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County Receives Bountiful Rains

Glen Hunsacker, Killed in Battle at Ramon, Thought to Have Been One of Men in Gun Battle Here

Last of Trio of Bank Robbers Pays Penalty

At the little village of Ramon, N. M., on Sunday morning, Glen Hunsacker, wanted in several states on charges of bank robbery, was killed by officers.

Hunsacker was thought to be one of the trio who shot it out with officers on the Fetworth ranch in the southern part of this county about a year ago.

Fetworth is now serving a term in the state penitentiary on the charge of killing a Texas officer in this fight. Jack Sullivan, thought to be another of the trio, was captured and is now serving a term in the Texas penitentiary on a charge of bank robbery.

A man hunt covering several states has continued for Hunsacker which finally resulted in his death last Sunday morning.

"Perchmouth" Stanton, another outlaw, also was captured at Ramon.

The same day at Roswell, Frank Wallace, a 39-year-old Oklahoma outlaw, and Sargent Barney F. Leonard, a deputy sheriff, were killed in a gun battle at Roswell. Wallace was the outlaw who kidnaped an Albuquerque officer last week and escaped.

HUGH HILL UNDERGOES OPERATION FRIDAY

Hugh Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hamlin Hill of Arch, came to Portales last week to receive treatment after being ill for several days. Friday he was taken to the Clovis hospital and his appendix removed. He is reported recovering most satisfactorily.

All-State Band to Start Training at Las Vegas Fri.

An All-State band is being organized to leave Clovis July 29 for Chicago, to be present at the Century of Progress exposition on New Mexico day, July 31.

Ernest Pogue of Portales will direct the band and has had instructions from Coe Howard, chairman of the state world's fair committee, to call all the band members to Las Vegas July 21 to start training.

Applications from more than fifty musicians in the state have been received, but the personnel of the organization is still uncertain.

Other bandmasters of the state have assisted in selecting the talent so the band might be a credit to the state.

Local musicians selected are Kenneth Jones, bass horn; John Meiner, clarinet; Charles Compton, concert horn; Hubert Burke, drum; Leon Pogue, trumpet; Frances Estelle Bryant and Winifred May, trombones.

S. L. Simms Purchases Farm

S. L. Simms of the parhandle of Roosevelt county, purchased a small irrigated tract of land from R. G. Bryant this week.

Mr. Simms' plans are not known at present, but it is understood he will build upon his land about the first of the year.

Spole Farm Home Burns Last Week

A fire of undetermined origin destroyed the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Spole, on the Lovington highway eleven miles south of Portales, last Thursday morning about 8 o'clock. Practically all the household effects were burned. No insurance was carried on the furniture.

Mr. and Mrs. Spole had spent the night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Houk, where they had been assisting with a sick child. During the early morning hours Miss Una Harris, who lives with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Harris, just across the road from the Spole home, discovered the fire and summoned assistance to carry some of the furniture from the building. Very little was saved, as the frame building was soon destroyed by the flames.

Mrs. A. G. White owns the farm and lived there many years before coming to Portales. She had carried insurance upon the building but the policy had lapsed.

Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Green are in Las Vegas attending summer school at the Normal university.

Methodist League Presents 'The Rock'

A three-act play, "The Rock," will be presented at the Methodist church in Portales Friday evening, July 22, under the auspices of the Epworth league.

The cast of characters is taken from over the eastern New Mexico league district and will portray the following characters: Simon, a fisherman; Adina, his wife; Deborah, mother of Adina; Ucal, a brother of Deborah; Mary of Magdala; Pandira, Greek lover; Titus, Roman officer; Agur, physician of Capernaum; a servant to Ucal; a servant to Agur.

"The Rock" is a production of Mary P. Hamlin, with George Arles as co-author, and persons familiar with Mary Hamlin's Bible plays need no introduction to the class of production to be presented. Ancient Galilee is the scene and time of the play. Miss Martina Anderson, dramatic art teacher of Texico-Farwell will direct the production.

The theme is woven about the life of Christ, with the scene of the first two acts in the courtyard of the home of Simon in Capernaum. The third act depicts a dwelling top in Jerusalem on the eve of the crucifixion.

An admission charge of 20c for adults and 10c for children under 12 years will be collected.

HOME DEMONSTRATION AGENT TO BE SELECTED

At the meeting of the county commissioners in Portales this week a budget was made for the continuation of the home demonstration work of the county.

The new representative, to take the place of Miss Verda Oakley, who resigned the last of June, will be selected within the next few days and will come to Portales to enter upon her duties.

It has been suggested that the 4-H club work of the county be enlarged to the fullest extent as the commissioners felt the work among the boys and girls was of greater value than the club work carried on by the women, even though this work is of great importance in the county.

Grand Lecturer Masonic Lodge

G. L. Machen, grand lecturer for the blue lodge of the Masonic order, is here this week holding a series of lectures, covering certain phases of the blue lodge teachings and work.

A number of Portales Masons are attending and enjoying the lectures as well as gaining useful information.

Walter Clifton, who lives four miles east of Richland, said Saturday his crop was in all stages and of all ages. Most of it apparently would make some yield. It is reported a rain fell in that section the first of the week.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. K. Livingston Loses Thumb in Lawn Mower Sun.

Last Sunday morning, while playing with the lawn mower at his home, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Livingston, had the first joint of his right thumb cut off in the lawn mower.

Billy's smaller brother was pulling the mower, which overturned, Billy reaching down to push. His thumb became caught and was cut off just below the nail, necessitating the amputation of it at the first joint.

Billy was in town Monday morning all smiling to have the digit dressed.

OPEN OPTOMETRY OFFICE

Howard McDonald, who has received his degree in optometry at the University of Southern California, is opening an office in Portales and will be ready to give his message to the people of Roosevelt county next week.

Mr. McDonald has rented the E. G. Bryant building across from the Wood garage. Mr. Bryant is having the building remodeled and redecorated for the new tenant.

News Editor Sees Good Crops South and West of City

The News editor put one of his reporters in his car Sunday afternoon and started for his ranch, about eighteen miles northwest of Elida. Many interesting sights were seen on the trip.

Some of the dry land crops just out of Portales were green and looked as if they were only waiting for a rain to grow into maturity.

A little way farther there were signs of rain at the side of the road. The signs indicated the rain had fallen in showers. J. Q. Hawk's crop showed signs of considerable hail. Water was standing in the streets of Elida.

When starting west from Elida the pastures showed they had received some rain during the last week and were beginning to green up. The cattle and sheep were not fat, but were in good living condition. There were a few poor sheep noticed.

Several crops were observed along the way that could make good. M. M. Manus has some corn about knee high and seems to be growing. His young crop looks exceptionally well.

Clarence Beard has a good young crop. Irwin Nunn's crops showed up well from the road. It appeared to have had good care, and was making an effort to express its appreciation. He has about ten acres of sudan grass on which he is grazing about twenty head of stock.

John Smith's crop looked green in the distance and did not appear to be all weeds. Charlie Myers' corn is about knee high and is growing.

Casey Smith's crop does not show that it has ever experienced a drought. He has the reputation of raising good corn.

When the editor arrived at his farm he found the drought had not been one bit partial. However, A. J. Smith, who lives on the place, has been doing the best he can. There has been a couple of showers and the entire farm was planted and waiting for a rain.

Some of the early corn and kafir were looking extra good. Quite a bit of the land was planted in the lister furrows made last winter. It was the only chance to get a stand of crop.

After the stock was inspected, the newspaper men started on the return trip. Everything was lovely until they passed the farm of Charlie Herbert, when the rain became heavier. Soon the reporter was forced to get and push to keep the car from going into the ditch. Progress became slower, the road becoming a sheet of water.

It wasn't long until engine trouble developed and a hike across the water-covered pasture of Francis Lauderback was necessary to get help. Francis found a way to doctor the engine trouble when he was informed that he was liable to have company all night. He even quit his work of doctoring drowned chickens to fix the motor.

By careful driving the party arrived safely in Portales before the big rain set in.

Little Joan Bremer had her tonsils removed Monday afternoon. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bremer of Portales. The child is reported doing nicely.

Portales Wins Sunday's Game With Elida Nine

Portales won the baseball game from Elida Sunday afternoon in a State Line league contest by a score of 8 to 1. The game was much better than the score indicates.

Portales entered the game with some changes in the lineup. Vineyard was in the pitcher's box and gave a good account of himself, one fan saying "he was entitled to a shut-out game."

Cook performed on the mound for Elida and pitched a good game. Errors cost Elida considerably.

Portales made but two hits more than Elida.

Youngblood and Onstott played their usual steady and consistent game for Portales, and batted well. Burdine did well behind the bat for Portales, and Wallace brought the fans up roaring when he hit a home run in the second. Unfortunately for Portales, the bases were empty at the time. Burket performed brilliantly on the bases.

Leggett of Elida, the first man at bat in the game, created a sensation by knocking a home run. Stevenson, Elida's third baseman, led the batting attack.

The box score:

PORTALES (8)	A. B. R. H. E.
Burdine, c	5 1 0 0
Burket, 3b	5 2 0 1
Onstott, ss	5 0 2 0
Youngblood, cf	5 2 1 0
Dixon, 1b	4 0 0 0
Wallace, lf	4 2 1 0
Stanford, rf	4 1 0 1
Dobson, 2b	4 0 1 0
Vineyard, p	4 0 0 0
Totals	37 14 4 7

Elida (1)

A. B. R. H. E.	
Leggett, 2b	5 1 1 1
Allen, c	5 0 0 1
Corn, cf	4 0 0 0
Ward, rf	4 0 0 0
Roberts, lf	4 0 0 1
Stevenson, 3b	4 0 1 3
Stevenson, ss	4 0 2 1
Butler, 1b	4 0 0 0
Fruitt, p	4 0 0 0
Totals	37 14 4 7

ROAD CREW MOVED FROM KENNA TO PORTALES

The highway crew which has been stationed at Kenna moved to Portales Monday and will be stationed here while they are working on the Lovington highway.

C. B. Case is the budget engineer in charge of the crew and he and Mrs. Case have established their home in the Clem Estes residence.

Others brought to Portales by the transfer are Mr. and Mrs. Max Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Franks, Homer McGill and Don Sanders.

Henry Holland Has 150 Acres Good Crop Up

Henry Holland of Rogers was in Portales Tuesday. He reports a good rain in the vicinity of Rogers. Henry was not too optimistic about late planting so far as a grain crop is concerned, and believes that the chances are against a large grain yield from late planting. He said the planting now could be used for roughness and some grain might be made from it.

He is well pleased with his crops already up and growing. With a little more rain it should make a fair yield of grain. He has 150 acres that looks good.

Good Rain Falls at Milnesand

George B. Doughtie of the Milnesand community was in Portales Tuesday on business.

On his way to Portales, Mr. Doughtie says, he came into the highway near Kenna. Indications were that there had been a good rain all the way to Portales.

About forty acres of biggart will be planted by Mr. Doughtie. His other crops are looking well and his corn seems to be making good.

Market Flooded Is Cause of Low Prices of Poultry

S. V. Cissell, in discussing the poultry situation Tuesday morning, said he thought prices of poultry are lower than the prices of other products, or, at least, lower than they should be.

He could not account for the situation, unless it is caused by poultrymen throwing their products on the markets to avoid buying feed.

The recent rains may have a tendency to put more confidence into poultry owners. Perhaps less of these products will be marketed allowing prices to improve.

Richard T. May Buried Monday

Funeral services were conducted at the Wheeler-Johnson undertaking parlors in Portales Monday afternoon for Richard T. May, who passed away Sunday night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Adah Rea.

Mr. May was one of the pioneer settlers of the Portales community, having come here with his family about twenty-five years ago.

During recent years Mr. May has spent his time with his son Hugh at Clovis and his daughters, Mrs. Adah Rea and Mrs. Elmer Howard of Portales.

Mr. May was born in Cincinnati, Ark., January 11, 1852. In 1877 he was united in marriage to Miss Eliza Jane Greene, who passed away in May of 1928, and his remains now rest beside this loving companion in the Portales cemetery.

When about 25 years of age Mr. May was converted and united with the Baptist church, remaining a true Christian throughout the years. His treatment of his fellowmen made all acquaintances his friends.

Rev. Clyde Barton was in charge of the funeral services.

In addition to his son and two daughters, Mr. May leaves his daughter-in-law, Mrs. James L. May, also in Portales; two sisters, Mrs. C. L. Burris of Harrison, Ark., and Mrs. J. I. May of Summers, Ark. He is survived by seventeen grandchildren.

Hail Storm Causes Damage Near Elida

At the farm of J. Q. Hawks, northeast of Elida, Saturday evening, there was quite a wind and hail storm. The wind blew the house about fifteen feet. Hail did considerable damage to the crop, but not beyond hopes of recovering and making something.

This is the second wind storm this season which did considerable damage in the county, the previous one having been in the Causey and Richland communities.

BRIDGE BENEFIT MONDAY GIVEN BY WOMAN'S CLUB

There will be a bridge benefit Monday night at 7:30 o'clock in the Woman's club building, sponsored by the finance committee of the Woman's club.

