a committee from the Chamber of Commerce, have ordered four large Christmas trees, which will be placed at the four corners of the square, and many small trees have been ordered, which will be placed in the sidewalks in front of the business houses.

The four big trees will be decorated and lighted with colored lights, and the smaller trees will all be decorated for Christmas.

Portales will have Christmas decorations which will attract many people to the town during the short time between now and Christmas.

Mrs. M. Daum Quite Sick

Mrs. M. Daum suffered a stroke of paralysis on Monday night and has been in a very serious condition since.

On Wednesday afternoon her condition was reported as improved. Mr. Daum is the owner of The Famous and had planned a big sale beginning this week, which has been postponed on account of his wife's illness.

Untagged Dogs To Be Destroyed

City Marshal Bond now has a dog house and all untagged dogs will be taken up and held for a few days, and unless claimed and tagged will be killed.

Marshal Bond warns all to see that their dogs wear collars and the proper tags.

Bones of Eight-Foot Man Found in Sonora, Mexico

Tucson, Ariz., Dec. 1.—An old cemetery containing the bones of eight-foot giants has been discovered on a ranch near Sayopa, Sonora, 300 miles south of the international border.

J. E. Coker, mining engineer of the town, told of the discovery last night upon his arrival here for a visit. He said the skeletons found had been buried tier on tier. Carved native stone bracelets and the "crudest kind of stone weapons and implements" were found, Coker declared.

Owners of the ranch were pushing further investigations when Coker left for Tucson, the mining man said. The top tier of bones was found near the surface of the ground and not far from the Yaqui river.

BABY CLINIC

Miss Kellewyn, county health nurse, will hold a Baby Clinic at Elida on Saturday of this week.

Dr. Evans will assist Miss Kellewyn in measuring and weighing the children and they will be ready to receive children promptly at one o'clock Saturday, December 6th. This clinic will accept all children of pre-school age.

Do You Have Servicable Clothing That Has Been Outgrown---Bond

Perhaps you have a dress, a suit of clothes or a pair of shoes which are serviceable, that you do not need.

There is some one that would welcome these articles.

Now is the time of year to clean

Mrs. Bryant Home From Hospital

Mrs. R. G. Bryant, who has been in the Baptist Hospital at Clovis for the past twenty days on account of a general breakdown, was able to return home last Friday.

While still weak, her health is improving.

Big Christmas Parade, Amarillo on December 11th

On Thursday, December 11, Amarillo will be the scene of the greatest Christmas pageant ever held in the Panhandle of Texas. The Chamber of Commerce, the Globe-News and the merchants of Amarillo are bearing all the expense in connection with this program but wish it to be distinctly understood that it is a Panhandle affair to which all residents of the Panhandle are most cordially invited.

The outstanding feature of the day will be an all-Panhandle parade in which bands from all the surrounding territory will compete for prizes. This parade will be built around Thacher's Santa Claus Spectacle. For some five years Mr. Thacher has made a business of staging such spectacles and is recognized as the best of his kind in America. He travels on a special train carrying with him at all times about forty-five trained people who take the part of the various characters in the spectacle. In addition to this personnel he also carries ten Alaskan reindeer in charge of Eskimos dressed in clothing as worn by the natives of Alaska. Of course these reindeer draw the sleigh in which Santa Claus is seated. In addition to Santa Claus there is "Merry Christmas," his wife, who appears in the parade in a fancy sedan-chair carried by costumed chairmen.

The parade includes representatives of Japan, Italy, Holland, Spain, "Miss America," "The Rainbow," and "The Peacock." In addition, there are many comedy features, freakish men on stilts ten feet high, others wear grotesque heads, etc.

This professional troupe will be augmented by bands from all over the Panhandle along with floats supplied by Rotary, Kiwanis, Lions, and A. B. S. clubs of our city. Floats will also be in the parade from the Salvation Army, the Red Cross, Boy and Girl Scouts, the American Legion, Child's Welfare Association, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Parent-Teachers Association, etc.

Among the veterans present were C. S. Turner of Portales, Co. E, 15th N. C. Volunteers; H. A. Ingalls, Roswell, 1st Lt., M. C.; H. W. Davidson, Portales, Co. C, 12th U. S. Inf.; T. J. Bolt, Portales, Co. B, 51, Iowa; John W. Wenny, Artesia, Co. A, 4th Ill.; Joe C. Shuff, Artesia, Co. I, 51 Iowa Vol. Inf.; H. H. Keener, Roswell, Hospital Corps; C. S. Deane, Artesia, 17th Battery Field Artillery, Camp Claiborne, Philippine Islands; Lovern E. Neely, Artesia, Ind Ohio Vol. Inf.; M. Y. Monical, Hagerman, Co. K, 153 Ind.; Chas. L. Appleby, Hagerman, Co. C, 1 Del. Inf.; J. T. McNeil, Dexter, Co. D, 2nd Texas Inf.; L. C. Lambke, Artesia, 10th Ohio; John P. Boydston, Roswell, Troop M, Roosevelt Rough Riders of Oklahoma; Jeffrey Staedens, Roswell, 17th Inf., Co. I; Chas. L. Ballard, Artesia, Troop H, 1st Co. U. S. Vols.; John W. Vandagriff, Artesia, Co. I, 1st Vol. Inf. of Arkansas; O. M. Powers, Roswell, Battery A, 1st Art.; William J. Wilson, Roswell, Co. L, 14th N. Y. Vol. Inf.; George Frisch, Artesia, Co. K, 3rd Nebr. Vol. Inf.

—Artesia Advocate.

Raise Big Crop Irish Potatoes in Portales Valley

On Monday of this week Woodrow White brought to the News office two extra large Irish potatoes that weighed a little over a pound each.

On their farm 12 miles north they had in about 6 acres and from that acreage they produced approximately 1000 bushels. This is only a small demonstration of what can be done with Irish potatoes as well as sweet potatoes in the irrigated valley.

Mail your parcels early in the day. Tie your parcels well. Address on one side only, and write with ink.

Vaccinate For Safety

There has been several deaths among the children in Portales and vicinity lately due to diphtheria. This is a very dangerous disease, especially in children over six months old and under three years old. I feel like it is my duty as County Health Officer, to warn all parents to have their children vaccinated as soon as they are six months old or as soon thereafter as they can. There is 50 or 60 per cent of the cases of diphtheria that never show a false membrane in the throat and the doctor who does not diagnose the case early is bound to lose a great many of these cases.

Vaccination is safe, does not make the child sick, only costs 3 or 4 dollars and makes your child immune from this very dangerous disease.

DR. E. T. HENSLEY, County Health Officer.

out your closets and put such cast off garments to a practical use.

The News has made arrangements with a number of the merchants and with City Marshal Bond, to receive these articles at the News office, where they will be

sorted and placed where they will do the most good.

Do not bring articles which have been worn out and that are worthless, but articles that still have service. Notify Marshal Bond or the News and what you have to give will be called for.

Fred Marshall Builds Home

C. Fred Marshall is building a new home in the school addition

28x36 feet. This building is modern in every respect, piped for gas and other conveniences. Fred says that it will be ready for occupancy sometime in January.

Potales School Has Many "A" Students

At the close of the last six weeks of the Portales High School, the grades show a large number of the pupils earned "A" in some one subject and Martha Ann Colligan made an A in each of her four subjects. Five students made three A's from a possible four, six made two A's and twenty-five made at least one A in the four subjects. Six of the football players are among those students making A's. J. B. Maxwell has three to his credit, Clarence Kirksey two which Vaughn Ratcliff and Carl Jones each made an A in at least one subject. Those students having their names to appear on the A list for the second semester are Martha Ann Colligan in English, U. S. Civics, Bookkeeping and Short-hand; Ruth Grider, Algebra, Spanish and English; Woodrow Johnston, English, Psychology and Physiology; Ruby Hatch, Journalism, Physics and Home Economics; J. B. Maxwell, Geometry, English and History; Pauline Stewart, Algebra, English and Latin; Short-hand, Typewriting, Drawing, Bellamy, Typewriting, and Short-hand; Lynn Chumley, Geometry, English; Gordon Greaves, English; Psychology; Clarence Kirksey, Agriculture, Manual Training; Nadine Scott, Public Speaking, Spanish; Durwood Wright, Latin English; Calib Bostic, Agriculture; Della Mae Brown, History; John Bruce, Physics; Jesus Carrasco, Spanish; Lorena Outler, English; Loren Finley, Algebra; Maxine Grissom, English; Charlene Goodloe, Typewriting; Horace Harrington, Spanish; Floye Hayes, Short-hand; Robert Hill, Agriculture; Chellis Huff, History; Carl Jones, History; Harold Knox, Agriculture; Lena Meador, Algebra; Alice Miller, Short-hand; B. F. Miller, Agriculture; Harold Radcliff, Agriculture; Ruth Richardson, Typewriting; Marshall Rowley, English; Lynville Scott, History; Opal Setser, English; Loyde Vaughn, Manual Training; Edith Wheeler, Home Economics; Raymond Worrell, Latin;

This parade will be some two and one-half miles in length and will incorporate the very spirit of Christmas.

The committee in charge wishes to impress upon the citizens of the Panhandle that this is a Panhandle affair and not strictly Amarillo festival. All the cities in Amarillo's trade territory are extended a cordial invitation to come in and have a part with Amarillo in staging the greatest of all Christmas festivals.

ADVANCED IN SCOUT WORK

Minor Huffman was in Portales Tuesday and made the announcement that H. E. Taylor has been made District Scout Commissioner. Mr. Taylor has been interested in the local work and has been one of the most energetic of leaders. He had had charge of Troop Eighteen and a more faithful director has never been known.

This advancement in the Boy Scout work is a compliment to Mr. Taylor and a recognition of his ability.

Leon Slater has been made leader of Troop Eighteen since the promotion of Mr. Taylor to the office of District Commissioner.

Portales Held Clovis Parade

On last Thursday, before the football game, led by the chief of police and city manager of Clovis, the Portales High School Band and a number of fans held a parade at Clovis.

Good will was expressed by everyone, and after the parade the Portales Band was entertained by the Clovis Band at the high school building, where punch and cake were served.

A Bazaar and Pantry Sale Dec. 6 at Neer's Furniture, by the Christian ladies.

E. N. Neer Makes Addition to Store

The E. N. Neer Hardware Company is building a 40-foot addition to its store building to take care of the increased business.

Since opening this store in Portales, business has increased to such an extent that the present building is found to be entirely too small.

This addition will give more room and provide for a much better display of the merchandise carried.

Floyd Wins in District Judging Contest at Texico, on Nov. 22nd

No Championship Game for State

The Portales Rams will not be recorded as the state champions of the football season, but will be classed as one of the three teams that were undefeated by a New Mexico team.

Albuquerque states that they are done with the football season and that they are not going to put the boys thru any extra strain, basketball season started and no post season for football scheduled. Las Cruces, also another team undefeated, lays claims to the championship of New Mexico.

The Roswell Institute offered their grounds for the post season game to be played on.

Near Two Hundred Attend Annual Banquet Chamber of Commerce

On Tuesday night of this week, the Portales Chamber of Commerce held their annual banquet at the club rooms, for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the coming year.

A. D. Ribble, president of the Chamber of Commerce, presided as toast master.

Coe Howard was in charge of the musical program.

After the invocation by Rev. C. A. Lorts, the meeting was opened by a quartette by Sam B. Fletcher, T. B. Sowell, H. A. Hunter and Coach Brown.

This was well received by the audience, who called for an encore.

Following was a duet by Misses Mabel Morrison and Naoma McCarty. This also called for an encore.

During the musical program Miss Lola Mae Freeman presided at the piano.

After the banquet J. H. Lee, treasurer, gave the financial report of the C. of C.

Ed J. Neer, chairman of the road committee, gave a review of the first road built between Portales and Clovis and Portales, and compared this road with the present good road connecting these points.

Era Watts also gave a short talk on the road situation.

Minor Huffman, Boy Scout Executive for Eastern New Mexico Area, made a short talk on roads and the importance of the Boy Scout movement.

Ralph R. Will, chairman of the agricultural committee, gave a report on the activities of his committee, and referred to the splendid co-operation between the rural communities and the Chamber of Commerce.

R. A. Young gave a talk on the Poultry Show, which will be held in Portales on the 15-16-17th of January. He stated that the poultry industry ranked 4th in the great industries of the nation.

At this time ballots for the directors were made out and gathered up.

While awaiting the counting of the ballots, Coe Howard, chairman of the entertainment committee, rose to say that the announcement that this was the regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was a disappointment to him, as he was under the impression that the entertainment was given in honor of his and Mrs. Howard's wedding anniversary, which was on this date.

Arthur F. Jones (Farmer Jones) gave a review of the four years' work since the organization of the Portales Chamber of Commerce. He stated that while much had been accomplished in that time that at the present time there was a greater need of the Chamber of Commerce than there had ever been in the past.

Sherman Bracken spoke on the broadcasting station for Portales. (Continued on Page Six)

Stool Department Store to Occupy Harris Building

Mr. Stool, owner and manager of the Stool Department Store, advised the News that he has leased the building occupied by C. V. Harris for the past 25 years.

This building is being completely remodeled inside and outside. A new modern front is being put in, new ceiling and a new floor, new modern lighting equipment is being installed.

In other words, Mr. Stool says that this store will be one of the best equipped stores to be found anywhere in the country.

Mr. Stool has purchased the remainder of the C. V. Harris stock and has moved it temporarily to his own store, where he will continue selling it out.

It is good news to the people of Roosevelt county that Mr. Stool is going to remain in Portales. He expects to occupy the Harris building around the first of January.

