

# PORTALES VALLEY NEWS

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## Many Trucks Hauling Out Portales Valley Products

### Wide Territory Is Being Served

Price for Beans Is Low, But Demand Is Good—Packed in Sacks Instead of Hoppers

The secretary of the Portales Chamber of Commerce reports that there are around ten truck loads a week of Portales valley products going out to Houston, Dallas, Oklahoma City, Wichita Falls and other points.

Present shipments are of beans, which are finding a ready market at 14 cents per pound.

Many inquiries are being made for tomatoes, but this crop will not be ready for market until around Aug. 15.

While prices are low, the picking of beans is now costing 1/4 cent per pound, and many of the truckers are using sacks instead of hoppers, which saves the farmers the cost of hoppers.

The trucking season has just begun and, as the season advances, truck shipments will increase.

Leon Slaten had a very pleasant visit with four of his former college mates who passed through Portales last week from Winfield, Kas., on their way to the Olympic Games in Los Angeles. The young men were Cub Gibson, Carl Weinrich, Jimmie Spoon and Roger Kirkwood.

## Woman's Club Building Accepted Last Monday—Finished in 90 Days

The building committee of the Portales Woman's club accepted from the contractor, H. E. Taylor, last Monday the new club building which has been erected within the last ninety days.

The structure cost about \$3,500, but, erected at this time, the committee was able to procure a club house which under ordinary conditions would have cost \$5,000.

The building is 42x58 feet and faces upon Liberty street, seventy feet back from Nevada street. Next to the alley, twelve feet is converted into a reception hall, and back of this is the rest room, store room and kitchen. The remainder of the building is taken up by the auditorium.

The building is finished throughout with hardwood floors. The inside walls are all plastered and tinted and the outside stucco is painted. The inside is a delicate cream, while the outside is a yellow tan. Both exterior and interior are trimmed in a blue-green painting.

Mrs. M. B. Jones, president of the club, has been in constant touch with Mrs. T. E. Meares, chairman of the building committee. These two women headed the building committee, which consisted of Mesdames C. W. Carr, S. B. Fletcher, C. J. Whitcomb, A. G. Kenyon, A. D. Rubble, N. F. Wollard, J. C. Compton, H. B. Buchanan and Coe Howard.

The committee is especially indebted to G. W. Carr and A. D. Rubble, who were most generous in their suggestions, assistance and recommendations during the drafting of the plans for the building and the time of construction. Both men worked in conjunction with the architect, Mr. Merrill of Clovis, and gave every aid possible to the local contractor during the time of construction, thus helping to give to Portales one of the most substantial and prettiest buildings of the city.

The auditorium has attractive windows on three sides, thus permitting of ample ventilation and sunlight. In one end of the building is a Spanish fireplace, and on the chimney of this hangs a name plaque which was the gift of Mr. Merrill, the contractor. The carving on this was designed and executed by Vernon Hunter of Texico. It bears the name of the club, the date of the erection of the building, and gives Mrs. M. B. Jones as president and Mrs. T. E. Meares, chairman of the building committee.

The club did not have the finances to have a cornerstone, and Mr. Merrill made a gift of the plaque, in lieu of the cornerstone. A called meeting of the club will be held and arrangements made for the opening of the club house to the public within the very near future.

**MR. AND MRS. TURNER HENSLEY VISITING HERE**  
Mr. and Mrs. Turner Hensley arrived Monday evening from Austin, Tex., for a visit with Mr. Hensley's parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. T. Hensley.

Mr. Hensley has been studying law in Austin for some months. He passed the Texas bar examination with a very high average in June. Austin is too hot for the younger Hensleys, who have both been reared in cooler climates; in fact, he has decided to pick a location with a cooler climate in which to practice law.

### Successful Farmer Insists on Economy

Frank Beeman was in Portales Saturday from the Elway community. He arrived on his homestead twenty-four years ago.

Mr. Beeman has had a lot of experience in making a living for himself and his family in Roosevelt county. He stated that he had less than \$5 when he finished his dugout on the homestead.

He does not think that the present economic conditions are very encouraging. It seems to him that people are used to spending too much money. According to Mr. Beeman, people will have to be more economical.

Hazel and Edgar Hanvey accompanied their father, C. E. Hanvey, on a business trip to Wichita Falls, Tex., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cothorn have received word that their daughter, Mrs. Inez Cothorn, is in a hospital in Cortez, Col., recovering from an operation for a ruptured appendix. She was reported resting very comfortably.

Mrs. Rucha Smith accompanied Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Carr to Amarillo Tuesday and probably will visit at Hereford before she returns home.

### Girl Scout Camp Opens on Sunday

Miss Loreta McCarty, captain of the local Girl Scout troop No. 1, together with six of her girls—Marie Neer, Winnifred May, Frances Estelle Bryant, Ethel Orr, Vivian Case and Georgia Johnson—are leaving late this week for Roswell, where they will join the directors and girls going to the Camp Mary White in the Sacramento mountains.

The camp will open Sunday, July 31, and close Aug. 28. The six girls will remain for the entire four weeks. Miss McCarty will be in camp the first two weeks and Miss Virginia Kessler, lieutenant of Troop 1, will go for the last two weeks.

Miss Mary White of Roswell will be the camp director, the same as last year, and Mrs. W. H. McCullough will be the business manager. Other members of the staff are Miss Alma Rose of Montclair, N. J.; Miss Alice Murkey of Amarillo; Mrs. E. F. Arledge of Houston, Tex.; Miss Wilma Punting and Miss Mildred Turner of Houston, Tex.; Miss Hazel Henry of Billings, Okla.; Miss Blanche Piester of Weatherford, Tex.; Miss Louise Fisher of Roswell; Miss Alice Conroy of New York City, and Mrs. Esther V. Sheubel of Roswell.

### Former Partner of Fall, Doheny Has Silver Mine

Johnnie Moffitt, 69 years of age, pick and shovel partner of Edward R. Doheny and Albert B. Fall in Kingston, N. M., forty years ago, is waiting for silver to reach 50 to 60 cents an ounce, when he will cash in on his mines obtained largely through financial help from Doheny.

"As a silver and gold prospector," the Associated Press reports Moffitt is saying, "Doheny made a good cook, and he has Charlie Canfield to thank for diverting him to the oil fields, where he made his millions. But Doheny has never forgotten his old friends in Kingston. Fortune failed to smile on Fall as it did on Doheny when they parted company here."

When Canfield and Doheny left Kingston for the Los Angeles oil district, Moffitt recalls, they bought tickets and had but 10 cents left. "Ed bought grapes with that dime," Moffitt says, "because that was what he could get the most of for his money."

### REVIVAL AT FLOYD

H. F. Hallock of Plainview, Tex., will conduct a revival meeting at Floyd which will start Sunday morning, Aug. 7. The services will be conducted at the Floyd high school auditorium. There will be two services a day throughout the week.

E. L. McBride of Elida was a business visitor Monday.

### Burglars Attempt to Enter Store of Fields & Bonner

On last Thursday night burglars attempted to enter the store of Fields & Bonner by tearing off the screen to the back door.

They were evidently frightened away before they gained entrance. A number of muddy tracks were found at the rear door.

On Thursday several strangers were noticed in town about 8:30 o'clock.

### WILL WE HAVE ANY DAIRY SHOW?

The Chamber of Commerce discussed the advisability of holding the Dairy and Livestock show this year at their meeting Tuesday.

They have requested the News to ask the dairymen of the county if they want the show, and if they will be willing to exhibit at very low premium cost. Conditions are such that finances are very hard to raise this year, and the cost of the show will have to be held down to the minimum.

Those who are willing to exhibit under these conditions are requested to write R. A. Young, secretary of the fair association, at once, so that it may be determined whether or not this show can be put on.

Emery Wall was up from Elida Monday.

## Cream Price Advances to 12c—Produce Markets Rise

### Portales Nine Engages Mother Hubbard Team

The Mother Hubbard baseball team will be in Portales Monday, Aug. 1, meeting the local team on the diamond on the Elida highway.

The Mother Hubbard team has traveled over Texas, Kansas and New Mexico, playing twenty-four games and losing only three this season.

Their uniforms consist of a Mother Hubbard regalia, sunbonnets and skirts.

### Many Attractive Valley Farms

One of the outstanding five-acre blocks of Portales is that of O. B. Cason in the Sunset addition.

The house has four rooms and a bath. The house sits in the southeast corner and the pumping plant is located in the northwest corner. Fruit trees surround the house, next are the grapes and kitchen garden. There are some flowers and shrubs among the trees. The remainder of the block is in alfalfa, the barns standing in about the middle of the block.

Mr. Cason's fruit trees are the best varieties. He has 150 cherry, plums, a grove of peach trees, and 150 grape vines.

He has only 100 chickens at present. He sells quite a lot of milk from his three cows.

Mr. Cason thinks that he can make a living for his family on his block after this year. He will have most of his major improvements paid for. About three years ago this block was mostly in mesquite bushes.

Tom Halslip, one of the progressive farmers and dairymen of the Longs community, and Lewis A. Little, manager of the Portales Valley Sweet Potato association, are in State College this week attending the Farm and Home week being held there.

### Egg Market Is Showing Strong

Better Care of Eggs Is Demanded by Dealers—Should Be Gathered Twice Daily and Kept Cool

Or Tuesday of this week the price of cream advanced to 12 cents per pound, and the egg market was showing strong.

Indications are that within the next thirty days cream will show an advance.

Produce houses are cautioning the poultrymen to give their eggs proper care so that they may reach the consumer in first class condition.

The hot weather is hard on eggs, and unless they are gathered frequently and stored in a dark, cool place they deteriorate rapidly.

All setting hens should be put up so they will not damage the eggs.

Farmers are very much encouraged over the egg and cream market, as at this season of the year these products are the principal source of revenue for Roosevelt county.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Dohoney, with their son Bobby and their sister Miss Bess, drove to High Loessome, near Acme, one day last week and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Reed Murrell, returning home after the approach of evening.

## "Ma" Ferguson Leads Sterling by 77,000 Votes in Saturday Primaries

### New Mexico Newspaper Ass'n Meets in Clovis

Last Friday and Saturday the summer session of the New Mexico Newspaper association was held at Clovis.

This session was well attended by the craft from the east side of the state, and one member from the northwest corner of the state.

Very interesting sessions were held both days, and on Friday evening all enjoyed a banquet at the Harvey house, where a number of local people joined with the fraternity. Pete Anderson acted as toastmaster, limiting all speeches to about a minute and a half.

The result of the meeting was that the next session will be held in Santa Fe probably in January, when matters pertaining to the profession and the public in general will be brought before the state legislature.

The association will ask for a bill making it compulsory to give full publicity to all county and municipal proceedings, and also to publish the assessments in each county of the state.

It was the consensus of the association that this would result in a complete rendition of taxes, and pay its cost many times in increased revenues for the counties and the state.

Clovis was an ideal host and will receive much valuable publicity from the newspapers of the state as a result of her hospitality.

### BOARDS OF EDUCATION BURNING MIDNIGHT OIL

The boards of education of Roosevelt county have been working overtime for the last few weeks on the school propositions for next year.

The Portales board put in two nights last week on school proposals. Other boards have made long trips to the county superintendent's office in order that they and Superintendent Hunt could obtain the best school possible for their respective districts.

It is the opinion of these boards that the school budgets have been cut enough until the costs of other departments of government have been cut.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Garrett and their son, John Billy, visited the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rawlins. Norma Bee Garrett, who had spent a few days visiting with her uncle and aunt, has returned to her parents' home at Lovington.

### Test to Come in Run-Off

Much interest was manifested in New Mexico over the primary election in Texas last Saturday.

Tuesday's reports gave "Ma" a lead over Ross Sterling for governor of 77,000 votes, with a number of counties yet to hear from.

It is predicted that she will pile up a lead of 100,000 by the time the count is all in.

In the last election "Ma" led in the primary election by 70,000 votes yet Sterling piled up a majority of 30,000 in the run-off.

There are many former Texans in Roosevelt county who are watching with interest the results of Saturday's primary election.

Wednesday morning "Ma" had increased her lead over Sterling to a majority of 93,000.

### BROTHER OF PORTALES MAN LEADING IN RACE IN TEXAS

Frank Sparks of Eastland, Tex., brother of C. J. Sparks of Portales, is leading the ticket for district judge in the Eastland county primary over two opponents.

The leading candidate is a brother of C. J. Sparks of the Elliott-Waldron Abstract company, Edgar O. Sparks, a member of the county board of education; S. E. Sparks of Cottonwood Grove, and a son of J. E. Sparks of Clovis.

### PORTALES CANTALOUPE ON MARKET SOON

Last Saturday afternoon there was a truck load of cantaloupes that were grown at Las Cruces, N. M., in Portales. These cantaloupes sold at 5c each or six for 35c. They were neat looking and well flavored melons.

The Las Cruces farmers are able to get their products on the market a little earlier than the Portales farmers, due to climatic conditions. The Portales valley melons should be ready for the market within ten days or two weeks.

### WATERMELONS AND CANTALOUPE RIFE SHORTLY

Tom W. Johnston, our linotype operator, does something else besides work the keys of the linotype. He thinks that his watermelons and cantaloupes will be ripe within two weeks. That is news to the News force, at least.

Probably Mrs. Johnston and the children are due most of the credit for the fine garden on the Johnston's farm. It is understood they keep the farm and the help going most of the time.



### Rev. Rolfe Barnard Offers Resignation

Last Sunday morning Rev. Rolfe Barnard, pastor of the First Baptist church, offered his resignation, which was accepted by the church. Rev. Barnard has been pastor of the Baptist church for something over a year.

He was a forceful speaker, and very aggressive in his work. During his stay in Portales he won many warm friends, and possibly some enemies.

He has had a call to a larger church, and wherever he decides to cast his lot the News wishes for him the highest degree of success.

### Old Tires for New

This week the Universal Motor company and the C. & T. service station have an attractive ad, whereby you can exchange your old tires for a great saving. Read this advertisement.

Joe Trammell, a son of Lee Trammell, was in Portales Saturday. He says that crops in the Arch community are looking fine. He is planning to go to high school this winter. Joe says that he does not want an education so that he will not have to work, but that he wants an education so that he will know how to work.

### An Old-Timer Visits Portales

Albert Crane, an old-timer of the Upton community, now living in Hamburg, Ia., was in Portales Monday looking after business and meeting his old friends.

Mr. Crane states that the economic conditions in New Mexico are very much better than they are in his particular section of Iowa.

He says that people in that section of the country depend on the income from their land. After the World war land values were put up to a very high mark. Taxes were levied accordingly. The expenses of government were increased. Now the value of the land has decreased but the cost of government has not come down.

Mr. Crane thought that the causes of most of the financial failures in that part of the country was due to inflated land values. The smaller towns already have used up all the money to support the destitute. There are few or no jobs for the laboring class of people.

When Mr. Crane lived in Roosevelt county he was in the stock business.

Wayne Stratton spent last Sunday in Santa Rosa visiting and sight-seeing in that vicinity.

### C. W. West Makes Good as Teacher

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. West arrived last week from Strawn, Tex., for a short visit with Mrs. West's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Oler, who live in the Floyd community.

Mr. West is now principal of the high school at Strawn, Tex. He has taught there two terms, and his promotion to principal was an unexpected honor.

C. W. was a member of the senior class of 1926 of Portales high school. He later attended the West Texas State Teachers' college at Canyon.

### Revival at M. E. Church Aug. 14

A revival will begin at the First Methodist church on Sunday, Aug. 14. Rev. Gus Klein, an evangelist of Memphis, Tenn., has been secured to conduct this revival.

Rev. Mr. Klein comes recommended as one of the leading evangelists of Southern Methodism. R. F. Davis, pastor, now is sending out announcements of this series of services.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cothorn are the proud parents of a 9 pound boy, born July 21.

## Roosevelt County Crops and Livestock in Good Condition

The editor and part of his family visited his ranch, located about forty miles southwest of Portales, Sunday afternoon. They went out on the south Floyd road and by Upton, returning by way of Elida.

A good rain could be used on most of the country except for some miles on the other side of Upton. In the neighborhood of Paul Eminger, the grass and crops showed that there had been considerable rain lately. The large steers on the Courtney-Herbert ranch in this part of the country were about as pretty as pictures could make them.

On returning from the ranch, they found some excellent crops, especially in the Kentucky Valley community. Casey Smith had corn that is in full silk and tassel and it did not particularly need rain, because it was fairly clean of weeds. Also, Charlie Myers had some good corn.

The sheep on the Charlie Herbert ranch were looking fine. The lambs were large and fat, and the older sheep were well sheared and fat.

The city of Elida was awake and alive. Passing through this city, one could not tell that the depression is doing any serious damage. Lots of rabbits were found all along the way. Grasshoppers kept the women folks awake by unceremoniously jumping into the car for short rides; however, the crops showed no damage done by the small number of grasshoppers in evidence.

The crops as a whole are good. One farmer complained that his dairy herd was not giving as much milk as before, on account of the short grass, but this herd was in good shape.

### A Disgrace to Portales

On Monday night, while the services were under way at the revival on Nevada street, some one rotten-egged the meeting, striking one of the ladies in the eye.

This is the blackest deed in the history of Portales. If you cannot attend religious services and respect the same, you had better stay away.

Throwing eggs at any religious gathering indicates very poor judgment.

The guilty parties should be apprehended and given the extreme penalty of the law.