C. I. Minyard Killed by Kicking Horse Last Friday Morning

Charles I. Minyard was born May 4, 1882, at Weatherford, Tex., and died July 14, 1933, at Portales, N. M.

He married Miss Lula Ward at Frederick Okla., Aug. 29, 1913. To this union was born five children: Alfred, Leta Mae, Nadine, Mildred and Ray. All are living.

He united with the Holiness church in 1912 at the age of 29. Moving with his family to Roosevelt county in 1925, Mr. Minyard engaged in farming and stock raising until his death.

Besides his wife and children, he leaves four brothers and three sisters to mourn his loss. His brothers are James, Luther, John and Albert, all living in Oklahoma. The sisters are: Mrs. W. F. Richardson of Willard, N. M.; Mrs. John Chamberlain and Mrs. Tom Stewart of Oklahoma.

The Minyard family lived on a farm about six miles southwest of Portales for several years, but had moved to Portales about three years ago.

One neighbor said of Charlie, "He is one of the hardest working farmers I ever saw, and a real neighbor." The family had the respect of all their neighbors.

The Minyard children, who attend Portales high school, take a leading part in the school activities. Alfred graduated last spring and was considered one of the best pupils in his class.

Wife and Children Witness Tragedy

Charles I. Minyard was kicked in the chest by a horse Friday morning about 7:30 o'clock in a pasture near the Midway filling station on the old Clovis high, and died in a short time.

Minyard had been running some stock in the pasture and Friday went out to see a young spotted colt, accompanied by Mrs. Minyard and his children, and his brother Lee.

While the group was looking at the colt the mare kicked Minyard to the left of the center of his chest, just under the heart.

Ray Brown and his wife, who were passing in their car, stopped and were sent to Portales for a physician, who arrived in about twenty-five minutes, but Minyard was dead.

Two-Inch Rainfall Changes Worries of Farmers Into Broad Busy Smiles

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Redlake community reported a two inch rain, and other sections of the county reported from two to two and a quarter inches. In Portales the government gauge registered 2.05 inches.

Valley Onions Will Make Good Yield

J. I. Bacon is harvesting his onion crop this week. He has in less than four acres and estimates the yield at something over 3,000 pounds an acre. This yield is not as satisfactory as it could have been. The early winds damaged the crop considerably, particularly on the west side. The land on the west side was not plowed as it should have been.

Bacon is another of the irrigation farmers who believes that some rainfall is necessary for a good crop production. At first he watered his onions every two weeks but later it was necessary to water them each week.

He is not sure about storing his onions for a higher price. It has been his experience that his loss has been more than his gains. He is selling quite a few as he gathers them.

Mr. Bacon has three acres of sweet potatoes, looking well. And enough tomatoes for home use.

McCasland to Open a Produce House

Taylor McCasland has closed a deal for one of the R. G. Bryant buildings on State street, in which he plans to establish a produce house and peanut roaster.

The date of opening of the business is not yet announced.

HISTORY AND CIVICS EXAMS TO BE HELD AUGUST 24

A. E. Hunt, county superintendent of schools, has been notified from the office of Mrs. Georgia L. Lusk that the next examination for history and New Mexico civics will be held in Portales on Saturday, Aug. 26.

Examinations will be held in the office of the county superintendent and begin at 10 a. m. A fee of \$1 will be collected from each person taking the examination.

WHEAT GROWERS TO MEET

A meeting of the wheat growers of Roosevelt county is being called at the court house in Portales next Saturday, July 22, at 2:30 o'clock, to consider a government allotment plan for the reduction of wheat acreage.

The county agent will preside at the meeting and all wheat growers are invited to attend the session.

NO BAND CONCERT FRIDAY

Due to the fact that Bandmaster Ernest Pogue and several of the musicians are away from Portales training in the All-State band organization, no band concert will be given in Portales this week, but Mr. Pogue feels quite sure a concert will be arranged next week.

Laura Carr reports her father received a good rain on both of his sheep ranges west of Portales.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following marriage licenses were issued by the Roosevelt county clerk during the last week:

Miss Della Marie Anerett and Elbert Haddock of Lubbock, Tex.
Miss Winnie Hons and Lee Apple of Baileyboro, Tex.
Miss Bezzie Pack of Baileyboro, Tex., and Donald Burham of Muleshoe, Tex.
Miss Irene Bigham of Plainview, Tex., and Roy Sanders of Floydada, Tex.

All Sections Have Rainfall Sunday

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ROY O'DELL BECOMES FOREMAN TULLA PLANT

Roy O'Dell left the last of the week for Tulla, Tex., where he became foreman of the operating department of the Swisher County Creamery. Roy has been connected with the Portales Creamery for several years and is acquainted with the various phases of the work, and is qualified for his new duties.

He reached Tulla in time for the heavy duties Saturday and entered upon his responsibilities Monday morning.

Dallas Man Heads N.M. Gas Company

Albert T. Woods of Artesia was replaced as president of the Gas Company of New Mexico, the Petroleum Valley Gas company and the Consumers Gas company by Walter Reid of Dallas, Tex.

This action was taken when the boards of directors of the companies met in Santa Fe July 16. The resignation of Lester G. May of Santa Fe, vice president of the several companies, was accepted.

Ted Bateman, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bateman, who live in the west part of Portales, was operated on last week for a ruptured appendix. He was brought home Sunday afternoon and is reported doing nicely.

Irrigation Farmers Meet at Court House to Discuss a Water District

A call has been issued for all farmers of the Portales valley to meet at the court house tonight (Thursday) for the purpose of discussing the formation of a conservancy district.

This meeting will consider both sides of the question and an effort will be made to arrive at a conclusion as to whether the protection of water rights is to the advantage or the disadvantage of the farmers of the valley.

All interested are invited to attend this meeting.

NEWS WANTED GET RESULTS

PORTALES VALLEY NEWS

J. G. GREAVES, Editor and Owner
DEMOCRATIC IN POLITICS

Portales Herald consolidated with Portales Times, March 27, 1913.
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Portales Valley News consolidated with Portales Journal, December 14, 1920.
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SUBSCRIPTION RATES

Table with 2 columns: Rate (One Year, Six Months) and Location (In New Mexico, Out of New Mexico).

THE LORD HELPS THOSE WHO HELP THEMSELVES

For the last month many people have been crying hard times and saying the government would have to feed the residents of Roosevelt county this winter—that it was too late to grow any crops, and without help the farmers would be destitute.

During this same time a great many farmers were working night and day fighting weeds and planting on light and infrequent showers. These farmers now have their crops up and their fields clean of weeds.

The rain of Sunday night insures a good feed crop, and considerable grain. The late planted broom corn will make, and bring a good price.

The Lord helps the man who helps himself, but, according to the parable of the man who buried his talent, that which he has will be taken from him and given to the man who used his talents profitably. The Lord has no consideration for the man who waits for blessings to be poured into his lap without effort on his part.

Somewhere in the Bible it is said that man shall earn his living by the sweat of his brow, and many of our farmers have sweated from morning 'til night to take advantage of the little moisture that has been provided. Others sat idly by waiting for rain before they began making preparations to receive it.

When harvesting time is here the man who has made an honest effort will reap a good harvest of blessings, and later will be called upon to divide the fruits of his labor with his improvident neighbor.

Such is life!

ROOSEVELT IS MAKING GOOD

Never has a nation experienced such a change as has taken place since Mar. 4, when President Roosevelt was inaugurated. The President deserves the full backing of the nation, that his plans may have a fair trial.

Thousands and thousands of the unemployed have gone back to work, and wages are advancing in all industries.

Farmers are receiving a new deal, and soon will be able to help take up the slack in labor.

Roosevelt has tried what no other President has ever dreamed of attempting, and it looks as if his plans will work out to the advantage of every man.

Do not throw a monkey wrench into the machinery by making inflammatory talks, inciting the discouraged citizens to discontent and riot. Now is the time for all loyal citizens to keep their feet on the ground and do their part to hasten the return of prosperity.

HEALTHY SIGNS OF PROSPERITY

Bank statements over the plains section show a healthy increase over Jan. 1 and also over June 30, 1932. The First National bank of Portales shows quite an increase in deposits and its statement shows many loans have been paid.

Bank statements are the pulse of the business world, and the condition of the banks shows the country is gradually recovering from the world depression.

75 PER CENT CROP IN PROSPECT

Don Foster of Floyd, who has been going over the county inspecting crops for the cotton reduction administration, reports that, with a good rain by Aug. 1, Roosevelt county will produce 75 per cent of a normal crop.

Farmers will be well on the road to recovery if 75 per cent of a normal crop is produced this year, because farm commodity prices are advancing and by fall good prices are assured.

Farmers who have been able to hold their grain are now receiving a profit on last year's crop. Grain is worth from four to five times what it was worth the first of the year.

THE DAIRY HERDS MUST BE SAVED

While the continued dry weather over the country is disheartening, there is yet time to grow sufficient feed to care for the dairy herds. Roughage planted the latter part of this month can yet produce feed sufficient to take care of the live stock.

For a money crop, it is a little late to plant broom corn, still broom corn planted the latter part of July has made a good yield in the past.

Many farmers are planning the planting of wheat for winter pasturage. Wheat planted about Aug. 15 between the row crops, using fifteen pounds of seed to the acre, will supply quick pasturage and, if protected from the rabbits, will give green feed for the dairy herd throughout the winter and increase the milk flow.

Cotton seed products have reached an unreasonable price, and many of the farmers will be able to buy only a limited quantity, so it is of vast importance that sufficient roughage be produced to feed through the winter months.

Millet, sorghum, sudan and other crops will make a quick growth with August rains, and will supply farm profits through the cream cans.

Pinto beans planted Aug. 1 will mature and the price for

this crop is looking up. This is no time to quit, but everyone should play the game as true sportsmen and they will weather this drought and save their dairy cattle for future profits.

Since the above was written good rains have covered the county, and there still is time to plant hegari, broom corn, sorghum and a number of other crops.

THE PASSING OF KENNA

The News has been informed that the highway from Elida south is being changed to miss Kenna four miles to the east, connecting with the old highway near the Lone Wolf filling station. Should this change be made it practically means the passing of Kenna.

The village of Kenna was colorful in its early days. In 1908, when the writer came to New Mexico, Kenna was a busy little city containing a number of stores of various kinds, two lumber yards, a bank, two saloons and two hotels. To secure a room for the night one had to make reservations in the morning.

Great wagon trains hauled out ranch supplies as far as Four Lakes, Lovington and other sections in the southeast part of the state. Great herds of cattle were shipped out of Kenna in those days.

The town site was laid out by two companies, one on each side of the railroad, and enough land was platted to make a city of more than 10,000 people. Business lots were grabbed up by speculators, which prevented a number of mercantile establishments from entering the town.

Times have changed now, and the village has shrunk. All buildings south of the tracks have been removed, and what is left of the city is now on the north side of the tracks. The Santa Fe at one time maintained a twenty-four hour telegraphic service, but has now discontinued this entirely.

With the changing of the highway, one wonders as to the future of this village. Those in business there have heavy investments, and these will be almost a total loss.

With oil development Kenna may come back and again be one of the thriving villages of the county, but without such a development it begins to look as if it will be only another ghost town.

Folks, this isn't right.

The Student Fraternity Murder

by MILTON PROPPER
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Rankin shook his head in obvious perplexity. "I don't see how Buckley could possibly have studied at Aberdeen for two years," he ruminated. "His record from the office of admissions says nothing about any college education before he came to Philadelphia. In fact, it distinctly states that since graduating from high school, two years before, he worked at home."

"I think I can explain that," Randall declared. "He simply gave false information in the application he filled out for admission here. You see, because of his run-in with Jordan, he was dismissed dishonorably from Aberdeen. With such a blot on his record, no other school in the country would accept him. To get in another college, he would have to begin all over, as if he came directly from high school. And then he'd have to lie about how he spent the two intervening years. If the university didn't suspect anything, it would believe his story about working."

The scheme Randall outlined probably explained the deception correctly, but Rankin made mental note to inquire of Mr. Warwick as to its feasibility. "Now, Mr. Randall," he asked, "what was the cause of this trouble between him and young Jordan?"

"If I tell you that," the boy said reluctantly, "I don't want you to use me to prove anything against Buckley. It can't have any connection with Stuart's death and I wouldn't care to get him into a jam."

His entirely natural attitude moved the detective to set his mind at ease. "You will have no responsibility at all," he promised persuasively. "I can learn the facts from the Aberdeen authorities; and they will have to confirm them, anyhow. So it wasn't necessary for you ever to appear in the case."

With this assurance, Randall began an account of the dead boy's end with Buckley. Though a small institution, Aberdeen maintained separate sleeping quarters for its first-year men; and as at other colleges, it was the system there to place upper classmen as monitors in charge of them. While a first-year student, Jordan had served as class secretary, which was probably why he was selected as a monitor during his second term the past year. He had a proctor's duties to maintain order among the rooms he controlled, indeed the proper medical agency of illness among the boys, and advise them when he could. He must also report serious infractions of school regulations to the official executive committee.