The News did not carry the story of this contest last week, as authentic figures on the contest were not available.

The following story appeared in the State Line Tribune of November 27th:

Agricultural judging teams from Floyd, New Mexico, took four first places out of five in the Eastern New Mexico Judging Contest which was held at Texico at the Texico school last Saturday. A team from Rogers, New Mexico, took the other first place.

Floyd teams won the livestock, dairy and grain judging contests and the Future Farmer's oratory contest, and Rogers took the poultry judging cup back with them. A resume of the four judging contests is given below.

Grain Judging

Floyd took first in this contest which included classes of corn, grain sorghums, and other local grains. The high point for this contest was Elmer Coffee, an alternate who judged for Texico, who scored a total of 215 points. The individual team standings with points scored are as follows:

Floyd	595
Melrose	588
Portales	580
Elida	570
Fort Sumner	560
Rogers	555
Texico	550

Livestock Judging

The scores were especially high in this contest, taking a flying start in the livestock contest and took a strong lead. Rogers was second and Texico third. Both leaders maintained their place by comparatively wide margins. The team scores and standings appear below:

Floyd	1123
Rogers	1106
Texico	1052
Portales	1010
Fort Sumner	1004
Melrose	1003
Elida	267

Dairy Judging Contest

The dairy judging division was a new division in the contest this year, and a new cup was presented to the winners. Floyd took a big lead over its nearest opponent by scoring over one hundred points more than its nearest competitor. The team scores and their respective standings were as follows:

Floyd	913
Rogers	799
Texico	783
Fort Sumner	750
Portales	746
Alton Miller, of Floyd, was high man of the contest, and scored 313 points.	

Poultry Judging Contest

The poultry judging contest was the only contest that Floyd lost, and Rogers, another one of the strongest schools at the meet, took the contest with a comfortable margin. Team scores were as follows:

Rogers	11030
Floyd	10869
Elida	10813
Texico	10785
Portales	10594
Fort Sumner	10472
Melrose	10130

TEXICO WINNERS

Although no Texico team captured more than a third place in the contest, Texico individuals stood among the leaders of the meet. Elmer Coffee was high man in the grain judging contest, and Elgie Caywood, of the same team, was fourth. Coffee was an alternate. In the livestock judging contest, Texico boys took second on hogs, third on horses fifth on sheep, third on Jersey calves and Loe Blair took fourth in hogs and cattle. The team took third place in the contest. Texico tied for first place on the class of Jersey heifers in the dairy judging contests, took second on the holsteins, third on young Jersey cows and Wilburn Williams stood sixth in the contest. Chester Parks was seventh. Hassler Strickland was second high man and placed his team in the winners of the poultry judging contest. He took first on barred rocks, and the Texico (Continued on Page Six)

Report From Mrs. C. E. Ball

Dr. N. F. Wollard has received a letter from Dr. C. W. Flynn of the Dallas Medical and Surgical Clinic where Mrs. C. E. Ball is receiving treatment. The letter was written last Saturday and extracts from the same are thus: "Mrs. C. E. Ball is now suffering from a severe neuritis involving both legs. We have made a very careful study to determine whether or not her neuritis has any organic basis in the cord, but these studies have all been entirely negative so we are of the opinion that the condition is due to malnutrition, a severe secondary anemia and a functional neurosis. This combination is very hard to combat but we are doing all we can to help Mrs. Ball and feel that ultimately she will get well, but it is going to be a long drawn out convalescence."

A letter from Rev. Ball written Monday says Mrs. Ball's feet and legs to her thighs had been put in a plaster cast, hoping to thus give the nerve a complete rest.

FOOT BALL SCORE FOR THE SEASON

Following is the score of the football games played by the Portales team for the past season:

Date	Portales	Opponents	Points
Sept. 19, Melrose at Portales	53	0	
Oct. 5, Hereford at Hereford	0	7	
Oct. 10, Ranchville at Portales	35	0	
Oct. 17, Melrose at Melrose	38	0	
Oct. 24, Roswell at Portales	13	0	
Oct. 31, Ft. Sumner at Ft. Sumner	7	0	
Nov. 7, Artesia at Artesia	13	0	
Nov. 21, Tucumcari at Portales	32	0	
Nov. 27, Clovis at Clovis	19	6	

ONLY 20 DAYS until Christmas

J. G. GREAVES, Editor and Owner
Published Weekly on Thursday

DEMOCRATIC IN POLITICS

Portales Valley News bought Portales Herald-Times, September 12, 1916.
Portales Valley News Consolidated with Portales Journal, December 14, 1920.
Portales Herald-Consolidated with Portales Times, March 27, 1913.
Roosevelt County Herald absorbed by purchase January, 1929.
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OUR PLATFORM

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Better roads and Highways for Roosevelt County.
A greater Agricultural and Dairying development for Roosevelt County.
The Building of the Eastern New Mexico Normal School.
A greater advertising of the scenic and other resources of New Mexico.

GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP

True sportsmanship was displayed at the foot ball game at Clovis on last Thursday.
With around 3,000 fans present the large crowd was orderly, and the boys put up a real fight for the championship.
Portales won, but Clovis also won, in that they displayed good sportsmanship in losing the game.
There has been considerable rivalry between Clovis and Portales schools for many years, but as long as this rivalry is along the lines of true sportsmanship, it bespeaks better schools and better sports for both towns.
The Clovis boys put up a real fight, but were outplayed and out-classed by the Portales boys.

COURT HOUSE SITUATION

Time has slipped by until it will be impossible to call an election for the court house problem at the January justice of the peace election. To call a special election will cost the tax payers of the county at least \$3,000.
At this time there are a number who are advocating the remodeling of the court house and the building of additional wings to take care of the county's business.
The News is opposed to any remodeling.
The remodeling will cost almost as much as a new court house and you would still have an old building.
Roosevelt county needs a new court house, and the cheapest way would be to rebuild.
Many farmers have approached The News, as favoring a new court house, but not one has expressed himself as favoring the remodeling.
If Roosevelt county develops within the next ten years as it has in the past, the remodeled building would be found inadequate to handle the business.
Why not build a building that will take care of the county needs for many years to come?

BUY IT IN PORTALES

At this time the town is flooded with agents selling hosiery and other articles of merchandise.
These agents pay nothing to the churches of Portales.
They pay not one cent in taxes.
They contribute nothing to the Chamber of Commerce.
They take money out of the community, which never returns.
The Portales merchants all have splendid stocks of worth while merchandise, and they are here to back up their goods.
They sell as cheap as can be bought anywhere, quality considered.
Do you not think it a wise move to patronize the home merchants in preference to the traveling agents or to going to neighboring towns to do your shopping?
It has been called to the attention of the News that many Portales people go out of town to buy their merchandise, and buy the same articles that are carried in Portales, oftentimes paying more than the same goods can be bought at here.
To build a town, home loyalty must be encouraged.
Buy at home and keep Portales money in Portales, and you will have a better town, more money to operate the schools, more money for public improvements, more money with which to build churches.
The Portales merchants do not ask that you pay more for the home merchandise, but they do ask that they be given an equal chance with the outside merchants.
Think it over, read the ads of the home merchants, buy at home and show that you are 100 per cent for your town.

CHRISTMAS SPIRIT

Christmas is almost here.
To display the true Christmas spirit is to make some one happy on Christmas morning.
In Portales this year, are a number of children who will have a very light Christmas.
To make these children happy, will bring joy to everyone who has a part in it.
The News trusts that everyone will unite to see that there is not an empty stocking in Portales on Christmas morning.

Build a Home NOW

You will probably never have an opportunity to build a home as cheaply as at the present time.

Let us help you with your plans and specifications. They will appeal to you.

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Phone 25 — — Portales, N. M.

Bickley Is Not Sure Tobacco Tax Is Defeated

Santa Fe, Dec. 1.—While 45,769 votes were cast against the tobacco tax law submitted to the people by referendum and only 9,847 were cast for the law, the state election canvassing board, early this afternoon was not satisfied the law had been defeated.
Chief Justice Howard L. Bickley requested time to study the question before he decided whether to sign the certificate setting forth the result.
Governor R. C. Dillon and Mrs. E. A. Perrault, secretary of state, the other members of the canvassing board had already signed the election certificate.

The fate of the tobacco tax hinges upon the legal interpretation of the forty per cent provision of the constitutional requirement for vote on submitted issues.
Judge Bickley wanted to deter-

mine whether the constitution means, that the total vote cast for or against a submitted issue must be forty per cent of the total vote cast in the election or whether the vote cast against an issue must be forty per cent of the total vote.

The story is told of an efficiency engineer who was hired by the president of a corporation to tell him what was wrong with his organization. The business doctor told him what was wrong and the president not only fired him but sued him for libel.

"What did you like best in England?"
"Oh, that quaint old custom of going to the dogs."
"You mean riding to hounds, don't you?"

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THE NEW CHEVROLET SIX

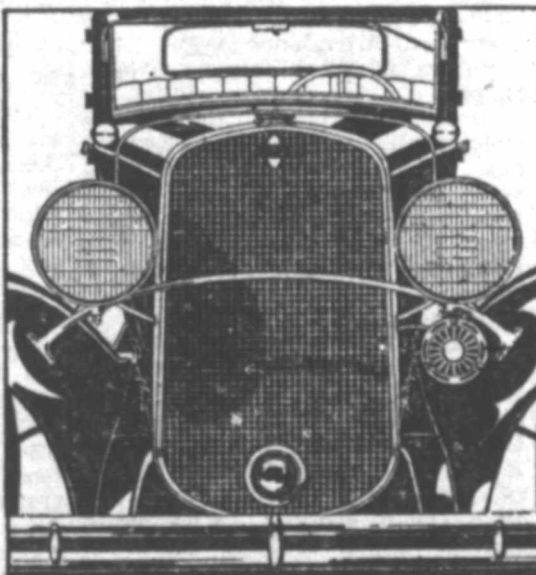
*Strikingly beautiful, fleet and smart
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In the entire field of modern coachcraft no symbol has come to mean more to the buyer of a motor car than *Body by Fisher*. And never has Fisher's superiority been more strikingly exemplified than in the beautiful new bodies of the Bigger and Better Chevrolet Six!

Working with the added advantage of a lengthened wheelbase, Fisher designers have been able to achieve in the new Chevrolet a degree of smartness, comfort and impressiveness hitherto considered exclusive to cars far higher in price.

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using the season's suggestions as decorations. At bridge, Mrs. Kirby held the highest score, and received the gift of the afternoon. The players included Mrs. H. C. Wausen, Mrs. L. S. Kirby, Mrs. J. D. Marlow and the hostess.

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the honorees and their guests. Candles in silver holders and a center bouquet of chrysanthemums were the table decorations. At seven o'clock the friends were invited into the dining room for the dinner which was served in three courses. After dinner the evening was devoted to bridge. Mrs. Smith is a nurse and is caring for a very sick patient, therefore was unable to spend the evening with her friends in celebration of her birthday. At bridge Miss Glyde Holmes and Cloris Green held the two highest scores. Those engaged in the bridge contest were Misses Kate McManaway, Lucile Rowley, Bernice Hayes, Glyde Holmes, Messrs. Oakley Green, Alfred Powell, Amos Oakley and E. B. Sidall.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Greaves were host and hostess last Friday evening at a post Thanksgiving dinner, in their home on State street.

Instead of the large turkey which usually graces the Thanksgiving table, Mr. and Mrs. Greaves were able to serve venison, thus turning the thoughts of the evening more directly to those Puritan feasts when the wild animals and birds furnished the meat for the occasion. The hostess was assisted by her daughter, Miss Elizabeth, in the preparation of the dinner which has been declared most splendid. Pretty yellow mums were used as a center piece for the dining table.

After dinner the friends spent the remainder of the evening hours in conversation. The guests were Judge and Mrs. T. E. Mears, Dr. and Mrs. E. T. Hensley, Rev. and Mrs. R. F. Davis.

Mr. F. A. Stewart entertained a group of friends at a Thanksgiving dinner on Thursday, Nov. 27, during the noon hour.

The long table was well laden with all the good things to eat which are found upon a Thanksgiving table. Also the spirit of thankfulness filled every one present for each guest felt at this time he and she had so many blessings for which to give thanks to the Heavenly Father.

Those present to enjoy the happy day together included close friends and neighbors. They were, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Height and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Neuman and children, Frank Bohn and his two children, Ertion and Leatrice.

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placed two quilt blocks for by L. N. Berry, head of the Poultry Department of State College. Mrs. Jones.

The next meeting will be held Friday, Dec. 12th, with Mrs. Bacon.

SPECIAL ASSEMBLY

Tomorrow, Friday, December 5th, at 10:30, a special assembly will be held in the high school auditorium to which the public is cordially invited. At this time Miss LaVerne Burrough will give a musical recital. This young lady is a graduate of the Portales high school and while here was a very popular musician, and after completing her school work here she went to college at Goshen, Indiana, and while there studied piano under the direction of Mrs. J. Howard Brown, an instructor of recognized ability. Miss LaVerne is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Burrough of the Red Lake community, one of the pioneer residents of Roosevelt county, and is therefore a home girl of whom the county may well be proud.

FRED SMITH, JR.

The ten year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith of the Arch community passed away last week after an illness of a few days and was buried on Saturday in the cemetery at Inez. Only a very quiet and simple service was held at these private burial services.

ILA RAE LOBBAN

On Monday evening of this week little Ila Rae Lobban died at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivey, in their home near the Christian church. The child had been ill for only a few days and the condition was not considered serious, but Sunday she was taken worse and passed away Monday.