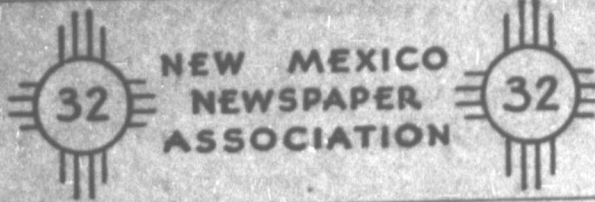
## PORTALES VALLEY NEWS

J. G. GREAVES, Editor and Owner

## DEMOCRATIC IN POLITICS

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

Entered as second class matter in the post office at Portales, New Mexico, under the Act of March 3, 1879.



## SUBSCRIPTION RATES

| In New Mexico          |        |
|------------------------|--------|
| One Year               | \$1.50 |
| Six Months             | 1.00   |
| Out of New Mexico      |        |
| One Year               | \$2.00 |
| Alaska, Canada, Mexico | 2.50   |

## WHY PICK ON THE SCHOOLS?

The battle cry of the nation today is, "Taxes Must Come Down!" That is true, but in nearly every community the sentiment seems to be centered on the public schools.

In Roosevelt county the school budget has been reduced nearly 30 per cent.

Last year the school census increased around 800, and this year incomplete census returns show that there will be an additional increase of around 800 more.

With an increase of 1,600 over 1930-31, and a cut of 30 per cent in the school budgets, the schools of the county are facing a serious problem.

Not one man in a hundred but will agree that the schools must go on.

An additional cut will cripple the schools until they will be unable to remain open more than four or five months.

There are other ways to cut expenses without making the schools the goat.

One county official stated to the News that he was willing to take a cut of 10 per cent in salary if the others would take a like cut.

The county school superintendent took a cut the last year. These may be small items in the expenses of the county, but it only takes 100 pennies to make a dollar.

Throughout the state there is a great waste of public money in building additional highways, instead of improving the highways already existing. If used in a businesslike way, the gasoline tax would have taken care of the road situation, and left money in the treasury.

Another great waste is that of reducing the rental on state land from 10 cents to 3 cents per acre.

This action deprives the schools of the state of an enormous sum.

If a farmer can own his land, run cattle and pay from 10 to 14 cents an acre taxes, then certainly the cattleman can pay 10 cents an acre rental and run cattle cheaper than if he owned the land and had to figure the interest and taxes on his investment.

In DeBaca county one rancher who pays 3 cents per acre for state lands is pasturing cattle at 50 cents per head per month.

In this county one rancher has subleased lands at a rental of 20 cents per acre.

The New Mexico Cattle and Horse Growers' association has, through a powerful lobby, secured the reduction in rental on grazing lands from 10 cents to 3 cents per acre.

The schools of the state may be "sacred cows," but the Cattle Growers' association is a whole herd of white elephants.

## LET US HOPE THAT CONGRESS HAS ACTED WISELY

Congress has adjourned, and a relief measure has been passed.

The News does not believe that this measure will bring the desired relief, but it may help in a large way.

Big business has long overshadowed the government of the nation, and the common fellow has been forgotten.

It is to be hoped that either the government or big business will devise some means before mid-winter to give relief to the unemployed of the nation.

In submitting the program for relief as outlined in the News June 2, the editor had no hope that it would be adopted, but it has resulted in setting the business leaders of the nation thinking, and in the future some workable plan will be the result.

Farmers should forget that they might obtain government relief. That theory is unsound, and relief can only come from creating a market for their products.

This can only come about through increased consumption, and consumption can only be increased by giving the millions of unemployed buying power.

Put labor back to work and the farmers would have a market for their products in less than sixty days.

## BACK THE BOY SCOUTS

Executive Thorson of this area was in town last Thursday in the interest of the Boy Scout work.

There is no more important work in the nation today than that of the Boy Scout movement.

The men at the head of this movement are giving of their time and money in training your boys in citizenship.

This work will reflect upon the nation in the coming generations, and having been a Boy Scout will be to the credit of the men who take the reins of the government in the coming years.

Every dime you invest in the Scouts will return to you many times in service rendered to your country.

## WOULD PUBLISH

With all the roar about tax reduction going about and with the schools cut and skinned, and with the corporations now seeking lower valuations which in the final summing up will not reduce the tax rate very materially unless we are badly fooled, it might be pertinent to suggest to the "deer people" at this time that publication of the assessor's list and all expenditures connected with the public's business will save more taxes in two years than all the cutting, skinning, reducing, etc., which has been done or will be done on the various budgets of the different expenditures departments.—Hatch Reporter.

## NO TIME FOR LABOR STRIKES

Press dispatches the last week record a number of labor disputes and walkouts caused by cuts in wages.

Now is no time for labor strikes, and employees who have jobs at all are fortunate, and lucky to be allowed to retain them even at a reduction in wages.

During the last year very few employers have made a profit, and many have suffered serious losses.

Labor should be fair and help bring back normal business conditions.

There are hundreds of idle men for every job, and strikes will only demoralize business conditions.

The News always has been favorable to organized labor, but it realizes that labor must be used at a profit, and unless this is done industries cannot survive.

Many of the labor unions are in the hands of the Reds, who are only seeking an opportunity to stir up a revolution and put Communism into power.

## PUBLICITY FOR PUBLIC EXPENDITURES

The billions of dollars voted by congress for the Reconstruction Finance corporation is money the taxpayers must furnish in some form or another. This finance corporation is an effective piece of legislation and has enabled many an institution to remain solvent during the months of these trying economic times. However, we believe President Hoover was mistaken in his fight to prevent publicity on loans made by that body in the future, as provided in the new relief bill passed by congress, and probably signed by the President when this issue is off the press.

It is becoming the custom quite generally that it is none of the public's business how its servants spend its tax money. The schools spend thousands of dollars of taxes, and yet very few if any official itemized statements are ever presented the taxpayers. The municipalities spend thousands of dollars nor do the city officials as a rule show the taxpayers where the money goes. The same is true to a lesser extent of county financial affairs.

Perhaps public confidence would be strengthened if the people who pay the taxes knew just where all the tax money goes.—Farmington Times-Hustler.

## BOWED WITH GRIEF

The sympathy of the News is with our governor in his grief over the delinquency of his son.

That he is the son of the governor does not lessen the crime in attempting to defraud his father's bank. But, owing to the fact that he was the son of the governor of New Mexico, the press of the nation has pounced upon it as a sweet morsel of scandal, and is attempting to drag our governor down into the mire.

Governor Seligman has made a good governor in a very trying time, and probably has had more handicaps than any other governor.

He had refunded to the bank the sum appropriated by his son, and the boy should not escape punishment because he is the son of the governor.

Neither should the governor be censured for the actions of his son, who has found his responsibility too great for him. Governor Seligman has the sincere sympathy and confidence of the News, and is a man big enough to rise above the crushing blow dealt him by his boy, who doubtless is just as dear to him as your son is to you.

## UNEMPLOYMENT MUST END

Unless a great portion of the unemployed people in the United States are put back to work and enabled to earn their living, conditions the coming winter will become more serious. There is a spirit of unrest over the nation that could easily flame into riots and revolution.

Congress attempted to relieve this situation, but in a large measure has failed.

President Hoover never has favored relief measures in which relief would reach to the man at the bottom.

He has consistently favored relief for the railroads, the Wall street banks, the insurance trust and big business.

But what has it profited?

The banks were enabled to thaw out their frozen assets, but when it came to putting this money into circulation they locked it up in their vaults, and today the small business man or farmer is unable to borrow a dime.

The farmer is facing the condition of gathering another big crop without a market for the same.

Just so long as the farmer fails to market his products above the cost of production, just so long will the country face depressed business conditions.

A number of factories have reopened and have put thousands to work. The reconstruction program will give some relief, but there still remains millions of idle men, without the means of supporting themselves and families.

Many of these are being fed by charitable organizations. No able bodied man should be the object of charity. Money spent for charity, except in case of sickness or distress, should be turned into other channels, and give employment to those in need so that they may save their self respect and earn their daily bread.

The overhead of the Red Cross is enormous. The same amount of money, expended without overhead cost and giving 90 per cent of the funds for public works of some character, would go a long way toward solving the unemployment problem.

Letting public works by contract is an economic waste, for labor gets only a little more than 15 per cent of the amount expended.

State highways should be built by the state highway engineers, giving the contractors' profits to labor, and enabling more highways to be built.

Under contract it costs at least a third more to move every yard of dirt.

Put idle labor to work and prosperity will return overnight.

## BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS TO HAVE RELIEF

Under the new reconstruction bill, the building and loan associations will be able to borrow cheap money from the government to enable them to operate, while the borrowers from these institutions will be unable to get this cheap money to pay their interest, premiums and taxes.

This is in line with Hoover's policy of relieving the poor. In fact, it looks like a game of strip poker. The home owner is being stripped of his home and self respect.

The first of the month is in the offing. Consider your merchant, doctor, church, lodge, and others whom you may owe. Prompt settlement by the tenth will help beat the depression, and will enable all to meet their bills. Think this over, and see if you cannot reduce your indebtedness some, even though you cannot pay in full. Money kept in circulation this way covers a lot of ground.

News Want Ads Bring Results. Phone 83

## SOCIAL ANNEX

By THE BOSS

Bert Rawlins says that the attempted burglary was "frustrated" by the burglars climbing the roof and looking down the skylight and reading the price tags. Cheaper to buy than to steal.

N. Stool says that he likes taxpayers' meetings. That it brings customers from long distances and that he always does a good business on these days. He advocates having them more frequently.

The press meeting at Clovis was rather lame. Paul Dodge did not wear his fancy boots, and his electric office refrigerator was not mentioned once.

Bill Robinson did not show up from Carlsbad, and consequently could not contradict Lindsey Nunn, when Mr. Nunn spoke of this first press association being organized at Clovis fifteen years ago.

Some of the nearby editors took advantage of the press meet to copy all the business in nearby towns while the editors were away.

One editor drove 450 miles to attend and liked it.

The News family came near being over fed at the press banquet. Not used to such feasts except when invited out to dine.

Floyd D. Golden is back from Boulder, Col., and promised to tell us a funny story this week. We are anxiously awaiting it.

Over in Texas last week a newspaper carried the announcement of a lawyer as candidate for criminal attorney. Granted.

If you do not like the News cuss and discuss it. Get it off your chest, and then bring in a renewal for another year.

The News classified ads brought in the last spectacles of the little Floyd girl. They will work for you just as well.

H. C. McGowan closed up his shop at Elida and hung crepe on the door last week, but this week he resurrected it.

Portales beans are selling at Clovis at 5 cents per pound.

The editor is some weather prophet.

He went to the ranch near Claudi Sunday. Smith, the tenant, stated that he was glad to see him, as rain was badly needed.

Clouds began to form, and as the editor drove away it looked as if it might rain.

In the last twelve years it has seldom failed to rain when the ranch was visited.

Those needing rain might invite the editor and family to come out and spend a week or so.

## PEP &amp; HIWAY

Sunday school was well attended last Sunday. Fifty-two were present. We are very glad to see that many in attendance at Sunday school. Everyone is invited to attend every Sunday.

There also was a large crowd out to singing. We are proud to know the community is interested in singing as there was a nice crowd present Sunday night.

Clarence Wasmata of Texas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Wasmata the latter part of the week. He has by this time returned to Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Rendoles of Hiway entertained a group of neighbors and friends with an ice cream supper at their home Saturday night. A large crowd was present and everyone reported a nice time.

Mrs. Roy Maccliff and children spent the day with Mrs. Harold Maccliff Thursday.

Leslie Miller and his mother are planning on leaving to live in Amarillo Wednesday. We are wishing them much luck in their new home.

Mrs. L. H. Faw improved nicely from her sick spell. We were glad to see her and Mr. Faw out to Sunday school Sunday.

Our community was certainly glad to see the road gang drive up to Hiway the first of the week, as they mean better roads.

We were sorry to hear of the accident, wherein Ogden Cares was painfully injured while working on the state highway last Wednesday. He was stretching wire when the wire broke, striking him across the right eye. Mr. Cares is doing nicely at this time.

We were sorry to hear that Eugene Hay of the New Hope community was taken to Lubbock, Tex., for an operation for appendicitis early Sunday morning.

Henry Munn has been on the sick list for the last month. He has been bedfast for the last five days. The doctor was called Saturday. He hasn't been doing so well since. We hope for his speedy recovery.

H. E. Toombs had the misfortune to lose a calf, which was devoured by a coyote.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Toombs entertained at their home Sunday for the following dinner guests: Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Tucker, and Mr. and Mrs. Finis Tucker and baby. The young folks present were George Plummer, Lecky Lott, Freda Wilson, Junior Wilson, Verdun Wilson and Harold Wilson. A splendid dinner was served very attractively and the hospitality of the Toombs home makes one feel that it was good to have been there.

## DEEP OIL TEST WELL AT ARNETT, OKLA.

Cellar and slush pits have been dug, cement foundations run and the derrick is under construction.

It looks as if Ma had carried Texas.

If this column does not suit you, you have nothing on us. It does not suit us, either.

on the Arnett oil test, located on the Roper farm, four miles north of Arnett.

A steel derrick 126 feet high is to be erected. Heavy rotary tools are to be moved in from the Oklahoma City field. The test will go to 6,500 feet, unless oil or gas is picked up at a lesser depth.

Lewis A. Little, manager of the Portales Valley Sweet Potato Growers' association, and his family are interested in the above news, for Mr. Roper's wife is Mr. Little's sister, while Mr. Little's wife is a sister of Mr. Roper. The Roper family has often visited in this vicinity among their numerous relatives.

Miss Laverda Burroughs, who will teach at Pleasant Valley next year, has gone to Canyon, where she will attend summer school the second term.

Miss Rosamond Deen came home last week from Canyon, after completing her work at the West Texas Teachers' college for the first session of the summer term.

Mrs. John Mayhall of Clovis was an overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. King last Thursday.

## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Democratic Nominees

## STATE ELECTION

For District Attorney (Ninth Judicial District)—  
**J. C. COMPTON**  
(for re-election)  
For Senator (21st Senatorial District)—  
**T. E. MEARS**  
For Representative (25th Legislative District)—  
**COE HOWARD**

## COUNTY ELECTION

For Sheriff—  
**J. H. BOND**  
For Treasurer—  
**HOMER BARNETT**  
For County Clerk—  
**MRS. PAUL E. MORRISON**  
For Tax Assessor—  
**FLOYD T. KENNEDY**  
(Re-election)  
For Probate Judge—  
**J. HARVE BAKER**  
(the shoemaker)  
For Ch. Sept. of Schools—  
**A. E. HUNT**  
(Re-election)  
For County Commissioner (Precinct No. 1)—  
**TOM HAINSLIP**  
For County Commissioner (Precinct No. 2)—  
**E. L. ALLEN**  
For County Commissioner (Precinct No. 3)—  
**D. A. GORDON**

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For Sheriff—  
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# POULTRY

## POULTRY FEED THAT IS WELL BALANCED

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Feed cost is only a part of the expense of producing eggs. It is about 60 per cent of the total cost. If it takes 9 cents feed cost to produce eggs, the eggs must sell at 15 cents a dozen, to keep from losing money.

What the poultryman needs is a cheap but well-balanced ration.

There are two mash mixtures that can be prepared for about the same price. The first is: Equal parts of bran, shorts, cornmeal, ground oats and meat scraps. The second is: 100 pounds of cornmeal, 100 pounds ground wheat, 100 pounds ground oats or barley, and 75 pounds of meat scraps. Either mash must be fed dry and kept before the hens at all times in open self-feeders. Ten feet of feeder space is needed for each 100 hens in the house.

A grain ration is fed with the mash. Such a ration may consist of any grains grown on the farm. It should contain some yellow corn if it does not add too much to the cost by including it. Equal parts of cracked corn, whole wheat and kafir is a suggested ration, or 75 parts of corn, 25 parts of wheat, or in fact almost any combination of grains.

### Wise Poultryman Will Watch for Coccidiosis

Coccidiosis is a bloody dysentery of poultry affecting chiefly young stock of four to twelve weeks of age. The cause is a microscopic parasite which, taken in the food, invades the lining membrane of the intestines and eventually the liver. In the intestines it sets up an irritation which destroys the tissues, which slough, exposing the tiny blood vessels to further invasion. The parasite is picked up with the food from contaminated soil, where it has been deposited with the droppings, usually from old stock which apparently recovered from the disease, but which still harbor the germs. The disease is usually incurable, hence the importance of preventing the occurrence. This may be done by raising the young chicks on ground which has not been used for old fowls.—Exchange.

### Range and Fresh Water Necessary for Pullets

Crowding pullets on the range is one cause of poor development. When the young birds have plenty of room they seem to feather better and develop vigorous healthy bodies. Poultry profits are determined not entirely by the number of pullets but by the quality of the individual birds.

Never allow the water supply to run low on the pullet range. If water must be carried to the birds, take them fresh water whether they need it or not. This prevents the fountain or pump from running dry and causing the birds to trample each other while waiting for water. The modern method of feeding the growing stock consists in keeping a balanced dry mash available at all times and that mash cannot easily be eaten or digested without large quantities of water to mix with it.

### Hen That Molts Early Not a Good Producer

Contrary to the opinion of some poultry men, the hen that molts early usually does not begin laying early again in the winter, says F. E. Andrews of the New York State College of Agriculture. In fact, the early molters usually require more time to renew their feathers than the late molters. The early molting also indicates a lack of high productive ability.