"You Will Have No Responsibility at All," He Promised Persuasively.

gestions that Buckley did not play an honest game. When Jordan arrived, the youngsters had already lost two hundred dollars; but he merely requested them to quit the game and not repeat the offense. It was Jordan's second encounter with Buckley that precipitated the fight. Toward the first of April, he learned in some manner that a similar game was in progress; and interrupting it, he found the two freshmen again heavy losers. This time less lenient, most of his indignation was directed against Buckley. He ordered him to stay away from the students in his dormitory and threatened to compel him to do so. And then, because he already knew of something disreputable in his past life in Vandalla—he accused him of cheating with loaded dice. Before he could be stopped, Jordan seized them and proved his claim that they were weighted inside. Buckley then attacked him, partly in hatred and partly in dismay at being caught; violent blows were exchanged, and a battle royal might have ensued had not other occupants on the same floor been attracted by the uproar and separated the antagonists.

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Personal Items

Laura Carr reports her father received a good rain on both of his sheep ranges west of Portales.

Helen Ruth Price, daughter of Mrs. Leonard Kimmons, has gone to California, where she will spend the next year with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gotcher.

J. I. Jones stated Saturday that his crop was standing the drought a lot better than he expected. It is understood he got a good rain on his farm this week.

O. D. Douglas has lived in this part of the country for the last thirty years. He says the drought this spring and summer is the worst he has ever seen, but his cotton stood it well. He has a few acres of maize that has continued growing, also.

Roy Radcliff said Saturday his cattle were holding up fairly well on the sand grass. The hard land grass is gone.

D. B. Brown and family of the Richland community were in Portales Saturday attending to business. Their crops are looking fine.

Elmer Howard of the south Floyd community reported Monday that he had a good rain on his farm Sunday night.

Mrs. J. T. Nolan, who came here for her health a few months ago, left Monday for the east. She is feeling fine.

GARRISON

Garrison received a very good rain Sunday night. Most of the farmers around here have pretty good crops, and this rain will help greatly.

Mrs. Bill Propps and Mrs. Jay Williams and their children returned to Colton, Cal., last Friday after visiting here for the last three weeks. The ladies are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Adair.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Harvey are the proud parents of a baby boy born Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Clark, little Ada Marie and Vern, and Ted Clark from Amarillo visited with relatives and friends here during the week.

Mrs. Jay Wooley and little daughter of Milnesand spent last week with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Clark entertained a few of the Young Circle last Saturday evening. Everyone reported a grand time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Levacy and children visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Adair Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hitt and Leon visited in the McCandless home Sunday.

The Garrison nine lost a game to the Midway team last Saturday, the score being 8 to 3. Sunday our team motored to Pep and defeated that team, 15 to 3.

Next Saturday Doris' team comes to Garrison and Sunday Garrison will play at Milnesand. Come on, fans, let's boost our team!

Sunday dinner guests at the D. E. Garrison home included one of Mr. Garrison's brothers and his family from Clovis.

A.A.A. CONTEST BOARD TESTS FUELS



Mr. R. W. Martland, Jr., member National Technical Committee, who took personal charge of road tests conducted for Pacific Coast gasolines.



Captain E. V. Rickenbacker, famous World War Ace, Chairman of the American Automobile Association Contest Board.

Commissioned to make a comparative investigation into the relative performance qualities of the seven leading Pacific coast gasolines under actual road operating conditions, the American Automobile Association contest board has announced the verdict on the first of its series of tests.

As the result of the exhaustive check-ups for relative starting characteristics of the seven fuels, official certification has been awarded by the board's national headquarters in Washington, D. C., that the starting of the Standard gasoline manufactured by the Standard Oil company of California is unsurpassed.

Under the personal control and supervision of R. W. Martland, Jr., member of the board's national technical committee, the closest possible time recordings were required. Martland states: "The instrument placed on the Bendix drive actuated a timing device capable of measuring to within one-hundredth of a second. With this gadget we were able to time the starting of all seven gasolines to our entire satisfaction. Run-downs of these tests were made and re-checked to be certain that our records were absolutely accurate."

While the American Automobile Association contest board's authorization for these independent tests was requested in the public interest by the Standard Oil company of California, Martland reports that samples of the fuels used were purchased and coded by the contest board under whose control the entire investigation has been conducted.

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Miss Frances Hodges Describes Interesting Points in Washington

Arlington Cemetery Seen and Described

Miss Frances Hodges of Dona continues below the account of the interesting and famous sights seen by her in the nation's capital, where she was sent as a delegate from New Mexico to the national encampment of the 4-H clubs.

Arlington is the estate of Martha Washington's family. It now includes the Arlington National cemetery, Arlington Memorial amphitheater, the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, and the Arlington house or Lee mansion.

Arlington Cemetery
At Arlington sleep the silent hosts who died in the war for the Union, the Civil war of seventy years ago. Nearly half of the soldiers buried here are Civil war veterans. Thousands every year come from the north, south, east and west to honor those who gave their lives that the country might live.

Arlington National cemetery covers an area of 408 acres on the banks of the Potomac river directly opposite Washington. Here is the "field of the dead," where the headstones of those who fell in the war for the Union extend in unending rows. Nearly 40,000 soldiers are resting here—their final resting place—in eternal honor and glory. A tall granite monument rises in the section where lie those who died in the Spanish and Philippine wars. Here also is the anchor and the mast of the Maine, to commemorate those who perished in Havana harbor.

From the West Indies and the Pacific islands; from France and other foreign lands, the dead who died in the service of the country have been brought home to rest here in Arlington, close to the heart of the nation to which they gave their lives.

O'Hara's "Bivouac of the Dead" is inscribed on tablets in the Arlington grounds, and aptly applies to these memorial grounds. The tomb stones of the unknown soldiers are flat while those of the known are rounded.

All the natural conditions at Arlington make it a fitting place for the repose of the nation's dead. The grounds are beautifully landscaped with flower beds, lawns and ornamental trees, which add to the natural beauty of the rolling hills and ravines adorned by mighty oaks.

Memorial Amphitheater
On the brow of the hill overlooking the cemetery stands the imposing Arlington Memorial amphitheater, seeming from its hill-top to keep a silent and eternal vigil over the mortal remains of the Grand Army of the Republic, was dedicated May 15, 1920, as an enduring memorial of the heroic dead, and a suitable assembly place for the thousands in attendance on Decoration day. The building has a seating capacity of 5,000 people in the amphitheater and for several thousand more in the colonnades, and there is room for additional hundreds on the stage. The amphitheater is turfed and open to the sky.

Tomb of the Unknown Soldier
To the east of the amphitheater stands the tomb of the Unknown Soldier. On it is inscribed: "Here rests in honored glory an American soldier known but to God."
The tomb is a solid block of marble beneath which was placed, Nov. 11, 1921, by Gen. John J. Pershing the body of an unknown soldier brought from France as a symbol of all the American soldiers and sailors who gave their lives in the Great War.

A lone sentinel guards the tomb dutifully day and night, and allows no one to molest the sleep of the honored dead.

Lee Mansion
The mansion occupies a commanding height in the cemetery. It is now occupied by the superintendent of the cemetery and a register is kept here of visitors to the grounds.

It was built in 1802 of stuccoed brick on the estate of 1,100 acres. It was the home of George Washington Parke Custis, an adopted son of George Washington, and afterward was the home of Robert E. Lee. In the hall lettered in bronze is the Gettysburg address of Abraham Lincoln.

In the drawing room Mary Ann Custis in 1831 married Robert E. Lee, then a lieutenant in the army. Gen. Lee left Arlington to take command of the Virginia during the Civil war. In this war Arlington house was used as a hospital and the Arlington estate was taken over by the government for a national cemetery.

The great portico has eight massive white columns. The view from this mansion is famous—a vista of the city of Washington never to be forgotten. The great round dome of the capitol, the white shaft of Washington monument, and the majestic Lincoln memorial are on a line as straight as an arrow.

Rising into the blue, the impressive Washington monument keeps a stately watch over it all.

Mount Vernon
The water route from Washington to Mount Vernon is by steamer and is a very enjoyable trip, but the Mount Vernon Memorial highway may be used for autos, across the Arlington Memorial bridge.

The house was built in 1743 by Lawrence, half-brother of George Washington. The name of Hunting Creek estate was changed to Mount Vernon, in honor of Admiral Vernon, under whom Lawrence had served in the West Indies.

The lands about Mount Vernon

Cotton Reduction Offers Accepted

With approximately three and a half million bales representing more than nine million acres of land for reduction, Secretary Wallace announced on Friday, July 14, the acceptance of offers for reduction of cotton land. Reports from fifteen states are still incomplete. New Mexico, with incomplete reports, shows a reduction of over 26,000 acres.

Thus closes the first stage of the cotton adjustment plan which was actively started two weeks ago when the government offered certain rental and option benefits to cotton growers in return for their agreement to plow up part of their cotton acreage. The active campaign to explain the plan to cotton growers and offer them an opportunity to co-operate by offering to reduce their acreage came to an end on July 12.

Estimates of yields are said to be on the whole conservative and fair. The processing tax, from which benefits are to be paid, becomes effective Aug. 1, and the amount of the tax will be 42 cents a pound.

Director Elser of New Mexico State college, who had general charge of the campaign in New Mexico, has issued a warning that the individual producer should take steps to eliminate the acreage under contract until he receives government acceptance of his offer and instructions to do so. Only such offers as meet legal requirements and comply with the cotton administration regulations will be accepted.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Overton of Jayton, N. M., Mrs. Luther Johnson of Girard, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. George Overton and two sons, Mrs. Hyatt Vincent and baby of Vincent, N. M., were the over-night guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Cannon Friday night. They were on a vacation trip to Dail and Hot Springs.

taining the beautiful Mary Washington rose.

The great commander was released from the cares of government in 1797, and retired to pass, as he hoped, many quiet and enjoyable years upon his plantation. But two years of this happy life was allowed him, for on December 14, 1799, he died following exposure in a storm.

Washington's property descended at the death of Mrs. Washington in 1802 to Bushrod Washington, who died in 1829, leaving the estate to his nephew, John Augustine Washington. Then it passed to his wife in 1832 and from her in 1855 to her son, John Augustine Washington Jr. It was from him the property was purchased in 1860.

Tomb of Washington—The path leads down the southern slope past the old tomb to the plain structure of brick with an arched gateway in front, above which a marble slab is inscribed, "Within this inclosure rest the remains of General George Washington." Above the door of the tomb are the words, "I am the Resurrection and the Life. He that believeth on Me, though he were dead, yet shall he live." In the ante-chamber are the two marble sarcophagi. The one on the right bears on its face the name of Washington with the United States, and a draped flag. On the other is inscribed, "Martha, consort of Washington, Died May 21, 1802, aged 71 years. Within the vault rest forty members of the Washington, Custis and related families. Nearby are monuments to the memory of some.

Dining Room—The sideboard in this room once belonged to Washington. The china in it is a reproduction of the set presented to Mrs. Washington by the officers of the French fleet in 1782.

Mrs. Washington's Sitting Room—Here are four prints which hung in the room in Washington's day.

Banquet Hall—The mantle piece here was presented to Washington. The sideboard contains Martha Washington's fan exquisitely carved and painted.

The second story at Mount Vernon contains eleven bedrooms. The room in which Washington died is the south bedroom. The furniture was used by Washington; the bedstead is the one upon which he died, and on the chair at the moment of his death lay the open Bible. The mahogany table was there.

Mrs. Washington's room is in the attic—it was here that she died.

In the kitchen the crane still hangs in the fireplace, and there is a brick oven. The outbuildings are butler's house, meat house, work house, ice house, spinning house, coach house and barn. One should not miss the garden, con-

Political Plums May Be Placed in Civil Service

President Roosevelt's move to place all postmasters under civil service fell with a thud on Democratic congress, who realized suddenly that about 15,000 jobs thus would be taken out of the political patronage category, says a press dispatch from Washington.

Senator MacKellar of Tennessee, chairman of the postoffice committee and ranking Democrat on the civil service committee, predicted congress would reject a bill such as the President recommended to require that all first, second and third class postmasters be under civil service.

These appointments are now and have been for years made by the President on recommendation of senators and representatives. Only fourth class postmasters are at present required to stand civil service examinations.

Pending submission of the bill at the next session, the President ordered all future applicants for postmasterhips now filled by political appointments to take examinations unless they are already qualified under civil service or regularly commissioned postmasters.

BETHEL

We had 113 at Sunday school last Sunday and every one was rejoicing because our superintendent, R. A. Ham, was back with us again. He is able to be about with the aid of crutches. We are glad he can be out once more.

Bro. Loris preached a fine sermon in the afternoon to a very attentive audience. Next Sunday Bro. Tyson will be with us and has planned a service for children.

We have had some nice showers and some parts of Bethel got a splendid rain. Some report an inch and a half.

Crops are commencing to look very good and we are hoping to get a good general rain.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Adams spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John White and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stewart entertained at dinner last Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Lex Cooper and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Woodburn and family and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Elder.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Miller and family entertained the following guests at dinner Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Claude Loris and son Jack Gordon, Florence Lee, Durwood Wright and Jack Woolridge.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Little and daughter Naomi, Mr. and Mrs. Tullis Tolliver and children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Boteler and family Sunday.

