

OIL PLAY IS STARTED

Caudell Enters Field In Roosevelt County

VIRGIL GOSWICK VICTIM OF FEUDAL SHOOTING, BLUIT

M INMAN IS WANTED FOR ALLEGED CRIME

Fracas Followed the Difficulty With "Boots" Inman

STILL AT LARGE

Victim Is Taken To Examining Trial on Stretcher.

Deputy Sheriff Roy Kincaid went to the Bluit community Sunday morning to arrest Moore Inman for the alleged shooting of Virgil Goswick at a dance held at the home of G. F. Criswell Saturday night. He arrested Dumas, known as "Boots" Inman, and Jennings Inman for assault on the gun shot victim.

Moore Inman had not been located at the latest information before the paper went to press. Dumas and Jennings Inman, brothers of the accused man, were brought to the county jail at Portales where they were lodged until the examining trial Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

Court was called to order by Justice of the Peace F. T. Burke. Virgil Goswick, the victim of the gun shot wounds, was brought into the sheriff's office on a stretcher from the Braxwell hospital. "Boots" and Jennings Inman were present. Goswick was sworn in. He testified that he lived at Pitchfork, community, in the eastern part of the state, and about ten miles from Bledsoe, Texas. He stated that he had had no trouble with Moore Inman until last Saturday night at which time the shooting occurred.

Difficulty with "Boots" He stated that he had a difficulty with "Boots" Inman at a dance about a mile and a half west of Bluit on the night of July (Continued on Page 8)

BOND RETURNS WITH PRISONER

Sheriff J. H. Bond went to Tatum Sunday and returned with L. C. Alsop who broke out of the Roosevelt county jail last spring. He was held in the jail charged with selling intoxicating liquor. He is being held for the coming term of district court.

Will Pebbledash Church Parsonage

Work is to begin immediately on pebbledashing of the Methodist parsonage. This movement is being sponsored by the ladies of the Methodist church. Their first effort to raise money for the project will be a penny dinner at the church next Wednesday.

The feature of the dinner will be chicken pie, the preparation of which is in charge of Mrs. C. V. Harris, who is famous for this dish. Fried chicken along with other foods which have made penny dinners popular will be served. Reshingling of the roof has been completed and the inside has been repapered and part of the wood work painted.

Mrs. Leslie Briggs and her mother, Mrs. Reagan of Albuquerque visited in Portales Wednesday. At noon they were guests of Mrs. Maude Smith for luncheon and in the evening they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Armstrong.

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\$25,000 In Permanent Buildings To Be Spent at CCC Camp Here

REVISE PLAN OF TEACHING VOC. AGR.

Students Required to Carry on Extra Projects

The vocational agriculture teachers of New Mexico are promoting a movement for the revision of the project plan for teaching vocational agriculture in the state. R. A. Young, Portales, is chairman of the committee.

At present, each pupil who is taking vocational agriculture is required to carry on a project on the farm. This project may consist of raising a hog, calf, or giving special care to a certain acreage of a particular crop.

"The new plan," state chairman Young, "is to study the whole farm as a unit. This study is to be done on the basis of the best improved practices."

Frank Wimberly of Las Cruces is at the head of the vocational agriculture work in the state. He has Luther Jones, Elida, C. T. Orable, Floyd and J. C. Ebersole, Des Moines, co-workers with Young.

The new plan will be discussed in detail at the meeting of the vocational agriculture teachers at Las Cruces, August 20.

Chairman Young is confident that the plan will be used in Roosevelt county this year, regardless whether it is accepted for the whole state.

WILL ENTER ON NEW PROGRAM, JUNIOR COLLEGE

Eastern New Mexico Junior College at Portales will enter on a new program in trades and vocations when college opens Sept. 17. Courses in Auto Mechanics, Electricity or Power, Shop, Agriculture, Tanning and Carpentry will be offered on a purely trades basis.