If the egg production goes down slowly and a few hens start molting each week it is a safe practice to cull those individuals. However, if a large percentage of the flock suddenly stops laying and begins to molt, it is best to check on the management of the flock, and would not necessarily mean that all of the hens were culled. Mr. Andrews advises.

Sudden changes of feed, a bad infection of lice or mites, or insufficient amounts of feed and water may throw the flock into a molt.

### Air Poultry House

When a long poultry house consists of tight sections, while the hens all range in one flock, we find it pays to open all the inside doors and block them open. This tends to stir up a draught in the house and the air keeps moving even on hot days. An outside screen door covered with hardware cloth can be used instead of the wooden door on hot nights, and it will help to keep out thieves but permit air to circulate through the house.—Indiana Farmer's Guide.

### Quarters for Pullets

As the culs are removed the flock will, of course, need less room and where a large house with pens is used the remainder of the flock can be moved into fewer and fewer pens and the empty ones thoroughly cleaned and disinfected and made ready for the pullets, a writer in the Ohio Farmer comments. This method of arrangement will spread the labor over a longer time and mean less rushing this fall when the pullets are ready to be put in their winter quarters.

## How We Elect Our President

With both major parties having chosen their candidates for President and Vice President, persons are frequently puzzled by the method of choosing the President by electoral votes. Other questions as to the laws and customs relating to the office of President also frequently arise. For this reason the News presents the following article relating to the presidency of the United States.

George Washington, our first President, was inaugurated in New York City, then the capital, on April 30, 1789. A tablet in the heart of that city's present financial district now marks the site where he took the oath of office. Since our government has been in operation, thirty men have served as President. The term of office for which the President is chosen is four years, and begins on Mar. 4 of the year following the election, unless that date comes on a Sunday, when the inauguration takes place on the following day. Only once has this occurred, and in that one instance the retiring President served an extra day making his term of office eight years and one day, the longest any man ever served as President.

Can any of our readers name this President who served a day longer than eight years?

Eleven Presidents have been re-elected. Although there is no law to the contrary, no President has ever been elected for a third term.

Nine Presidents served as Vice President before becoming President. Five of these were elected to the presidency after serving as Vice President. Three succeeded to the presidency because of the death of the President, and of these only two were re-elected to the office.

On Tuesday after the first Monday in November of presidential election year, the voters—men and women—of each of the forty-eight states have the opportunity to express their choice for President and Vice President. The voters do not vote directly for these officers; their votes are cast for presidential electors.

Each state has as many presidential electors as it is entitled to have senators and representatives in congress. The number of representatives in excess of one depends upon the state's population. Until congress changes the present number of members of the house of representatives (435), the electoral college will consist of 531 electors.

The first Wednesday in January following the election, is the day when the constitution for the electors chosen by popular vote at the election to "meet in their respective states at such place as the state legislature may designate and vote by ballot for President and Vice President, one of whom, at least, shall not be an inhabitant of the same state with themselves." Six certified copies of their votes are made. One copy is sent to the president of the United States senate by registered mail, two copies to the United States secretary of state by registered mail, two copies to the secretary of state of the state in which the electors meet, and the sixth copy is filed with the Federal district judge in whose district the electors meet. These meetings in the forty-eight states constitute the electoral college.

On the second Wednesday in February, in Washington, "the president of the senate shall, in the presence of the senate and the house of representatives, open all the certificates, and the votes shall then be counted. The person having the greatest number of votes for President shall be the President, if such number be a majority of the whole number of electors appointed. The person having the greatest number of votes for Vice President shall be the Vice President, if such number be a majority of the whole number of electors appointed." says the constitution.

If no candidate for President receives 269 electoral votes, the senate will retire, and the house of representatives will immediately proceed to choose a President from among the three who received the greatest number of electoral votes. In such an election each state is entitled to one vote.

Only one President of the United States has been elected by the house of representatives. High school students are invited to name the President so elected.

If no candidate for Vice President receives 269 electoral votes, the senate will choose a Vice President from the highest number of electoral votes for that office. Each senator is entitled to one vote in such an election.

Should the house of representatives, when the duty devolves upon it, fail to choose a President for the United States, the Vice President elected becomes President.

No person may assume the duties of President until he has taken the oath (or affirmation) prescribed by the constitution of the United States.

Mrs. L. L. Brown and Miss Wanda are driving to Albuquerque tomorrow to get Mr. Brown and Miss LaVon, who have been attending summer school at the New Mexico university. Mrs. Brown and Wanda will see the new baby in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Brown for the first time. This is Mr. and Mrs. Brown's first grandchild.

Milton and Mel Grissom, and the Misses Martha and Maxine Grissom left Monday for Blackwell, Okla., to visit with relatives for a few days. These four relatives met in Portales from their respective homes and planned the visit to their other relatives from here.

## RICHLAND

Mrs. Edna of Amarillo, who is visiting her sons and their families, spent the week end in the J. W. Short home.

The Homemakers club of the Richland community met at the home of Mrs. John Stroud Thursday evening. All report a nice time and the club work progressing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Robb Graham of Lubbock spent Sunday in the J. R. Smith home.

Miss Irene Martin returned home Thursday from Amarillo, where she had been visiting with relatives the last month, to be with her mother, who has been ill the last week.

The attendance at Sunday school is getting back nearer normal since the weather is not so warm and farmers are over the rush of planting and cultivating. Seventy were present Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Beeman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Stroud Sunday.

Mrs. Edna Myers and sister-in-law, Mrs. Lizzie Houser, of Hart, Tex., spent Saturday and Sunday visiting Mrs. Meyers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Chenault.

Marie Chenault, who has been visiting Mrs. Meyers for the last month, has returned home.

Ben Crush and Max Brown of Spur, Tex., spent Saturday and Sunday visiting in the Hubbard Fulton home.

Miss Mae Belle Martin spent the week end in the Stroud home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tolle Clark and daughter Opal took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. D. Broyles Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Usher spent the afternoon in the D. Broyles home Sunday.

Leonard Talley, Ted Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Swan and family took dinner in the Joe Parks home Sunday.

The Richland Sewing and Cooking club met at the home of Mrs. Stroud July 21. The ladies were extremely disappointed at the non-appearance of Miss Verda Oakley, county demonstration agent, as she was scheduled to be present to give a demonstration on cheese making.

The club will meet with Mrs. Claud Clark on Aug. 4, when the Girls' 4-H club will be present.

Most of the farmers are getting their crops laid by.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Terrill spent Sunday in the home of Dewey Hayhurst.

Use News Wanted for Results.

## Popular Quotation Not to Be Found in Bible

Among the many things popularly supposed to be in the Bible is the following oft-quoted saying: "The time will come when you cannot give summer from winter except by the putting forth of the buds and the falling of the leaves." It is not in the Bible and its origin is not known, says Pathfinder Magazine. Genesis 8:22 seems to express the opposite idea: "While the earth remaineth, seedtime and harvest and cold and heat, and summer and winter, and day and night, shall not cease." However, like a lot of other "homespun Scripture," the quotation under discussion undoubtedly was suggested by certain Biblical passages. It may have arisen originally from a wrong construction of the words attributed to Jesus in relating the parable of the fig tree. According to Matthew 24:32 and 33 Jesus said: "Now learn a parable of the fig tree: When his branch is yet tender, and putteth forth leaves, ye know that summer is nigh." In Luke 2:39 and 30 and in Mark 13:28 the parable is given in almost the same words.

## Poisonous American Snakes

There are only two families of poisonous snakes in the United States, in each of which there are several species. The rattlesnake family, Crotalidae, has three genera—Crotalus, Sistrurus and Agkistrodon. Crotalus is the genus of the common rattlesnakes, of which there are about 15 species. Sistrurus is the genus of the Massasaugas, of which there are only three species. Agkistrodon is the genus of the copperheads and the water moccasins. The other family of poisonous snakes is the family of the coral snakes, Elapidae. There are only two species of this family common in the United States—the Hatteria snake and the Sonoran coral snake, both belonging to the genus Elaps. —Washington Star.

## Because

Billie hurried into the house to report a fight.

"And why," said his mother, "did Horace slap Bobbie?"

"Because," replied Billy, looking at his mother seriously, "Bobbie slapped him."

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## Beautiful Homes

One of the outstanding residences of Portales is located so that the front is on Utah street and its side is on Union street. The house is a two story building of English architecture. The rear is fenced with a five foot rock wall. This is the home of Ed N. Neer.

The front lawn is not extra large but very neat. Two nice Chinese elm trees stand in front of the house and a neat little pine tree decorates the corner. On either side of the front entrance grows a wistaria on lattice work. The front of the house and the side porch have spirea, roses and madeira vines, with morning glories here and there. On the large brick chimney is growing the English ivy.

The driveway extends from the front of the inside to the rear of the lot. The hedge on the left of the driveway is of shrubs part of the way, and the remainder is a fence with morning glories and marigolds twining over it. The hedge on the left consists of boun-

ing berry, marigolds, sinias and morning glories.

The rear entrance of the house is covered over with madeira vines. On the right of the entrance are roses and larkspur; on the left are cannas, daisies, marigolds and spirea.

The rear lawn is of Bermuda grass, and has some large pear trees that show excellent care. The inside of the double garage has a high hedge of rose bushes and dahlias. The rear fence is covered with grape vines. The flower garden inside the garage consists of gladioli, asters, peonies, nasturtium and marigolds.

On the rock fence on the side is growing the English ivy, and between this and the lawn are gladioli, petunias, nasturtium and asters. The whole rear lawn presents a rustic air which is intensified by the heavy gate at the garage.

All of the residence on Union street is unusual. The side entrance and the stately rock fence contribute a dignified air. The Bermuda grass grows out to the porch. The elm trees are breaking the evening rays of the sun. Even the red and yellow cannas are unusually large. Wisterias and barberry grow on each side of the entrance.

The Neers are old timers in this part of the country, but they did not build this house until about four years ago. The place is becoming more beautiful all the time.

Another of the well kept homes of Portales is that of J. D. Hunter at the corner of the block on Ohio and Gramma streets. It faces Ohio street and the high school building.

The house is of English architecture, but low. It is constructed of hollow tile and stuccoed. The flowers and shrubs are the first to attract the attention.

In the front there is a curb hedge of sinias. The front lawn is of blue grass and clover. To the left on entering the house and in front of the dining room and front porch is a bed of phlox, snapdragons and pansies. A box of ivy coleus and geraniums sits in front of the dining room window. Between the flower bed and the lawn is a border of violets.

On the right and in front of the living room is another window box and a similar bed of flowers. Two clematis greet you as you are ready to step upon the porch.

The whole of the 140 feet on Gramma street is well cared for. The hedge to the rear of the house is of dahlias, with now and then a gladioli. The side of the rear lawn is the same as that of the front. The flower bed against the house consists of daisies and cannas.

The rear of the lot seems to be divided in about half lengthways. About two-thirds of the front half on Gramma street is the rear lawn of Bermuda grass. In about the middle of the rear lawn is located a rock flower pot in which are growing white, yellow and blue flowers. Around the lawn is a hedge of tough-leafed notes, petunias, verbena, gladioli and other flowers.

On the rear of this half is the flower garden in which grow hollyhocks, cannas, marigolds, dahlias and flowers with red foliage.

On the front of the inside half of the lot is the oblong fish pond made of rock, over which is a neat little white bridge. A lily grows

in one end of the pond and a fern in the other. Around this pond is a wilderness of flowers, except the space taken up by the rock walks which are almost hidden by the Bermuda grass.

On the back of the inside half are the barn and kitchen garden. The barn is almost hidden with Japanese morning glories. The outside hedge of the garden is of Kentucky Wonder beans. The vegetables in the garden consist of beets, peas, cucumbers, peppers and gourd beans.

The gourd bean is an unusual plant. It is climbing the side of the barn and has the appearance of a gourd vine. The fruit is long like a cucumber. It's white blooms come out at night. For table use, it is prepared like squash or egg plant.

When you stand between the bird house, which is about covered with a balsam vine, and the rock well, you have a wonderful view any way you look. There are the kitchen garden, the flowers around the fish pond, the rear of the house on which grow madeira vines and honeysuckles, the rear lawn and the flower garden.

The inside front of the lot has a hedge of lilacs. The lawn is of blue grass and clover. There are so many house plants about the side of the house that the space between the house and the hedge has the appearance of the decorations of a living room.

The Hunters have an outstanding home. Mrs. Hunter stated that she had counted forty-seven different flowers and shrubs that now are growing on their lawn, and she did not think she counted them all. Mr. and Mrs. Hunter do all the work. They love flowers.

Mrs. J. C. Compton and her son James drove to Canyon, Tex., last Thursday and remained until Friday visiting Mrs. Compton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Parrish, Jimmie Smith and Gordon Hatch left the first of the week for State College, where they will spend their day visiting Mrs. Compton's meeting at the college.

Miss Martha Grissom arrived Friday from her home in Columbia, Ky., and will visit her uncles and aunt in Elks as well as relatives and friends in Portales.

Rev. J. C. Johnson, pastor of the Portales Presbyterian church, and Rev. Barton of Clovis exchanged pulpits last Sunday morning, and both were greeted with attentive audiences. Each minister delivered a splendid sermon.

## FLOYD

There were eighty-six in attendance at Sunday school last Sunday. Jimmie Medlock spent last Friday afternoon with Buel and Marie Heckathorne.

Marye Hall was a guest of her friend, Marie Heckathorne, last Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. McKenzie and family and Mr. Kiffe were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eady. Dwight Watkins spent last Sunday evening with Edward Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Don C. Foster left last Saturday for Las Cruces to be in attendance at the Farm and Home week at the state college. They were accompanied by Carl Eminger and Herbert Little. Miss Ola Sweet went as far as Roswell with the party to visit a while in the home of her grandparents.

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Mrs. Paul Haragan entertained last Saturday evening in honor of her girls friends, Misses Lottie, Christine and Orla. Little Melbina Haragan has been sick for the last week. Miss Eunice Haragan was a guest last Sunday of Ruth Barnister. There was a chicken fry at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Jones last Saturday night. James E. Green was a Sunday dinner guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Watkins. Miss Cleo Heckathorne spent last Sunday visiting in the Bethel community.

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| Tomatoes, No. 1        | 10c |
| Corn, No. 1            | 12c |
| Beans, No. 1           | 6c  |
| Chickens, over 1½ lbs. | 12c |
| Leghorns, over 1½ lbs. | 10c |
| Broilers, over 1½ lbs. | 11c |
| Green Beans, No. 1     | 10c |

## THE DESERT'S PRICE

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### THE STORY

**CHAPTER I**—Drawn by the desert signal of distress, Wilson McCann, young Arizona ranchman, made an old friend, Jim Yerby, with a broken leg. Julia Stark, daughter of Matthew Stark, inveterate enemy of the McCanns, signaled and rendered first aid. Taking a note from Julia to her father, Wilson is fired on by Jasper, Julia's brother, Stark, Sr., expresses disbelief of Wilson's account of the shooting.

**CHAPTER II**—On the way from Yerby's place to her home, Julia learns her companion's identity and dismisses him in anger, the old feud ranking. Wilson tells Ann Gifford, sheep rancher, and on that account unpopular with the cattlemen, of Yerby's accident.

She had a shaken sense of stilling pulses, the premonition of impending disaster. But it was too late to ride away now. Already the three riders were showing darkly in silhouette against the sky line. She waited with dread beside this enemy of her family while the men rode toward them.

"Who is it?" Jasper Stark demanded.

Julia called her name to him. She heard him say to his companions, "Ride an' Doc Sanders." He was riding in the lead and it was not till he had pulled up his horse that his startled oath announced recognition of McCann.

Hurriedly Julia explained, "Doctor Sanders had to stay all night with Jim Yerby. He asked Mr. McCann to see me home."

"Since when has Will McCann been your friend, Juliet?" her brother demanded harshly.

"He's no friend of mine, I didn't know who he was till he told me just now."

"The Starks know me well enough to shoot at me, but not well enough to pass the time of day," McCann added tauntingly. "An' that's about as well as I want to know most of them."

His gaze moved to the Texans. Giltner was a big rangy fellow with the appearance and manner of a bully. He looked dangerous, but not so much so as the man on his right. There was a deadly quality about the stillness of Stone.

Only the chill light-blue eyes were quick with life. McCann knew his reputation and one long steady exchange of looks told him this small brown Texan would live up to it.

"You didn't shoot at him from the mesquite, Jas, did you?" his sister asked.

"Been runnin' to you about it, has he?" snarled Stark. "Well, there's nothin' to it. I shot to warn him back, an' he's been bellyachin' ever since."

"I knew it was something like that," the girl replied quickly.

McCann laughed softly and deliberately.

"Something amusing you?" Giltner wanted to know, heavy lower jaw thrust forward aggressively.

The Arizona met him eye to eye. "Any law against laughing, Mr. Giltner?"

"Depends how you laugh an' where."

"If I could get Mr. Giltner to show me how an' where—"

Stone interrupted, quietly, each drawing word spaced evenly. "If my name was Will McCann I'd fight out now my prairie." His eyes were slits of shining menace.

Julia, alarmed, moved her horse a step or two so that she was between the Flying VY rider and his foe. "Yes," she said, and her voice was not quite steady. "I'd go now, Mr. McCann—please."