The following friends were guests at dinner Sunday of Mrs. Birdie Browne: Mrs. D. Maness, daughter.

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ters Alloe, Imogene and Billie, Mrs. Hazel Todd and daughter Martha, Jean, Irma D. Traugher, Mrs. J. T. Creighton and Bud Carrud.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Coley entertained at dinner Sunday. Those present were Ora Litta, Moneta Manes, Kai Thetford and Ira Brown.

Several of the neighbors went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Helmer Saturday night and made ice cream. They had a very nice time.

Guy Collier spent several days last week in Texas.

Mrs. Dutton of Texas is visiting her sons, Ernest and Roy, and their families.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dutton and family were: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dutton and children, Mrs. C. G. Bilderback, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Adams and son John, and Mrs. Dutton. It was also a celebration of the birthdays of Estherine Dutton and Doris Dutton, cousins.

Woodrow White has returned from a trip to south Texas and Mexico.

J. R. Bolen visited the News office Saturday. He works for the Santa Fe in Clovis. His wife and son are operating their farm near Portales. Mr. Bolen spends most of his spare time on the farm.

Rex Forrest had the first smile on his face Saturday—his friends have been able to detect in months. He was feeling better about the rain proposition.

Ed McAlister of the Delphos community stated Saturday he had all his crop planted except thirty acres. His early corn was needing rain badly. His other crops were looking fine.

C. P. Fenion, one of the Portales valley truck farmers, stated Saturday that his crop would have been much better had it not been for the sand.

L. E. Twell of the Floyd community was in Portales Saturday meeting his friends and attending to business.

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- 2—"The Only Hope for Universal Peace" SATURDAY NIGHT, 7:30, JULY 22
- 3—"The Greatest Crisis in All History" SUNDAY AT 3 P. M., JULY 23
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FOR RENT—Four-room apartment with bath, 122 S.E. Kansas St. Comparatively new, clean, modern, with garage. See J. W. Stone, 3812c

FOR RENT—Five room modern house furnished and equipped with gas, at 412 Pine St. Adults only. See Mrs. E. H. Robinson, 3812c

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FOR SALE—Cane and millet seed. Also a 1/2 ton International truck, 1928 model, panel body, real bargain. Schumpert Implement Co., 3812c

LOST—17-jewel Hamilton silver case watch, Monday night, between Fred Marshall's filling station and J. H. Brethear's farm. Finder return to News office and receive reward, or notify Vane Victor, Dora, 3812c

ROBERTSON PRODUCE

A Home-Owned Institution

The intensive heat the last few days is having much to do with the quality of eggs now. Eggs not cared for and not well protected are now in bad shape—either they must go as seconds or as rots—consequently they are of no value. Many eggs are being sold that have been set on many days and even weeks. These, of course, should not be offered for sale.

Portales Markets

Heavy Hens 6c
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 Hides 2 1/4 @ 5 1/2
 Eggs 7 1/2 @ 8c
 Cream, lb. 22c
 1933 Springs 10 @ 12c
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 Fryers under 1 1/2 lb. no market for.

The Student Fraternity Murder

(Continued from page two)

Standall had no idea how information of the altercation and its causes reached the college authorities. In all probability, one of the disgruntled victims of Buckley's fraud carried the tale to the executive committee. At any rate, Randall knew definitely that several days later that body began an investigation. Jordan, the two freshmen and others were summoned before it and perforce testified against Buckley; as a result, he was expelled from Aberdeen.

"Do you know what became of Buckley between the time he left Aberdeen and turned up here?"

At the negative reply, Rankin rose and thanked the boy for his assistance; it was evident that he could give him no further information at the moment.

The detective did not make the mistake of placing too great a value as yet upon his account. True, it represented his first progress in the case and revealed a motive for Jordan's death. While it might seem rather weak to the adult point of view, a college man would be apt to consider it serious and exaggerate its gravity. And in Buckley, who was evidently something of a rogue, it would rankle and excite a bitterness more malignant than a worse injury. Particularly if, since coming to the university, the murdered boy should have again clashed with him or interfered with his pursuits. But to prove that Buckley had reason to commit the crime was not enough, if he lacked the opportunity. That problem Rankin could not deal with until he learned where the two missing brothers had been during the initiation. It seemed impossible that Buckley, presumably a stranger to the ritual, was nevertheless present at the ceremony.

Rankin went to the dormitory post office; and introducing himself to Mr. Thorne, in charge of sorting and distributing incoming mail, questioned him as to letters Jordan might have got. But the postmaster never had occasion to notice his particular mail. Still, he said, as the boy owned a letter box, number 307, and a corresponding key, he probably received a great deal of it. He promised faithfully to watch for further communications and apprise Rankin of them.

It was three-fifteen when the detective reached the Mu Beta Sigma house, Anthony Graham opened the door for him, and Stanton, looking more harassed than ever, joined them in the hall. Before leaving headquarters, Rankin had phoned the fraternity, requesting that Larry Palmer and Ben Crawford await his arrival; the president said that they had been there since two o'clock.

Rankin apologized for his tardiness. "I took me longer than I expected to settle other details of the case."

"Now, Mr. Stanton, if you will allow me to have the living room alone for a short while, I'll speak to them in there. Separately, of course; it is immaterial which you send in first."

Benjamin Crawford presented himself first—the only member of the chapter he had not yet met. A dapper youth, with well-rounded features, artless eyes and blond hair, his efforts to look more mature were amusing. He seated himself prominently on the sofa, adopting a pseudo-sophisticated attitude to foster that impression. But neither pose nor the fine mustache he sported could conceal the fact that he was only nineteen.

"You know what I want from you, Mr. Crawford," Rankin said. "I don't have to explain, after last night, the importance of checking the movements of every one in the house. You were absent and I couldn't do it in your case. The question is, where did you spend your time yesterday evening?"

"It's an awful business, isn't it, sir?" Crawford replied without hesitation. "Poor Stuart. . . I had a date with a girl and missed the whole thing."

"You didn't stay a while and leave before the ceremony was over?"

The boy shook his head. "No, I went out at least fifteen minutes before the meeting started. My date was for nine o'clock, way up in Oak lane; as it takes almost an hour to get there, I left the house at eight."

"That's all that really matters," Rankin said. "Let me have your friend's name and address; as a matter of form, she will have to confirm your statement."

"But I can't," Ben Crawford returned. "That's just the trouble. I don't know where to find her or what her name is. You see, it was a blind date in the first place. . . a pick-up, in fact. I was never introduced to the girl. And then, when I reached the place I was to meet her, she wasn't there." His injured tone showed he considered himself ill-used. "She stood me up."

Rankin's voice was suddenly sharp. "But although she failed to keep her appointment at only nine o'clock, you had not returned to the house here by three-thirty this morning. How do you explain the delay, Mr. Crawford?"

The student's blasé pose remained unruined. "It's a rather long story, sir. I met her first last Thursday night, out in Oak lane.

She had been calling on another girl, who lives at 5100, north of the first station. I left her at twelve-thirty and went to the corner of Godfrey and York roads for my car. And here was this girl by herself. I don't suppose we would have got acquainted, much as I wanted to, if I hadn't caught her looking directly at me. Then, when our eyes met, she smiled as if she wouldn't mind speaking to me, either." Conceitedly, he fingered his mustache tips. "So I opened up a conversation with her."

"You just couldn't help speaking to her," Rankin's lips twitched in the ghost of a smile. "And what happened then?"

"Well, I couldn't pass up anything that promising, could I? . . . Anyhow, she wasn't offended and after a while, I suggested that I might see her home. She said it was impossible that night, but if I cared to, we could fix up a date together, for early this week. So we arranged to meet at nine o'clock last night at the same spot; I didn't care if I missed the initiation. But she wouldn't tell me who she was or where she lived. I asked if I could phone her in the meantime, but she promised to ring me instead, on Sunday. She said that would prove she intended to show up. I gave her the frat. phone number and my name. . . not my right name, of course." The boy smiled. "Not yet; just the one I always use with my 'I'm better acquainted with the date.'"

"And did she actually call up on Sunday?"

"Yes, and that's why it is so peculiar," Crawford answered. "While she didn't tell me about herself, she promised faithfully to see me last night. Yet she never turned up. I waited at the corner a half-hour, but there wasn't a sign of her anywhere."

"She was probably indulging in some fun at your expense," Rankin commented. "Even so, that accounts for where you were only until nine-thirty last night."

For the first time, the boy's spasm was shaken and he weighed his reply.

"After that I . . ." he began, "well, I suppose I may as well admit I visited another girl friend of mine." He explained apologetically: "To tell the truth, I had been counting heavily on the date and when it fell through, I was depressed; I wanted some company to cheer me. Then I phoned this girl for permission to drop in, and she agreed to my visiting her."

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"You just couldn't help speaking to her," Rankin's lips twitched in the ghost of a smile. "And what happened then?"

"Well, I couldn't pass up anything that promising, could I? . . . Anyhow, she wasn't offended and after a while, I suggested that I might see her home. She said it was impossible that night, but if I cared to, we could fix up a date together, for early this week. So we arranged to meet at nine o'clock last night at the same spot; I didn't care if I missed the initiation. But she wouldn't tell me who she was or where she lived. I asked if I could phone her in the meantime, but she promised to ring me instead, on Sunday. She said that would prove she intended to show up. I gave her the frat. phone number and my name. . . not my right name, of course." The boy smiled. "Not yet; just the one I always use with my 'I'm better acquainted with the date.'"

"And did she actually call up on Sunday?"

"Yes, and that's why it is so peculiar," Crawford answered. "While she didn't tell me about herself, she promised faithfully to see me last night. Yet she never turned up. I waited at the corner a half-hour, but there wasn't a sign of her anywhere."

"She was probably indulging in some fun at your expense," Rankin commented. "Even so, that accounts for where you were only until nine-thirty last night."

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gets me is that everybody tells me I was drugged—and with knockout drops," he added wonderingly. "I can't see how that's possible. The only fellow with me or anywhere near me last night is a friend of mine; it's ridiculous to think he'd do something like that." He turned to the president for support. "Ted knows him too—it was Ralph Buckley. He attended our first smoker and has visited me since several times in my room."

"Ralph Buckley?" The detective's even unemotional question did not indicate his thrill on hearing the name, or that he recognized it at all.

"Yes," Palmer answered, "he's a freshman in the college department with whom I'm rather chummy. He lives in the Harrogate apartments at 238 Forth street. He comes from Illinois. . . let me see, he mentioned the place once"—he wrinkled his brow in deep thought—"oh, yes, Vandalla, Ill."

Stanton opened his eyes widely in surprise. "Why, that's Stuart's home, too, Mr. Rankin?" he exclaimed excitedly. "I told you that last night, sir."

"Yes, so you did," Rankin's tone was still calm. "And that is why I'd like to learn something about Buckley." He addressed Palmer again. "What do you know of him? How did you two happen to become friends?" he asked.

By a few questions, he discovered the extent and duration of the

(To be continued)

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF ROOSEVELT COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO.

Roswell Building and Loan Association, a Corporation, plaintiff, vs. Margaret Black and Earnest R. Black her Husband, Defendants, No. 2907.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance to the Final Decree of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the above entitled cause on the 23rd day of February, 1933, in the above Court, the undersigned Special Master, as provided by the Court in said decree, will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the Court House in Portales, Roosevelt County, New Mexico, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M. on the 18th day of August, 1933, all the following described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the sums of money hereinafter mentioned, which have been awarded to the plaintiff in said Decree, said property being situated in Roosevelt County, New Mexico, and described as follows, to-wit: Lot Number Nine (9) in Block Fourteen (14) of the School

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ELIDA

Bill Belcher and Curtis Wheeler took a load of broom corn to El Paso last week.

Mrs. Jeff Peach and children of Herwood, Tex., is here visiting Mrs. Peach's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Pink West.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Lee Erwin and baby were visiting in Portales last week, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Erwin.

Pat Boone and family left Sunday for Chicago to attend the fair. Messrs. Clifford Stevenson and Bill Belcher and Misses Ida Lee Harper and Jessie Mudge Gibson attended the Gray Stock company show in Portales Saturday night.

Elida and vicinity had a good rain Saturday, Sunday and Monday night.

Mrs. Royce Gibson and children, Ellen and Estelle, who has been visiting the Gibsons, left last week for Belen, N. M.

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Rogers Rejoices in 2 1/2 - in. Rain

J. H. McCandless was in Portales today on business and gave an interesting report of crop conditions in the country east of Causey and southeast of Rogers.

He estimated the average rainfall to be a good two and one-half inches. It was heavier in some places than in others.

In the section where Mr. McCandless lives several good showers have furnished moisture enough to plant and keep the crops growing; he last rain will give them a big boost.

Cotton stood the drought better in McCandless' locality than other crops and as it happens the acreage this year is larger than usual.

The principal crops in this part of the country are kafir, maize, cane and wheat. These crops should do fairly well with a reasonable amount of rainfall during the remainder of the season, according to McCandless.

D. C. Copeland Operates Dairy

Mr. and Mrs. Ad Hobbs spent several days in Taos last week and one of the nights that appealed to them was a dairy owned by Gerson Gudorf and operated by D. C. Copeland.