The body was taken to Clovis by the Johnson Brothers and interment was made in the Clovis cemetery Tuesday, December 2nd.

State Poultry Association to Hold Annual Meet

The annual meeting of the New Mexico State Poultry Association will open at Roswell Friday evening, December 12, at 6:30, with a banquet held at the Christian Church annex (opposite the post office) and will close at 4 p. m. the following day. The Roswell group is sparing no pains to put on a real program for the visiting poultrymen. Not only are the local poultrymen behind the movement, but the Chamber of Commerce and business men are doing their best to make this meeting one of profit and pleasure to those attending. The program at the banquet will be one of the most important events of the entire session. While the main theme will be along educational lines, there will be enough of music and humor to add to the pleasure of the occasion.

Saturday morning will be devoted to the business session. There are a number of matters to come up that are of importance to all poultrymen in the state. The program Saturday afternoon will be entirely educational. Gordon Wicks, hatcheryman of Clovis, will discuss the importance of health and vitality in the breeding flock for producing hatching eggs. "Brooding baby chicks and growing them to maturity" will be handled

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SOCIETY and Club

FAMILY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Brown and children of Clovis and Mr. and Mrs. Ed J. Neer gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Neer on Friday evening for the family Thanksgiving dinner.

The evening was spent most informally and very happily with conversation and radio after the delicious dinner Mrs. Neer had prepared.

EASTERN STAR MEETING

On Thursday evening, Dec. 11, the Eastern Star will convene in the chapter room of the Masonic hall at 7 o'clock instead of the regular hour of 7:30. This early hour was granted that all business of the evening might be given consideration before the hour grew late for closing of the ceremonies and later the annual election of officers will be held. All members are urged to be present at this election and assist in the selection of a corps of workers who will carry forward the work of the chapter in the most desirable manner. They are also asked to bear in mind the arrangement for the early opening hour.

W. M. U. MEETING

The Baptist Woman's Missionary Union met on Monday of this week at the home of Mrs. T. E. Mears, Mrs. O. S. Strickland, the president of the organization, had arranged an entertaining afternoon session. Mrs. F. P. Prater was in charge of the devotional services and took for her lesson a scripture passage suitable for the lesson study which was later conducted by Mrs. Chumbley.

The book which has been studied, The Plan of Salvation, for the past several weeks is nearing completion and the leader had prepared some extra thoughts to be introduced in connection with the presentation.

These meetings are being well attended and the number present at the Monday meeting was most satisfactory.

Refreshments were served during the social hour.

ACE HI BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Bud Fisher entertained the members of the Ace Hi Bridge Club last Friday at her home in the Whitcomb apartment.

Mrs. Fisher had prepared an attractive lunch for the occasion

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SOCIAL ANNEX

BY THE BOSS

Will Robinson of the Carlsbad Cavern and Paul Dodge of the Tucuman News both take dirty digs at Portales sweet potatoes. Robinson says he prefers sweet potatoes and that Portales only produces yams. Dodge says that he prefers yams and Portales only produces sweet potatoes. Now these two dyspeptics had better spend a few weeks at Hot Springs and get their tasters in better shape, and they will be able to shed their grousches on life.

The Dinner Party.

Folks, we have to break in and cover society, as the society editor failed to get the high points in these social affairs.

On Wednesday before Thanksgiving, we were invited to a dinner party at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Hensley. This was covered in the society columns last week, but there were many things that this department feels should be given. The first thing that happened after we assembled at the Hensley home was to draw tickets for dinner partners, and these numbers all drew some other man's wife.

Wat Stewart looked daggers at us as we drove off with his wife in the car, but lo and behold, on looking to the rear of the car, it was found that the Missus and her partner had parked themselves for a ride.

The dinner was served at the Chamber of Commerce building, and after the dinner was served, all were required to tell what they were thankful for.

Rev. Lortz spoke up and said that he was thankful that he did not have to eat by his wife, as she always objected to his eating peas with his knife.

G. W. Carr parked himself on the other side of our dinner partner and tried to monopolize all of the conversation.

Rev. Howard Rogers of Clovis was a guest and called for a vote. At all we all accept an invitation to take dinner with Dr. and Mrs. Hensley a year from this date. Motion was duly seconded and carried.

It looks like Mrs. Hensley is in for the job of feeding the same hungry bunch again, and if that is the case, there will be a decided rise in the turkey market. No casualties were reported, but if Judge Mears did not gain ten pounds in weight, then looks were deceptive.

W. H. Catt stated that his wife did all the talking for the family, whereby Mrs. Catt replied that if she quit eating he always sent for a dictator, and is she quit talking that he would send for the undertaker.

After the dinner, Wat Stewart told us to beat it, that he was going to take his wife home.

We Men Must Stand Together. Since the women have been given equal right with men, they have encroached on our rights till it has become necessary that the men organize in self protection.

On last Tuesday evening the "We Men Must Stand Together Club" was organized with W. B. Oldham as president and J. G. Greaves as treasurer.

One of the main objects of this club is to see that the women folks get up in the morning and build the fires.

Ever since the Declaration of Independence was signed, the women have held that it was the duty of the down-trodden men to build the fires of a cold morning.

Now folks—we mean men folks—you can see how unreasonable this is.

Just think of turning back the covers on a frosty morning and hitting the floor with bare feet. It is enough to make the worm turn.

All members of this club will be required to see that their wives do the fire building through the winter months.

Membership fee will be \$50.00 for the five winter months, which is exceedingly cheap.

Judge T. E. Mears was solicited to become a charter member, and stated that if he could get up the proper courage that he would do so.

Ray Bonner refused to take out a membership, as he is perfectly willing to build the fires if he ever has an opportunity.

Era Watts refused to take out a membership, as he has not built a fire in ten years.

T. B. Sowell says that he will join if he is made corresponding secretary.

H. A. Hunter says that he heartily indorses the movement and that he will take out a membership.

A number of local citizens have expressed a desire to join if it can be kept a secret from their wives.

Club.

An aged woman recently approached Judge Ike Hughes as follows:

"Are you de judge of reprobates?"

"The judge smiled and answered: 'I am the judge of probates.'"

"Maybe that's it," said the woman. "Well, you see my husband died detested and left five little infidels and I want to get myself appointed as their executioner."

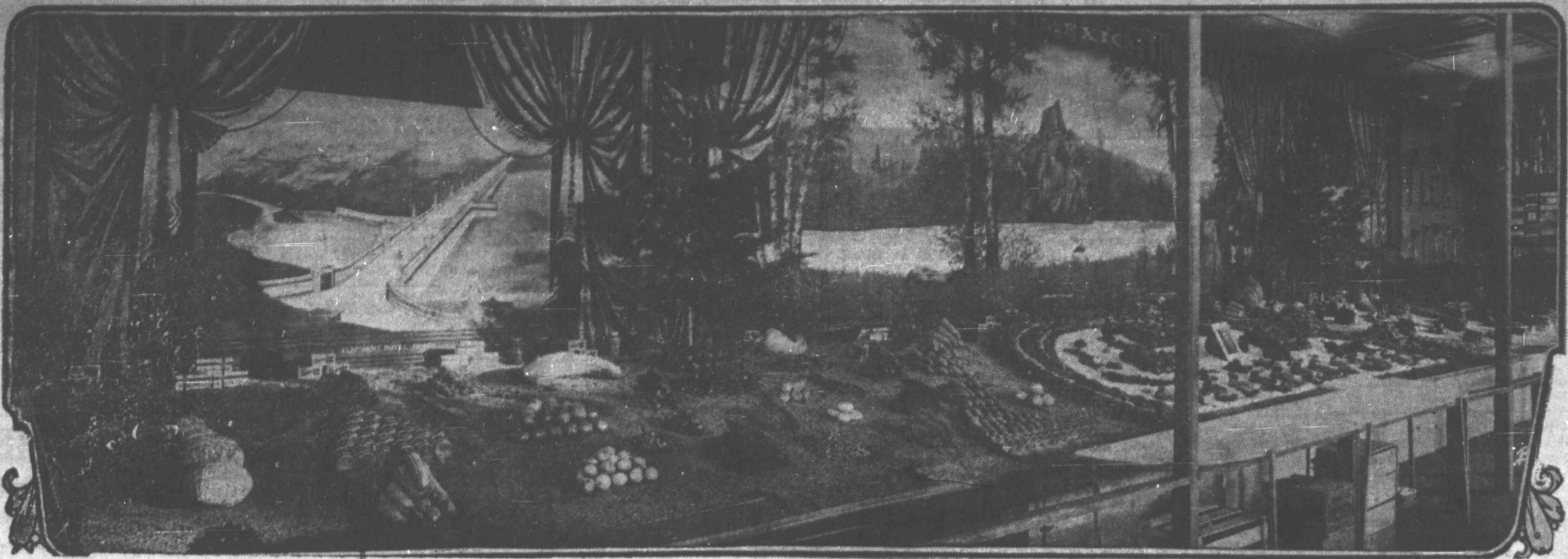
Morning after Thanksgiving found many larders depleted. At the editor's home, were found only three small slices of bacon for breakfast.

The editor could not stand to hear the children crying for something to eat, so got up early, ate his breakfast and went to work before the other members of the family arose from their slumbers.

Money in Turkey.

Last spring the missus decided to make some Christmas money, so bought a number of turkey hens and a gentleman turkey. These

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were placed on the farm to be raised on halves.

In a few weeks a local produce house brought the bill to the "Boss" for \$20.00 which was paid.

The turkeys have been marketed, and brought something over \$11.00. The missus says that they were her turkeys and that this check is hers.

Wonder where the "boss" comes in on the deal, and how he is to figure it on his income report?

Locals and Personals

Mrs. Sam Mercetfelder and daughter arrived in Portales for Thanksgiving and will remain for a several day visit with her father, Dr. J. S. Pearce, and sisters, Mrs. Sidney Stone and Mrs. L. C. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Ballow, Jr., of Carlsbad and Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Bouldin with their daughter Betty Joyce, were in Portales for Thanksgiving dinner with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ballow.

J. A. Kimmons, one of the influential and prominent citizens of the Kenna territory, spent Tuesday in town looking after business in connection with the Kenna school interests and calling upon friends. Mr. Kimmons was one of the early merchants of his home town and is highly revered for his acts of consideration during the early days of pioneering.

Misses Mary Frances Miller and Vera Fry came down from Amarillo Friday evening and visited over the week end with Miss Iris Ribble. The young ladies were college friends at Canyon, Texas.

Rev. and Mrs. Joe F. Grizzle were in Portales Tuesday attending the all day session of the Portales Baptist Association. Miss Norabelle accompanied her parents and spent the greater portion of the time visiting with her many girl friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Es Taylor and their small daughter were in the county seat Monday from their home in the Kentucky Valley community. While here they had a short call at the News office.

Miss Eva and Jessie Ingalls are leaving soon to enter the A. & M. College for the last semester's work. They have been visiting for the past several days in the home of their sister, Mrs. W. H. Seefield.

From all late reports received from Rev. C. E. Ball, the condition of Mrs. Ball has not greatly improved since she has been taken to Dallas for treatment. They are hoping a blood transfusion, given this week, will give her vitality enough to soon be showing some improvement.

W. N. Peck, a newspaper man of Osawatomie, Kansas, was in Portales on business this week. Mr. Peck owns land near Portales.

Jones Brown Smith, Truman Green, Clark Foster and Arthur Woodburn, Jr., all students in the Texas Tech at Lubbock, came to Portales to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with their families.

A nine and one-half pound boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Hill at their home in Portales this week. Mr. Hill is salesman for the Portales Motor Co.

J. J. Phillips came over from Morton, Texas, and visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Smith on Saturday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Stool have moved from the Simmons property on Main street to the house recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Castle on Nevada street. Mr. and Mrs. Castle have sold their restaurant in Portales and returned to their former home city of Dallas, Texas.

Mrs. E. N. Smith drove up to Clovis Friday and enjoyed the day with friends.

Miss Jewel Phillips, one of the teachers in the Morton, Texas, school, came to Portales Thanksgiving morning and spent the vacation week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Smith.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many kind friends and neighbors for their assistance during the illness and death of our dear mother and grandmother. We are also most appreciative of pretty floral offerings.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Poindexter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Best.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. King.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Harrison and family.

Miss Anna Mae Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Riggs.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Harrison and family.

r. and Mrs. T. B. Harrison and family.

G. W. Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Johnson and family.

W. V. Mills.

Mrs. Icie Tucker.

UNIVERSAL BIBLE SUNDAY

SANTA FE, Dec. 1.—Governor R. C. Dillon urges the observance next Sunday, December 7, of Universal Bible Sunday in the churches throughout New Mexico. The American Bible Society, an organization which issues annually over eleven million copies of Bibles, Testaments, and portions, in close to two hundred languages, has been sponsoring Universal Bible Sunday over a period of years.

Thousands of churches throughout the United States as well as many Christian churches abroad join in this movement which was conceived and is promoted to emphasize the essential position which the Bible occupies in the spiritual life of men and women.

In endorsing Universal Bible Sunday Governor Dillon says: "I assure you I approve most heartily of Universal Bible Sunday. I do not believe that the great Book can be read too much."

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The above is a photograph of the agricultural exhibit of New Mexico shown at the State Fair at Dallas. The products were assembled and arranged by Mr. and Mrs. Cos Howard and Carl Turner of Portales, N. M. The background is a painting of the Elephant Butte Dam, the Gallinas River and the pueblo of the Taos Indians near Taos. The painting was done by Ted Mellon and Malcolm Trout of Portales.