"That's good advice, I reckon," he agreed. "Or I might not go at all. Your friends seem awfully nice."

He lifted his hand, too in a sweeping bow, swung Jim-Dandy, and moved away at a road gait. The thing was done raffishly, and slipshod, with obvious intent to irritate.

Julia was relieved when the darkness swallowed him and his horse. "We'd better go home now," she said to her brother.

Jasper was annoyed and showed it. He looked at his companions, doubtful what to do.

With a dry ironic smile Stone settled the matter. They could not go about their errand now, since the information that they were night riding had become public property.

"Why, yes, Jas. Might as well go home, I reckon, like Miss Julie tells us," the little Texan said with gentle sarcasm. "We taken all the ride tonight we need for our health."

On his way back to the Yerby place from the Flying VY next morning Wilson McCann passed a sheep ranch on the mesa. The place belonged to the Gifford sisters. They had inherited it a few years before from a stiff-necked uncle who had brought sheep in regardless of opposition from the cattle interests.

It had been an ill-starred venture, followed by quarrels, warnings, raids, and bloodshed. Old Andy Gifford died while the trouble was at its height and the hostility had been passed on to his niece. But it took the form of sullen aloofness rather than active warfare. The neighborhood did not like sheep, was disturbed at the presence of these "hoofed locusts" eating up the range, yet could not bring itself to the point of driving out three defenseless women.

When their uncle died Ann Gifford had been twenty-two, Nora past nineteen, and Ethel sixteen. Far from friends, on the edge of the desert, the life of the girls was a lonely one. The ranchmen of the district looked upon them with ill-concealed resentment. Their wives and daughters paid no friendly visits.

But in a man's country these three attractive girls were a magnet not to be resisted. A few cowpunchers met them and broke down the barrier. Rumors began to fly, as they must when presentable young women are visited only by men. At last the wagging tongue of gossip found something tangible to whisper. Ann and Nora Gifford had taken the train for Los Angeles, while the younger of the three was attending school at Tucson. Some months later the older sister returned alone, hard-eyed, close-mouthed. No letters from Nora ever came to the ranch, it was observed at the post office. Where was she? What had become of her?

During Ann's absence a band of sheep had been harried and driven over a cliff by night riders. Ann's lips shut tighter, the lines about their grew harder. Since her return she and Ethel lived alone.

McCann lifted his hat. "Howdy, Miss Gifford. What's the good word?" he asked.

Ann Gifford was thin, brown, dry as a chip. Her eyes blazed a burn-

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ing bitterness. Resentment at life's injustice marred her dark good looks. "What can I do for you," she said bluntly.

"For me? Nothing, ma'am," he replied, disconcerted. "I reckoned there might be something I could do for you. When there's no men folk on a place a bushy willing lad comes in baby sometimes. If you need me—"

"We don't."

"Now, or any time, why—"

"Not now or any time," she snapped.

McCann was embarrassed but persistent. He had met the Gifford girls only two or three times, and then casually. But he had thought a good deal about the hard lines into which their lives had fallen.

"I'd be pleased to help any way I could."

"We'll not trouble you, thanks." Her refusal of his offer had the crack of a whip.

This was definite enough. McCann searched for some meaningless phrase to soften what she had said.

"Well, it's an open offer, ma'am. I'll be movin' on now. Jim Yerby's done broke his leg an' I'm kinda lookin' after him."

His glance picked up the figure of a young girl in the doorway, a soft round little person with dimpled cheeks in and out of which the pink could pour at the least excuse.

The mouth was childishly sweet, the hair abundant and fluffy. Men instinctively grew tender and protective when they looked at shy-eyed Ethel Gifford.

Again McCann bowed, this time to the girl in the doorway.

Ann faced him, inflexibly hostile. She did not speak.

"Well, so long."

Jim-Dandy felt the rein on his neck and turned toward the trail. From the ridge above McCann looked down on the low buildings of the sheep ranch. Ethel was still standing where he had last seen her. She seemed to him a lonely and pathetic figure robbed of the joys of youth.

Yerby was inclined to be querulous.

"Doc's been worryin' for fear you wouldn't come, boy. What's been keepin' you?"

"Had to fix a fence. Pedro bring my roll an' some grub last night?"

"Sure did. Well, son, you're here make yoreself at home."

Wilson turned Jim-Dandy into the corral. He added Doctor Sanders' horse and brought it to the door.

"Yore horse is served, Doc," McCann called in. "Course I don't aim to drag you away from any hammered-down I'll run you may have for a patient. Take yore time. He can't move, talk an' arm off you."

The old timer snorted. "Ever see the beat of them kids, Doc? They don't know sic' 'em, an' they don't want to learn from them that does know."

Doctor Sanders laughed. He knew Yerby enjoyed rough repartee. "You act like a pair of kids, if you ask me. Don't forget to give Jim one of these powders every four hours, Will." He added his "So long" and bustled out to the horse.

Before he left, McCann offered a suggestion. He did not quite know the spring of the impulse that impelled it. "Wish you wouldn't say anything about that gunplay at Tincup pass, Doc. No use startin' trouble before it has to come."

Sanders assented.

McCann's eyes followed him as he dipped into the arroyo that would bring him to the mesa upon which was the sheep ranch. The young man smiled ruefully. He was thinking about the Gifford sisters.

It seemed to him that their lives were involved in tragedy. Why should they be pariahs, outcasts from the society of those living near? What had they done to deserve it? That they ran sheep was an unfortunate incident and had nothing to do with what they were. No wonder Ann had become embittered at the destiny that pressed upon them. Nora had vanished, the bloom brushed from her life, if the dark rumors he heard were true. But his thoughts dwelt on Ethel, so unfit to cope with the harshness of this dry and cruel land.

## CHAPTER III

### Will McCann Uses His Quirt

ON THE porch in front of Basford's emporium, which was also the post office, Mesa and the adjoining country met to discuss the news and formulate views.

Today conversation was engrossing but guarded. For the feud between the Starks and the McCanns had broken out again. During the night a cabin far from the main ranch house of the Flying VY had been raided and burned by armed horsemen. Two punchers had been sleeping there, and in trying to escape through the window one had been wounded. He had slipped away into the chaparral and hidden.

After daybreak his companion had brought help from the Flying VY and carried him to the ranch.

Peter McCann, two of his sons, and his foreman, Wes Tapscott, were in town. They came in force, so the story ran, to find out what the sheriff intended to do about it.

Curt Quinn, to two safe friends confidentially summed up public opinion. "Old man McCann ain't expectin' Hank to do anything. I don't reckon Hank got elected sheriff to pick a row with the Starks. He won't look onet at the Circle Cross ranch, an' I don't blame him. Nor old Pete won't blame him either. He come to the law to make the proper bluff, but he'd be plumb disappointed if it interfered in his own little private feud. The McCanns will play out the hand their own selves."

The town looked with respect and awe upon the four lean brown men who dismounted at the sheriff's office. All of them carried rifles as well as side arms. Peter, hard-eyed and imperious, a fighter from his youth, asked no odds of any man. If he was a leader it was not by chance, but by reason of the dominant force in him. Hawk-nosed and shaggy-browed, the chief of the McCanns bore in his face the look of heads and unmanageable temper. One glance at the three was enough to show from whom his like and keen-eyed sons had inherited.

"Chips of the old block, Will an' Lyn are about as tough propositions to bump into as a fellow's liable to meet," Slim Shell commented as he watched the four riders leave the sheriff's office. He was a middle-aged man with no business except everybody's business. "Except the old man. He's got a teetle on the edge of the boys yet. When he gets on the hook I certainly want to be lookin' for a tree to climb."

"How about expectin' Matt Stark an' them Texans, Stone an' Giltner?" Basford murmured significantly.

"They're no pilgrims," admitted Slim.

The quartette of riders swung from the saddles and grounded the reins. Peter McCann nodded grimly to those on the porch and walked into the store. Tapscott followed him. The others stayed to exchange a word with Quinn and Shell.

Lyn sat on his heels and from his hip pocket drew the "makings." There was nothing to show he was not at perfect ease with the world—except the long rifle he had just propped against the wall. He was a good-looking lad, just turned twenty, slender and graceful as one of "Praxiteles" models.

The talk drifted. Then from out of the store came Peter McCann with a square of wrapping paper, a hammer, and some tacks. To the wall he nailed the coarse paper. Those on the porch watched him silently and read the notice roughly printed there.

**\$1000 REWARD**  
For information identifying All or any of the Night Riders who Shot Joe Walters at the Cass Cabin Will be paid by PETER MCCANN.

This called for comment. After a long moment of waiting Quinn spoke. "How is Joe?"

"He'll make it, Doc says."

"Good. He's one tough customer. Joe is. I kinda figured he'd fool 'em. Neil was allowin' to ride over today an' see if it was anything he could do."

"Not a thing, Curt. But tell her much obliged."

That was all. McCann's spurs jingled down the steps. His sons and his foreman followed. They swung into their saddles and rode away.

"Short an' sudden," commented Slim. "The old man don't orate much, but his actions talk mighty loud. I notice he ain't offerin' no reward for the arrest an' conviction of them night riders. Not none. He aims to do all the arrestin' that's needed an' he don't reckon any convictin' will be required."

Quinn nodded. He was of the same opinion. McCann would go his own way, regardless of the law. If anyone protested he could point out how he had first appealed to it for protection. But there would be a grim ironic light in his eyes when he mentioned the fact.

The McCanns had not been out of Mesa ten minutes when another group of horsemen were seen approaching by the Tincup Pass road in a cloud of dust. They drew up in front of the Gilt Edge saloon.

Jasper Stark straddled into the gambling house, his brother Phil and Carl Giltner at his heels. Stone stood on the porch and looked round leisurely in his cool measured way before he passed through the door into the Gilt Edge. Killer he might be, but he was an individual first. He did not follow at any man's beck.

"Come an' wash the dust outa yore throat, Dave," invited Jasper, in no subdued voice. "It's on me today. Bet yore boots."

Stone's cold blue eyes looked at Jasper with no warmth in them. As a boy the Texan had ridden with Mosby in his border raids. There were rumors that at one time he had been one of Quantrell's guerrillas. The habit of his life was to consort with danger. It seemed to him child's play and worse, an indication of arrant weakness, to wear such a manner of exuberant triumph as Jasper Stark displayed. What had they done but drive two frightened cowpunchers into the chaparral, wound one, and fire an empty cabin? If the faction with which he was allied called this a victory there would surely be trouble ahead. The McCanns were fighters.

"I wouldn't choose to drink," he said.

"Different here," retorted Jasper. "Set 'em up, Hans. The lid's off today."

The older of the Stark brothers was large and muscular, but he carried himself slouchily. His physical strength was not convincing because it had back of it no mental or moral force. The younger man was of a different type. Phil was only eighteen, but he had been brought up in the school of the frontier which had no vacations. Stone judged that he would go through when the call came.

The Gilt Edge was the usual resort of the Stark faction as the Legal Tender was of the other side. Hans now gave information to Jasper as he set out glasses and bottles.

"The McCanns was in town today already yet."

Jasper stopped, glass poised. "How many of 'em?"

(Continued next week)

## NOTICE OF SALE UNDER EXECUTION

### WHEREAS an execution has been issued out of the District Court of Curry Co., N. M. on a judgment for \$2290.00 rendered May 28, 1932, in favor of plaintiffs and against defendants in cause No. 4394, wherein May Walker Hart et al are plaintiffs, and B. B. Walker et al are defendants, commanding me to make said sum, with interest and costs of suit, out of the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of the defendant, B. B. Walker, and by virtue thereof I have levied upon all right title and interest of B. B. Walker, in and to two certain leases on state lands, situate in Curry and Roosevelt Counties, N. M., granted by the State of New Mexico to said B. B. Walker, with all fences, wells, windmills and other improvements thereon to wit:

8½ of SW¼ and N¼ of S¼ of Sec. 33; W¼ of W¼, SE¼ of SW¼, NE¼ of SE¼ and S¼ of SE¼ Sec. 32; E¼ of Sec. 35; all of Sec. 31, Twp. 2N, Range 31E, All Secs. 2, 11 and 12, Twp. 1N, Range 30E; NW¼ and N¼ of S¼ of Sec. 2, Twp. 1N, Range 31E; All Sec. 36, Twp. 2N, Range 30E; all of Secs. 1, 7, 8, 9, 15, 16, 17, and 18, Twp. 1N, Range 31E; All Sec. 1, Twp. 1N, Range 30E; with all improvements thereon; Also all cows, bulls, calves and steers and horses located in the C. S. Hart and Andrews pastures, and on range in said pastures owned by B. B. Walker whether branded or unbranded, and being about 750 head of cattle, most of which are branded with figure 6, C. S. Hart, or rafter-cross on left side or left hip; also all milk-pen stock on said ranch.

Notice is hereby given that I will, on Tuesday, August 23, 1932, at the South front door of the Court House in Portales, at the hour of 10 o'clock a.m., offer for sale, and sell at public auction, all or so much of the foregoing personal property and leases and lease-holds, that is in Roosevelt County for cash in hand, as shall be necessary to satisfy said execution, costs of suit, interest and expenses of levy and sale; and that the amount that will be due at the time of said sale is \$2324.00, plus costs of levy and sale, amounting to about \$190.00. Dated this July 27, 1932.

S. T. JERNIGAN, Sheriff.

July 28—AUG. 18 Hockenbush & May.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Fisher left Saturday night for Texas, where they will make their future home. Mr. Fisher has been connected with the dry cleaning at the Portales laundry.

## PORTALES to SANTA FE by TELEPHONE \$1.20

After 8:30 P. M. Only

70c Station-to-Station Rates Plus Federal tax on amounts over 50c.

## TELEPHONE

## Notice to Our Customers!

Due to the increase in postage rates, we ask that you please call for your bank statement at the close of each month, instead of the bank mailing out same.

Please ask for your statement at the bank after the first.

## The First National Bank

Portales, N. M.

## SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY July 30

Fancy Beef Roast, best in town 10c

Velveeta Cheese, the best cheese 19c

Pork Chops, nice and lean, 2 lbs. 25c

Pure Pork Sausage, the best sausage, 3 lbs. 25c

We try to give you better meat at the same price. If you want just real good meat, here's where it is.

## McCALL'S SUPER MARKET

## Only The Best

You will find only the best advertised brands on our shelves, and yet the prices are the lowest.

**WHEATIES 13c or 2 for 25c**

## PIGGLY-WIGGLY



# SOCIAL

## BOY SCOUT OUTING

There were about twenty boys from Troop 18 of the Portales Boy Scouts who went to the Horney ranch last Tuesday for an all night outing.

A. G. Youngblood is leader of this troop and accompanied the boys on the all night trip.

Supper was served out in the open, as was breakfast, and the party returned to Portales early Wednesday morning.

**SUNDAY DINNER**  
Mrs. J. W. McMinn and Miss Beola McMinn entertained a few of their friends at dinner last Sunday in the McMinn home.

The meal was served buffet style and was announced soon after the party returned from the morning church services.

After dinner the friends visited most informally out in the cool of the porch.

The guests included Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cest, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Miller and daughter Anna, Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Lora and their son, Jack Gordon.

**GIRL SCOUT MEETING**  
The three patrols of Troop 1 of the Portales Girl Scouts formed a picnic last Tuesday evening on the rear lawn at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Neer.

Jeffie Hunter is leader of Patrol 1, Ethel Orr of Patrol 2 and Elsie Parnell of Patrol 3.

The girls, with their leader, Miss Loreta McCarty, gathered for supper, which was served at 7:30 o'clock.

After the serving of the meal, a Scout meeting was conducted and Miss McCarty, the captain, awarded second class badges to Elsie Parnell, Winnifred May and Marie Neer.

In addition to this the captain awarded eleven merit badges.

**DINNER PARTY**  
Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Harris complimented out of town guests last Monday evening with a dinner party in their home on Nevada street at 7 o'clock.

The dining table was pretty with the decorations and appointments, and the evening meal was most delicious.

The dinner was served in four courses. The later evening hours were spent visiting most pleasantly out on the spacious porch at the Harris home.

The guests included J. E. Owen and Byron O. Beal of Santa Fe and Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Jones and Coe Howard of Portales.

**BAND PARTY**  
The members of the Portales band enjoyed a lawn party last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Bryant. The details of this will be given in next week's issue of the News.

The arrangements were in the hands of Frances Estelle Bryant, Marie Neer and MacKewen Walcott.

**DINNER PARTY**  
Miss Ureia and Miss Naurea Lewis of Austin, Tex., were the complimented guests at dinner last Sunday when Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Green entertained in their commodious and pleasant home west of Portales.

The Misses Lewis are twin sisters of Mrs. Green and are university acquaintances of Mrs. Carl Yochum.

Mrs. Green had prepared one of her splendid meals for the occasion and it was served soon after the party reached home from the morning church services.

The dinner party consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Green and their children, Miss Ureia and Miss Naurea Lewis of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Yochum of Portales, Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Green from Lubbock.

**Locals and Personals**  
Attorney J. S. Fitzhugh of Clovis was in town on business Monday of this week.

Edwin Chavers of Upton and Elias McCabe of Elida were in town on business Monday.

F. R. McKinley, superintendent of the Elida schools, was a Portales visitor Monday.

A. L. French of Elida was in town on business Monday.

Eldridge Measur is in the country this week spending a few days at the Jordan farm.