Gudorf operates one of the best hotels in Taos, and has a model farm on which he raises almost everything consumed in the hotel.

On the farm are twenty-nine milch cows. There was no odor about the premises, because everything about the dairy and creamery is washed twice a day.

"In the creamery," stated Mr. Hobbs, "butter is made of sweet cream and is just as good as any butter I ever ate. They had calls for seventy-five pounds of butter while I was there which they were unable to supply."

On this farm is a gardener who does nothing but raise vegetables. There are chickens, ducks, geese, a pen of pheasants, sheep, hogs and beef cattle. A fish hatchery is now being installed.

The farm is located about two miles north of Taos.

Hobbs says the only thing needed is some of the Roosevelt county cows to give more milk.

Copeland at one time was connected with the Midwest Dairies of Portales.

SOCIETY and Club

U. D. C. MEETING

An interesting meeting of the U. D. C. was held Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. H. F. Wollard when Mrs. L. E. Cannon conducted the program.

Miss Kate McManaway told of the life of Stark Young as given in Holland's magazine, and this was of special interest, as Mr. Young is a cousin of Mrs. J. B. Sledge of Portales.

Mrs. Cannon followed with a review of "Heaven's Trees," a book of Mr. Young's.

Mrs. Temple Molinari told of the activities in the U. D. C. chapter at her home city of San Diego, Cal. Mrs. Molinari's mother, Mrs. George Williamson, was at one time president of the Portales chapter. Mrs. Roma Stone Nobel of Los Angeles, Cal., was also a guest for the afternoon.

After the program Mrs. Wollard served a delicious plate lunch.

W. C. T. U. MEETING

Mrs. Hazel Galloway presided over an interesting meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union held in the Methodist church last Friday afternoon.

Devotional services opened the meeting and the program consisted of splendid talks and papers giving inside information of the efforts to destroy prohibition.

Mrs. Galloway was assisted by the presentation of interesting numbers by Mrs. J. W. McMin, Mrs. L. L. Brown, Mrs. D. Z. Little and Mrs. Frank Craddock.

The attendance and interest was most encouraging for the workers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bonner visited Sunday with Mr. Bonner's parents at the ranch in the Fort Sumner vicinity. An abundance of rain has made the pastures pretty and cattle are in the prime of condition there.

Mrs. S. A. Jackson, saleswoman at the J. C. Penney store, left last week for a month's vacation to spend with her son, Coyt Jackson and family, at Santa Fe, and with her daughter, Mrs. Cecil Ams, at Terarra.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Westerman and son Keith, Mr. and Mrs. Merie Wallace, Miss Morens Yochum and Douglas Wallace formed a party going to the Peoee river country Sunday on a fishing expedition.

Dr. E. T. Hensley is having the fronts of his buildings on North Main street painted and put in condition this week.

J. P. Volles is not able to be up about his business yet. He has been sick a long time. However, the physician thinks he will be able to attend to his business again in the near future. It will take him some time to completely regain his health.

R. A. Young is culling his hens that are more than 1 year old this week. He is selling the flock down to meet the present feed prices.

John Plummer states that reports are that he got something like four inches of rain on his ranch west of Hiway Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Emmell Smith of Duran and Mrs. Theresa Simpson of Gallina, N. M., were visiting in the home of their sister, Mrs. Homer Barnett, over the week end. Clarence Barnett accompanied his aunt to Duran, where he expects to spend four or five weeks in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Barnett.

Mrs. Esther B. Call, county home demonstration agent from Union county, was passing through Portales Wednesday of this week on her way from State College to Clayton and stopped for a short visit with some of the club women of this county.

Clifton Bankson, Gilbert Meadows and Hubert Burke have returned from Fort Bliss after spending the last thirty days at the C. M. T. camp.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Will returned last Thursday to their home in State College, after being here several days with their son, Ralph R. Will. They took their grandson Junior home with them and he will spend several weeks visiting at State College.

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Feed Planted in Mid August Will Mature

J. M. Bradley was guessing about the feed crop the last of the week. His irrigated crops were doing fairly well for the most part.

He has forty acres of sweet potato which look O. K. He has been forced to use more water than he cared to pump, but they are not needing rain.

Bradley has thirteen acres in Irish potatoes but he is not satisfied with the stand. He carefully prepared the land, but it appears the hot weather cooked the seed in the ground when they were planted.

Two acres of tomatoes are not causing any complaint. His other truck is planted for home consumption only.

Forty acres which he did not get planted early has the veteran farmer guessing. He said came could be planted the middle of August and make good feed, and hegar will mature in sixty days with favorable weather conditions.

Mr. Bradley has not been seen since the last of last week, but it is believed he is much more pleasant as regards the crop outlook now.

Good Rains at McBride Ranch

E. L. McBride, who lives south of Elida, was in Portales yesterday afternoon attending to business and meeting friends.

He says there was about four inches of rain at his ranch last Sunday and some good showers Saturday evening and Sunday afternoon.

Mr. McBride's crops are better than some of his friends in the county, and he has had more than the average amount of rainfall this season.

Shaw Believes Broom Corn Will Bring Good Price

Frank Shaw was interviewed this week about the broom corn crop. He says he has no reason why it should not be a good crop for the farmers of Roosevelt county this year.

"The dwarf variety of broom corn," Mr. Shaw believes, "is the best for farmers who have stock. It makes good fodder for feed in case of an early frost this fall."

"The standard variety sells a little better on the market. Also it will mature in a little less time. The large stalks of the standard will be good for the land on which they are left standing."

"Broom corn matures within six or seven days, with a good season," Shaw continued, "there is a small amount of carry-over from last season, according to available figures. The price should be fair this fall."

It is necessary to use every precaution to plant good seed this late in the season. If the seed is floated there should be a high percentage of germination.

FT. SUMNER BOY DIES IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Lewis Julian of Fort Sumner was buried yesterday. He was in one of the most serious accidents the first of the week that has occurred in Fort Sumner.

Lewis was riding on the side of a car when another car passed on the side he was riding. Some way or other his leg was jerked off and many other bruises were sustained.

He was rushed to a physician, but soon died from loss of blood and severe bruises.

The Julians are old-timers in Fort Sumner.

Sheriff Dunlap has given strict orders against riding on the side of autos.

Green Beans Bring Profits to Farmers

Bean picking is in full swing this week and the yield seems to be satisfactory to most of the farmers.

B. F. Smith is getting an unusually good return for his first picking, which last week brought him over \$270. He does not have in quite three acres.

L. E. Cannon is receiving fair returns from his crop, but he does not have as large an acreage as some of the others.

Several of the larger bean raisers are just beginning to gather their crops. The beans are in quite an acreage, but their picking is not in full progress yet. Joe Hinkle has some fine beans not yet ready for the market.

One truck farmer stated the last of last week he was running his plant day and night. The rains have given him a chance to rest. The bean crop was taking a considerable amount of this water.

CLASS MEETING

The young business women's class of the Baptist Sunday school will meet at the home of Mrs. W. D. White, Tuesday, July 25.

As there are many matters of importance to be determined, all members are urged to be present.

COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING

The delegates of the County Council of the Roosevelt Home-makers club will meet in the court house on Saturday, July 29, beginning at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Drinkard, council president, urges all the delegates to make an effort to attend this meeting, as some matters of importance will be given consideration.

EAST VALLEY VIEW

The East Valley View Homemakers club met Wednesday for an all day meeting. Fourteen members, one new member and four visitors were present. Mrs. Pruitt was the new member and Misses Valta Mae Warren, Ina Mae Chapman, Jennie V. Atkins and Laveda Felder were the visitors.

Roll call was answered with salad recipes and many new recipes were given. After the business session the program committee, Mrs. Heckman and Mrs. George Davis, took charge. Everyone enjoyed the interesting games of the social hour.

The next meeting will be July 26, when Mrs. George Atkins will demonstrate cake baking and Mrs. Homer Miller will have charge of the salad making.

PERSONAL ITEMS

Mrs. H. W. Naylor and her daughter, Nell Frances, of Safford, Ariz., are guests this week in the home of Mrs. Joe Howard. Mrs. Naylor was Miss Nannie Rutherford before her marriage and more than twenty years ago made her home with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Howard when she was an employee of the Citizens National bank in Portales.

John Bruce has returned from a sight seeing trip through the north-western states, made in company with Rhea Crow and Donald Fairly, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Pendergraff were in Amarillo, Tex., over a portion of last week visiting in the home of their son, Floyd Pendergraff.

Miss Lillian Carr returned to her home in Portales Tuesday after being a guest for a few days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Smith, in the East Valley View neighborhood.

Mrs. George Deen of Wichita Falls, Tex., is in Portales this week visiting in the home of her late husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Deen.

Carl Case Has Model Bean Crop

The bean crop of Carl Case is one of the prettiest in the valley. It covers eight acres, has well matured vines which are heavily loaded with beans and blooms.

The first picking is now ready and will be picked as soon as the ground is dry enough.

Mr. Case is planning to can beans if the price drops sufficiently to warrant it.

The tomato crop in the valley is not as heavy as usual, but there are nearly 300 acres of good tomatoes in the valley this year.

PEP & HIWAY

There was a good attendance at Sunday school Sunday. Bro. Will Bates delivered the sermon after Sunday school services. Sunday night the young people delivered a stirring program.

Next Sunday Murphy Cummings will be leader.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Partain of Portales were guests in the Russell home Sunday.

The Homemakers club and the 4-H club met at the Ted Williams place Tuesday, July 18, for a picnic. A bountiful dinner was spread under the trees. Afterward cake and ice cream was served. A very pleasant day was enjoyed by all.

Miss Ethel Radcliff spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Radcliff.

The people of our neighborhood are rejoicing over the heavy rain which fell Sunday night. Several of the neighbors had the misfortune to lose chickens and turkeys, but we are thankful to have it as the country will have plenty of grass for the winter and good prospects for crops.

Mrs. Tucker's sister and two nieces of Texas are spending the last two weeks visiting in the Tucker home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Willson left Thursday for Las Vegas, where they will attend school.

A musical party was given in the Joe Capps home Monday night and some fine music was rendered and enjoyed by those present.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Burgrave motored to Big Springs, Tex., Monday, returning Monday night.

Mrs. Willis Slaten, Woodrow and Berwyn Slaten, Mrs. Elmer Harp and children left Tuesday for Ruidoso, where they plan to spend the next two or three weeks camping.

L. E. KEITH SUFFERS BROKEN LEG SUNDAY

L. E. Keith who works on the Greathouse ranch, had the misfortune to get both bones of one of his legs broken Sunday evening.

A horse fell on his leg while working.

He is doing well at this time.

PERRY

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Widener spent Sunday with Mrs. Widener's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Newman.

Miss Lorene Newman spent Saturday night in the Henry home.

Miss Agnes Henry was in House on business Saturday evening.

Miss Mildred Henry is visiting Miss Ruth Sipes of Hassell.

Those who took dinner in the Mason Henry home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Thrash, Myne and Linnie Follis and Malvin Dodd, S. A. and John Edgar Sparks.

Bro. Allison and family took dinner in the Newman home Sunday.

Wynne Follis spent Sunday night with Malvin Dodd.

Mrs. Susie Huffman was visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hill.

Marshall Henry and J. W. Robinson was visiting with Jake Hill Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Coleman spent Sunday with Mrs. Coleman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beall.

Mrs. Ross' folks from Talban Sunday evening with them.

Pete Henry spent Saturday night with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hill and Hugh Allen Mitchell returned from Texas Saturday.

Jake Henry spent Sunday night with W. F. Follis.

Willie Mae and Helen Grace Fletcher of Talban is visiting with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hill.

Bernie Pain spent Saturday night with Bert Kirk.

Everyone is rejoicing because of the nice rain which has fallen.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hill and daughters, Dollie and Helen Grace Fletcher, spent Friday with Mrs. W. O. Fletcher and children.

A large crowd attended the singing Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Holley were visiting in the Moberry home Sunday.

Mrs. J. R. Hill and daughters, Dollie and Alpha, and Helen Grace Fletcher took dinner in the Mitchell home Sunday.

Mrs. Belle Deats and June Jacobs of El Paso arrived in Portales Tuesday to visit in the Henry Carroll home. Mrs. Deats will spend some time here with her sister, Mrs. Carroll, but June will continue on to visit with relatives in Bovina, Tex.

Meivin Schumpert is home to spend the remainder of the summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Schumpert. Meivin attended college at State College in Texas last year and a portion of the summer has been spent in camp in North Carolina.

Willis Breshars went over his pumping plant Monday to check up on any defects, so that it will be ready for use when needed.

Horses Are Used by Farmers Now

Several horses were in Portales Saturday afternoon, farmers appearing to be using them instead of autos to do the heavy hauling in cases where they do not own trucks.

The horses show they have been worked and are not as fat as they might be, but no single team was noticed to be underdressed to any extent.

True, some farmers take better care of their teams than others, and it was noted on one farm this week the horse feeding was taken care of first.

Personal Items

Chester Plummer of Milnesand reports a good rain on his range this last week end. This will help Chester with his water pumping for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Priddy and Mr. and Mrs. Taylor McCasland are in the Taos county this week for an outing and a fishing trip.