Features of the exhibit are the various agricultural products of the state, specimens of minerals, spruce, fir and pinon trees and lumber products. Corn, grain sorghums, small grains, vegetables, fruits, potatoes, forage crops and on the board. A rainbow, with the pots of gold, was represented in the center of the platform, all made from vegetables and fruit.

The State A. & M. College, the Chambers of Commerce of Clovis, Portales, El Pavorin, Las Vegas, Roswell, Farmington, Fort Sumner, Alamogordo, Lincoln and Las Cruces and the State of New Mexico, through Governor R. C. Dillon, made the exhibit possible by contributing cash or products.

Howard is an enthusiastic booster of his state, as well as Turner. Both have for many years been carrying the agricultural exhibits to various fairs and exhibitions over the Southwest.

The state is developing very rapidly at this time, Howard said. The section immediately around Portales has at this time 360 irrigation projects, cheap natural gas and electric power for pumping water is attracting many farmers, who are finding it profitable to irrigate in that section.

To the extreme right in the above cut is the agricultural exhibit of Lea county, New Mexico. It was assembled by E. M. Lover of Lovington, featuring both dry land farming and irrigation. The small grains and corn shown were grown on dry farms, while the potatoes, fruits and vegetables were irrigated from shallow wells. Lover

says there are over 400,000 acres of rich land in the immediate vicinity of Lovington that can be irrigated from wells ranging in depths from 20 to 50 feet.

His community is at this time planning to start a big demonstration farm near the city of Lovington, to show best methods of shallow well irrigation. The Texas and Pacific and the Southern Union Gas Company are co-operating with the Chamber of Commerce of Lovington in the project, Lover said.

FLOYD

John Russell and Laura Hall

The boys' and girls' basketball teams met Hollene Friday night on the Clovis court. Both teams were victorious. Mr. Ray J. Lofton is the coach again this year and we are looking forward to lots of victories under his coaching.

The senior play, "Cyclone Sally," will be presented Dec. 19.

Coach Lofton failed to get a game with Melrose but there is a game scheduled for Jan. 10 with Rogers.

School will be dismissed Friday evening, Dec. 19. In the afternoon there will be a program by the grades and a school Christmas tree.

Mrs. Rice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Gordon, and children spent Thanksgiving vacation in Floyd.

Mr. Don C. Foster and ten boys from his Ag. class left Tuesday morning for Las Cruces where they will enter in the contest.

Miss Inez Medlock spent Sunday with her parents in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Terrell spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will McBride at Horney Brothers' ranch.

Mrs. Jessie Thedford spent the day Sunday in Clovis.

Mr. Melvin Hall spent the week

end with his parents at Floyd. Mr. Hall has been attending school at Tlaban for the past two years.

The Thanksgiving dinner at Floyd was a great success. Quite a crowd was present and lots of dinner was served. The grades presented a very nice program which was enjoyed by all.

Heretofore we have been only doing shoe repairing, but now we have in our shop a nice line of

Boots and Shoes

We have some real values . . . Priced from \$2.95 up.

Christmas Gifts

Ladies' Leather Purses . . . Men's Purses . . . Gloves . . . Billfolds . . . Belts . . . Leather goods make an Ideal Gift.

SKINNER'S SHOE SHOP

"THE LEATHER STORE"



Opening of TOYLAND

A World of Toys For Girls and Boys

We have just received our Christmas goods and have them displayed so your children will enjoy going thru our Toyland.

Toys to please every child's taste—for the baby brother and the kid sister. They'll be tickled with the enormous assortment in our Toyland. Be sure to bring them in. Prices cheaper than heretofore.

Varney's Variety Store

Portales, New Mexico

Let Us Replace Your Old Tires with

Firestone

TIRES — TUBES — BATTERIES

The Life of Your Car



—Depends on the care that you give it. See that your car is greased and drained regularly. That's the life of your car.

WASHING AND GREASING

Orange Service Station

"SERVICE WITH A SMILE"

INEZ

Quite a crowd attended the surprise fruit supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Fletcher last Thursday night and all report a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Givens, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Tollett, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Adams, Ella Bea Tollett and Bill Musick attended the football game at Clovis last Thursday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Wagner spent Sunday visiting in the J. E. Tollett home.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Vincent moved their house to a new location last Saturday.

Mrs. Chas. Adams visited Mrs. J. B. Graham Tuesday.

Rev. Theo Cox and sister, Miss Wilma, spent Tuesday afternoon visiting in the J. B. Graham and B. B. Greathouse homes and took supper with the J. E. Tollett family.

Walter Lockley spent Friday night with Leo Terril in the John Musick home.

W. D. and Frank Greathouse returned Friday night from California, leaving their sister recovering rapidly from her recent illness.

Mrs. Tomlinson is spending a few days this week with her mother, Mrs. Westbrook.

Ella Bea Tollett, George Day, Guy and Luther Musick were dinner guests in the John Musick home Sunday.

Several of the Inez people attended the high school carnival at Roswell Saturday night.

Ray Mullins, who has rented the Carter place for the coming year, has been listing, preparing for the next year's crop.

A good attendance at Sunday School. The special feature on the worship program, a talk by Mrs. Chas. Nance on "Faith and Works," was greatly appreciated by every one.

The Dora B. Y. P. U. gave a very interesting and beneficial program to a full house last Sunday night. We appreciate their coming and extend them a cordial invitation to come again.

CAUSEY NEWS

Well, turkey day is passed. We are wondering if we did give real thanks for the many blessings that the great King has given us. No, I fear not.

Some of the Causey people went to Midway Friday night to the spelling bee and heard them do some good spelling.

Finis Carder lined up and was doing fine until the teacher, Crockett Stone, gave him a few jaw breakers and choked him, but with a little help from Bill Foster and others they got him to his seat, and what I mean he stayed there.

A light shower passed over this country Friday night.

Causey school had a Thanksgiving dinner. Not many parents were present. We are proud of Mr. Jones as principal as well as the other teachers.

Lee Marsh is hauling feed to Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Marsh are the proud owners of a new car—er—er—oh! a new Ford truck.

Jim Caviness and others went to Elida the other day and while there they bought a hair-cut. The barber charged them 40c each. Caviness said, "Aren't you a little high?" The barber replied, "Oh, no, we charge all wooden heads extra." So that was all.

Clarence Puffer, who is teaching at Morton, Texas, visited home folks Thanksgiving.

Bob Stone from Canyon, Texas, visited home folks at Midway on Thanksgiving.

Yes, it is a sure thing Causey will soon have three stores. W. D. Hudson will join in with a third store. We have the Red and White Store and the 4 x 4 Service Store, and we suspect the third store will be the United Store or the Tripple. Anyhow, Causey is climbing up the ladder.

We have a good location for a blacksmith and general workman.

We understand A. A. Killian is having some sport hunting coyotes, having caught quite a number.

MILNESAND

The Milnesand school turned out for Thanksgiving, but will start again the following Monday.

The Sunday School and B. Y. P. U. are coming along nicely.

The Ralston children and the two Pate boys took dinner with the Easter children last Sunday, also Mr. and Mrs. Wilson were visitors in the home.

Mrs. Slick Easter had her tonsils removed last Saturday a week ago, but is recovering nicely.

The Bluit "rip-snotin'" teams motored to Milnesand on Wednesday before Thanksgiving to play basket ball with the Milnesand teams. The Milnesand girls won with a score of 33 to 7, while the Bluit boys won with a score of 6 to 4. We hope the "rip-snotin'" teams learn how to play ball before we play them again.

There was a nice crowd out to see the games and some real hollering was put out by the crowd. Grand-dad Deavones has been the sick list but is coming along fine now.

The cows on J. C. Easter's ranch were vaccinated today and the cowboys I am sure had a nice time.

Mrs. Verla Green and Mrs. Madie Lee Gerry spent Thanksgiving with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ralston.

Uncle Hams Howard has been visiting his sister, Mrs. T. E. Davis and family.

Mrs. I. L. Bonn stayed with her daughter, Mrs. Slick Easter, last week.

The cowboys had a Thanksgiving dinner at the chuck wagon. They had roast guinea, baked potatoes, nut cake, etc.

BETHEL

Prayer meeting Wednesday night Dec. 3 at the home of R. L. Little. We will announce the meeting for Dec. 10th at their home. We are revising the list as some have moved away.

J. R. Moorhead of Texas visited his brother Leslie and wife Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Turnbaugh have moved to a place south of Portales.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones are now occupying the place recently vacated by Mr. Turnbaugh.

John Adams spent Saturday with Isaac Little.

The friends of Mrs. Rhea are congratulating her on her recent marriage to Mr. Marquess, formerly of Arkansas.

Miss Mary Bobo and Mildred Bilderback spent Saturday in the Little home.

We are glad to see Robert Little out again.

A fine new girl has come to play with Flo Redburn. She made her arrival Tuesday, Nov. 25. A list of names is requested sent to Mr. and Mrs. Harve Redburn. Mother and babe are doing finely.

Everybody reports a fine time Thursday at Floyd. They had a fine program and a bounteous dinner. The Floyd ladies can't be beat for hospitality.

ROEBUCK

The weather still continues nice for the time of year. The farmers will soon have their crops harvested.

Mr. Steve Corbin did a little threshing in our community last week, with his combine.

Threshing will not be a big job this year as crops are so short.

Several from our community went to Causey school last Thursday and report a nice time. The school rendered a nice program in the evening.

Those that were there at the noon hour said they had a real dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Merrick, Grandma Merrick, Mrs. Lillian Richardson and Mrs. Missap went to Lamesa, Texas, last Friday to spend the week end with relatives.

Marie Merrick spent the week end with Miss Georgina Richardson at Goodland, Texas. Buel Harding and family, who live at Bethany, Okla., lost all they had in the cyclone that swept through the town the 19th. A part of the foundation of their house was all they had left. His wife was hurt so badly she was in the hospital several days, but the Doctor said

there were no broken bones. The baby had a gash cut in her forehead. Buel and the oldest child were not hurt.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Harding visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Everett Sunday evening. Mr. Everett is quite a bit better than he has been for some time.

Mr. Fred Smith and family spent last week with friends and relatives. They have our heartfelt sympathy in the loss of dear little Owen. We know he is in the arms of Jesus so we should not grieve, as those who have no hope, but try to live so we will be prepared to meet our Savior in peace when our time on earth is ended.

RICHLAND

(Delayed)

Richland school dismissed last Thursday and Friday for Thanksgiving vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ming and Mr. Davis attended the Methodist church in Portales Sunday.

On Wednesday night of last week, Ruby Fortenberry was a guest of Ariel Page.

Mr. D. H. James has returned from the hospital at Roswell where he was operated on for appendicitis. He is recovering.

Singing was not so well attended Sunday night on account of the bad weather. There will be singing here next Sunday night. Everyone is invited.

The Woods instrumental quartet

tet gave a concert here Thursday night.

Mr. Will Bates preached here last Sunday morning and every one present enjoyed the sermon.

Mary Bell, Edith and Lola Flat were visitors in the Locke home Sunday.

Mr. Davis, our English and Spanish teacher, was absent from school Tuesday on account of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stroud were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Broyles Sunday.

The sixth and seventh grades of Mrs. Ming's room entertained in assembly Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Swafford and family spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Martin.

Messrs. J. O. and C. J. Creighton returned from their hunting trip in the mountains last Thursday. They were unfortunate in killing no game.

Mrs. Watt Stewart, Mrs. Malcolm Hall and Dorothy Hall, and Keith Hall drove to Amarillo, Texas, Saturday where the ladies attended to some business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Steiner were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Bailey at a post Thanksgiving dinner on Friday evening.

Leola Hayes, Cornelia Hunter, Helen Compton, Byron Perry and Bob Sloan were among the W. T. S. T. C. students coming to Portales to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with their respective families.