J. H. Stroud was in Portales from his ranch near Richland. He states that stock is looking fine. There are good prospects for a crop this year. Early crops were needing rain, but were not in a serious condition.

Edgar Sparks came down from the panhandle portion of the county Monday to attend to some business matters in the county seat. Mr. Sparks says the nice rains which have been visiting most sections of the county during July and June failed in most instances to visit his community, and the crops and grass are both in need of moisture.

Justin Click, president of the First National bank at Elida, was in the county seat Monday to attend to both personal business and also matters in connection with the bank.

Mrs. Kate Stearns left this week for California, after having been in Portales for the last several months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Sullivan.

Gordon Therman of Pleasant Valley spent a portion of last Monday in the county seat attending to business.

Bill Bishop, who has been helping George McCormack with the wheat harvest, received word of the illness of his mother. Bill was making arrangements Saturday to go to her.

J. A. Wilson, who lives on the old John W. George place, has a good crop. Mr. Wilson came to New Mexico for his health. His health is much improved, and he is well satisfied with the country.

Miss Virginia Frances of Big Springs, Tex., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. G. Greaves, and family this week.

The Hon. Hugh Williams, member of the state corporation commission, was in town Tuesday shaking hands with old friends and looking after political fences.

Irving Nunn and C. Y. Smith were in from Kentucky Valley Monday.

W. T. Ridgway was in Portales Monday with J. L. Paxton, county commissioner, attending the tax meeting.

Lewis M. Loflin was a Portales visitor Monday of this week.

"Mother" Ribble left this week for Mobeetie, Tex., for a visit. She has a son, John Ribble, and a daughter, Mrs. W. H. Martin, living there.

Buck Tidwell is visiting this week in the Russell Lott home. He is a brother of Mrs. Lott.

Brooks King made a business trip to Canyon, Tex., Tuesday of this week.

Winnifred Gower is visiting this week in the home of R. G. Bryant. Frances Estelle and Winnifred were two popular young high school girls last year.

Mrs. Charles Hochhalter of Roswell spent a portion of last week in Portales visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. King.

Mrs. Gordon Lyons is assisting at the office of the gas company during a portion of the time Miss Norene Yochum is away on her vacation to California.

Mrs. Ray Snelson was called to Clovis the last of the week on account of the illness of her mother, Mrs. Hazelwood.

Miss Birdie Loughridge is assisting at the J. C. Penney company store each Saturday, where she is one of the efficient sales people.

Mrs. W. I. McCarty and Mrs. Duwood Wright are planning to drive to Roswell Saturday with Miss Loreta McCarty as she starts upon her trip to the Girl Scout camp. The ladies will visit in the valley city until Sunday afternoon and drive home at that time.

S. E. Johnson of the Redlake community was in the county seat Thursday attending to business matters. He and Mrs. Johnson have just returned from a visit to Paducah, Tex.

Miss Lucille Wurster returned to her duties at the First National bank on Tuesday of this week, after a week's vacation period.

Mrs. J. G. Greaves and Mrs. Marion Stinnett drove to Clovis Friday afternoon to attend some of the sessions of the State Press association.

J. M. Walton is in Portales from his home in Kansas visiting in the home of his son, H. C. Walton.

Orel Boteler and Mack Tolliver said Monday that their part of the Floyd community needed rain, especially the early feed crops.

There were a number of the Elida citizens in Portales Monday attending the tax meeting. Emory Wall says that when they have a tax meeting they just send for Elida.

O. D. Vickers, the truck man for the Floyd schools, was in Portales Monday.

V. E. Bivins from the Elida district was in Portales Monday of this week. Mr. Bivins formerly ran a shoe shop in Portales.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Johnson came over from Abilene, Tex., the last of the week and joined Mr. and Mrs. Burl Johnson in a few days' trip to the mountains.

Editor MacIntosh of the Deming Graphic was in Portales Friday afternoon and called at the News office. Mr. MacIntosh was on his way to Clovis from Deming to attend the press association meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dohney left Friday morning for their home in Italy, Tex., after a two weeks' vacation in Portales. They were the honorees at many social functions during their stay in the city with their sister, Miss Bess Dohney.

Mrs. R. L. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. White and family, Mrs. D. A. Lee and children returned to Portales last Thursday after having enjoyed a vacation trip to the White mountains, Ruidoso and the Mesclero Indian reservation.

Miss Louise Robinson and Lee Carter joined with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Caudill, Charles Jr. and Cecil Yaden on a week's outing to the Carter cabin near Weed. The party left Portales Thursday morning.

Mrs. J. W. McMinn, Mrs. J. L. May, Mrs. W. B. Anderson and Miss Winnifred May drove to Clovis Thursday and spent the day visiting with Mrs. J. A. Saylor.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Dennis and little daughter have arrived from their home in Texas to spend their vacation with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Raymond. Mrs. Dennis was Miss Daisy Raymond before her marriage, and lived here in Portales.

Mrs. S. V. Cissell, Mrs. Harry Cissell, Melvin Cissell and Earl Stratton returned Thursday evening from their two weeks' vacation trip to Hot Springs, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Carter and their four children arrived in Portales Friday from their home in Claypool, Ariz., and visited until Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Meador. Mrs. Carter and Mrs. Meador are sisters.

Mrs. George L. Reese and her two children came up from their home in Roswell one day last week and spent a few hours visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Harris.

A. L. Wilson, who homesteaded northeast of Pep fourteen years ago, and who has been living in Oklahoma in recent years, has returned to his homestead. Saturday he called at the News office and ordered the "Old Reliable" sent to his address. Mr. Wilson formerly taught school in this county.

The Spear brothers have some corn on their five-acre block located in the west part of Portales that is in silk and tassel.

Miss Mildred Stinnett returned the first of the week from California, where she had an extended visit with relatives and friends.

Ogden Cares, who received a severe wound on the head in an accident last week, is getting along nicely; in fact, he is able to go about his business.

Mrs. A. J. McDonald, who was operated on for appendicitis in Clovis week before last, is at home and doing well. She is able to walk about the house and sit up most of the time.

J. B. Crow returned to his home here in Portales Tuesday from the Clovis hospital, where he was operated upon last Friday for the removal of his appendix.

Phil Johnston of Roswell was in Portales for a week end visit with his mother, Mrs. Nora Johnston, and other relatives.

Miss Lois Webb has accepted a position in the school at Lamesa, Tex., and will be located in the Texas city during the coming school term.

Lloyd Horney was in Portales Saturday looking after business and meeting his friends. Mr. Horney is one of Roosevelt county's stockmen. He says that his cattle are looking fine. Also, he is glad that the price of cattle is better. The rise in the price of hogs is more certain than the rise in the price of cattle, is Mr. Horney's opinion.

Mrs. I. D. Johnson and her two sons left last Saturday for the Johnson cabin at Ruidoso and will probably spend the next two weeks in the mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Batton drove to Roswell Sunday and were accompanied home by Mr. Batton's mother, Mrs. Lillie Belle Batton.

Miss May Cox of Stephenville, Tex., arrived in Portales Friday evening and will spend the summer here in the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cox.

Aggie Jones, the principal of the Causey schools, was in Portales Monday looking after business.

Rex Forrest says that he can grow dahlias in his chicken yards, but there is no use trying to grow cannas or zinnias.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Radcliff were in Portales on business Saturday. Mr. Radcliff reports a good rain on his ranch, which is about thirty miles south of Portales. The rain was badly needed, but stock is looking fine.

J. W. Clem's wheat harvested about nine bushels per acre. He does not plan to put his wheat on the present market.

Ernest Pogue, band master, is telling some great fish stories about town this week. He tells that he caught the real mountain trout. He is boasting G. W. Carr and H. H. Buchanan as tutors. Mr. Pogue has a fine time on the golf course, also.

R. H. Grissom, state school budget auditor, together with Mrs. Grissom, Miss Maxine and R. H. Jr., arrived in Portales last week from their Santa Fe home to spend a few days in the eastern part of the state. Mr. Grissom will look after some business matters while Mrs. Grissom and the children visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Fulton with their son Billy and daughter Edna Earle have returned from Duncan, Oklahoma and are again on their farm in the Hiway community after an absence of thirteen years. Mr. and Mrs. Fulton were married in this state. She was Miss Ethel Shubert before her marriage. Mrs. Fulton called at the News office Friday and directed the paper sent to their home on the Elida East Star Route each week.

Miss Edith Wheeler went to Clovis last Thursday and spent the day with Miss Ethel Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Therman Harris were week end visitors in the home of Mr. Harris' mother Mrs. Wade of Meirice.

Miss Jesse Ingalls left Saturday for Olney, Tex., for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ingalls, and other relatives in that city.

A good rain was reported to the northwest of Floyd Wednesday night. The rain came within three miles of Floyd.

Mrs. Nathalie Keary from Mississippi arrived in Portales last week and is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Dora Brasell.

**Rogers Rumbings**  
The warm weather continues and the heat waves are unpleasant. Still, the farmers are striving to hold their crops until the rain comes.

Miss Thelma Braebars is again home after spending her vacation at the encampment near Albuquerque.

Miss Jennie McCormack, who is attending summer school at Las Vegas, has decided to remain for the entire term, taking credit for her three months of summer school work.

Burney Carter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge Carter, is in Clovis hospital and is recovering nicely from an appendix operation.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Anderson went fishing Sunday night. W. L. says, "Believe it or not, but they brought home the fish, not the bacon." Another fish story!

The party given Saturday night by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carter was a "scream"—a decided success. Mr. and Mrs. Carter are special favorites among the younger set, and they always enjoy a party at their home.

S. F. Anderson left Sunday morning for Hot Springs, N. M., where he expects to enjoy a few of the mineral baths.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Fraze are spending their vacation among the lofty pines in the western part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Gordon are again in Las Cruces attending to matters of business concerning the agricultural work.

Mrs. Jap Post and daughters, Thelma and Anna, and little son Curtis, are spending their vacation in Cloudcroft with relatives. They also will visit with her brother, Claude Horwood of Las Cruces. Dick Russell accompanied them. Some say he went in the capacity of chauffeur, others say he went on a pleasure trip; still others say it was a matrimonial affair. Anyway, the writer was up among the tall pines Sunday and heard wedding bells, and we are made to wonder ourselves just why he went.

Mr. and Mrs. Adams and daughters, Ola Mae and Lois Fae, were dinner guests in the Johnnie Ross home Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Holland is visiting in Tulla, Tex.

Another place of interest was the New Mexico Military institute summer school, located one and one-half miles from Ruidoso. Leaving Ruidoso, we continued our journey on the thrilling Mountain highway to the Mesclero Apache Indian reservation. Here we saw many of the natives living in teepees as in ages past. Here the party explored what they thought was the old ruins of a convat, but learned afterward it was an old mission church. The structure is built of huge stones and mortar. The architectural work is a work of art, the entire work being done by one man. The church has a beautiful cornerstone with the date of 1820, and thye expect to have the building completed in 1895, making a total of twenty-seven years for the erection of the church. Coming down the mountainside by a gushing stream, the explorers came face to face with an Indian squaw with her papoose strapped on her back. With kodak in hand one of the party turned to get a snapshot of the papoose, but the squaw quickly hid among the bushes. Leaving the little Indian village, the party returned to Ruidoso, where they partook of a bountiful supper and, after a few minutes rest, started on the homeward drive, regretting, however, to leave the cool, refreshing air and beautiful pine trees, arriving home some time in the "wee sma' hours" of the night.

Chester Vandiver, who, by the way, was "lost" for a few weeks ago, did the driving for the trip, a total of 460 miles. Chester says he never has had such a thrill in his lifetime, and Lida, well, her eyes were big as big June apples and she thinks she will try to make a hit with some mountaineer and be up among the cherry pines. We believe in seeing New Mexico first.

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Those in charge of the flowers complain that the hail and winds have hindered the flowers considerably this year.

Many revivals are in progress over the county. Read the church notices in the paper and make arrangements to attend some of these revival meetings.

**BOY SCOUT ACTIVITIES**  
Camps  
The Boy Scouts of this area are being offered many opportunities for a camping experience this summer. Starting with the annual summer camp at the Boy Scout reservation in the Sacramento mountains with nearly one hundred Scouts in attendance, this was followed by a water camp at Santa Rosa, N. M. Eighteen Scouts attended this camp. Rev. Fulton Tucker of Vaughn was the camp director. The next water camp will be held at Dexter, N. M., July 29 to 30. Rev. F. B. Howden Jr. of Roswell will direct this camp. Rev. Howden is well qualified to act as director, being a Red Cross life saving examiner.

This camp will be followed by a similar one at Carlsbad, N. M., probably Aug. 3 to 6. Shelby King, Carlsbad municipal life guard, will be asked to direct the water activities of this camp.

These water camps are somewhat of a departure from the usual camping experience in this area, due to their being conducted on the patrol basis, i. e., each boy brings his own food and shelter and each patrol does its own cooking. Each patrol will be in charge of its patrol leader. There is no money cost to the Scout.

Every possible safety precaution is taken. Scouts and officials must have a physical examination by a registered physician. For swimming the "buddy system" will be used and there will be competent adult supervision at all times. Boats with life guards and equipment will patrol the bathing areas at all times. Any Scout who violates the rules will be sent home immediately.

In addition to these camps, there is a possibility of holding a camp in the Sacramento mountains some time in August.

A new troop of Boy Scouts has been organized at Bovina, Tex., through the efforts of Dr. D. P. Vinette, who is the scoutmaster. The troop committee is composed of E. T. Caldwell, chairman, M. H. Collier and Roy B. Beall. There

**RESSIE ARLENE FISHER**  
Last Sunday morning at 6:40 o'clock death came into the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Fisher and took from their care their little baby daughter, Bessie Arlene, who was 8 months and 24 days of age. The little child had been sick for ten days, and, while everyone fought valiantly to save the life, all efforts were fruitless. The burial services were held Sunday afternoon at the Plain cemetery in Quay county.

The bereaved family was accompanied to Quay county by Miss Eunice Drinkard, J. G. Walker, Homer Sadler and B. H. Howard, neighbors who wished to assist the family in every way possible.

Mr. and Mrs. Fisher came to Portales two years ago and live on the Lee Carter place two miles east and one-half mile south of the city. There are six children in the family, four girls and two boys.

**APPRECIATION**  
We have a deep appreciation for the many kindnesses that were shown us during the sickness, death and burial of our little daughter, Bessie Arlene.

We are very grateful to the neighbors who did everything possible to lighten our burden of sorrow, and ask God's blessings upon them all.—Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Fisher and family.

are twenty boys enrolled, all of whom have passed the tenderfoot test.

**Scouts to Hear Noted Lecturer**  
E. N. Wheeler of the national forestry service will give illustrated lectures at the following places in this area: Roswell, Aug. 17; Carlsbad, Aug. 18; Artesia, Aug. 20; and Alamogordo, Aug. 22. Boy Scouts will be urged to attend these lectures, as they will deal with the national forests, forest fires, and recreation in the forests.

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**FARHA'S GROC.**

Flour, 48 lbs. 73c  
Coffee, Folger's, Golden Gate, per lb. 34c  
Vinegar, bring your jug, qt. 7c  
Sugar, 10 lbs. 48c  
Fruit Jars, quarts, 1 doz. 79c  
Oat Meal, cup, bowl or glass-ware, pkg. 23c  
Coffee, Peaberry blend, 4 lbs. 79c  
Crackers, Snowflake, 2 lbs. 16c  
Potatoes, new, 10 lbs. 16c  
Soap, White laundry, 10 bars. 24c

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Wheaties, pkg. 9c  
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M. A. McCall, Manager



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**Round Trip Excursion Fare**  
From All Points, Clovis to Carlsbad, N. M., Inclusive  
TO  
**LOS ANGELES, CALIF.**  
FOR  
**OLYMPIC GAMES**  
Tickets will be on sale July 29 and 30, Aug. 5, 6, 12 and 13, with final return limit of seven days in addition to date of sale, and are good in sleeping cars on payment of berth fare.  
Stopover allowed at Williams, Ariz., and side trip fare from Williams to Grand Canyon and return \$6 additional. For further information, reservations, etc.,  
Call  
**A. H. SWEETLAND**  
Agent  
Portales, N. M.  
Or Write  
**T. B. GALLAHER**  
General Passenger Agent  
Amarillo, Tex.

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## One of Our City's Beautiful Homes

A beautiful and well kept home in Portales is that of J. W. Maupin at 117 Southeast Arizona street.

The lot is an inside one facing the southwest. The house is a five room red brick bungalow, the walls of which are cut enough to give excellent light and ventilation.

The front lawn is of blue grass and clover, the clover predominating. At the corners of the front porch and the house grow arbutus and column spruce. Between these and close to the wall of the front porch grow creeping cedars and other low shrubs. Pansies and phlox form a border between the shrubs and the lawn.

The lawn extends to the back of the house on either side. There are columns of lattice work against the sides of the house on which grow ivy and climbing roses. Between these and out to the lawn are low shrubs, bush roses, daisies and phlox. The flowers are blooming. On the southeast side of the lawn is a young hedge of red berries.

The rear of the lot is fenced with white picket. There is a hedge of sweet peas and climbing roses on the front part of the fence and a hedge of currants on the back and north corner. The lawn is heavy Bermuda grass. The trees are plum and cherries. A few pines in the north corner contain pink hystanth and yellow poppies as well as lilacs.