Mrs. Hebe Stewart was stricken with a severe headache at her home in the Arch community Wednesday morning and confined to bed. Mrs. Wat Stewart has gone to the farm to assist in caring for her sister-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Smith, Miss Edna Monroe and Miss Julia Stearns were over-night guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Bell in Clovis last Sunday evening.

Sheriff Charlie Dunlap of LeBaca county was in Portales yesterday attending to business and meeting his friends.

J. L. Paxton of Elida was in Portales yesterday. He says the rain which fell on his farm last Sunday was the first he had received this season. He is planting hegar.

Henry Miller Sr. was in Portales yesterday meeting his friends and attending to business.

GIRL SCOUT CAMP

Marie Neer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Neer, and Lucille Prater, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Prater, left the last of the week to enter camp Sunday, July 16, at the Girl Scout camp in the Sacramento mountains.

There will be a six-week camp held at Camp Mary White this year, exclusive of the ten-day pack trip on horseback to the Carlsbad caverns.

Miss Mary L. White, regional director of Girl Scouts, will be camp director. Twenty-one staff members will cooperate with her in making the camping period an ideal summer vacation.

The camp site of 200 acres was donated to the Girl Scout organization by Elza White, father of Miss Mary.

Carl Case and family returned Monday night from a vacation in Missouri. Paul Scott, a nephew of Mr. Case, accompanied them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Neer, Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Lorts and E. C. Luna will leave Thursday for a fishing and camping trip near Red River City.

Miss Mary Evelyn Hodges and Carl Radcliff were two of the Roosevelt county teachers leaving Monday morning for Canyon, Tex., where they will attend the second session of the summer school in that city. Both young people are members of the faculty at Dora.

YOACHUM'S GROCERY AND MARKET

Beef Ribs, lb.	5c
Hamburger Meat, 3 lbs.	25c
Beef Roast, lb.	12c
Pork Roast, lb.	12c
Hot Barbecue, every day	15c

SATURDAY SPECIALS

3 lbs. Pork Sausage	25c
3 lbs. Hamburger Meat	25c
Pork Roast, lb.	12c
Beef Roast, lb.	12c
Hot Barbecue, lb.	15c

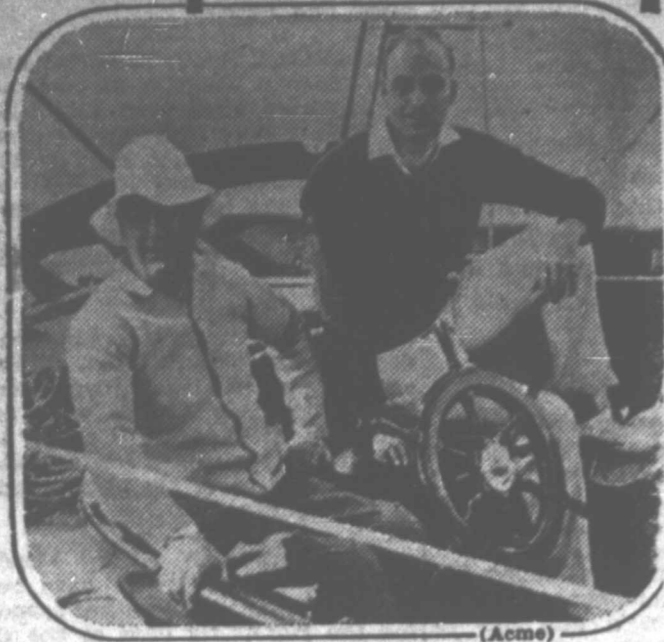
McCALL'S SUPER MARKET

FARHA'S GROCERY

FRI. SAT. SPECIALS

Post's Bran	8c
Coffee, Par, vacuum packed, lb.	25c
Crackers, Graham, 1 lb.	17c
Washing Powders, Big Deal, 2 for	5c
Peaches, sliced or halved, 1 gal.	39c
Sauer Kraut, two No. 2 cans for	19c
Pork and Beans, Van Camp's, two for	15c
Malt, Barley Bloom, one 2 1/2 lb. pkg.	45c
Pineapple, 1 gal.	49c

People and Spots in the Late News



OUR SKIPPER—President Roosevelt leaves the ship of state temporarily for a vacation as the pilot of the *Amblerjack II* on a recreation cruise off the New England coast, shown here in happy mood with his son, James. Even here he has had innumerable visitors and has received many ovations in ports of call.



MACON'S FLYING COOK STOVE prepares meals for 100 men on new Navy dirigible. May Castanero of Akron is the last woman to see it because only men are allowed aboard the Macon. It is specially constructed of Enduro stainless steel because of lightness and durability.



HOLY YEAR PILGRIMS—Proclaimed by Pope Pius on 1900th anniversary of Crucifixion, Holy Year attracts thousands to three famous Quebec shrines. Picture shows new basilica at Ste. Anne de Beaupre, where thousands will visit historic shrine on feast day on July 25.



HITLER SURPRISES WORLD by pacific speech before Reichstag in reply to President Roosevelt, saying he is convinced "there can be but one task, namely, to secure the peace of the world."



HAMBLETONIAN CONTENDER—Will Caton of Syracuse, N. Y., leading money driver on harness tracks last year, grooming Calumet Donat for the famous Hambletonian Stk. one of the country's richest track events, to be trotted at Goshen, N. Y., on Aug. 16. Caton won in 1932 with the sensational Marchioness and opening of Grand Circuit racing in Ohio revealed stiff competition for his new entry in famous three-year-old classic.



MOONLIGHT DIVER—Marshall Wayne of Coral Gables, Fla., practices in noted Miami Biltmore pool for national outdoor championships in Chicago. He was runner-up in recent indoor diving championships. Turn this picture around and look at it inside down.

Miss Alene Gregg, Mrs. Carl Dudley, both of Roswell, and Raymond Shelton from Anthony, Kas., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ward Gregg in Portales. Miss Alene is a sister of Mr. Gregg.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Summers are here this week from San Antonio, Tex., looking after matters in connection with their farm, which is located in the Delphos community and is rented to D. E. Shafer and family.

Marvin Haas, an employee of the Orange service station, has left for his vacation, which will include a trip to the World's Fair in Chicago.

Whereas, Sanctuaries for quail and prairie chickens are needed for the protection of these game birds, and

Whereas, the residents within the areas hereinafter described have given their consent to the use of their properties as such refuges. Now, therefore,

It is ordered by the State Game Commission that the following described refuges be, and the same are hereby declared to be, established.

WILLIAMS REFUGE
West half Sec. 27, and east half Sec. 28, T. 36 S., R. 8 East, containing 640 acres, situate in Roosevelt county.

BLUIT REFUGE
West half Sec. 12, and east half of the east half of Sec. 11, T. 37 S., R. 8 East, containing 480 acres, situate in Roosevelt county.

GORDON REFUGE
All of Sec. 33, T. 6 E., R. 36 East, containing 640 acres, situate in Roosevelt county.

LEVELLAND REFUGE
All of Sec. 2, T. 9 S., R. 35 East, containing 640 acres, situate in Lea county.

Dated at Santa Fe, this 27th day of May, 1933.

COLIN NEBLETT, Chairman.
ELLIOTT S. BARKER, Secretary.

July 20th
LARGE WHOLESALE HOUSE ADVISES RETAIL STORES

The following was taken from a circular sent to retail merchants by a large wholesale house:

"The value of your local newspaper to the success of your business cannot be overestimated. Its worth all the support and cooperation you can give it. For the newspaper is a mirror reflecting the life of the community in which you and your store have an important part."

"Your advertisement is the reflection of your store in this mirror. Everybody sees it there. If it is not there, the mirror is dark where your store should be. You say there, but you cannot be seen. Your store is open for business as usual, but 'out of sight, out of mind!'"

"To keep in step with the progress of your community; to get your share of business, you must

Advertisement for Dr. C. E. Worrell, Optometrist, located at 114 E. 4th St., Cleve., N. M., Phone 194 or write for appointment.

Advertisement for Tom King, whose five acre truck farm is at the west edge of the Portales city limits, has his crop in fine shape. The rains will cut his water bill considerably.

Advertisement for Eills Parker of Pecos county, Texas, is visiting in the W. M. Drinkard home this week. Mr. Drinkard is his uncle.

Advertisement for Kenneth Livingston, principal of the Portales junior high school, was home from the Canyon Teachers' college at Canyon, Tex., to be with his folks over the week end.

Advertisement for Mrs. Sam Mersfelder motored to Lubbock Thursday and got their daughter, Marjorie Linnas, who had been a guest in that city for four or five days.

Advertisement for Mr. and Mrs. Add Hobbs, together with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hobbs, came in Thursday from a several days' vacation trip to Taos, Santa Fe and Albuquerque.

Advertisement for Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Kimmons were in Portales Sunday from Kenia and visited with their mother, Mrs. Minnie Kimmons.

Advertisement for loan aggregating \$1,921. These loans carried 7 and 8 per cent interest. He settled store bills amounting to \$326 with \$168 and he paid other debts amounting to about \$50 with \$25. He also paid back taxes amounting to \$151.

Advertisement for Murphy Johnston came in from Richland and is enjoying a visit in the homes of his grandmother, Mrs. Nora Johnston and his mother's sister, Mrs. Dennis Setser.

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PHYSICIAN and SURGEON
Office at Pearce's Pharmacy
Office Phone 34 Residence 23

Dr. Wm. LeMaster
DENTIST
218 1/2 S. W. State Phone 26

Young & Hatch
HOG BUYERS
Portales, N. M.

E. T. Hensley
Physician and Surgeon
Phones 94 and 199

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DENTIST
207 Southwest Pine Street
Phone No. 108

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Phones: Office 67; Res. 169

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Portales, N. M.

Establishment of property rights to the separate estate of the said plaintiff.

You are hereby notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 4th day of September, 1933, judgment by default will be rendered against you and the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in her complaint.

J. C. Compton of Portales, New Mexico, is attorney for plaintiff.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this 6th day of July, 1933.

MRS. PAUL E. MORRISON, Clerk.

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SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

The State of New Mexico to the defendants, Lizzie B. Eberhardt, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained to-wit: Said Lizzie B. Eberhardt; if living, and if dead, the unknown heirs of said Lizzie B. Eberhardt, deceased; Lizzie Schu with if living, and if dead, the unknown heirs of said Lizzie Schu with if living, and if dead, the unknown heirs of said C. W. Van Dyke, if living, and if dead, the unknown heirs of said C. W. Van Dyke, deceased; George A. Livers, if living, and if dead, the unknown heirs of said George A. Livers, deceased; J. T. Van Horn, if living, and if dead, the unknown heirs of said J. T. Van Horn, deceased; and John W. Wagner, and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to the plaintiff, Greeting:

You said defendants are hereby notified that a suit has been commenced against you in the District Court of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, by Maurice W. Bouldin, plaintiff, against you said defendants, being No. 2861 on the civil docket of said court; the nature and objects of which are to obtain a judgment and decree of said court to quiet the title of plaintiff in and to the SW 1/4 of Sec. 21, Twp. 1 S., R. 35 East, N. M. P. M.; SE 1/4 SW 1/4 of Sec. 15, Twp. 1 S., R. 34 E. N. M. P. M.; SW 1/4 NW 1/4 of Sec. 24, Twp. 2 S., R. 34 E. N. M. P. M.; and the NW 1/4 of Sec. 24, Twp. 1 N., R. 33 F. N. M. P. M.; all in Roosevelt county, N. M., against you said defendants, and to forever bar and stop defendants and each of them, and anyone claiming by, under, or through them from having or claiming any right, title, interest, claim, or lien, in, to, or upon said lands and premises adverse to the estate of plaintiff therein and to forever quiet, establish and set at rest plaintiff's title thereto.

Defendants are also notified that unless they enter their appearance in said cause on or by Aug. 25th, 1933, judgment will be rendered against them by default and the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in his complaint.

T. E. Mears, whose business and P. O. address is Portales, N. M., is attorney for plaintiff.

Given under my hand and seal of said court this July 10, 1933.

MRS. PAUL E. MORRISON, County Clerk.

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NOTICE OF SUIT

State of New Mexico to G. A. Moore—Greeting:

You are hereby notified that a suit has been commenced against you in Roosevelt county, New Mexico, wherein Etile May Moore is plaintiff and you are defendant, said suit being numbered 2946 upon the civil docket of Roosevelt county, New Mexico; that the general object of said suit is for divorce and non-support, and for the es-

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OPTOMETRIST
114 E. 4th St., Cleve., N. M.
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EVERYONE is Feeling Better

The splendid rains have put new life into every one, and there is now a feeling of optimism.

Truck crops are now being marketed. Many of the farmers will have a little surplus money, which they will wish to safeguard.

There is no better method than that of depositing it in a bank where every safeguard is used for your protection.

The First National Bank of Portales

Safe — Sound — Conservative

PERSONAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Johnson have arrived in Portales from Fort Worth, Tex., and will visit here with Mr. Johnson's sister, Mrs. J. C. Compton, and her family.