"The aim of these courses is to help young men to earn a living or to learn to do better the job they are now doing," said Donald Williams MacKay here today.

Other courses in the trades field will be organized if a need in the Eastern New Mexico Junior College shows the course to be valuable.

Camp Designated As 12 Months Project

Good news for this section of the state is the announcement that the CCC camp between Portales and Clovis has been designated as a 12 months camp and beginning September 1, \$25,000 in permanent buildings will be erected on the camp site.

Work on the state park is moving along smoothly.

The swimming pool is about completed and the first lake is almost complete and ready for the turning in of water. Attractive driveways have been laid out reaching every section of the park, and these are now receiving a coating of caliche.

Dedication Friday Night

There will be a great celebration at the camp Friday night of this week when the camp will be officially dedicated as Camp SP-5-N.

The local chapter of the American Legion with that of Clovis, the Spanish War Veterans and the Calvary troop at Clovis will take part in the dedication.

There will be band music, and a great program of entertainment is expected.

First Military Execution

On Friday night of last week the first military execution took place—the victim falling before the firing squad.

The day before a steer was struck by an automobile and suffered a broken leg. The camp commander notified the sheriff and was ordered to put it out of its misery.

A firing squad was organized and, under military regulations, the execution of the steer took place.

Park Will Be Attractive

This state park, while yet in the making, has the possibilities of making one of the most attractive parks on the east side of the state and within one year will become a popular picnic grounds for tourists and citizens of this part of the state.

A program of tree planting will be carried out, which will soon produce a beautiful shade area, and lend attractions to the lakes and other recreational features of the park.

Superintendent Donald Gordon of Rogers stated Saturday that he had all his teachers but one. His school is lining up for a very promising school term.

ARREST THREE ON LIQUOR CHARGES

Bonds for Two Set at \$1,000 Each by Commissioner

Bert Boggs, Jim Thetford and W. D. Greathouse were arrested last week by the sheriff's department on a charge of possession of intoxicants without government stamp on the containers.

Boggs was released on bond. The later two were taken to Clovis by a federal agent and arraigned before the federal commissioner on Monday night. Their bonds were fixed at \$1,000 each.

Boggs had not been arraigned on federal charges Wednesday morning.

Golden Returns From Nashville

Floyd D. Golden returned the last of the week from Nashville, Tenn., where he attended the meeting of the American Association of Colleges on curriculum revision. More than 100 colleges were represented.

Dr. Campbell, secretary of the American Association of Junior Colleges was one of the principal speakers. In conferences with Mr. Golden he criticized the work being done by the Eastern New Mexico Junior College. He felt that in the minimum time the college would be admitted to the association.

Credits from the Junior college are now accepted by the state department of education and the state department of education in Texas. Students will find no difficulty in transferring their credits to other school according to Dr. Campbell.

Other speakers at the conference were Dr. Works of Chicago university, Dr. Caswell and Dr. Smith of Peabody.

In the suggested curriculum revisions more emphasis is being placed on the social sciences and vocations and trades and less on mathematics, Latin and foreign languages according to Dean Golden.

Mrs. W. W. King went to Amarillo Monday to visit her sister. She returned home Tuesday.

CLAUDELL OIL TEST BRINGS NEW HOPES

Drouth Farmers Are to Reap Benefits Of Wildcat

The Claudell oil test well located in the heart of the worst drouth stricken area of Roosevelt county brings hopes to farmers and stockmen in that district.

This well is located on the T. A. Wilmes ranch, which is bounded on the south by the Will Scott and the J. O. Greaves ranch. On the west by J. H. Hendrix and the Jet and Thomas ranches.

On the east by the Lon Mason and Courtney and Herbert ranches and on the north by the Greathouse ranch.

Practically the entire block of 11,000 acres is denuded of grass and is as brown as in the dead of winter. In ordinary years this section is one of the best grazing and farming sections in the county, but for the last three years the drouth has taken heavy toll from this section.