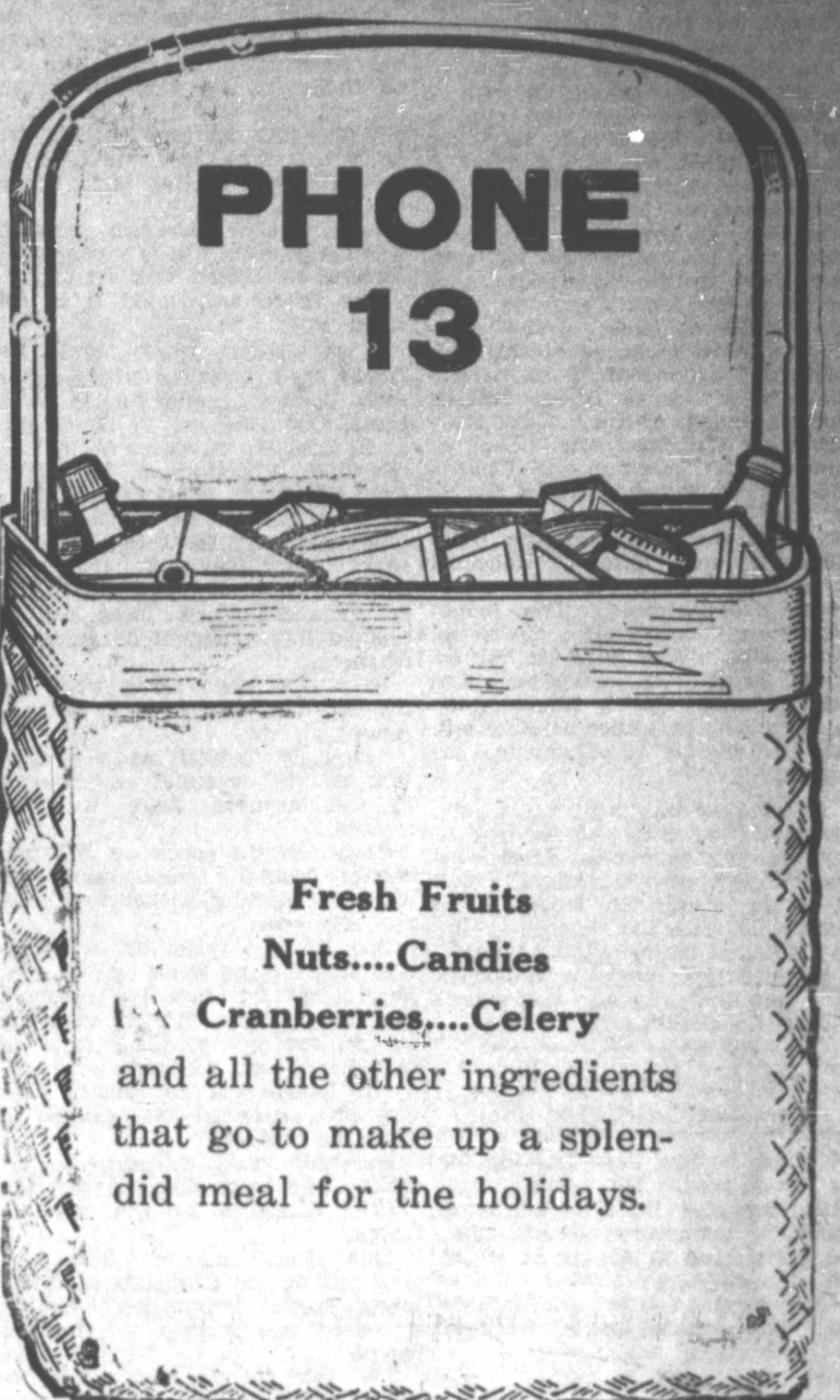
CHRISTMAS

Gifts

That Will
PLEASE
EVERYBODY

Hughes' Confectionary

Your Grocery Basket



Fresh Fruits
Nuts....Candies

Cranberries....Celery
and all the other ingredients
that go to make up a splendid meal for the holidays.

Our meat shop is complete, everything you want at a price reasonable.

J. N. McCall

"Fresh Oysters Every Day"

Stool's Dept. Store

Special Notice

We wish to announce that we purchased the remainder of the C. V. Harris stock and moved it to Stool's Department Store where we are continuing selling it out. There is plenty of bargains left, so don't be late. Come, we will help you find the bargains.

Removal Sale

Prices Slashed to almost a pre-war level because we have got to move not later than December 25th. In addition to our Removal Sale we purchased the remainder of the C. V. Harris stock and will sell it out cheap.

A Personal Message

to all my customers and friends. I wish to state to the public of Roosevelt county that on or about January 1st we are going to be in business in the location formerly occupied by C. V. Harris. The building we are to occupy is being reconditioned, and you can look for the opening of a most up-to-house to be found anywhere in the country.

Jersey Gloves

10c

Good 240 denim Overalls

88c

Men's allwool Dress Pants

2.79

Men's Extra Heavy Union Suits

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Ladies' Coats, Dresses and Men's and Boys' Suits 25 to 40 per ct off

\$16.50 to \$19.50 New Fall Dresses

9.88

\$10.85 to \$12.85 Dresses

7.88

Men's Extra Heavy 2-piece Underwear each garment

55c

Any Ladies' Hat in stock values to \$5.00

1.97

Any Child Hat

79c

Men's Flannel Shirts

95c

\$25.00 Men's Suits

17.85

\$22.50 Men's Suits

14.85

\$18.50 Men's Suits

12.85

Boys' part wool Lumber jacks

94c

Star Brand Scout Shoes

1.75

Sheep Lined Coats

4.39 &

4.98

Men's Work Shirts

38c

Outing Flannel

8c

Floyd Wins...

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team took first on the same class, and Buckland took third on Black and Red and on eggs.

All visitors agreed that the contest this year was an improvement of nearly a hundred per cent over the one last year. The contest was better conducted and boys over the area seemed to take more interest in it. One hundred and seven boys actually judged in the contest where the contest last year had only seventy-three boys entered in it. Young attributes the success of the contest to the Future Farmers who have finished their vocational work and who supervised the contest, and to the experience and work of the judges and the other men who officiated. The older boys who took charge of the contest and conducted it to perfection were: James Oliver Martin, superintendent of the contest; Robert Lee Williams, who acted as master of ceremonies; Chester Berry, who was in charge of the livestock division; Craig Williams, in charge of the dairy division; and Averill Johnson, who took charge of the grain judging department. The judges were from Texas Tech and also did good work. They were Dr. Harbo, E. H. Bowers, Mr. Middleton and Mr. Giddings. B. H. Hopkins, instructor of agriculture at Hereford, was in charge of tabulating the results.

A banquet was held after the contests were over and the speaking contest was held afterwards and winners were announced. Mrs. C. J. Doose and the Texico Home Economics class took charge of the banquet and fed over 130 people. Farwell took part in the contest, but the judging was done merely for practice.

C. of C. Banquet...

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on which he had been working for the past year. He stated that while he had been broadcasting under a temporary permit, that the town stood in danger of losing the broadcasting station unless there was some effort to convince the Radio Commission of the need of this station.

Rev. Kirshville spoke of the importance of such a station.

Rev. C. A. Loris spoke of his four years in Portales, just the life time of the Chamber of Commerce. He said that the Portales Chamber of Commerce was the very best in the State.

Paul Eminger brought to the attention of the body the need of the United Charities, as there was much need in the community at this time.

T. E. Mears made a short but interesting talk, telling the story of a jury trial of a fight in Arkansas.

where the jury returned a verdict. "We the jury find that we would have given a hundred dollars to have seen the fight."

At this time Secretary T. B. Sowell called upon President A. D. Ribble for a short talk.

Mr. Ribble spoke of the prospective work for the coming year, mentioning the opening of the Eastern New Mexico Normal school, the securing of a road into the oil fields on the south, the making of the Clovis Highway a straight line 28 foot grade, and other activities that would occupy the attention of this body during the coming year.

At this time the announcement was made of the new board of directors, as elected this evening.

The board as elected is as follows:

J. B. Sledge, R. R. Will, Add Hobbs, J. G. Greaves, Otto Kaptina, Ray Bonner, Lewis Little, E. C. Luna, Coe Howard, F. D. Golden, J. H. Lee, G. W. Carr, C. V. Harris, R. L. Yochum, J. N. McCall, Ezra Watts, C. M. Compton, Ed J. Neer, F. E. Sleeper, Wallace King.

Secretary T. B. Sowell made a short talk, pledging that the Chamber of Commerce would keep on a sound financial basis, and explained the system of handling the finances.

Next the place cards were distributed and many were returned signed.

Floyd D. Golden made a short talk on the splendid co-operation by the business men with the schools.

Coch Brown spoke on the successful football season, and predicted a winning basket ball team for this year.

Coe Howard spoke on the Amarillo trip for the Band on the 11th and called for cars to transport the band boys. Fifteen cars are needed for the purpose, and ten cars have been pledged.

Mr. Nelson of the Nelson Jewelry Co., expressed his pleasure in being in Portales.

Marshal Bond announced that \$25.00 had been donated for the United Charities by the Masonic Lodge.

This closed one of the best meetings of the Chamber of Commerce, and it is predicted that an increased membership will be the result.

The splendid banquet was served by the ladies of the Christian Church.

ANOTHER BIRTHDAY

Mrs. W. K. Judevine gave a dinner party at the Judevine home last Monday evening as a compliment to her husband who was that day celebrating his birthday.

A lovely meal was prepared for the occasion and the table was arranged in attractive manner, thus giving a festive air to the celebration.

Mr. Judevine came to Portales about three years ago and during his short stay here has won many friends who were wishing for him, last Monday, many years of continued happiness in his adopted town.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Ribble were invited to share the pleasures of the evening with Mr. and Mrs. Judevine as well as enjoy the very excellent dinner which was served at seven o'clock.

Special—the Christian Ladies will have a Bazaar and Pantry Sale Dec. 6, Neer's Furniture.

JAMES EDWARD BOYLES

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Boyles was unable to conquer the ill of his system and last Friday passed away at the family home in Portales. The funeral was held at the cemetery with the members of the family and friends present.

The little fellow was known most intimately as Jim Ed and was a very bright, attractive child and during the short years had made the home very happy. He was born here in Portales May 24, 1926. Ed J. Neer was in charge of the interment ceremonies.

QUARTERLY CONFERENCE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

The local Baptist church was hostess to the members of the denomination on Tuesday of this week when the Baptist W. M. U. of the Portales Association convened in this city for the quarterly meeting.

The morning was devoted to the program given by the workers' council and was opened at 10:00 a. m. with devotional services led by John E. Evans. The next hour's time was given over to R. C. King and H. B. Strickland. Rev. King discussed "God's Preservation of the Christian" while Rev. Strickland explained the manner of the "Christian's Perseverance of Himself."

Rev. J. F. Nix, former pastor of the Portales church, but now with the Clovis church, delivered the morning sermon.

At the noon hour a dinner was served in the annex of the church and here more than a hundred persons enjoyed the excellent meal prepared by the ladies of the local congregation.

The first two hours of the afternoon were occupied by the women with their outlined program. The devotional services were led by Mrs. C. B. Myers of Melrose. The interesting features of the afternoon were the addresses made by Miss Charlotte Burnett, the W. M. U. Secretary for this state, and Miss Leachman. This was Miss Burnett's first visit to Portales and she was very earnest in the plans she wished carried out.

for the year 1931. Miss Emma Leachman, field worker of the Home Mission Board, from Atlanta, Georgia, has been in the denominational work for a number of years and is fully conversant with the needs of the mission work of the state. She was very emphatic with her desires for a greater interest in the state work for the

coming year. Clovis members gave a special musical number which was highly appreciated. The last hour of the afternoon was given over to a joint business session. The delegates included Baptists from a majority of the churches of the association.

Beginning with the new year there will be an all day meeting of the W. M. U. and the Workers' Council on the first Tuesday in time.

each month. The next gathering will be January 6th and the Clovis church has invited the organizations to be its guests at that time.

Turkey's

The market for your Christmas Turkeys is open and we are paying the highest market price for them.



We are still having an increased demand for turkeys and can use all that you can bring us.

Robertson Produce

S. V. CISELL, Owner

Rabbits in good shape, 85c doz.



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A Useful Gift for the Home

Warm Plaid Blankets Full Size Pretty Comforters

100% virgin wool plaid blankets, size 66x80, in a variety of handsome block designs—gold taupe, blue, rose, etc. Blankets that give warmth without weight. Silkoline comforters, many charming designs and colors. Three rows of parallel stitching. Just the thing for the cold season now.

7.65

4.75

United Dry Goods Stores, Inc.

Watch For Our Christmas Opening

Notice to Odd Fellows & Rebekahs

All Odd Fellows and families and Rebekahs are urged to attend the annual get-together meeting at the hall Tuesday night, Dec. 9th.

A feed of goose and the trimmings—a good program.

BE THERE!

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Giving to our friends and customers a safe depository for their money as well as supplying adequate funds for successfully carrying on the business of our community.

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its schedule for the week beginning Dec. 8

MONDAY & TUESDAY

Maurice Chevalier

in

Play Boy of Paris

A sensational love story played by the greatest set of actors in filmdom

A Special Benefit of the Portales Womans Club

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY

Dancing Sweeties

with

Grant Withers & Sue Carol

A public dance hall, a two-room apartment, old sweethearts, new in-laws. These were the obstacles in the life of this very average young couple. Their courtship, marriage and domestic trials told an intensely human picture full of human drama and human comedy!

FRIDAY & SATURDAY

Hoot Gibson

in

SPUR

Another of the famous Western Cowboys pictures that portrays the Old West.

Be Sure and Visit

TOYTOWN

At

GAMBILL'S

Old Santa Claus has sent us many new gifts to delight the good little boys and girls. So bring Mother and Dad and visit our store. Toys now on display.



Dolls

Thousands of them including the wonderful Happy Gift Dolls

10c to \$6.95



Toy Drums

And many other musical instruments to delight the youngsters

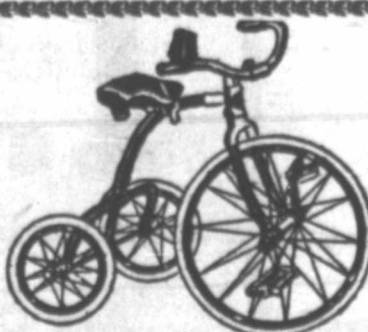
10c, 15c, 25c, 49c



Tool Chests

Sturdy wood chests filled with tools of every description

98c to \$1.49



Velocipedes

All sizes, some with ball-bearing wheels

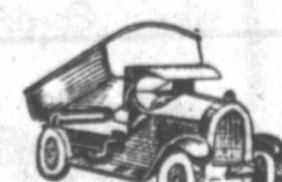
\$2.98 to \$12.50



Toy Furniture

Tables, Chairs, Beds, in fact everything in this line

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Iron Toys

Hundreds of sturdy iron toys

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The above are a few of the many thousands of items that we have. Also Gifts for the Grown-ups

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Portales, New Mexico

Letters to Santa Claus

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl eight years old. I would like to have a big doll with hair. If you can't bring me that, will be proud of anything. Don't forget nuts, fruit and candy. I live 2 1-2 miles east of Portales.
Hazel Johns.

Kenna, N. M., Nov. 29, 1930.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am in the fourth grade, and making good grades. For Christmas, I want a real baby doll with a sweater and cap on.
Yours truly,
Mary Louise Crosby.