Mrs. Norman K. Morris and her son Kerry of Smeckover, Ark., reached Portales last Thursday and will spend their summer vacation here with Mrs. Morris' mother, Mrs. Nora Johnson, and her relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Fletcher and their daughter, Margaret Perry, are home after a pleasant visit in Texas with Mrs. Fletcher's mother, Mrs. Tarbox, and her children, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Perry.

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PORTALES BOTTLING CO.

Refinancing of Farm Loans Gives Relief

Mrs. Maude Smith, secretary-treasurer of the Portales loan association; U. S. Frazee, secretary-treasurer of the Rogers local; T. N. Tucker, of the Hawkeye and Pleasant Valley locals; J. W. Stone, secretary-treasurer of the Garrison local, with the secretary-treasurer of any other branches of the National Farm Loan association in Roosevelt county, received letters from C. G. Shull, Wichita (Kas.), agent of the Land Bank commissioner, which will prove interesting to the farmers of this county.

The above named persons are correspondents of the association in their respective districts and will handle applications for commissioner's loans.

According to Mr. Shull's statement, during the first six weeks after the passage of the emergency farm mortgage act, the twelve agencies stationed in the Federal Land banks received 24,000 requests for loans aggregating \$63,500,000. The average loan made during the first six weeks was for \$2,360. The maximum loan which can be made by the commissioner's agent is \$5,000 to any one individual, and the loan when added to all prior liens against the property, may not exceed three-fourths of the appraised value of the property.

The agent says that many applicants are in debt for more than the appraised value of their assets and that many farmers, when they are sure they can get a cash loan from the commissioner for a certain amount, are successful in getting their creditors to scale down the amount of their loans. As examples of such scale-downs, Agent Shull cited the following:

One farmer was given an \$800 second mortgage loan on an 80 acre farm worth \$10,000. With this money the farmer paid off junior mortgages amounting to \$1,400—a scale-down of approximately \$600. Possibly more important than the reduction in the amount of his debt, is the fact that he pays 5 per cent interest on his commissioner's loan and it runs for a period of thirteen years, whereas he was paying 10 per cent on the loans which he retired with the \$800 secured from the commissioner's agent.

In another instance the borrower was financed for a thirteen year period and secured a scale-down of about 10 per cent on his loan. This was on a 100 acre property appraised at \$14,400. The agent advanced \$5,000 and took a first mortgage as security. With this money the farmer paid off a loan of \$5,500.

In a third case the farmer obtained a first mortgage loan of \$1,700 on a 143 acre farm worth \$5,500. The farmer used \$800 to pay back taxes, then he paid \$1,501 to the local bank and the bank gave him a receipt for complete payment of a first mortgage of \$1,500.

Most interesting of all was the first mortgage loan of \$5,000 obtained by another farmer. With this he used \$5,500 to pay off a mortgage held by the local bank amounting to \$4,016, and he used \$1,016 to pay off a commercial bank

Society and Club News

WANT ADS GET RESULTS. PHONE 83

RAINBOW GIRLS

The recreational rooms of the Masonic temple rang with merry voices last Wednesday evening when the Rainbow Girls observed the birthday of the organization's founder, Mark Sexton.

Every assembly is requested to observe this occasion on or near July 8.

Wednesday evening tables were arranged in one room for the young people who wished to spend the time in bridge, dominoes or checkers. In another room music was provided for those wishing to spend the evening dancing.

The party was under the direction of a committee with the advice and assistance of the mother advisor, Mrs. W. D. White.

Punch was served during the course of the party. There were about seventy-five young people present, many of whom were guests invited to join with the assembly members in the celebration.

Members of the advisory board present to serve as host and hostesses were Mr. and Mrs. W. D. White, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Young, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Compton, Mrs. J. C. Compton and Mrs. Henry Carroll.

BRIDGE PARTY

Mrs. L. S. Kirby entertained pleasantly in her home last Friday morning with three tables of bridge.

The guests were invited for a morning contest and began playing about 9:30 o'clock.

Several progressions were enjoyed before 12 o'clock, when the tables were arranged for the delicious dinner served in two courses. Dishes of fancy candies were placed upon the tables during the card games and iced drinks provided for those wishing to be refreshed during progressions.

Mrs. J. D. Turner held high score, Miss Mabel Morrison low, and Mrs. Otho Blanton received the traveling prize.

The morning guests included Mesdames Sydney Stone, Sam Mersefelder, Luther Thomas, Ted Forbes, Otho Blanton, J. H. Lee, Carl Bremer, Ray Snelson, J. D. Turner, Rusha Smith, James Christie and Miss Mabel Morrison.

HONORS NEWLYWEDS

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sweetland were complimented with a dinner party last Friday evening, which was given at the home of Mrs. Christie and Mrs. Smith by a number of friends. The occasion was a post-bridal party.

Each of the friends contributed to the evening meal, which was announced about 7:30 and was served at five quartet tables.

After enjoying the bountiful and delicious dinner the tables were prepared for bridge and seven progressions of this interesting card game kept the party in a jolly and keen contest during the remainder of the evening.

Miss Kate McManaway held high score for the ladies and J. W. Slone for the gentlemen.

The members of the party were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sweetland, Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lyons, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bonner, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Slone Jr., Miss Sybil Lyons, Miss Kate McManaway, Mrs. Rusha Smith, Mrs. James Christie, Paul Wurster, Eldridge Mears, Alvis Carlson and Otto Kaptina.

COFFEE CLUB

Members of the Coffee club and three other friends were the guests of Mrs. Luther Thomas last Thursday when she entertained with three tables of bridge.

Punch was served during the course of the warm afternoon and an iced course was enjoyed at the conclusion of the bridge contest.

Miss Velma Coons held high score for non-member players, Mrs. E. R. Black for members, Miss Naomi McCarty low for players.

At refreshment time the guests at each table were invited to cut for the special prizes. They were won by Mrs. Sam Mersefelder, Mrs. J. D. Turner and Miss Maybelle McCarty.

The players were Misses Velma Coons, Mabel Morrison, Naomi and Maybelle McCarty, Mesdames Sam Mersefelder, Ray Snelson, E. R. Black, J. D. Turner, H. W. Davidson, Ted Forbes, Otho Blanton and J. H. Lee.

ACE HI BRIDGE

Mrs. E. H. Hudson invited the Ace Hi Bridge club members to her home last Friday afternoon, together with Miss Eleanor Nelson and Mrs. E. T. Hensley for several progressions of auction bridge.

Miss Nelson held high score for non-members, Mrs. Ray Snelson for members and Mrs. Carl Bremer received the traveling prize.

Mrs. Hudson served an iced course at the close of the card contest.

The members present were Mesdames J. D. Marlow, L. S. Kirby, Carl Bremer, Willis Breshears, A. C. Youngblood and Ray Snelson.

HOME CRAFT CLUB

A delightful afternoon of sewing was enjoyed last Thursday afternoon when the Homecraft club members were entertained in the home of Mrs. C. A. Loria.

After the sewing hours a plate lunch was served by Mrs. Loria to Miss Agnes Foreman, Miss Eulah Elliott, Mrs. J. M. Sanders, Mrs. J. W. Slone Jr., Mrs. Carl Bremer, Mrs. Ward Gregg and Mrs. R. D. Wright.

BURROUGH-SULLINS

Miss Laverba Burrough and C. M. Sullins Jr. were quietly married at the Baptist parsonage in Clovis last Thursday when Rev. J. F. Nix read the impressive ceremony.

The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Burrough of the Redlake community, one of the pioneer families of Roosevelt county.

She graduated from the Portales high school, where she was recognized not only for the scholastic work but also her musical ability. She continued her education in Indiana and returned to her native state, where she has been one of the popular teachers of the county and also one of the capable musical instructors.

Mr. Sullins is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Sullins and was a member of the 1929 graduating class of the Portales high school, together with his bride, and it was during these high school days that the romance began which culminated in the wedding of last week.

C. M. assisted his father in the operation of the Sullins Produce station until Mr. Sullins Sr. was stricken ill two years ago, and since that time the son has operated the business.

Mr. and Mrs. Sullins are young people of sterling qualities and are appreciated for their splendid characters.

They will make their home in Portales.

LADIES' AUXILIARY

The ladies' auxiliary of the Presbyterian church is meeting next Tuesday, July 25, in the home of Mrs. C. J. Sparks and all members are urged to be present.

Mrs. Hyatt will be leader of the program, beginning at 2:30 o'clock.

CIRCLE MEETINGS

Circle No. 2 of the Baptist Missionary society met Thursday afternoon, July 13, with Mrs. F. P. Gunn.

Mrs. Charles Starkey was leader of the lesson from the Royal service and was assisted by Mrs. Lee, Hooker, Mrs. Hilliard, Mrs. Melner and Mrs. White.

During a business session of the society Mrs. D. A. Lee was elected chairman of the circle.

Mrs. Charles Starkey is entertaining the members in a study program at her home this afternoon.

Circle No. 3 held an interesting meeting with Mrs. J. J. Phillips. A short business meeting occupied a portion of the afternoon and during this time the finance committee reported the quota of the Orphans' Home fund assigned circle No. 3 had been collected and was ready to turn it over to the treasurer.

Mrs. Claude Smith conducted the lesson from the Royal service outline. Mrs. Phillips, Miss Kate McManaway, Mrs. F. T. Burke and Mrs. J. C. Compton contributed numbers to the program.

The members of circle No. 4 gathered at the church Wednesday afternoon and enjoyed a very interesting program with Mrs. Merle Wallace, Mrs. Rains, Mrs. Holt, Mrs. Wesley Little, Mrs. Roy Long and Mrs. Vineyard.

The other circles of the Missionary society will be guests of circle No. 4 on Thursday, July 27, when all come together for a joint meeting at the church. Plans for this meeting were discussed at the meeting Wednesday.

J. U. G. CLUB

All members of the J. U. G. club with the exception of Mary Jane Taylor, were present at the meeting last Friday afternoon when Blench Lyons was hostess at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cass Lyons from 5 until 9 o'clock.

The girls enjoyed the games arranged for the lawn and later refreshments were served and during this time the girls visited together most happily.

The party consisted of Ruth LeMaster, Jule Maule, Nettie Belle Batton, Otho Belle Lovorn, Vivian Binnerman, Wynema Whitcomb and the hostess.

Mrs. E. N. Wheeler, Ernest, Misses Ruth and Edith Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McDonald, Harold McDonald, Mrs. Joe Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Howard McDonald, old, formed a party motoring to Plainview Sunday to enjoy the day with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jones, who were former residents of Portales.

HAPPY-GO-LUCKY CLUB

Mary Robinson invited the members of the Happy-Go-Lucky club to the home of her grandmother, Mrs. C. L. Carter, last week for the regular meeting of the society.

The girls gathered about 2:30 o'clock and the time until after 4 o'clock was spent in games of various kinds.

At the conclusion of the play time daily refreshments were served in the cool living room of the Carter home.

The girls present at the meeting were Lenore Shaw, Doris Lee, Jane Mauk, Berwyn Slaten, Bettie White, Belle McCall and Mary Robinson.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The women of the Methodist Missionary society will close their mission study, "Facing the Future in Indian Missions," with an Indian night at the church next Wednesday evening, July 26.

There will be a collection of Indian crafts and also paintings by local talent of Indian scenes. Posters will be prepared giving some of the Indian myths and lore. Work done by the students in the Daily Vacation Bible school will also be displayed.

In addition to this program of real interest will be given. A play, "Where the Trails Cross" will be presented by a well selected cast. Ridgley Whiteman, a former resident of Portales, will appear in a number.

Wynema, George Jr. and Lonah, three children of the Indian singer, George Wilson, who has endeared himself to the people of Portales through his music at the Baptist church, will give a number. Mrs. Sanders also will render a number.

Mrs. J. W. King, Mrs. J. D. Autry and Mrs. A. W. Freeman will be in charge of the program and if there is talent or display articles of which they do not know they will appreciate information of the same.

HAPPY WORKERS CLUB

The 4-H girls' club known as the Happy Workers met on Wednesday of last week at the home of Miss Verna Hudgins in an all day session.

At noon a delicious and bountiful meal was served and the afternoon was spent with the club program, the discussion of club activities and interesting games.

The next meeting of the organization will be held in the Redburn home.

The club members present at the last meeting were Flo Redburn, Clyta Smith, Corinne Kelly, Verabelle Kelly, Berdie Ruth Browne, Zelma and Dorothy Worthington, Geraldine Thetford, Edna Browne, Verna Hudgins, Dona Jean and Imogene Smith.

DINNER PARTY

Woodrow Slaten entertained three of his school friends at dinner last Sunday at 7 o'clock in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Slaten.

Mrs. Slaten had prepared a delicious meal for the occasion and was assisted by her daughter Berwyn in the serving.

The guests, Kenneth Jones, Leon Schumpert and Vincent Cox, were seated at the large dining table, together with Woodrow, his parents and his sister.

The dinner was served in three courses and the table as well as the dining room was summer-like with the bowis of pretty flowers.

CLASS PARTY

About twenty members of the young married people's class of the Methodist Sunday school gathered at the suburban home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ohr last Thursday evening for picnic supper and an evening of visiting.