The wash house has red, yellow, orange and pink canna growing on the southeast side and front. The front of the garage has morning glories and climbing roses. The alley is as clean and neat as a pin. Everything has a clean look. A small bird house on the rear lawn is not an exception.

Enough currants to make several quarts of jelly were grown this year and next year there probably will be plums and cherries. The lawn, shrubs and flowers are for beauty only.

The Maupins are not considered old-timers in this part of New Mexico, as Mr. Maupin has been in business in Portales only since 1927. His home, a description of which is attempted, was built two years ago next November.

## All Industries Tied Closely to Livestock Happy

Producers Are Slow to Sell, Therefore Keeping Prices on Even Keel; May Foreshadow Prosperity.

Just about the happiest industry at this stage of the economic situation is that which deals with livestock, says a press dispatch from Chicago.

In the stockyards of Chicago, the focus of this great business, a steady advance of record length in the value of hogs has been closely watched. Observed, too, has been the gain which has made cattle the first farm commodity to top 1931 prices.

And on the farms, although an estimated \$100,000,000 has been added to valuation by these gains, no stampede to sell has developed. Last week there was a reaction in hogs, but it did not take place until thirty-four successive days. Prices had raised the top price from \$3.30 to \$3.55. May 28 to \$3.55. The average \$3.25 for last week, compared with \$3.45 for the corresponding week last year.

President Charles A. Wilson of the Chicago Livestock Exchange said: "The gains in hogs and cattle are added. The rise from one low of last winter has been very marked. Hogs which reached the lowest price in thirty-five years, and cattle have made a good recovery."

James Compton accompanied Truman Green on his trip to California with a load of products from the Green farm. The boys left on the trip Saturday afternoon.

## \$2,000 per Day Is Wasted on "Congressional Record"

Anything Is Printed, Even Speeches of Congressmen's Friends, So As to Get Free Mailing.

Padding of the "Congressional Record" is costing about \$2,000 a day in the final rush to get political propaganda printed at government expense, says a copyrighted article by the United Press.

About thirty-five pages in each issue of the "Congressional Record" are now given over to reprinting outside speeches, letters to and from constituents, addresses by eminent citizens and small type tables on everything from war debts to the cost of Canadian bungalow siding.

Most of it has no connection whatever with the proceedings of congress.

Senators and congressmen, by obtaining unanimous consent, can have anything printed in the "Congressional Record"—and so.

In one volume of the Record can be found almost anything except comic strips. Illustrations are forbidden.

Anything printed in the Record can be reprinted and sent out as campaign literature under the congressional franking privilege.

Even political candidates not in congress may have their speeches inserted in the "Congressional Record" and sent out under the frank of some friendly senator or congressman.

Several senators condemned the practice when an attempt was made to insert a political speech by Secretary of War Hurley. They pointed out that the "Congressional Record" cost \$3 a page.

Congressional printing is a large item in the expense of the government printing office—which uses a total of 1,500 car loads of material every year.

This is the equivalent of a train ten miles long.

No one has figured up how many wastebaskets are required to hold this output when it is thrown away by the voters.

One-third of the "congressional Record" is devoted to matter other than the actual proceedings of congress.

Senators and congressmen will be allowed ten days after the adjournment of this session in which to have material reprinted in the Record, with the attendant privilege of free mailing.

Recent issues of the Record show a typical variety of material printed in what is appropriately named the "appendix" to the regular proceedings.

These include the opening campaign speech of Secretary of Treasury Mills at Boston this week, two pages, cost approximately \$116; letters and statements from lumbermen containing four pages of small type tabular matter showing Canadian lumber prices on every cut of building material; also endless speeches and "extensions of remarks" on relief, bonus, the tariff, agriculture, Philippine independence.

Senator Royal C. Copeland of New York introduced three pages of material on the alleged healing powers of radium water.

There is the extension, also, of remarks by Representative McClintock (Dem., Okla.), who declares that his party has not been in power since 1920—"therefore every one must realize that the blame for the present conditions can not be shared to me." Which seems reasonable enough.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Golden returned home Sunday night from Boulder, Col., where Mr. Golden has been attending the state university. Miss Jamie Greenwaldt and Miss Ruth Wheeler, who also are students at the university during the summer, will remain for the second session and will not reach home until some time near the last of August.

F. L. Coe was shopping in Portales Saturday.

## Treaty Signed to Open Seaway to Great Lakes

Tremendous Project Will Be of Great Benefit to Western Shippers; Much Power Generated.

The long awaited treaty between the United States and Canada for the tremendous St. Lawrence seaway and power project was signed by representatives of the two nations Monday, the Associated Press reports.

Coincident with this action by Secretary Stimson and Minister Herridge of Canada, President Hoover heralded the accomplishment in a statement as "the redemption of a promise which I made to the people of the mid-west."

The agreement, which remains subject to legislative ratification in both countries, calls for splitting in half the estimated \$543,000,000 cost for a 27-foot waterway from the sea to all Canadian and American points on the great lakes.

"Such a depth," wrote the President, "will admit practically 90 per cent of ocean shipping of the world to our lake cities of New York, Ohio, Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin and Minnesota."

Disposal of the 1,100,000 horsepower which is expected to be realized on the American side of the international boundary is reserved for settlement by this country.

The senate has directed that an investigation of that treaty be conducted between now and the opening of the December session of congress. But Chairman Borah of the foreign relations committee specifically stated this was not decided upon because any "suspicion" attached to the treaty. The document calls for two dams.

Seven years is estimated by the engineers as a reasonable time for completing the work.

It is estimated the United States will spend \$272,453,000 and that Canada will spend \$270,975,000.

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## MIDWAY

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Everyone remember to come to Sunday school. We miss your presence.

There was no preaching Sunday. On account of the illness of the reporter, the Midway items were not reported last week.

The Gregory Mercantile company has installed a new corn mill.

Lloyd Danforth spent Friday night in the D. O. Bilberry home. Mr. Cardin made a trip to Bledsoe, Tex., last week, where he purchased a new cream separator.

Floyd Gregory and Cioero Bilberry visited friends in Petersburg, Tex., last week end.

Leonard King entertained several friends with an overnight party given last Saturday night. At a late hour refreshments were served. Those present were: Messrs. Winston Hiner, Paul Henry, Jack Cope, John Gregory, Lloyd Danforth, Glen Danforth, Calvin McCullough, Victor Horner, Bill Matthews, Theodore Bilberry, Cioero Bilberry, Durwood Foster, Walter Clifton and the host, Leonard King.

D. O. Bilberry and family visited R. F. Bilberry and family, of Bliss Saturday night.

Mr. Wall and son Leon are making quite an improvement on the school house and yard this week.

Those visiting in the D. O. Bilberry home Sunday were Messrs. Leonard King, John Kidd, Ivan Neville and Miss Velma Danforth. Miss Hazel Cardin spent Saturday night with Miss Louise York.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller and Miss Annie Lee Hamilton were visitors in the T. F. Danforth home Sunday.

Midway and Dora met in a game of baseball Sunday at Midway. The score was 9 to 4 in favor of Dora. Mr. and Mrs. Wall and Miss Estelle Magness who has been visiting the Walls this week motored to Clovis Saturday.

Elbert Munsey, pharmacist at the New Mexico Drug store, is enjoying a week's vacation. He is spending the time with his home and garden, which are among the well kept places of the city.

## NOTICE OF FINAL HEARING

In the Matter of the Estate of James P. Kirk, Deceased, No. 399 in the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico.

State of New Mexico to Elizabeth E. Kirk, Hazel Kirk Herbert, Viola Kirk Robinson, Joyce Kirk Cooper, Leapha V. Kirk, Bert R. Kirk, Beale G. Kirk, and Eleanor G. Kirk, heirs of James P. Kirk, deceased, and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, interest in or to the estate of said decedent, Greeting:

You are hereby notified that the administratrix of said estate has filed her final account and report

in said cause and the 19th day of September, 1932, at the hour of 10 o'clock, A. M., at the court house of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, has been appointed by the court as the time and place for hearing objections to said final account and report, the settlement thereof, and for a hearing and determination of the heirship of said decedent, the ownership of his estate, and the interest of each respective claimant thereto and therein and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof; that all persons having objections to said final account and report may appear before said court at the time and place and interpose their objections; that Elizabeth E. Kirk, Melrose, N. M., is administratrix of said estate, and that her attorney is J. S. Fitzhugh, Clovis, N. M.

Dated and sealed this 1st day of June, 1932.

JOHN W. BALLOW, County Clerk.

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## NOTICE

It Now appearing to the Board, That it is necessary to appoint persons in each precinct of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, to sit as Boards of Registration, to register the legal voters of said county to be held in said county on Tuesday, Nov. 8, 1932, and the following named persons are by the Board appointed to serve as registrars

Precinct No. 1, Election District "A," West Portales—Roy L. Ballow, Mrs. Joe Beasley, Mrs. R. E. White, Carl Miller, Mrs. Ted Willis, alternates. Registration to be held in Portales Drug Co.

Precinct No. 1, Election District "B," East Portales—J. R. Foiden, Mrs. O. C. Foiden, R. C. Marshall; Clyde Miller, M. T. Hill, alternates. Registration to be held at Hughes' confectionery.

Precinct No. 1, Election District "C," East Portales—Add Hobbs, Mrs. O. M. Compton Jr., P. P. Prater; Mrs. Fannie Cutler, Mrs. J. E. Raymond, alternates. Registration to be held at Portales Motor company.

Precinct No. 2, Elda, at City Hall—H. A. Roberts, Wynema Kinsolving, W. J. Crume; Mrs. Bernard Cook, E. C. Buckman, alternates.

Precinct No. 4, Floyd, at High School—O. D. Vickers, Mrs. Leonard Eady, George G. Sweet; Mrs. O. A. Chumbley, J. F. Morgan, alternates.

Precinct No. 5, Tolar, at School House—F. Bates, H. C. Scruggs, Mrs. H. H. Smith; Mrs. Mattie D. Nowlin, alternates.

Precinct No. 6, Bluit, at School House—J. R. Singleton, Alvie Harris, W. A. Holt; Mrs. Will Russell, H. M. Ray, alternates.

Precinct No. 7, Arch, at Store—H. P. Townsend, W. O. Davis Jr., B. M. Trammell; E. M. Christian, J. R. Sadler, alternates.

Precinct No. 9, Milnesand, at Store—Mrs. G. B. Doughtie, J. C. Ainsworth, J. C. Easter; T. E. Davis, Mrs. J. C. Easter, alternates.

Precinct No. 11, Rogers, at Store—W. O. McCormack, Mrs. W. E. Carter, W. L. Anderson; Miss Martha Van Winkle, S. F. Anderson, alternates.

Precinct No. 12, Dora, at I. O. O. F. Hall—J. W. Thompson, Mrs. B. B. Swafford, H. L. Capper, Mrs. J. Burkett, J. C. Creek, alternates.

Precinct No. 13, Midway, at Store—W. J. Phillips, J. A. Moss, Mrs. A. Pratt; Mrs. R. E. Hayes, R. A. Amborn, alternates.

Precinct No. 15, Causey, at Store—J. W. Stone, Mrs. Tom Halslip, F. Woolley; Robert L. Paulk, Mack Blakey, alternates.

Precinct No. 16, Inez, at Tom Mullins' Residence—S. A. Clark, T. J. Mullins, Mrs. C. W. Brashears; Frank Greshouse, C. W. Breshears, alternates.

Precinct No. 17, Redlake, at Store—Wiley Todd, Mrs. J. Rex Forrest, C. C. Price; Mrs. S. E. Johnson, Mrs. C. C. Price, alternates.

Precinct No. 22, Perry, at School House—R. L. Pollis, E. E. Sparks, Mrs. T. Black; J. M. Dryden, T. Black, alternates.

Precinct No. 24, New Hope, at Store—Harold Radcliff, Mrs. W. T. Chenault, J. D. Lott; J. I. Betts, J. E. Creech, alternates.

Precinct No. 25, Basy, at Midway School House—W. L. Ashbrook, P. W. McGaha, O. E. Smith; Mrs. Jim McCullough, G. C. Smith, alternates.

Precinct No. 29, Kenna, at School House—J. A. Cooper, Laura Denton, Erice T. Crume, C. H. Elma, Mrs. Price T. Crume, alternates.

Precinct No. 30, Richland, at School House—A. B. Cares, Elmira Kidd, D. Broyles; J. W. Williamson, Mrs. D. Broyles, alternates.

Precinct No. 31, Rock Lake, at School House—C. H. Carter, J. A. Wood, E. L. Carter, C. E. Berch, Mrs. E. L. Carter, alternates.

Friendship precinct No. 8 has been added to and made a part of Arch precinct No. 7.

Derezo precinct No. 3 has been added to and made a part of Tolar precinct No. 5.

Union Valley precinct No. 10 and Claudell precinct No. 20 have been added to and made a part of Elda precinct No. 2.

Upton precinct No. 18 and Benson precinct No. 21 have been added to and made a part of Floyd precinct No. 4.

The boundary of Portales precinct No. 1 is as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of Section 24 in Township 1 North of Range 35 East, thence south nine miles, thence east one mile, thence south one mile, thence west one mile, thence south seven miles to the southeast corner of Section 12 in Township 3 South of Range 35 East, thence west twelve miles, thence south two miles, thence west six miles, thence north nineteen miles to the northwest corner of Section 19 in Township 1 North of Range 33 East, thence east eighteen miles to place of beginning. Delphos precinct No. 25 having been attached to and made a part of Portales precinct No. 1.

That part of Delphos precinct No. 18 and west of the A. T. & S. P. railway is now a part of District "A," Precinct 1; that part of Delphos precinct lying south and east of the A. T. & S. P. railway is now part of District C (Portales precinct being divided into Districts "A," "B," and "C").

The boundary of Arch precinct No. 7 is as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of Section 3 in Township 3 South of Range 37 East, thence south eleven miles, thence west to the southwest corner of Section 28 in Township 3 South of Range 35 East, thence north three miles, thence west two miles, thence north seven miles, thence east one mile, thence north one mile to the northwest corner of Section 5 in Township 2 South of Range 36 East, thence east to the place of beginning.

The boundary line of precinct No. 6, Bluit, is as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of Section 28 in Township 7 South of Range 38 East, thence south eight miles, thence west nine miles, thence north eight miles, to the northwest corner of Section 30 in Township 7 South of Range 37 East, thence east to the place of beginning.

The boundary of precinct No. 28, Basy, is as follows: Beginning at the southeast corner of Section 34 in Township 5 South, Range 37 East, thence south to the southeast corner of Section 21 in Township 7 South of Range 38 East, thence west nine miles, thence north to the northwest corner of

In the following precincts, to-wit: Precinct No. 1, Election District "A," West Portales—Roy L. Ballow, Mrs. Joe Beasley, Mrs. R. E. White, Carl Miller, Mrs. Ted Willis, alternates. Registration to be held in Portales Drug Co.

Precinct No. 1, Election District "B," East Portales—J. R. Foiden, Mrs. O. C. Foiden, R. C. Marshall; Clyde Miller, M. T. Hill, alternates. Registration to be held at Hughes' confectionery.

Precinct No. 1, Election District "C," East Portales—Add Hobbs, Mrs. O. M. Compton Jr., P. P. Prater; Mrs. Fannie Cutler, Mrs. J. E. Raymond, alternates. Registration to be held at Portales Motor company.

Precinct No. 2, Elda, at City Hall—H. A. Roberts, Wynema Kinsolving, W. J. Crume; Mrs. Bernard Cook, E. C. Buckman, alternates.

Precinct No. 4, Floyd, at High School—O. D. Vickers, Mrs. Leonard Eady, George G. Sweet; Mrs. O. A. Chumbley, J. F. Morgan, alternates.

Precinct No. 5, Tolar, at School House—F. Bates, H. C. Scruggs, Mrs. H. H. Smith; Mrs. Mattie D. Nowlin, alternates.

Precinct No. 6, Bluit, at School House—J. R. Singleton, Alvie Harris, W. A. Holt; Mrs. Will Russell, H. M. Ray, alternates.

Precinct No. 7, Arch, at Store—H. P. Townsend, W. O. Davis Jr., B. M. Trammell; E. M. Christian, J. R. Sadler, alternates.

Precinct No. 9, Milnesand, at Store—Mrs. G. B. Doughtie, J. C. Ainsworth, J. C. Easter; T. E. Davis, Mrs. J. C. Easter, alternates.

Precinct No. 11, Rogers, at Store—W. O. McCormack, Mrs. W. E. Carter, W. L. Anderson; Miss Martha Van Winkle, S. F. Anderson, alternates.

Precinct No. 12, Dora, at I. O. O. F. Hall—J. W. Thompson, Mrs. B. B. Swafford, H. L. Capper, Mrs. J. Burkett, J. C. Creek, alternates.

Precinct No. 13, Midway, at Store—W. J. Phillips, J. A. Moss, Mrs. A. Pratt; Mrs. R. E. Hayes, R. A. Amborn, alternates.

Precinct No. 15, Causey, at Store—J. W. Stone, Mrs. Tom Halslip, F. Woolley; Robert L. Paulk, Mack Blakey, alternates.

Precinct No. 16, Inez, at Tom Mullins' Residence—S. A. Clark, T. J. Mullins, Mrs. C. W. Brashears; Frank Greshouse, C. W. Breshears, alternates.

Precinct No. 17, Redlake, at Store—Wiley Todd, Mrs. J. Rex Forrest, C. C. Price; Mrs. S. E. Johnson, Mrs. C. C. Price, alternates.