Portales, N. M.,
P. O. Box 776, Nov. 28, 1930.
Dear Santa Claus:
How are you this year?
I have been anxious for you to come. I want a blackboard and a cowboy suit and a story book, and nuts and candy and a bicycle.
One of your friends,
Rex Don Hudson.
And my Val Jean wants a bicycle, too.

Portales, N. M.,
P. O. Box 776, Nov. 28, 1930.
Dear Santa Claus:
I want a train and a cowboy suit, and airplane, and nuts and candy.
One of your friends,
Morris Emerson Hudson.

Dear Santa:
I am a little boy nine years old. I go to school and want you to please bring me a little wagon and car and a football and air gun, also candy and nuts.
Junior Lauson,
Rogers, N. M.

Dear Santa:
I am a little girl four years old and I want you to please bring me a mamma doll and bed and piano and dresser and stove. Also fruit, candy and nuts.
Mama says I have been a good little girl and I help her keep house, so don't disappoint me.
Marie Reeves,
Rogers, N. M.

Dear Santa:
Please bring me a boy's moving picture set and a twenty-two. I am 11 years old and I am in the 4th grade. My teacher is Miss Marcus and I like her.
Yours truly,
Bob Crosby,
407 W. 5th St., Roswell, N. M.

Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a baby doll and some close for it. I am six years old. I go to Washington Avenue school. I am in the first grade. My teacher is Miss Sage.
Truly yours,
Virginia Crosby,
407 W. 5th St., Roswell, N. M.

J. J. Turner has been in Portales during the past week inspecting the paving which has just been completed in Portales. Mr. Turner was the engineer representing the city when the paving program was begun for the last several blocks which is now finished.

Miss Vivian Westfall, a teacher in the Roswell schools and her father, C. C. Westfall of Borger came to Portales and spent the Thanksgiving holiday with Mrs. Westfall and the other members of the family. Each left for their places of employment Sunday afternoon.

"I'm going to buy myself a harem."
"What do you mean? You can't buy a harem, can you?"
"Sure. I just saw a sign at a gas station that said, 'Six gals. for one dollar.'"

Wife: "James, I feel faint. I can't take a long breath."
Hubby (the brute): "Take two short ones."

The man who had been held up by bandits was very bitter about it. "For a moment," he said, "my heart leaped for joy. I thought they said, 'Your money or your wife.'"

Be sure to attend the Bazaar and Fantasy Sale Dec. 6, Neer's Furniture.

AT THE CHURCH OF CHRIST
W. A. Kirchville, Minister
Work in all departments of the church continues to advance.

With our lots paid for, we plan in the near future to build the first unit of our church building, which will meet our needs for a while and later serve as a foundation for a real building which when completed will not be out of line with our fast growing little city.

Take your parcels to the Parcels Post Station at the Masonic Building from Dec. 17th to Dec. 24th.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our appreciation to the many friends who were so kind and considerate of us during the death and burial of our dear little boy. Such kindness in time of great sorrow is always sweet memories.
W. R. BOYLES and Family.

BIBLE CLASS MEETS

The Ladies' Bible Class of the Church of Christ met last Tuesday in the home of Mrs. C. C. Westfall. There were twenty-three members present and since the attendance has grown to the extent of taxing the capacity of the homes of the members, the ladies have decided to hold the meetings in the church at all future times. The meetings are held on Tuesday of each week and the study of the lesson is begun very shortly after one o'clock, after the study of the Bible the remainder of the time is devoted to industrial work. Last week the ladies quilted one quilt. They are making plans for a Christmas to the children of the city who would probably not have a Christmas at home. The lesson next Tuesday will be taken from the sixth chapter of Matthew. The ladies will quilt for any one wishing work of that kind done.

SORE GUMS—PYORRHEA
Poul breath, loose teeth or sore Gums are disgusting to behold, all will agree. LETO'S PYORRHEA REMEDY is highly recommended by leading dentists and never disappoints. Druggists return money if it fails.—Portales Drug Co.

To Late to Classify
FOR SALE—Good alfalfa hay, 70c per bale, \$22.50 per ton. Lewis A. Little. 6-2tp

Legal Advertisement

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT
No. 376.
In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico.
In the Matter of the Estate of Alvis B. Smith, deceased.
To Georgiana Smith, E. D. Smith, Howard Smith, Maud Brown, Lucy Cheney, Erin Johnson, Birt Smith, Claud Smith, Ola Quinn, Daisy Osborne, Opal Savely, Ruby Savely and to whom it may concern: You and each of you are hereby notified that Ulysses Smith, administrator of the estate of Alvis B. Smith, deceased, has filed his final account, report and petition for discharge, as such, and the court has appointed January 26th, 1931, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m., as the day and hour for hearing objections, if any, to the approval of said final account and report and the discharge of said administrator, and at the same time, said court will proceed to determine the heirship of decedent, the ownership of said estate, the interest of each respective claimant therein and thereto, and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof. T. E. Mears, whose business and postoffice address is Portales, N. M., is attorney for said administrator.
Witness my hand and seal of said court, this Dec. 2nd, 1930.
(SEAL)
JOHN W. BALLOW,
dec. 4-25ms — County Clerk.

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

The State of New Mexico to the defendant, A. V. Clark, Greetings: You, said defendant, are notified that a suit has been filed against you in the District Court of Roosevelt County, N. M., by Ruth Clark, plaintiff, being No. 2695 on the civil docket of said court; the objects of which are to secure a decree of complete divorce from defendant and for the permanent custody of their minor child. Defendant is further notified that unless he enters his appearance in said cause on or by January 26th, 1931, judgment will be rendered against him by default.

Attend the Benefit Picture Show, auspices Woman's Club
December 8 & 9

fault, and the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in her complaint. T. E. Mears, whose business and postoffice address is Portales, N. M., is attorney for plaintiff.
Given under my hand and seal of said court this Dec. 2nd, 1930.
JOHN W. BALLOW,
dec. 4-25ms — County Clerk.

THE GIFT SUPREME

A Clarion Radio

Make your entire family happy with a Clarion Radio—a gift that they will all enjoy the year around.

We also have a complete line of Christmas Gifts for your approval.

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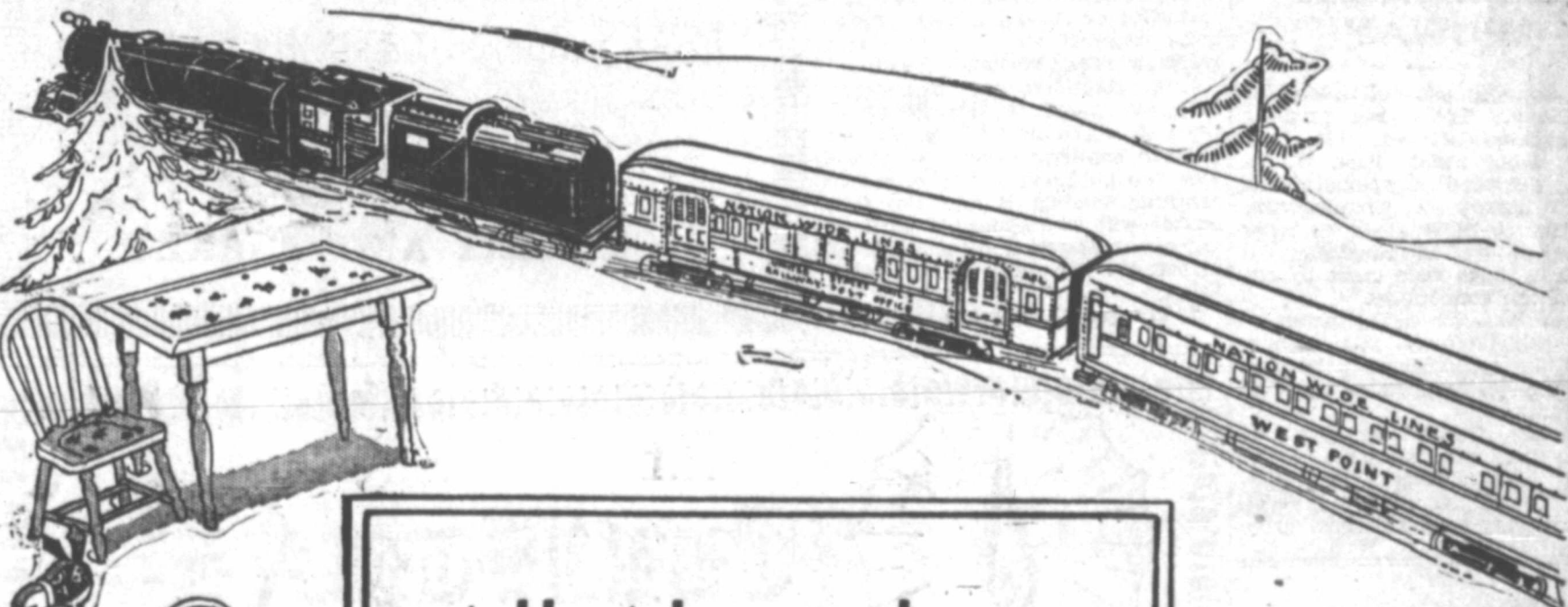
A bargain in every car. Come in and look them over. Here is your chance to get many miles free transportation.

1929 Model A Ford, 3 window Sedan	\$425.00
1929 Model A Ford Tudor	\$375.00
1929 Model A Ford Coupe	\$365.00
1929 Model A Ford Roadster	\$250.00
1929 Model A Ford Truck	\$350.00
1930 Chevrolet Coach	\$425.00
1930 Chevrolet Coupe, good as new	\$550.00

Several other cars and trucks at a Bargain

Universal Motor Company

Washing, Greasing and Storage



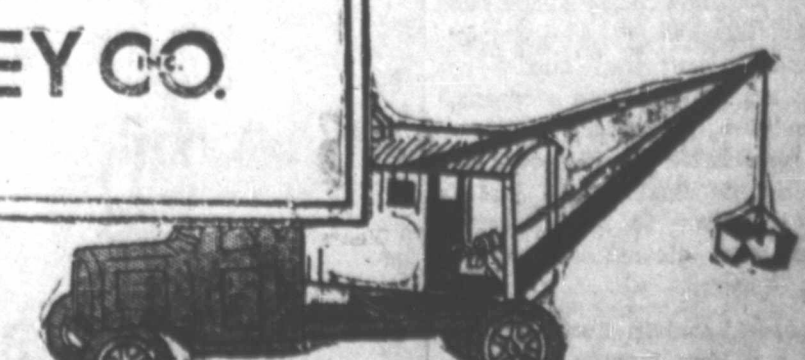
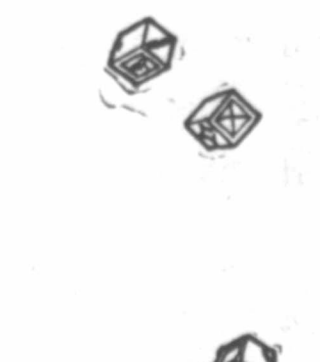
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You'll enjoy every minute of your visit

You won't need a bit of luggage for this visit... because TOYLAND is just as far as it is from your house to the J. C. Penney store!

You'll meet all the dolls, and what a good time you'll have examining their dishes and furniture, their autos and all the wonderful playthings they have to show you! Quickly, now! Get aboard the "Toyland Limited" and see everything for yourself! Bring Mother with you... she'll have a good time, too, and you can show her the things you'd like to have for yourself!

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See our stock of High Grade Diamonds, Watches, Rings, Leather Goods, Fountain Pens, Beads, Bracelets and a general line of Jewelry.

Special Prices until Dec. 15th.

A small deposit will hold your Purchase until Christmas.

J. R. Nelson

Jeweler

City Drug Co., Portales & Fifth, and Main St., Clovis.

DORA NEWS

Sparks
The girls' and boys' first team met in the skating rink gym Wednesday night, Nov. 26. At the end of a close game the girls' score was 14-14, so they played the tie off and at the end of five minutes the scores were 15-15 in favor of Dora. The boys' score was 9-16 in favor of Dora.

The boys' first and second teams will play Elida on Elida's court Friday night, Dec. 5th.

The girls' and boys' first and second teams met Causey on Rogers gym Friday night, Nov. 21. Dora was victorious in all the games and we all wish to congratulate Causey on their good sportsmanship.

Community Notes
Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Morrison and daughter Lucy and nephew Milton from O'Donnell, visited relatives here Thanksgiving.

Miss Lorine Gibson spent Sunday with Miss Elzada Wilmoth. School turned out for Thursday evening for Thanksgiving. Several from here attended the football game between Clovis and Portales at Clovis. They reported a very nice time.

Misses Elsie Parnell, Helen Baker, Josephine Goodloe, Ethel Radcliff, and Mr. Harold Radcliff spent Friday visiting school. We enjoyed having them with us very much.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Nichols and son Lavern have been visiting in Oklahoma City the past week.

The B. Y. P. U. of Dora took a program to Inez Sunday night.

We Wonder Why—
Lottie knew his algebra lesson Monday morning?

Halley was so blue Sunday?

Jessie was so happy over a letter Friday?

Lavelle had such a good time Sunday?

Lots wanted to go to Portales so badly Friday night?

Craig smiles at Ruth so much?

Luna Mae didn't see "Uncle Tom's Cabin" Friday night?

Noel felt so happy Sunday?

Bas at some of the Home Ec girls' cooking Monday?

Frances wasn't at home Sunday?

J. C. didn't come to school Friday?

Miss Hodges enjoyed the football game so much?