The families of the members were included in the party and the children had a happy time after supper romping on the lovely lawn at the Ohr home.

The picnic supper was spread about 7 o'clock out in the open.

SO-SO SEWING CLUB

Miss Ethel Ohr and Miss Georgia Johnson were the hostesses last week when the So-So Sewing club met with Mrs. J. B. Sledge for an afternoon of sewing and visiting.

The two young ladies served dainty refreshments at the close of the sewing period.

The club members enjoying the occasion were Jeffie Hunter, Nadine Brown, Ruth Carr, Pauline Stewart, Ethel Ohr, Georgia Johnson and Mrs. Sledge.

LEAGUE OFFICERS

At a regular meeting of the Epworth league last Sunday evening new officers were selected to preside over the sessions.

Herman Bailey was chosen president; Mary Evelyn White, vice president; Ethel Ohr, secretary-treasurer.

The new president appointed the following committees: Program, Ruth Carr, John Redmon, Kenneth Garland and Margarite Adams; missions, Bess McCall, Jeffie Hunter, Virginia Kessler and Edwin Boggs; social service, Frank Craddock, Charles Compton, Nadine Brown and Jack Carr; recreational, Granville Simmons, Louise Miller, Annie Maud Hunter and Francis Shaw. In each committee the first two named are chairman and vice chairman, respectively.

During the remainder of the business session plans were discussed for the fifth Sunday meeting, to be held with the Clovis organization July 30.

CONTRACT CLUB

Mrs. Bert Rawlins entertained the members of the Contract club and five other players last Monday afternoon with five progressions of contract bridge.

Mrs. A. D. Ribble held high score for non-member players and Mrs. H. H. Buchanan for club members.

After the game Mrs. Rawlins served a plate lunch to the following players: Mesdames A. D. Ribble, H. H. Buchanan, William LeMaster, W. W. King, E. N. Neer, E. L. Wright, S. H. Batton, J. C. Compton, E. R. Black, J. D. Turner and Miss Mabel Morrison.

ALL DAY PARTY

Mrs. Mary Walker, known as "Grandma" Walker, was brought to Portales one day last week by her son, Jim Walker, and she had a delightful day in the home of Mrs. M. A. Page.

The two women have been friends for nearly thirty years and the day together was a most happy occasion.

Mrs. C. M. Compton, Mrs. S. E. Compton and Mrs. B. Potter were invited to enjoy the afternoon with the two old-time friends.

Mrs. Joanna L. Nolan left this week for Clayton, N. M., where she will spend about a month before continuing on to her home in St. Louis. Mrs. Nolan has been in Portales about three months looking after business interests and visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Grisson and daughter, Miss Maxine, drove over from Santa Fe the last of the week and visited several days with Mrs. Grisson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Robertson. They will be accompanied home by their son Junior, who has been spending the last week or two with his grandparents.

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13,118 1/2 Acres of Cotton Taken Out of Production in Roosevelt County

Plowing Permits Ready Saturday

Ralph Will, county agent, received a telegram from W. L. Ebor, director of county extension work, concerning instructions for the cotton reduction acreage Wednesday morning. The secretary of agriculture has authorized the acceptance and approval of all producer contracts where the same are approved by the county agent and county committee.

Printed instructions and emergency permit blanks are on the way to be used by the county agent to authorize farmers to destroy cotton immediately, without having to await the arrival of formal acceptance blanks. The permit blanks should reach the county agent Friday, and Mr. Will expects to begin issuing plowing orders Saturday.

No farmer, says the telegram, should begin plowing up cotton until his application has been approved and a permit issued by the county agent.

A list of the names of the 399 farmers signing the contracts, their acreage in cotton, the acreage taken out of production, the estimated yield per acre, the cash payment indicated without option, the cash payment indicated with option, and the bales indicated to be optioned, is posted on the inside wall of the First National bank in Portales.

This list indicates:

- Total acreage signed up, 13,118 1/2.
- Total acreage taken out of production, 6,281 1/2.
- Estimated average yield per acre, 144 pounds.
- Total cash payment without option, \$48,870.25.
- Total cash payment indicated with option, \$9,018.
- Bales indicated to be optioned, 361.

Tassel Worms at Work in Corn

Crops on the Murphy farm are looking fine except the early corn, which is suffering from damage done by the tassel worms.

Murphy has a No. 12 Egan-Bowler pump for watering, and last Friday afternoon practically all the crop was freshly watered.

He has thirty-six acres of cotton which is putting on squares. Two or three average stalks were examined and each stalk contained seven squares, while quite a few plants had blooms.

Irish potatoes were not doing so well, but some were coming through the ground at the time.

Mr. Murphy is cutting his sudan grass instead of pasturing it, as most farmers are doing, because his land is irrigated, and he has new grass coming on faster than the stock can eat the old grass.

Sweet potatoes were not planted so heavily this year, only one and a half acres being set out. His soil appears good for sweet potatoes.

The absence of weeds on Murphy's place is noticeable, the irrigation ditches being clean. It was noticed that small weeds have been hoed out. Murphy and his help have watered heavily and yet kept the weeds down.

Murphy, like his neighbors, is co-operating with the government to reduce cotton acreage.

The tassel worms in the corn, the poor stand of Irish potatoes and the extra work required for watering, drew no complaints from this farmer.

CHURCH NOTES

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Claude A. Lorta, Minister

The men's Bible class meets in the basement at 9:45 a. m. This is a fine class of men now, and it continues to grow. Fifty men is the goal for next Sunday. Come on, men, and help us reach it. This class is taught by the minister. No one is ever asked a question or requested to read at any time, but anyone present can ask a question any time. Every man who has been in this class and those interested in it are invited to an ice cream social at the church Friday night, 7:30, July 21. The ice cream and ball game is free, so every man be there for a good time.

Bible school with classes for all ages, 9:45 a. m.

Preaching, 11 a. m. Sermon subject, "How Prayer Helps to Make One Complete in Christ."

Christian Endeavor, 7 p. m.

Preaching the Word, 8 p. m.

Two were added to the church last Lord's day.

The young people of the church who are attending the Christian service camp in the Sandia mountains will leave Monday morning from the church at 4:30 a. m.

Gautier Farm Has Splendid Cotton

The Gautier farm, which is about one mile east and one south of Portales, was visited last Friday. The crop was looking fine.

At the time of the interview the six-inch pump was running and he was watering his feed crop. The feed is up to a good stand.

The Gautiers have about two acres in a kitchen garden which contains almost everything that can be used for the table. The garden is for home use only, and they are planning to can vegetables for winter use.

Mr. Gautier has eighteen acres of cotton that looks as if nothing could stop it from making a fair yield.

Asked about the government's plan to plow up a part of it, Mr. Gautier replied, "We will probably be better off with half of it this fall than with it all."

His Irish potatoes are not up to as good a stand as they might have been at this time, but he hopes they will improve later.

Onion Crop Yields Good

A. J. Patterson, who is working the Gibson farm located about two miles west of Portales, is harvesting a fair crop of onions this season. He has gathered twenty-three rows, 105 yards long, which produced 2,500 pounds of onions. At this rate, the crop will yield about 7,000 pounds to the acre.

Twenty of these onions weighed ten pounds, and he sold them at this estimate, although he was perfectly willing to weigh them for any person who desired.

The onions are in fine shape to gather, the weeds not hindering the harvesting. Most of the crop is well matured.

Mr. Patterson believes that onions raised by irrigation alone are best. They are not strong and the flavor is better. Much more work is necessary to raise a crop without rainfall, however, since they require lots of water, and after each watering the ground must be worked.

RETURNS TO HOSPITAL

Mrs. Leonard Hart was taken to the hospital in Clovis Sunday afternoon and Monday morning was operated upon.

Mrs. Hart has been ill for the last six months and has been home from the hospital only about a month.

Mrs. Hart was Miss Lurline Baker before her marriage, and taught school at Dora.

NEWS WANTADS GET RESULTS

SATURDAY SPECIALS

- Salt Bacon, lb. ----- 12c
- Roast, pork or beef, lb. ----- 12c
- Shortening, 1-lb. carton ----- 12c
- Mayonnaise, half pint ----- 12c

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* East Valley View *

A large attendance was present at Sunday school. Bro. Allen of Elda preached afterward. Next Sunday Bro. Marshall will preach. Miss Icie Lee Cosby spent Sunday and Sunday night with Miss Lennie Aaron.

Mrs. Gus Norton is improving slowly. The people of this community hope she will soon be well.

There is a lot of sickness in this community, due, it is believed, to the extended drought. Everybody seems in better spirits and health since the good rain of Sunday night. Farmers are not talking so much of crop failures now.

Mrs. Fleming spent last week with Miss Emma Lee O'Neal of Elda.

Miss Mary Phillips spent last week with her sister, who lives in the Bethel community.

Mr. Hullum has been sick for the last week.

Mrs. Homer Miller and baby Betty Jean spent Thursday with her mother, Mrs. Gus Norton.

Miss Valta Mae Warren spent Wednesday night with Mrs. Homer Miller.

Mrs. Cal Parker, Mrs. George Davis and Miss Mary Warren visited Mrs. Norton Wednesday afternoon.

Friends of the Warrens from Texas were here last week. They report splendid crops in Coleman county, Texas, where there has been plenty of rain.

We are sorry to state that Mr. and Mrs. Greene Wise have left our community. They will be missed by all, especially by the young people, since he was their Sunday school teacher. We wish them success wherever they go.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Haragan of Portales visited Mr. and Mrs. Gus Norton Wednesday night.

Mrs. Tom Aaron visited Mrs. Lewis Nelson and Mrs. Wilson Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Smith of Portales, Mrs. Mary Smith and Mrs. Fleming visited Mrs. Gus Norton Thursday. We hope Mrs. Norton will soon be well again.

Misses Valta Mae and Mary Warren visited in the Gus Norton and Tom Aaron home Thursday afternoon.

There was a large crowd at the Farm Holiday meeting Thursday night. Announcement was made of a Holiday picnic to be held at the old Allen grove, where Mr. Coleman lives, on Aug. 2. Several prominent speakers will be there and a good time is expected. Next Thursday night will be the next meeting night. Everyone is invited to attend.

Those visiting Mrs. Gus Norton Friday were: Mrs. H. R. Sadler, Mrs. O. S. Lang and Mrs. George

Watson Produces Living on Farm

A number of farmers, who depend solely on the rainfall, have good crops on their farms. One of these farmers is J. J. Watson, who lives about seven miles southwest of Portales.

Watson farmed in this country during the early history of Roosevelt county, when there were some bad droughts here. He and other settlers will remember them.

Using the winter season, which was extra good, Mr. Watson had his land put up in good shape, and it was ready to plant at planting time. He succeeded in getting about 140 acres planted before the ground became too dry to bring the crop up. About forty acres did not come up well, but he plans to let it all grow until the rains.

Weeds were not permitted to grow on this land and it was well cultivated and stirred, every effort being made to conserve the moisture.

Strict economy is practiced on Mr. Watson's farm. The tumble weeds along the fences and in the hogs, everything which can be raised on the farm for consumption is raised and taken care of. The helper on the farm and his family have the use of five milk cows, which pay the living expenses of the family, except for about \$15 or \$20 expended.

Mr. Watson said he had received about one inch of rain Saturday and Sunday. He is having five

MISS COPELAND IN HOSPITAL

Miss Alma Copeland of Arch was taken to the Clovis hospital last week where she underwent an operation for the removal of her appendix. She is a sister of Ed Copeland of the Portales Motor company.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the friends and neighbors for their assistance and sympathy in the loss of our household goods in the fire last Thursday morning.—Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sproles and Family.

Atkins.

Miss Mary Warren spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Anna Mae Aaron.

Miss Lennie Aaron spent Saturday night with Miss Icie Lee Cosby.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Aaron, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Aaron and four children and A. C. Kennedy spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Fesmire and family of Portales.

The singing class elected new officers Sunday night. They are as follows: Jim Drennan, president; Timothy Phillips, vice president; Mrs. Homer Miller, secretary; Mrs. Jim Drennan, pianist. The program committee was named to include Mrs. Timothy Phillips, Misses Lenora Drennan, Lois Powers and Joe Atkins. The class has improved very much since Professor Tabor took charge of the school. Everyone is invited to attend this class, which meets on Friday and Sunday nights.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Warren and son Edgar spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John McClure and family.

Tommie Warren spent Friday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Warren.

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SPECIALS

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Regular 40c Pound Jars Face Creams 33c	Ladies' Rayon Scanties 19c
White Shoe Polish 15c	1,000 Sheet Roll Toilet Paper 5c roll
White Dinner Plates 10c	Large Aluminum Dish Pan 79c
Friday Morning 10:00 A. M. FULL SIZE	Saturday Morning 10:00 A. M. ENAMEL
House Brooms 10c Limit 1—None to Children	Dish Pans 19c Limit 1—None to Children
Regular 25c Auto Tube Patch 15c	Large Iced Tea Glasses 5c
New Perfection Wicks 19c	Spratt's Bird Seed 10c
50c Pocket Knives 25c	Ladies' Straw Hats 4c
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