Equipment Being Moved In

On Monday of this week six large truck loads of machinery and equipment was delivered to the drilling site, and the 84-foot steel derrick will soon be raised.

This derrick will be electrically lighted and will be visible for many miles in every direction. A heavy Diesel engine will be used for drilling, using distillate for fuel.

It is expected that the water well will be completed by the last of this week and drilling operations will begin soon as the rig and machinery are installed.

Located in an isolated spot, where there is very little traffic excepting the mail route, this location soon promises to become a busy center and there will be a heavy traffic of cars of visitors and heavy oil trucks.

Oil Scouts and visitors will doubtless find much sport and be of great benefit to the settlers in jack rabbit shooting, as these pests have about cleaned up what little crops there are in that section.

From week to week the Portales Valley News will keep the public posted on the progress of this well.

Last Rites For A. C. Brown Held Tuesday, July 31

Alvin Cooper Brown passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frank C. Howard in Portales, July 30, 1934. Funeral services were conducted by the Nazarene church at 3 o'clock Tuesday, July 31, by Rev. Joe M. Tyson. Interment was made in Portales cemetery with Wheeler-Johnson in charge.

Mr. Brown had been ill in health for about six years, but he has been critically ill since last November.

Born in New York City, January 21, 1864, he married Miss Ernestine Krebs, Drebach, Minn., in September, 1875. To this union were born seven children. Three of them died in childhood, and one, Mrs. Griffith Elliot, died after she was grown up.

Mrs. Brown is still living. The three children still living are Dan E. Brown, Portersville, Calif.; Elmer Brown, Portales, and Mrs. Frank C. Howard, Portales. There are 10 grand children.

Mr. Brown was an active business man until about 10 years ago when his health compelled him to retire. Not only was he a successful business man, but he was an active minister for the Methodist church for 40 years. After this time of service he set up an independent mission.

At all times, he was an ardent supporter of foreign missions.

DRILLING OF WATER WELL MARKS THE FIRST STEP OF OIL TEST HERE

Hopes of This Being One of Largest Pools in State Run High; Many Oil Men Have Visited Here Within Last Few Months.

WILL DRILL TO 4200-FOOT DEPTH

Drilling Will Begin Following Completion of Erection of Derrick and Assembling of Tools; New York Firm Are Financing.

Much comment of activity has been brought about by the report of oil operations and tests which begun in this county recently by the drilling of a water well in the southwest part of Roosevelt county. Water from this well will be utilized by the drilling contractors who will begin drilling of the first test well in this part of the county soon as derrick and tools have been assembled on the site.

To date there have been reported oil men from all parts of the country viewing the possibilities of this test and reports of this being one of the most likely successful wells in the county have been affirmed by geologists sent here by their respective companies to look into the matter. It is expected that several other locations will be made within the near future.

Geologists Tell Mythical Story

According to the mythical, fictitious tales handed down from generation to generation, it is bad luck to walk under a ladder, the crossing of the street of a black in front of pedestrian jay-walking, and numerous other things equally as obscure. But, the geologists have one which will far exceed any one of the above mention. And, it works, so the geologists say.

Drilling of an oil well near a cemetery is supposed to be good luck... it has proven lucrative in a number of instances.

Just one and one-half miles east from where the Claudell test is being made in the southwest part of the county is the old Ingram cemetery. Only a few people have been buried here, as the Ingram community was discontinued when a consolidation was made between Ingram and Kentucky Valley school districts. However, it's still a cemetery yard; there's no getting around that, and the geologists smiled with added reliance when they learned the site was near this place.

We attributed their "faith" to superstition purely, but one geologist stated he'd rather accept that than some geologists' decisions.

We'll have an opportunity to learn just how this "sign" is going to turn out.

Child Narrowly Escapes Serious Injury Friday

Little Betty Joyce Jeter, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Jeter narrowly escaped serious injury when her father drove his car over her in front of their residence last Friday.