Gaines' car went south Sunday?

MIDWAY

Thanksgiving was well celebrated at Midway. The grade program was rendered between ten and eleven, after which Prof. J. W. Sloane delivered a splendid talk on the history of Thanksgiving. Then Rev. J. D. Wagoner preached a sermon on Thanksgiving. A number of talks were made by citizens of the community.

Dinner was served at noon. The athletic part was enjoyed during the remainder of the day. The school teams defeated the outside teams.

The Rice Quartet arrived too late for the main exercises of the day but they delivered an interesting concert Thanksgiving night. The literary and old-time spel-

Konjola Amazes

Houston Man

"Konjola Is The Greatest Medicine I Ever Used," Says Houston Man, Age 80.



MR. H. R. BARTLETT

"I was in failing health for five years," said Mr. H. R. Bartlett, 4312 San Jacinto street, Houston. "I felt tired and worn out all the time. I suffered with rheumatism in my hands and fingers. The joints were stiff and sore, and, at my age, I thought there was no medicine to help me for I had tried many."

"Konjola gave me a welcome surprise. I should have taken it much sooner. My strength has returned and I feel much better in every way. Rheumatism in my hands and the stiffness in my fingers has passed. Konjola is the greatest medicine I ever used and I am glad to recommend it to everyone."

Even though Konjola has won many remarkable victories over ailments of the aged, it can just as readily be given to infants for it is free from alcohol or harmful drugs.

Konjola is sold in Portales, Texas, at the New Mexico Drug Co., and by all the best druggists in all towns throughout this entire section.

ing match was highly enjoyed Friday night. The auditorium was just about full of good spellers, and those that were not so good. Hyder Carder was given credit for being the champion speller.

The next literary will be two weeks from last Friday night. It was decided that at this time the Midway school should spell the Midway outsiders, exclusively; but everyone is invited to attend. It was decided, furthermore, that some spelling would be done in the old Blue Back Speller at this time.

Mrs. Harner, son and daughter, Ray and Winnie, visited friends in Roswell on Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Clifton and family moved from the Wilkes place to the J. B. Judah place in the Causey community.

Mrs. Tollie D. Gray of Littlefield, Texas, spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James W. Silvers.

Alonso Stone, who is attending school at Portales, and Bob Stone, who is attending school at the West Texas State Teachers College at Canyon, Texas, spent Thanksgiving with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stone.

Miss Jewel Vick, former teacher of Midway attended singing Sunday night.

Quite a few people from the Causey community attended our literary Friday night.

SUBSCRIBERS SHOULD PAY OR IT IS JUST TOO BAD

The following is a synopsis of a ruling of the United States supreme court in important cases regarding newspaper subscriptions:

1. Subscribers who do not give express notice to the contrary are considered as wishing to renew their subscriptions.

2. If subscribers order the discontinuance of their periodicals, the publisher may continue to send them until arrears are paid.

3. If subscribers neglect or refuse to take their periodicals from the postoffice to which they are directed, they are responsible until after they have settled their bills and ordered the paper discontinued.

4. If subscribers move to other places without informing the publisher and the papers are sent to the former address, subscribers are held responsible.

5. The courts have held that refusing to take periodicals from the postoffice or removing and leaving them uncollected, is prima facie evidence of intentional fraud.

6. If subscribers pay in advance they are bound to give notice at the end of the time if they do not wish to continue taking it; otherwise the publisher is authorized to continue sending it and the subscriber will be responsible until an express notice with payment of all arrears are sent to the publisher.

7. The postal laws are such that

a newspaper publisher can arrest anyone for fraud who takes the paper and refuses to pay for it. Under the law the man who allows the postmaster to mark it "refused," and have a card sent notifying the publisher, leaves himself liable to arrest and fine, the same as for theft.

"Here is the place George Washington threw a dollar across the river," said an American to an Englishman to whom he was showing the sights along the Potomac.

"After all," said the Englishman, "there was nothing so remarkable about that. You see, a dollar went much further in those days than it would now."

"That may be so," admitted the American, "but George Washington did a greater stunt than throwing a dollar across the Potomac."

"Is that so?"
"Yes, he once chucked a sovereign across the Atlantic Ocean."

HE TOOK NO CHANCE, BUT—

He brushed his teeth twice a day with a nationally advertised toothpaste.

The doctor examined him twice a year.

He slept with the windows open.

He stuck to a diet with plenty of fresh vegetables.

He relinquished his tonsils and traded in several worn-out glands.

He played golf—but never more than 18 holes at a time.

He got at least eight hours' sleep. He never smoked, drank or lost his temper.

He did his daily dozen daily. He was all set to live to be a hundred.

The funeral will be held next

WE CARRY A COMPLETE LINE OF HARDWARE

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Pure Pork Sausage, per lb. 16c
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CHRISTMAS --

Christmas, the greatest holiday of the great American home, is only in spirit, in other words, your Christmas is only what you make it.

Lighting your home, your office, your business, and your town adds more to the spirit of Christmas than any other thing you might do.

Don't be another "Scrooge," and let Christmas pass you by without doing everything possible to create a spirit of happiness. Your home, your office and your business should be well lighted.

New Mexico Utilities Company

F. E. SLEEPER, Mgr. Portales, N. M.

Wednesday. He is survived by eighteen specialists, four health institutes, six gymnasia and numerous manufacturers of health foods and antiseptics.

He had forgotten about trains at grade crossings.—Exchange.

Children Like This Safe Prescription

Coughs and Sore Throat Believed Almost Instantly.

Stop children's coughs and sore throats before these ailments lead to dangerous ills. Use Thoxine, a doctor's famous prescription which brings relief within 15 minutes, yet contains no harmful drugs.

Thoxine works on a different principle. It has a quick, double action—it relieves the irritation and goes direct to the internal cause. Ideal for children because it is pleasant tasting and easy to take—not a gargle. Ask for Thoxine, put up ready for use in 35c, 60c, and \$1.00 bottles. If you are not satisfied your money will be refunded. Sold by New Mexico Drug Co.

Legal Advertisements NOTICE OF SUIT

STATE OF NEW MEXICO to J. W. Thompson impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: The said J. W. Thompson, Pearl Thompson, John Thompson, Friona State Bank, Sam Faver, Sam Faver, Sam Favors, Alvin Sparks, Otto White, A. J. Sparks, Lola Sparks, Vance Blanchard, William R. Blanchard, Mary W. Blanchard, J. M. Radford Grocery Co., a corporation; Joe Allen, Gladys Allen, Robert L. Allen, Carrie Belle Allen, Bell Allen, Eva Mae Allen, Rena Dee Allen, Clarence Allen, Goldia Lee Allen, Jocie B. Allen, Mamie Allen, J. G. Henderson, G. D. Owens, W. H. Allen, if any of the above named persons be dead the unknown heirs of said deceased person or persons; and the unknown claimants of interests in the premises adverse to the plaintiff, GREETINGS:

You and each of you will take notice that suit has been filed in the District Court of Roosevelt County, State of New Mexico, within the Ninth Judicial District numbered 2682 on the civil docket of said court wherein Roy G. Barton is plaintiff and you are defendants; that the general objects are that plaintiffs fee simple title and estate in and to the northeast quarter of Section 20 and the north half of Section 21, and the northwest quarter of Section 22 in Township 7 South of Range 37 East of the New Mexico Meridian, New Mexico; the southwest quarter of Section 27 and Southeast quarter of Section 28 in Township 8 South of Range 34, East, New Mexico Meridian, New Mexico; the east half of the southeast quarter and southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of Section 27 and northeast quarter and the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of Section 34 in Township 7 South of Range 32 East of the New Mexico Meridian, New Mexico; the northeast quarter of Section 18 in Township 8 South of Range 34 East of New Mexico Meridian, New Mexico, be established against any and all adverse claims by you or either of you and that you and each of you be barred and forever estopped from having or claiming any lien upon or any right or title to said premises adverse to plaintiff and that his title therein and thereto be forever set at rest. Unless you enter appearance herein and plead on or before the 2nd day of January, 1931, judgment will be entered in said cause by default.

James A. Hall is attorney for plaintiff and his business address is 216 Barry Building, Clovis, New Mexico.

Witness my hand and the seal of our District Court at Portales, Roosevelt County, this 14th day of November, 1930.

(SEAL) JOHN W. BALLOW, Clerk of the District Court.

Nov. 20-Dec. 11—Hall.

NOTICE OF SUIT

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO J. M. Wiseman, otherwise known as J. M. Weisman, being one and the same person impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: the said J. M. Wiseman, otherwise known as J. M. Weisman, being one and the same person; Bettie W. Wiseman; M. P. Wiseman, otherwise known as M. P. Weisman, being one and the same person; Illinois Valley Trust Company of Georgia, Illinois, a corporation; C. L. Douglas and the unknown heirs of any deceased person and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to the plaintiff—GREETING:

You, the said defendants, are hereby notified that a suit has been commenced against you in the District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, wherein J. J. Cutler is plaintiff and you are defendants and numbered 2690 on the civil docket of said court.

The general nature and object of said suit is to procure a judgment of said Court finding and declaring the plaintiff to be the owner in fee simple of the following described land, to-wit:

The south 17 acres of the SE¼ of the SW¼ of Section 30 in Twp. 1 South of Range 35 East N. M. P. M., located and situated in Roosevelt County, N. M.

and to obtain a decree of the Court establishing the title to said land in the plaintiff and quieting the title of plaintiff in and to the above described land and to forever bar and estop the defend-

ants and each of them and any one claiming by, under or through them or any of them from having or claiming any lien upon or right in or title to or interest in and to said land adverse to the estate of the plaintiff therein.

You are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 22nd day of January, 1931, judgment by default will be rendered against you and plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in his complaint.

J. C. Compton, Jr., of Portales, N. M., is attorney for plaintiff.

Nov. 27-Dec. 18—C. M. C.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given, that whereas, in Cause No. 2655, in the District Court of Roosevelt County, N. M., on Sept. 6th, 1930, judgment was rendered in favor of G. W. Carr, plaintiff, against Mary A. Sanderfer and J. S. Sanderfer, defendants, for the sum of \$278.92, with six per cent per annum interest from date of judgment until paid, with all costs of said action, amounting to date of sale hereinafter fixed to the sum of \$293.58, besides costs, and same being a foreclosure of a materialman's lien against defendants, upon and against Lots 17 and 18 in Block 5 in East Portales, an addition to the City of Portales, New Mexico, with the improvements thereon and ordering the sale of said lots and property for the purpose of paying said indebtedness, with costs, and ordering the undersigned as Special Master to sell said lands and property for said purpose, after advertisement thereof, as provided by law; now, by virtue of the premises aforesaid, I, J. V. Mauk, will at the hour of ten o'clock on Dec. 16th, 1930, at the NE front door of the court house in the City of Portales, N. M., at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, sell said property for the purposes aforesaid. Dated this Nov. 19th, 1930.

J. V. MAUK, Special Master.

Nov. 20-Dec. 11—MS.

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

The State of New Mexico to the defendants, Frank H. Wharton, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: said Frank H. Wharton, C. A. Wharton, J. M. Hickey, Mrs. J. M. Hickey, L. P. King, Mrs. L. P. King, Edward T. Murphy, and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to the plaintiff, Greeting: You said defendants are hereby notified that a suit has been commenced against you in the District Court of Roosevelt County, N. M., by Horace R. Cowart, plaintiff, against you said defendants, being No. 2681 on the civil docket of said court; the nature and objects of which are to obtain a decree of said court; quieting the title of plaintiff in and to the SE¼ of Sec. 1 in Twp. 2 S. R. 31 East, N. M. P. M. in Roosevelt County, N. M., against you said defendants, and to forever bar and estop defendants and each of them, and anyone claiming by, under or through them from having or claiming any right, title, interest, claim, or lien, in, to, or upon said lands and premises adverse to the estate of plaintiff therein and to quiet, establish and set at rest plaintiff's title thereto. Defendants are also notified that unless they enter their appearance in said cause on or by Jan. 5th, 1931, judgment will be rendered against them by default and the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in his complaint. T. E. Means, whose P. O. Address is Portales, N. M., is attorney for plaintiff.

Given under my hand and seal of said court this Nov. 17th, 1930.

JOHN W. BALLOW, County Clerk.

Nov. 13-Dec. 4—Means.

ADMINISTRATRIX' NOTICE

No. 512

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, N. M.

In the matter of the estate of A. M. Mize, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 22nd day of October, 1930, duly appointed administratrix of the estate of A. M. Mize, deceased, by the Probate having duly qualified as such, therefore all persons having claims against said estate of said deceased, are hereby notified and required to present same to the undersigned within the time within the manner prescribed by law. Dated this Nov. 10th, 1930.

T. C. MIZE, Administratrix.

Nov. 13-Dec. 4—Means.

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

The State of New Mexico to the defendant, James E. Greer, Greeting: You the said defendant are notified that a suit has been filed against you in the District Court of Roosevelt County, N. M., by the plaintiff, Fern Greer, being No. 2685 on the civil docket of said court; the objects of which are to secure a decree of complete divorce from the defendant and a decree for the custody of their minor child. Defendant is further notified that unless he enters his appearance in said cause on or by January 12th, 1931, judgment will be rendered against him by default and the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in her complaint.

T. E. Means, whose business and postoffice address is Portales, N. M., is attorney for plaintiff.

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Given under my hand and seal of said court this Nov. 17th, 1930.

(SEAL) JOHN W. BALLOW, County Clerk.