Precinct No. 22, Perry, at School House—R. L. Pollis, E. E. Sparks, Mrs. T. Black; J. M. Dryden, T. Black, alternates.

Precinct No. 24, New Hope, at Store—Harold Radcliff, Mrs. W. T. Chenault, J. D. Lott; J. I. Betts, J. E. Creech, alternates.

Precinct No. 25, Basy, at Midway School House—W. L. Ashbrook, P. W. McGaha, O. E. Smith; Mrs. Jim McCullough, G. C. Smith, alternates.

Precinct No. 29, Kenna, at School House—J. A. Cooper, Laura Denton, Erice T. Crume, C. H. Elma, Mrs. Price T. Crume, alternates.

Precinct No. 30, Richland, at School House—A. B. Cares, Elmira Kidd, D. Broyles; J. W. Williamson, Mrs. D. Broyles, alternates.

Precinct No. 31, Rock Lake, at School House—C. H. Carter, J. A. Wood, E. L. Carter, C. E. Berch, Mrs. E. L. Carter, alternates.

Friendship precinct No. 8 has been added to and made a part of Arch precinct No. 7.

Derezo precinct No. 3 has been added to and made a part of Tolar precinct No. 5.

Union Valley precinct No. 10 and Claudell precinct No. 20 have been added to and made a part of Elda precinct No. 2.

Upton precinct No. 18 and Benson precinct No. 21 have been added to and made a part of Floyd precinct No. 4.

The boundary of Portales precinct No. 1 is as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of Section 24 in Township 1 North of Range 35 East, thence south nine miles, thence east one mile, thence south one mile, thence west one mile, thence south seven miles to the southeast corner of Section 12 in Township 3 South of Range 35 East, thence west twelve miles, thence south two miles, thence west six miles, thence north nineteen miles to the northwest corner of Section 19 in Township 1 North of Range 33 East, thence east eighteen miles to place of beginning. Delphos precinct No. 25 having been attached to and made a part of Portales precinct No. 1.

That part of Delphos precinct No. 18 and west of the A. T. & S. P. railway is now a part of District "A," Precinct 1; that part of Delphos precinct lying south and east of the A. T. & S. P. railway is now part of District C (Portales precinct being divided into Districts "A," "B," and "C").

The boundary of Arch precinct No. 7 is as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of Section 3 in Township 3 South of Range 37 East, thence south eleven miles, thence west to the southwest corner of Section 28 in Township 3 South of Range 35 East, thence north three miles, thence west two miles, thence north seven miles, thence east one mile, thence north one mile to the northwest corner of Section 5 in Township 2 South of Range 36 East, thence east to the place of beginning.

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The registration boards in Portales precinct No. 1, Districts A, B and C, Elda precinct No. 2 and Floyd precinct No. 4 will meet and organize on Friday, July 29, 1932, at 9 o'clock A. M. and remain in session during July 29 and 30 and August 6, 13, 20 and 27.

The registration boards for all other precincts will meet Friday, July 29, 1932, and Saturday, August 6, 1932, on which date all registration closes.

PAUL EMINGER, Chairman.

JOHN W. BALLOW, Clerk.

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**Section 6 in Township 6 South Range 37 East, thence east to the place of beginning.**

The boundary of Elda precinct No. 2 is as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of Section 1 in Township 3 South, Range 32 East, thence south four miles, thence east two miles, thence south four miles, thence west two miles, thence south four miles, thence east six miles, thence south six miles, thence west five miles, thence south to the southeast corner of Section 36 in Township 7 North, Range 31 East, thence west twelve miles, thence north to the northwest corner of Section 6 in Township 6 South, Range 32 East, thence west to the southwest corner of Section 31 in Township 5 South of Range 31 East, thence north six miles, thence west six miles, thence north twelve miles, thence west six miles, thence north six miles to the northwest corner of Section 6 in Township 2 South, Range 29 East, thence east twelve miles, thence east twelve miles to the place of beginning.

The boundary of Floyd precinct No. 4 is as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of Section 24 in Township 1 North of Range 3



MRS. JAMES CHRISTOR  
Society Editor

# Social and Club Activities

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## REEF MEAT CAKES

Mrs. J. A. Betts  
1 cup cooked beef cut or chopped  
fine.  
3 eggs well beaten.  
1-3 cup sweet milk or water.  
Corn bread crumbs.  
Put in pepper and sage to taste.  
Mix well, form into small thin  
cakes and fry in hot fat until  
brown. Serve hot.

The News is very grateful to  
Mrs. Betts of Milnesand for the  
above recipe and will always wel-  
come choice recipes or news items  
from any of our readers. Any hap-  
pening of the communities among  
the News readers which a reporter  
of the paper will be unable to get  
will be appreciated if mailed or  
sent to the office.

## ALL NIGHT PARTY

Little sleep but much fun marked  
the night hours last Wednesday,  
when Lois May McCall invited a  
few friends to spend the night with  
her at the home of Mayor and  
Mrs. J. N. McCall.

The girls prepared their suppers  
outdoors over an open fire and ate  
the meal about 6:30 o'clock. They  
had games and stunts of various  
kinds which kept them well occu-  
pled during the evening.

Arrangements had been made for  
the girls to sleep out in the yard,  
but the rain drove them in the  
house and their beds were arranged  
on the floor of the large living  
room.

Mrs. McCall prepared breakfast  
for her daughter's guests, and this  
meal was served indoors.

The guests of Lois May were  
Blanche Lyons, Nettie Belle Batton,  
Belle McCall, Jane Mauk and Alma  
Ruth Leh.

## HAPPY-GO-LUCKY CLUB

Bell McCall invited the members  
of the Happy-Go-Lucky club to be  
her guests last Wednesday on a  
picnic party to Portales Springs.  
Her cousin, Lois May McCall, was  
a special guest for the afternoon.

The girls met at the home of  
Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McCall at 2  
o'clock and shortly after that hour  
they left by motor for the picnic  
ground and spent the time playing  
and taking pictures. At 5 o'clock  
a picnic lunch was spread.

Doris Lee and Betty White, two  
of the members, were on a camp-  
ing trip to the mountains and were  
absent from the meeting. The other  
members enjoying the outing were  
Jane Mauk, Lenore Shaw, Mary  
Robinson, Bell McCall and Berwyn  
Slaten.

## THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

The regular meeting of the  
Thursday Bridge club was held last  
week with Mr. and Mrs. W. W.  
King.

Each of the ladies prepared some  
portion of the evening meal, as is  
the custom with the organization.  
This was served buffet style about  
7 o'clock. After dinner the tables  
were arranged for the bridge con-  
test.

Mrs. John Mayhall of Clovis and  
Mrs. Charles Hochhalter of Roswell,  
who were house guests in the King  
home, substituted for Mr. and Mrs.  
King in the card contest of the  
evening and both held the high  
scores. The other members were  
Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Johnson, Mr.  
and Mrs. W. K. Judevine, Mr. and  
Mrs. H. H. Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs.  
E. N. Neer, Mr. and Mrs. P. E.  
Jordan.

## BUFFET DINNER

Close friends and members of the  
family formed the dinner party in  
the home of Miss Bess Dohoney  
last Wednesday evening when she  
entertained in compliment to her  
brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs.  
Robert Dohoney. The guests were  
invited for 7 o'clock.

The splendid dinner was served  
buffet style and the evening hours  
were spent most happily visiting  
after the meal.

The members of the party were  
Mr. and Mrs. Dohoney of Italy,  
Tex.; Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Harris  
and daughter, Glenice, of Clovis;  
Milton Grissom from Columbia,  
Ky.; Mel Grissom of Oklahoma  
City, Dr. and Mrs. S. N. Hancock  
and family, G. W. Robertson, Mr.  
and Mrs. J. D. Turner, Paul Wur-  
ster, Miss Lucille Wurster, and Miss  
Bess Dohoney, all of Portales.

## RAINBOW GIRLS

The regular meeting of the Rain-  
bow for Girls was held last Thurs-  
day evening in the Masonic hall.

Miss Muriel Kimmons, worthy ad-  
visor, presided over a business  
meeting and later the officers prac-  
ticed for the initiation ceremonies  
which are planned for the next  
meeting night, at which time Beu-  
lah May and Vivian Moser will be  
given the rites of the organization.

## DINNER PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Dohoney  
were the honored guests at a  
lovely dinner given at the home of  
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Maupin last  
Thursday evening. The grounds at  
the Maupin home are among the  
most beautiful in the entire city,  
and the evening meal was served  
in the seclusion of the rear yard,  
where flowers, vines and grass are  
kept in perfect condition. The  
dinner was served in three courses  
and was announced at 7 o'clock.

After the delicious meal the  
members of the party spent the  
evening visiting, moving from the  
lawn to the house later in the eve-  
ning. The members of the party  
are Mr. and Mrs. Dohoney, Miss  
Bess Dohoney, Dr. and Mrs. S. N.  
Hancock, together with the host  
and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Kenyon and  
children came down from Amarillo  
for a week end visit with Mrs.  
Kenyon's sister, Mrs. J. C. Com-  
pton, and family.

## 'AN ULTIMATE CONSUMER



This baby in a drought stricken section of West Virginia was one of the ultimate consumers of the foodstuffs given by the American Red Cross in the past year. More than 2,750,000 persons were fed by the organization.

## BAPTIST W. M. U.

The members of the Baptist Mis-  
sionary society will not meet in the  
several circles this afternoon, but  
will gather at the church for a  
joint meeting.

Mrs. J. B. Green, president of the  
society, doubtless will have some  
society, doubtless will have some  
meeting and a full representa-  
tion of all circles is urged.

The meeting will be called at the  
regular hour of 3 o'clock.

## ALL-DAY PARTY

The pleasant home of Mr. and  
Mrs. B. W. Kinsolving on their  
Roosevelt county ranch was the  
scene of a very happy day last  
Wednesday when Mr. and Mrs.  
Kinsolving and their daughter,  
Miss Wynema, extended their hos-  
pitality to a few friends.

A very bountiful and splendid  
dinner was served during the noon  
hour and in the afternoon the  
members of the party sat in the  
cool of the shade and visited most  
informally.

The guests included Mr. and Mrs.  
Clarence S. Greathouse and son  
Jack, Mrs. Will Oore, with her  
daughter Miss Vivian and her son  
George of Clovis.

## DANCING PARTY

Miss Frances Estelle Bryant in-  
vited nine of her friends to the  
home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
R. G. Bryant, last Friday evening  
for a few happy hours of dancing  
and playing bridge.

No prizes were given in the card  
contest.

The young people of the party  
were Mildred Lyons, Marie Neer,  
Jeffie Hunter, Winnifred May,  
Frances Estelle Bryant, Gordon  
King Greaves, Earl Stratton, Em-  
mett White, J. R. King and Tilden  
Cissell.

## BRIDGE BREAKFAST

A few other friends were invited  
with the members of the Coffee  
Club to have breakfast with Mrs.  
E. R. Black in her home last  
Thursday morning. The meal was  
announced about eight thirty and  
Mrs. Black was assisted in serving  
the two course breakfast by her  
mother Mrs. J. J. Spies.

Three quartet tables were ar-  
ranged for the diners and later the  
breakfast appointment gave way to  
bridge accessories and the remain-  
der of the morning was spent in  
a bridge contest. Mrs. Cline Cap-  
erton held the high score for mem-  
bers, Mrs. H. H. Buchanan for  
non-members and Mrs. J. D. Tur-  
ner had the low score.

Miss Verda Oakley had breakfast  
with the ladies but was unable to  
be with them in the card game.

The morning players were Miss  
Mabel Morrison, Mrs. J. D. Turner,  
Luther Thomas, Ted Forbes, Cline  
Caperton, H. H. Buchanan, Ray  
Snelson, Otho Blanton, Dave Isen-  
berg, T. E. Mears, Rasha Smith  
and J. J. Spies.

## BRIDGE PARTY

Mrs. Sam Mersfelder entertained  
Monday afternoon with three tables  
of bridge at the pleasant and pret-  
ty home of her sister, Mrs. Luther  
Thomas. The tables were arranged  
in the living room and the card  
contest started about 3 o'clock and  
continued throughout five progres-  
sions.

The hostess was assisted in re-  
ceiving her guests by her daughter  
Marjorieanna, and the young lady  
also aided her mother in serving  
the plate lunch at the close of the  
party.

Mrs. J. D. Turner held highest  
score and Mrs. Ted Forbes the sec-  
ond high. Both ladies were pre-  
sented gifts. Mrs. Luther Thomas  
received the low prize and Mrs. E.  
R. Black was awarded the prize for  
making game at clubs.

The guests of Mrs. Mersfelder  
were Miss Mabel Morrison, Miss  
Naomi McCarty, Mesdames Ted  
Forbes, Otho Blanton, Luther  
Thomas, Cline Caperton, J. D. Tur-  
ner, E. R. Black, Ray Snelson,  
Rasha Smith, Leon Slaten and Viv-  
ian Cavanaugh.

## FLOYD HOMEMAKERS CLUB

There were seven members and  
three visitors present at the Floyd  
Homemakers club held last Friday,  
July 22, in the home economic cot-  
tage at the Floyd school house.

The president of the club, Mrs.  
Wilson, presided over a business  
meeting at which plans were made  
for the club picnic to be given in  
the future. Stunts and games were  
discussed for the entertainment at  
this celebration day.

The members voted to cancel the  
next club meeting, as the revival  
meeting will be in progress at that  
time.

Roll call was answered by giving  
the names of preserves the mem-  
bers make the best.

The club will meet again on Fri-  
day, Aug. 26, and this will be the  
next gathering for a business ses-  
sion, unless called into an extra  
session for some purpose.

## MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER

The members of the Mt. Zion  
church and some other friends  
gathered at the home of Mr. and  
Mrs. Jimmie Littlejohn Monday  
and showered Rev. and Mrs. Al-  
amo Starkey with a great number  
of gifts and in addition to this  
quilted a friendship quilt which  
was presented the honorees. Each  
family had contributed to the din-  
ner and at noon a real feast was  
spread.

Those enjoying the occasion were  
Rev. and Mrs. Starkey and chil-  
dren, Mr. and Mrs. Harris and  
family, Mrs. Irene Boyd and  
daughter, Mrs. Irene Lot and  
children, Mrs. Cam Hook and chil-  
dren, Mrs. K. L. Spores, Mrs. El-  
mer Spores and daughter, Mrs.  
Ray and daughter, Mr. and Mrs.  
Madison Edwards and children,  
Mrs. Lott Thompson and children,  
Mrs. H. L. Capps, Mrs. Jewel  
Capps, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Little-  
john and children, Mrs. Sallie  
Hook, Mrs. G. W. Lackey and  
daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thomp-  
son, Vander Littlejohn, and Mr.  
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daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thomp-  
son, Vander Littlejohn, and Mr.  
and Mrs. Jimmie Littlejohn and  
children.

## METHODIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The shower last Thursday after-  
noon prevented a large attendance  
at the meeting of the Methodist  
Missionary society which was held  
in the home of Mrs. A. W. Free-  
man.

There were about fifteen mem-  
bers present to enjoy the program  
which was in charge of Mrs. E. C.  
Murrell, who had the missionary  
work in China as the subject for  
the afternoon.

The leader was in charge of the  
devotional services and gave a few  
verses relative to the Christian  
work among the Chinese, then she  
invited Mrs. J. M. Bradley and  
Mrs. F. D. Galloway to give more  
detailed accounts of the progress  
being made with mission activities  
of that country.

Mrs. Freeman and Mrs. Therman  
Harris gave a vocal duet and this  
was a highly appreciated number  
of the program.

Mrs. L. L. Bown, president of  
the society announced a business  
program for the next meeting.

Burney Earle, young son of Mr.  
and Mrs. T. B. Carter of the Rog-  
ers community, has sufficiently re-  
covered from a recent operation  
for appendicitis to be brought  
home.

## HOMEMAKERS CLUB

Matters of business occupied  
the entire time of the Portales  
Homemakers Club on Wednesday  
of last week when the members  
met in the home of Mrs. Nora  
Johnston.

Due to the busy days for the  
housewives during the next month  
there will be no other meeting  
during July, but the members will  
come together for an all day pic-  
nic at the H— ranch on Wednes-  
day, Aug. 17.

The women discussed the can-  
ning budgets and every member  
will doubtless have a full larder  
by the close of the season.

Mrs. Fred Ohr was selected to  
represent the club this week at  
the Farm and Home week being  
held at State College.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Case and their  
children returned Saturday from  
their vacation trip to Missouri,  
where they visited relatives of both  
Mr. and Mrs. Case. They had been  
absent from Portales nearly a  
month.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Maupin left  
Sunday for a ten days' visit to  
Corpus Christi, Tex., to spend the  
time with Mr. Maupin's sister and  
family.

Virginia Frances, niece of Mrs.  
J. O. Greaves, is visiting in the  
Greaves home this week. She spent  
a few days visiting with Charlotte  
Herbert in Elida and renewing old  
friendships. She lives in Big  
Springs, Tex.

Joe Nash arrived from Adin,  
Ariz., last Wednesday a week ago  
for a visit with Vincent Cox and  
other school mates in Portales. He  
returned Monday. Mr. Nash at-  
tended the New Mexico military in-  
stitute the last year.

R. E. Abernathy states that the  
crops in his section are good. How-  
ever, a good rain would be wel-  
comed.

Don Drake was in Saturday look-  
ing after supplies and visiting with  
his folks.