The family had just driven up and were getting out of the car. Betty Joyce was in front sitting when the father started to drive away from the curb. The car was driven completely over the child.

There were no serious injuries. The wheels just missed the child's head by inches.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. W. C. Garrett of Roswell will fill the pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday in the absence of the pastor, Rev. J. G. Chapman.

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WILL PORTALES AWAKEN TO HER OPPORTUNITIES?

Today Portales has the opportunity to become the oil capital of Roosevelt county.

Will she awaken to her opportunities, or will she sleep on and let some neighboring town pick the juicy plum?

With the drilling of the Claudell oil well many oil men will come into this territory within the next week or so. Portales should supply accommodations to attract them to Portales.

The Claudell oil well is the best bet of any wild cat field in the state.

It is true that one cannot tell the results of a wild cat field until the bit reaches the bottom of the hole, but The News feels confident that if this well is drilled deep enough it will strike pay.

On Friday of last week, the drilling of the water well was begun and the peg driven for the major well.

The News has always hesitated on giving publicity to a wild cat concern, and would not do so at this time, but feels that the men behind this project mean business, and that they will make a real test.

There is oil in that section of the county, as The News has had eye sight information of oil breaking into water wells in several instances during the past 15 years. This well will be spudded in about August 18, and drilling will be continuous until the contract depth of 4200 feet is reached. Should it prove a developer, there will be many more wells drilled in that section, and Roosevelt county will become an active oil field.

It is up to Portales to awaken to this valuable opportunity before it is too late. It will mean better business for every one and will be the means of turning many dollars into circulation.

OPTIC SAYS TEXAS HAS SWALLOWED NEW MEXICO

(From Las Vegas Daily Optic)

About two years ago this newspaper commented upon the fact that the latest Texas invasion of New Mexico had assumed such proportions that the business and social complexion of the state was due for a change. That prediction has been and continues to be proven with the steadily increasing visitations of Texas and other southwestern people and the resulting acquisition of permanent residents and investments.

Gradually the people of our eastern neighboring state have gathered up ownership or leasehold of the cattle and sheep ranges of San Miguel and Mora counties until but little land remains in the possession or under the control of native or old-time residents of these counties. Recently these incomes have brought folks eager for lesser investments and it has been startling to some of the older New Mexicans to learn that small places in the remote mountain valleys and along fishing streams have been acquired by Texas purchasers for summer residence.

Our hotels, summer resorts, mountain ranches, camping places and fishing grounds are nearly filled with Texas visitors, during all the summer months.

Once we looked upon them as itinerants with no objective. We spoke of them scornfully as "tinean tourists" and scoffed at the suggestion that they could bring anything of permanent value or interest. Our complacency about it was due to the fact that we were

ignorant of the values which made an immediate appeal to the visitors. They saw in the range lands, the mountain resorts, outing places and frequently in business opportunities, all of which we New Mexicans held of such little consequence that we were amazed when Texans offered money for permanent possession or for leasehold.

And, further, New Mexicans were astonished to note that comparative newcomers to the state were suddenly installed in governmental positions, some by election and others by appointment. The area along the eastern side of the state that was derisively pointed out as "Little Texas" began to contribute candidates for public office and in frequent instances these candidates were successful.

The Lone Star state's people who once looked covetously at the rich realm of the Spanish Conquistadores lying to the west but failed to extend dominion over it bore young who have finally achieved what their forefathers hoped for but failed in doing. Slowly they have flooded over our eastern boundary and now are numbered with us in business, social and governmental affairs. Nor can we prevent it.

There has been some protest against inviting more than Texas has already sent to New Mexico but we who have been idle in securing what was available should not complain. In fact most New Mexicans applaud the effort of our state government to widen the opportunity for others of the southwest to learn about New Mexico and its charms. A little money now being spent is changing this country, once looked upon as fringe on the Spanish fabric of civilization, into a part of the field in which the virility of the younger Texans may soon become a controlling influence.