Nov. 20-Dec. 16—M.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given, that whereas, in Cause No. 2641 in the District Court of Roosevelt County, N. M., on Sept. 6th, 1930, judgment was rendered in favor of the plaintiff, John W. Lower, against the defendants therein, Chas. A. Watson, Hermance Watson and Frank E. Hogue, for the sum of \$3768.90, with seven per cent per annum interest thereon from date of judgment until paid, with all costs, amounting to date of sale hereinafter fixed to the sum of \$3834.85, besides costs, and same being a foreclosure of a mortgage deed securing said sum and ordering the sale of the lands described in said mortgage deed, to-wit: the NE¼ of Sec. 22 in Twp. one (1) south of Range 35 East N. M. P. M. in Roosevelt County, N. M., for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness, and empowering the undersigned as Special Master to make said sale, after advertisement of said lands; now, by virtue of the premises aforesaid, I, Alice Cissell, will at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. on Dec. 22nd, 1930, at the NE front door of the courthouse in the City of Portales, N. M., sell said lands and premises at public auction to the highest bidder for cash for the purpose of paying said adjudged indebtedness and all costs. Dated Nov. 24th, 1930.

ALICE CISSSELL, Special Master.

Nov. 27-Dec. 18—MS.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, N. M., No. 516.

In the Matter of the estate of Betty A. Lewis, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on November 20th, 1930, duly appointed administrator of the estate of Betty A. Lewis, deceased, and having duly qualified as such administrator, all persons having any claims against the estate of said deceased are hereby notified and required to present the same to the undersigned in the manner and within the time prescribed by law.

Dated this Nov. 20th, 1930.

T. E. MEARS, Administrator.

Nov. 27-Dec. 18—Means.

SOCIETY and Club

TURKEY DINNER

The pretty country home of Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Watson rang with merry laughter Friday evening when it was the scene of a most happy dinner party. The meal was announced for seven o'clock and at that time the friends gathered around the banquet board which was laden with all the delicious foods that comprise a Thanksgiving feast.

Brightly burning candles were used as the table illumination and a bowl of beautiful fall flowers held the place of honor in the center of the table. The place cards which directed the diners to their respective locations at the table were suggestions of the Thanksgiving season.

After dinner the quartette tables were arranged in the living room and four tables of bridge occupied the interest of the party for the remainder of the hour. Some splendid radio programs were also enjoyed during the evening. The friends enjoying the hospitality of the Watson home were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lyons, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Stone, Misses Sybil Lyons, Lucile Wurster, Vada Mae Jackson, Iris Ribble, Mae Watts and Messrs. Phillip Johnston, Harold Sweetland, Bill Thompson, Paul Wurster and Ray Bonner.

THANKSGIVING DINNER

Mrs. James Christoe and Mrs. Rusha Smith were at home on Thanksgiving evening to a few friends with a dinner served at seven o'clock.

Chrysanthemums were used as table decorations. The dinner was served in three courses and was followed by an evening of bridge. The three table contest proved most interesting and resulted in Mrs. J. P. Steiner and P. M. Bailey holding the highest scores.

The evening guests included Judge and Mrs. T. E. Meers, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Steiner, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Bailey, Misses Kate McManaway and Thelma Crain; Messrs. Alfred Powell and Wayne Stratton.

EVENING PARTY

A number of young people who had attended the Clovis-Portales football game in Clovis Thanksgiving day returned to Portales after having enjoyed dinner and gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lyons for an evening of merry conversation and bridge.

Four tables were placed for the players but often the interesting points of the afternoon game occupied the attention of the young people rather than the bridge game. This was pronounced a very happy culmination of a wonderfully pleasant Thanksgiving day.

The jolly crowd was, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lyons, Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Watson, Harold Sweetland, Bill Thompson, Paul Wurster, Vada Mae Jackson, Sybil Lyons and Mae Watts.

FAMILY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Watt Stewart opened their home on Thanksgiving day to the members of their family and a few intimate friends with a lovely turkey dinner.

It was necessary to have two tables to accommodate the guests invited to the very sumptuous and delicious meal served at six o'clock.

Christmas Gifts

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Conversation filled the evening hours in a very jolly and interesting manner. The guest list included, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Hebe Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cross and daughter Vera, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Hall and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Knight and their daughter Miss Bessie, Heber Stewart and Dan Head.

FASHION SHOW

The girls of the Home Economics department of the Portales high school gave a fashion show in the auditorium last Wednesday preceding the Thanksgiving vacation. Mothers of the girls and interested friends composed the crowd which gathered at the school house at 3:15.

Miss Hazel Galloway was selected from the second year class to make the stage announcements. The show consisted of garments the girls had made during this the first three months of school, and represented the activities of the modern girl for one day and the proper costume for each occasion.

First the girls came onto the stage in their pajama suits and sang, "Yawning in the Morning." A very clever little song they had written to the tune, "Roaming in the Gloaming." These articles of clothing were all of cotton as are all the garments made by the girls of the first year classes. The second group of girls appeared in their kitchen aprons and sang, "Stack Up Your Dishes in the Old Kitchen Sink." These white Hoover aprons were very suggestive of a neat, clean kitchen. Next came the school girl. The first display of clothes suitable for school wear, were the cotton dresses which would be most comfortable for autumn and spring seasons; then the woolen garments to be worn during the cold days of winter. The fourth appearance were the girls wearing sport outfits. Some prepared for the contest in tennis and others outfitted for a game of golf. The shopping girls were attractive and were the next to be announced. Then appeared the young ladies properly attired for an afternoon of Bridge. These were the second year Home Economics girls and the dresses the most difficult of any which were displayed. The show closed with an exhibit of clothes suitable for outdoor wear.

The friends were then invited into the dining room where the girls of the department and the teacher, Miss Elizabeth Greaves, were hostesses at a pretty tea. The table was covered with a perfectly placed linen cloth, while a bouquet of lovely chrysanthemums occupied the center of the table. Miss Edith Wheeler and Miss Leola Hayes were seated at either end of the table and poured the delicious coffee which was served with splendid sandwiches and cakes to the guests. In this room new curtains had been made by the girls this year and placed at the windows. On the walls of the sewing room were hung the garments which had been completed by the girls of both the first and second classes. In addition to the regular assignments, there were a number of very neat and attractive handkerchiefs and appliqued quilt block which some of the girls had done as extra hand work. This sewing was closely inspected by every one and with the exception of the baby layette was the work done by the girls of the first year class. The layette had been made just before the Baby Show held last month by the Portales Woman's Club and was on display during that time, giving to the mothers the information concerning the proper clothing for the young baby and the most suitable patterns for making the same.

There are about sixty girls in the Home Economics department of the Portales school and they assisted their teacher as very gracious hostesses.

"I reckon," said the farmer, "that I get up earlier than anybody in the neighborhood. I am always up before 3 o'clock in the morning."

The second farmer said he was always up before then and had part of the chores done.

The first farmer thought he was a liar and decided to find out. A few mornings after, he got up at 2 o'clock and went to his neighbor's house.

He rapped on the back door and the woman of the house opened it.

"Where is your husband?" asked the farmer, expecting to find his neighbor in bed.

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4. Don't turn on gas then look for a match—have lighted match in hand.
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6. Don't be uncertain—Call Us.

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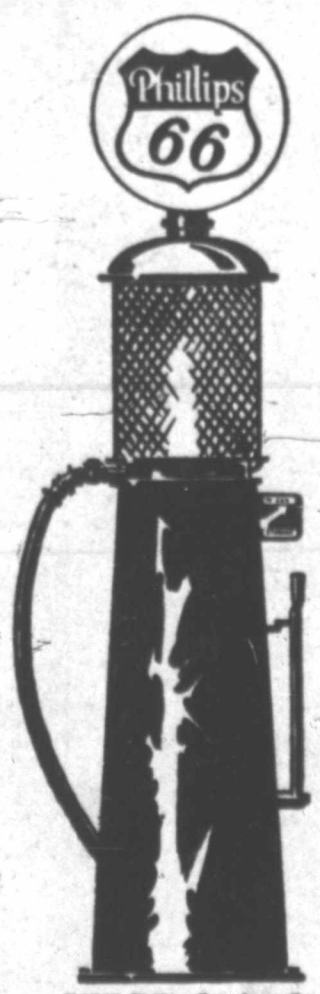
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Portales Wins...

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Vaughn returns 24 yds. King scouts right end for 4 yds. Kirksey goes thru line for 8 more. First and ten, Patterson tries long end run but is stopped behind the line for a loss of three yds. Smith wriggles thru center for 5 yds. Vaughn thru right tackle for 3 more. A long pass to Leflar is incomplete. Portales penalized 5 yds. offside. King punts out of bounds.

Clovie's ball on 20 yd line. Smith is thrown for a loss. Clovie kicks to fifty and is taken by Smith. Smith gained two yds thru left tackle. A pass is incomplete. King punts out of bounds on 18 yd line. Clovie's ball on 20 yd line. Smith is thrown for a loss. Clovie kicks to fifty and is taken by Smith. Smith gained two yds thru left tackle. A pass is incomplete. King punts out of bounds on 18 yd line. Clovie's ball on 20 yd line. Smith is thrown for a loss. Clovie kicks to fifty and is taken by Smith. Smith gained two yds thru left tackle. A pass is incomplete. King punts out of bounds on 18 yd line.

Clovie's attempted punt was almost blocked due to bad pass from center. Portales' ball on 18 yd line. King failed to gain. Kirksey made a yd thru left tackle. A long pass King to Smith is incomplete. Ball goes over.

Clovie's ball on 14 yd line. Clovie punts to 35 yd line. Kirksey scouts left end for 2 yds. King is tackled for a loss of 8 yds. A pass, King to Leflar for 25 yds and ran 14 to make a touchdown. Extra point failed. Portales 19, Clovie 6.

Portales kicks to 18 yd line. Portales penalized 15 yds. roughing. Three short gains and Clovie kicks to 35 yd line. Smith carries the ball thru line for 5 yds. Smith fails to gain. Kirksey adds 4 more as the quarter ended. Portales 19, Clovie 6.

Fourth Quarter
Vaughn around tackle play for 1 yd. Smith rushes left tackle for 4 yds. Vaughn smashes right tackle for 7 yds. Maxwell hit left guard for 4 yds. Kirksey right end for 4 yds. King circles end for 1 yd. King punts out of bounds on 3 yd line.

Clovie's ball on 3 yd line. Clovie punts to 42 yd line. Patterson makes 2 yds. King lost 1 yd. A pass incomplete. King punts over goal line.

Clovie's ball on 20 yd line. Three short gains and Clovie punts to Portales' 30 yd line. Vaughn hit right tackle twice for a total of 6 yds. Smith failed to gain thru left tackle. King punts 28 yd line.

Clovie returns 8 yds. Perry lost a yd, a pass incomplete. A short pass for 5 yds. Clovie punts.

Portales' ball on 22 yd line. Kirksey hits line for yd; Smith wriggles thru line for 5. Patterson adds 3 more. King is thrown for a loss. King punts to 35 yd line. Clovie were held almost in the same place for three downs. Clovie punts to 32 yd line.

Smith is good for 3 yds. Kirksey rips the line for 7 more. Kirksey again gains 1 yd. Kirksey plows thru midfield for 45 yds. Game ended.

Lineups of both teams are as follows:

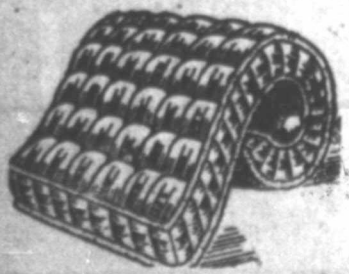
Portales	Clovie
Q. Lindley	LE Leflar
Burns (Capt.)	LT Vaughn
Wells	LC Jones
Winton	C Melnor (Capt.)
Campbell	RG Watts
Andrews	RT Maxwell
Bell	RE Hyllard
Hendrix	Q Smith
V. Lindly	P Patterson
J. M. Smith	LH King
W. Smith	RH Kirksey

Officials: Williams (Phillips U.) referee; Terrell (W. T. S. T. C.) umpire; Rose (N. M. Normal U.) head linesman; Priest, Brough, time keepers.

First downs: Portales 14, Clovie 8. Punts: Clovie, 10 for average of 31.2 yards; Portales, 5 for average of 33 3-5 yards.

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Sidney Wood, representative of the Consumers Natural Gas Co. of Artesia and C. E. Robinson, also an official of the gas company, were in Portales Tuesday night, and were guests of the Chamber of Commerce at the banquet, served in the Chamber of Commerce building at seven o'clock.

The two gentlemen remained in Portales until Wednesday looking after some business in connection with their companies.

BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

Rev. Ball will not be able to return to Portales for the regular Sunday services December 7th, and the committee has made arrangements to have Rev. H. B. Strick-

land of Texico deliver the sermon at the morning hour which is 11 o'clock, and Rev. T. B. Sowell has consented to serve as the evening supply at 7:30.

Sunday School will be at the regular hour of 9:45 and the B. Y. P. U. will convene at the usual evening hour.

Special musical numbers have been arranged for both the morning and evening meetings and the persons of the city not affiliated with the other churches are given an urgent invitation to worship with the Baptist on next Sunday.

Two friends met in mid-air. "Fancy meeting you here," said Tom. "I'm falling from my aeroplane."

"That so?" replied Jack. "I'm rising from my gas stove."

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Men's 75c and \$1.00 Wool Dress Socks, 2 pr. for	\$1.00
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\$1.40 Radium Silk, per yard	\$1.00
One lot \$1.95 and \$2.95 Wash Dresses,	\$1.00
\$1.00 Refrigerator Sets, 2 for	\$1.00
\$1.00 Pottery, 2 for	\$1.00
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