V. W. Kyle is one of the farmers  
who believes in the use of the  
horse on the farm. He even drives  
his wagon and team to Portales  
from his farm located about fifteen  
miles southwest. Mr. Kyle has over  
a section of land in his farm.

I. E. Ray was meeting his friends  
in Portales Saturday.

Keith Payne is taking to golf  
quite a bit here of late. J. C.  
Johnson has been giving him some  
pointers on the game.

C. M. Compton is driving a new  
tutor V-8 Ford.

Ray Medlock was in Portales Sat-  
urday shopping and attending to  
business.

Roy Wright is still working on  
the highway. Mrs. Wright and the  
children are on the farm in the  
Floyd community.

Hebe Stewart says that the cat-  
tle on his ranch near the DZ lake  
are in fine shape.

George Chumley was in Portales  
Saturday. George says that his cat-  
tle are doing fine. He is hoping  
that the cattle prices are getting  
more stable. George is an old cow  
buyer.

W. W. Radcliff says that crops  
in his part of the Floyd country  
are looking good; however, a good  
rain would be welcomed. It seems  
that they have been unusually  
lucky in not having any hail or  
hard rains.

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Carl Turner, Vincent Cox and  
Emmett White left early Monday  
morning on a fishing trip which  
will occupy the next several days.

Miss Fern Bell left Tuesday for  
her home in Innes, Tex., after a  
week's visit here in Portales with  
her aunt, Mrs. Dora Brasell.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil McCollum  
drove down from Clovis Sunday  
and spent the day with their aunt,  
Mrs. Lillian Taylor.

Mrs. Guy Cross was operated  
upon in the Clovis hospital last  
Wednesday and is reported improv-  
ing most satisfactorily. She has  
been removed to her home here in  
Portales.

Miss Zella Meador is home to  
spend the remainder of the sum-  
mer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
P. R. Meador. She has spent the  
past several months with Prof. and  
Mrs. S. A. Gans and their band  
of musicians, as they toured the  
states of New Mexico, Oklahoma  
and Kansas, giving musical con-  
certs.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fransham  
left Thursday morning for their  
home in Boseman, Mont., after  
a two weeks' visit with their son  
and daughter Mr. and Mrs. W. K.  
Judevine.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Webb, with  
their daughters, Misses Jewel, Ruby  
and Lois, left Friday morning for  
Lamesa, Tex., to spend the week  
end visiting with friends and for-  
mer neighbors.

## THEN SPEND YOUR MONEY WITH CONFIDENCE!

For some one, every day, the biggest news is not  
on the front page. It's not even in the news columns.

There may be an earthquake in Italy or a revolu-  
tion in Central America. There may be a hot election  
campaign or a \$1,000,000 fire or a metropolitan crime  
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## ANNOUNCEMENT!

DR. WILLIAM LE MASTER, dentist, announces the  
opening of his office at the same location formerly occu-  
pied by Dr. E. W. Means.

Special attention will be given to preventive dentistry.  
A call list will be established and each patient will be  
notified when he is due for an examination and cleaning.  
May I place your name on the list?

Prices will be regulated to meet present conditions.



## Interesting News From Elida

By EMMMA LEE O'NEAL

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

Mr. Lewis Nelson and children of Portales visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wall this week.

Mr. Lizzie Taylor is seriously ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Butts.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crummett and Mrs. Crummett's mother, Mrs. Sutherland, and J. W. Reed and Miss Grace Margaret Littlefield left Sunday for Carlsbad.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Stucker and daughter Mildred of Clovis visited Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Tusha of Elida last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morgan and son Chester, Mrs. J. E. Freeman and Mrs. W. V. Morgan left Saturday for Oklahoma on a ten days' visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. Ernest Savage is employed at Morgan's store while the Morgans are on their vacation.

W. H. Miller of Roswell is spending the week with the Oscar Robinson family.

Ivan Herbert of Roswell spent the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Herbert.

Miss Lucille Gore is employed at the West cafe.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Robinson made a business trip to Portales Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Wilmer and children were guests in the Grissom home Sunday afternoon.

Miss Katie Reagan has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Jim Brown, on the ranch.

John Meiner spent last week on the ranch with Glenn Herbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Oza Butler transacted business in Portales Monday.

Leland Campbell accompanied Charlie Little to Fort Sumner Monday of this week.

Mrs. Will Blomgren and children and her mother, Mrs. Martha Anthony of Clovis visited in Elida Sunday.

Finnis Cannon is employed in the post office while Mr. and Mrs. Roberts are on their vacation.

Those from Elida transacting business in Portales were Messrs. S. F. Miles, O. C. Herbert, M. M. Robinson, George Littlefield, J. S. Click and I. J. Dixon.

Miss Fay Wallace is now employed in Roberts' cafe.

One of the most interesting ball games of the season was played at Elida Sunday afternoon between Elida's second team and Kenna. The final score was 23 to 20, in favor of Kenna.

Mrs. Willie Cryer returned home the first of last week from Hereford, Tex., where she was called to the bedside of her father, who had a stroke of paralysis. Her father passed away July 15 at the age of 81 years.

Elida's first ball team motored to Portales Sunday afternoon and was defeated by the Portales team by a score of 15 to 3. Elmer Pruitt made two of the three scores for Elida.

Jess Hodgkins and family, who have been visiting the R. E. Slack family, returned to their home in Strawn, Tex. Friday.

Miss Martha Grissom of Columbia, Ky., Miss Maxine of Santa Fe, N. M., and Milton Grissom of Columbia, Ky., accompanied Elmer Grissom to visit in his home in Blackwell, Okla., leaving by way of Oklahoma City. They will return to Elida after a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roberts and their youngest son and Rev. and Mrs. Bryan and children left Saturday for a trip to the mountains.

Billie Moore has been seriously ill for several days. We are glad to learn he is very much improved at this writing.

Messrs. Errol and Harold Tusha and Miss Grace Tusha motored to Albuquerque Sunday, where Grace and Harold will visit their sister, Mrs. Clifford Gower, and Errol will motor on to Santa Fe to transact business in the city.

Mrs. Charlie Hemby and children, Mrs. Oscar Shephard and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wallace and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Jones.

Moonlight Party

Misses Clara and Pauline Robinson entertained with a moonlight party last Wednesday evening at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Robinson. Those enjoying the evening were Misses Hazel McArthur, Lillian Paxton, Lois Offutt, Irene Duffedy, Messrs. S. B. Erwin, A. F. Heigh, T. R. Allen, Avale Erwin, Warren Butler, Joe Taylor, Eldon Erwin, Raymond Butler, Albert Aschbacher, Gwin Taylor, Denton Offutt, and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Erwin, Mr. and Mrs. John Vineyard. Refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake was served at the close of the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Dearing are again in Elida after three weeks' visit to Burkhead, Tex.

Mrs. McGill and children visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bird.

Mr. and Mrs. Dove Snow of Illinois visited Sunday in the R. R. Jones home in Elida.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Ekins left Monday morning for a visit in Oklahoma.

## Quarter Million to Go to Work on Reconstruction Program

30-Hour Week Is the Plan

Mellon Denies He Will Resign

Great Program of Highway Building Started in Many States—Quarter Million Men Will Work.

The reconstruction plan will give employment to a quarter million men for eleven months, on a thirty-hour week plan, according to a nationwide survey.

The program carries \$120,000,000 for highway work over the nation. The program of construction covers practically every state in the Union and is designed to make the jobless self-sustaining.

Highway construction will be doubled and tripled in many states by the federal appropriation, which must be matched dollar for dollar by the states.

Governors of many states indicate that 40,000 men would be employed in their states on this work. Thousands of workers will be employed by the material factories, and business in general will be stimulated.

Many states are planning a minimum wage scale. Florida has announced a minimum wage of 20 cents per hour.

A number of states state that this work will be given to the needy.

The speedy introduction of this program will relieve much suffering should it be started before the winter sets in.

Unemployment will be reduced to "only 9,750,000 men" when this program is in full swing.

FUTURE FARMERS TO MEET ON AUG. 3

Under the sponsorship of R. A. Young, the Portales chapter of the Future Farmers of America are to meet next Wednesday evening at the high school, when the topic, "Possibilities in Small Tract Farming," will be discussed. Following is the detailed program:

"Growing Beets," Joe Kuyken-dahl.

Peanut Eating contest between Billy Schumper, Jim Johnson, Burt Howell, Leslie Coffman.

"Possibilities with Poultry," discussed by R. A. Young and Lewis Terry.

Debate, "Resolved, That it is a waste of time to string up grapes." Affirmative: John Atkins and Bob Taylor; negative, Elijah Ross and Leon Schumper.

"Possibilities with Swine," Cecil Askew.

"Possibilities with Onions," by Floyd Gibson.

Report on home projects, Joe Atkins, Roy Foreman, Lewis Terry, Leonard Stephenson.

Harp contest, Chris Wright, R. A. Young, Steve Freeman.

"What About Beans," Elijah Ross.

"What I Think About Sweet Potatoes and Tomatoes," Harold Knox.

Motion Picture Slides: "Farm Poultry Raising."

Refreshments, roasted peanuts and popcorn balls, Roy Foreman and John Atkins.

All members of the chapter are urged to come to these meetings, which are held every other Wednesday evening. Bring some one with you, your father or old-time members and high school students.

Mrs. Norman K. Morris and her little son Kerry arrived in Portales the first of this week from their home in Smackover, Ark., and will visit several weeks in the home of Mrs. Morris' mother, Mrs. Nora Johnston. Mrs. Morris was Miss Gladys Johnston before her marriage.

CURRY TO SUPPORT GARNER CANDIDACY

Former Governor George Curry, Republican, of New Mexico, would support Jack Garner of Texas for any ticket on which he should choose to run, a dispatch from Hot Springs, N. M., says.

Curry and "Cactus Jack," the present Democratic vice presidential nominee, served for several years together on the New Mexico-Texas border commission. "He is one of the ablest and most four-square men in the nation today," Curry said, "and our association on the border commission formed a pleasant relationship that cannot be severed, regardless of political differences."

REAL "FORGOTTEN MAN"

FOUND: JAILED EIGHTEEN YEARS ON TERM OF ONE

Joseph Douglas, an East St. Louis negro, was revealed this week as a real "forgotten man."

In 1914 he was sent to the Southern Illinois penitentiary to serve a term of one to fourteen years for manslaughter, says a press dispatch.

He is still there—eighteen years after being sentenced.

Ray T. Hendricks, an attorney, said the only explanation was that Douglas apparently had been forgotten. Hendricks will file a petition for the negro's release.

The Portales theatre is now using one of the Hensley buildings on North Main street for a shop in which to manufacture posters. This leaves more room in the theater for conducting the programs.

At the first little squeak bring it in and call for a Specialized Grease Job.

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## With The Churches In Portales

EED LAKE BAPTIST CHURCH

The ordination services of Rev. Lester L. Johnson was conducted at the Red Lake Baptist church Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The presbyter consisted of Bro. Booth of Baileyboro, Tex.; Bro. Robinson, moderator; A. Grimshaw and O. C. Herbert of Elida, Alamo Starkey, John Riddle and W. C. Grant of Portales and S. M. Lefler of New Hope, C. C. Price was deacon and Mrs. H. R. Watkins was clerk, both of Redlake.

Bro. Booth delivered the charge and Bro. Starkey the prayer. Bro. Robinson was questioner and ex-aminer.

Rev. Johnson, who is entering the ministerial work, was called as pastor of the Redlake church on Easter Sunday and the church requested his ordination.

The public is cordially invited to all services.

Choir practice Thursday at 8 p.m.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Joe M. Tyson, Pastor

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Preaching, 11 a. m. N. Y. P. E., 7 p. m. Evening service, 8 p. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday at 8 p. m.

The Young People's society will have for a topic in their 7 o'clock service, "The Value of Christian Education." The vice president, Mrs. Zibe Andrews, will have charge of an interesting program based on this topic. All young people are especially invited to attend this and other services, all of which will be distinctly religious in nature.

All who do not attend services elsewhere are urged to come to church and Sunday school at the little church on the corner, where the folks still believe in old-fashioned, heartfelt salvation.—Alfred Minyard, press.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

R. F. Davis, Pastor.

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m. Departments and classes for all ages. Sermon at 11 a. m. by the pastor. Subject, "The Challenge of Time."

Preaching at Floyd, 3 p. m. Evening sermon at 8 o'clock. Subject, "The First Law of Nature."

Our services begin and end on time. Come and bring your friends to the services.

REVIVAL MEETING

Rev. Gus Klein of Memphis, Tenn., will be the preacher at the First Methodist church during the revival meeting beginning Aug. 14, 1932. Rev. Klein is one of the most successful evangelists in the Methodist church. He comes to us with the sanction of the church back of him. He needs no better endorsement than that.—R. F. Davis.

Jack Norris has a new Chevrolet sedan.

REVIVAL AT E. VALLEY VIEW

The series of revival meetings to be conducted in the East Valley View community will begin next Sunday, July 31.

Rev. Alamo Starkey will be in charge of the preaching and the public is invited to the services.

REVIVAL AT BLACKWATER DRAW

Another revival meeting is being planned by the residents of the Blackwater Draw community, beginning Sunday, July 31. There will be all day services and dinner on the ground Sunday, Aug. 1.

O. B. Wilson, pastor of the Church of God at Clovis, will be in charge of the services, and everyone is cordially invited.

This meeting house is reached by going up the Clovis highway for five miles, and turning west two miles from the Slickham crossing.

Fire Destroys Jack Six's Cafe

Wednesday night at one o'clock, Jack Six's Cafe, next to Bascom Howards office was almost completely destroyed by fire.

Joe Boren, who was on the other side of the square heard an explosion, and soon saw the building in flames.

The fire department responded immediately, but the flames had gutted the building.

Everything in the building was destroyed, and the roof of the kitchen was burned.

The front of the building was saved.

Jack says that he cannot account for the fire, or any explosion. That he leaves the pilot light on the coffee urn burning, and that was the only fire in the building.

Supposition is that there was a gas leak and the gas accumulated till the room was filled, and set off by the pilot light, yet there was not sufficient evidence of explosion to justify this theory.

A small amount of insurance was carried.

## SATURDAY SPECIALS

Pure Hog Lard ..... 3 lbs. for 25c  
Compound ..... 3 lbs. for 25c  
Sliced Bacon ..... 18c lb.  
Beef Roast, tender ..... 10c lb.

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| SIZE    | Each Tire | Set of 4 |
|---------|-----------|----------|
| 4.40-21 | \$1.95    | \$7.80   |
| 4.50-20 | 2.00      | 8.00     |
| 4.50-21 | 2.05      | 8.20     |
| 4.75-19 | 2.35      | 9.40     |
| 4.75-20 | 2.40      | 9.60     |
| 5.00-19 | 2.45      | 9.80     |
| 5.00-20 | 2.45      | 9.80     |
| 5.25-18 | 2.75      | 11.00    |
| 5.25-19 | 2.80      | 11.20    |
| 5.25-20 | 2.85      | 11.40    |
| 5.25-21 | 2.90      | 11.60    |
| 5.50-17 | 3.10      | 12.40    |
| 5.50-18 | 3.15      | 12.60    |
| 5.50-19 | 3.20      | 12.80    |
| 5.50-20 | 3.25      | 13.00    |
| 6.00-17 | 3.50      | 14.00    |
| 6.00-18 | 3.50      | 14.00    |
| 6.00-19 | 3.55      | 14.20    |
| 6.00-20 | 3.60      | 14.40    |
| 6.00-21 | 3.65      | 14.60    |
| 6.50-17 | 4.30      | 17.20    |
| 6.50-18 | 4.40      | 17.60    |
| 7.00-18 | 4.50      | 18.00    |

### GOODYEAR PATHFINDER

| SIZE    | Each Tire | Set of 4 |
|---------|-----------|----------|
| 4.40-21 | \$1.55    | \$6.20   |
| 4.50-20 | 1.60      | 6.40     |
| 4.50-21 | 1.65      | 6.60     |
| 4.75-19 | 2.00      | 8.00     |
| 4.75-20 | 2.00      | 8.00     |
| 4.75-21 | 2.00      | 8.00     |
| 5.00-19 | 2.10      | 8.40     |
| 5.00-20 | 2.10      | 8.40     |
| 5.00-21 | 2.10      | 8.40     |
| 5.00-22 | 2.30      | 9.20     |
| 5.25-18 | 2.30      | 9.20     |
| 5.25-19 | 2.40      | 9.60     |
| 5.25-20 | 2.45      | 9.80     |
| 5.50-18 | 2.50      | 10.00    |
| 5.50-19 | 2.55      | 10.20    |
| 6.00-20 | 3.30      | 13.20    |
| 6.00-21 | 3.40      | 13.60    |
| 6.00-22 | 3.55      | 14.20    |

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FOR SATURDAY

July 30

|                                      |     |
|--------------------------------------|-----|
| BEEF ROAST, lb.                      | 10c |
| STEAK, lb.                           | 15c |
| FRESH HAMBURGER MEAT, 3 lbs.         | 25c |
| PORK CHOPS, 3 lbs.                   | 25c |
| PORK SAUSAGE, 3 lbs.                 | 25c |
| DRY SALT BACON, lb.                  | 0c  |
| HOT BARBECUE (every day), 3 lbs. for | 25c |