FUNCTIONS OF A CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

In discussing the functions of a chamber of commerce, The News in no wise casts reflections on the management of the Portales chamber. Mr. E. T. Hensley, as manager, has done a splendid work, and at the same time has been handicapped for finances.

The total finances of the local chamber run from \$40 to \$65 per month, and after paying the salary of stenographer, telephone calls, stamps and stationery, it is readily seen that there are no funds for an aggressive campaign of any sort.

The proper functions of a chamber of commerce is to aid in the development of the city and rural sections of the county. To do this sufficient finances must be provided for this purpose, and the needs of the Portales chamber of commerce will run around \$300.00 per month.

One of the important functions is to see after a good rural road system from the rural sections into town. A program of this sort requires frequent trips to the state capital.

Another function is to aid in developing of the resources of the city and county, which also requires and expense account. The matter of gaining fair land valuations recognized by the Federal Land bank is another important work of this body.

To properly see after this it will require a trip to Wichita, Kansas, and possibly to Washington. Who is going to make this trip at his own expense for the public good?

The college is here to stay. The chamber of commerce can aid in a building program to take care of the increased citizenship, but it will cost money.

The prospective oil field is one of the greatest things that has happened to Portales in many years. This will bring in many oil men, scouts, lease and royalty buyers. These men should be interested in making Portales their headquarters, but for the lack of proper telegraphic facilities, will go elsewhere.

It is within the functions of the chamber of commerce to contact the telegraph company, and show them where Portales is being discriminated against and losing much valuable trade. This may necessitate trips to headquarters at considerable expense.

It is the function of the chamber of commerce to supply literature advertising Portales and the county of Roosevelt, but they have no funds for this purpose.

There are around 40 members of the local chamber of commerce, where there should be several hundred. These 40 members pay from \$1.00 to \$3.00 per month, and about three members pay \$5.00 per month.

If Portales is to have the business she is entitled, the citizens of Portales will have to wake up and support the chamber of commerce in a manner that it can properly function. It cannot do, under the present financial support, and Portales stands a chance to grow smaller each year if something is not done.

Do not criticize your manager because he is unable to work miracles, but get behind him and give him sufficient financial support so he can meet the necessary expenses of this body.

Farm And Ranch Notes of County

Mrs. A. A. Cribbs was marketing her eggs Saturday. She stated that her hens were doing better since the rain.

G. M. Propps is one of the farmers that has had enough rain to do his crops some good. However, he was wanting another rain Saturday.

W. M. Backman who lives 13 miles south of Portales is pulling his broom corn this week. The drouth hurt it considerably, but it is doing better than he expected three weeks ago.

Backman stated further that his corn and cotton is growing and will make something with a few more showers. The late feed seems to be having a hard time with the hot weather of the last few days.

J. R. Hill who lives in the panhandle of Roosevelt county stated that he was not encouraged with his prospects for feed and grass for the winter. He had his cattle in De Baca county at that time.

Roy Terrill of the Richland community planted 20 acres of cane after the shower that he received two weeks ago. The first of the week his row crop still had a chance to make provided that he got rain within the next few days.

Rube Bollinger was not as well satisfied with his last crop of alfalfa as he was with the first one. The first cutting was heavier than either one of the last two.

George Lott in the Hlway community had no rain to speak of Saturday.

J. W. Thompson thought that the early broom corn in the Floyd community would be ready to start pulling by the first of next week. Some of the early small grain is heading and he thought it would make some without any more rain.

The early corn was not estimated by Thompson to amount to much grain. It would be worth more for fodder than for anything else. He estimated a good yield for his late corn with some more good showers.

R. D. Anderson is one of the Bethel farmers who has hopes of a fair crop this year. His grapes are ripening and are making a fair yield.

H. W. Swopes thinks that his crop will make something if the rain comes within the next few days.

A. J. Smith on the J. G. Greaves ranch stated Sunday that the rabbits had eaten his early corn. The rains in that part of the country just got the crops started.

J. R. Petefish one of the Curry county farmers who lives northwest of Melrose was in Portales Saturday. He stated that the crops in the Glavia area looked

like they would do fairly well, especially where they were worked.

During the drouth, the rabbits cut the largest cane down and ate it. They have already caused considerable damage to the crops in that part of the country.

Petefish did not feel that it was necessary for him to kill any of his cattle. He turned them in on the early corn and they are in fair shape.

D. E. Miller of the Blackwater draw remarked Saturday that the crops and grass need another good rain to keep them growing.

Jack Kirksey, one of the young farmers of the Arch community stated Saturday that the prospects for crops on the irrigated land was better than they were this time last year. The dry land crops have suffered a lot from the drouth.

M. F. Spear of the Floyd community was satisfied with the way his crop was doing the last of last week.

Fred Stewart of the Bethel community was selling his this year's Irish potatoes Saturday. His other crops were satisfactory at that time.

Jim Anderson of Dallas, Texas arrived Saturday to visit his mother, Mrs. W. H. Anderson and his brothers, C. C. and R. D. and families.

Joe Rowland, whose ranch is about 25 miles south did not have any green grass Saturday. His range would have to have rain soon to make winter grass.

One of the Roosevelt county farmers stated Monday that the corn fodder cut after it is dry is dangerous to feed stock. He is basing his opinion on the effect that this kind of feed had on the cattle in Kansas and Missouri about 25 years ago during a time similar to this.

U. S. Frazee, one of the old timers of Roosevelt county was not very enthusiastic about his prospect for a crop the first of the week.

D. A. Gordon of the Floyd community was in Portales Monday morning getting repairs for his tractor. He is planting pinto beans. He has a good prospect for a crop at this time.

Loren Johnston of the Floyd community has 230 acres of good crop. If he can get some more rain, his early feed is heading.

J. E. Short of Richland stated Monday that this is not the first dry year he has had to go through. In 1917, and 1918 he did not cut a stalk of feed. The difference now and then lies in the fact that there are not as many good crops close by as there were then.

Miss G. C. Anderson and children returned Saturday from Lubbock, Texas, where they have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lydia. Her brother, Preston, and wife, accompanied them home.

Bill McCormick of Rogers did not have much hopes for winter grass if he got a rain Saturday evening. The roots have suffered so long for moisture that they will have to be revived before they can support grass. He thought that there would be some chance for late feed.

A. F. Bacon stated Saturday that there had been scarcely any rain on his ranch on the Pecos river this spring. For a while the river was dry, he said.

W. H. Seefeld reported that his renter was doing well with his dairy herd. He thinks that he will have to ship all of his white face stock.

Edward Miller finished harvesting his third crop of alfalfa hay last week. He had 12 acres and received 635 bales. There are about 34 bales to the ton.

J. F. Compton of the Floyd community estimated that it would be 30 days before his broom corn would be ready to pull.

M. O. McCleskey of the Floyd community stated Saturday that he thought one more rain would make a fair crop on his farm.

Hugh Burke, one of the young Roosevelt county farmers had hopes for a good crop the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Blanton went to Vernon, Texas, Sunday.

Joe Raymond on Trip Thru East

Dean and Mrs. Floyd D. Golden received a letter from Joe Raymond this week describing his trip to Chicago, Niagara Falls, New York City and Toronto, Canada.

By reading the letter one is led to believe that Joe does not have a paid fare. He refers to his work for his meals, the kindness of some people to give him rides, and the assurance to the Canadian immigration officers that he would not be a public charge.

He went into details to describe the sights of the world's fair that interested him most. He regarded the Hall of Science as the most important display of the fair. The New Mexico exhibit, as he stated, was not completed when he was there.

When Joe wrote his letter from Toronto, Ontario, he was contemplating the joy of being home again. Also, he was looking forward to his last year in the Portales high school.

Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Brough left Tuesday for Kansas City, Chicago and Iowa.

Hubert Hooper returned Tuesday from Lubbock.

Miss Estelle Johnson and Mrs. Gladys Morris and Kerry left Friday for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Phil Johnston at Alomogordo and Ruidoso.

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BETHEL

We had 155 in attendance at Sunday school last Sunday. Rev. Milton Little gave a fine message.

The revival services have been attended by large crowds each evening and on Sunday night a large crowd was unable to get inside. Bro. Loris is preaching some wonderful sermons. There is special music every night which is given by members of the Christian church at Portales and also by members of Bethel Sunday school. There has been one conversion at this writing.

We had a good singing Sunday afternoon.

The Portales B. Y. P. U. postponed their program they planned for Sunday evening until September.

Sunday evening guests in the Ed Adams home were Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Dutton and family, and Miss Aaron.

Jo Ann Jones fell from the top of a milk house and injured her arm Monday. She also received other bruises.

Ona Little spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Carsrud.

Ala Dutton spent Sunday evening with Bernice Anderson.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Ham were Mr. and Mrs. Clay Jones and sons, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Perkins and son, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Smith and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Rube Anderson entertained several guests Sunday in honor of their brother, Jim Anderson of Dallas, who is visiting relatives here. Those present besides the guest of honor were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Preston Lyda of Littlefield and Mrs. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stewart were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Milligan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thetford and Rowena, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Collier and John, Mr. and Mrs. Evert Foster were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Foster and family Sunday.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Blidnerback were Mr. and Mrs. Charley Howard and family and Mrs. John White of Portales.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow White and Mrs. John White visited in Bethel Sunday. We were glad to have them with us in Sunday school.

Zelma Wormington was a dinner guest of Doris Dutton Sunday. Leroy Stewart was a Sunday dinner guest in the A. C. Woodburn home.

Mr. Lonie Jones of Palestine, Texas, and Mrs. Tom Jones of Portales visited Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones and family Wednesday.

Mrs. Grace Miller and son and Miss Lela Grover of Friona, Tex., visited their father and uncle, F. M. and L. J. Groves last week.

Thursday evening of last week Moe Groves and son and Lewis Groves of Clovis called at the Groves home and enjoyed a chicken supper. They returned home taking their sisters, Mrs. Miller and Miss Lela Groves back with them.

Sprinkled a little in Bethel Sunday morning. We are hoping it rains.

COLLEGE HEAD ASKS AID FOR STUDENTS

Dear Friends of the College:

It is of vital importance that our enrollment in the fall term at the Eastern New Mexico Junior College reach the 200 mark. Visitors come daily to the college and signify their intention of enrolling this fall.

Approximately five letters come each day which signify the same intention. Transcripts of high school work are being sent by students who intend to enter this fall. In all of these contracts there is a crying need for work. We are on the list for federal funds which can be used for college students who were not in school last year. Some of the work at the college—stenography, library, and custodial will be done by students. Both of these methods are but a drop in the bucket for the total need.

May I make a plea to all citizens of the community to provide, if possible, some work for students?

If you can use a girl for housework, or a boy to take care of the outside work, it will help somebody to go to college, and at the same time help the growth of the college. In many cases it will need to be done out of the generosity of your heart for you probably may not need the extra help around your home. I am hoping, however, that every citizen in business, or not in business, will make every effort to create extra work for students.

Most of the boys and girls are farm boys and girls and know how to work. They want an education. Will you help them, and the college?

Sincerely,
Donald William MacKay

OFFER COURSES AT COLLEGE IN LIBERAL ARTS

"The training of a secretary and the first two years in the training of a commercial teacher are much the same," said Dr. C. B. Wivel, head of the Commerce department of the Eastern New Mexico Junior College.

In consequence the courses in the Junior College will be typewriting, shorthand, office practice, bookkeeping, and accounting.

Background courses in liberal arts are also offered so that a student at the end of the two-year period can go into an office and be the kind of a secretary employers want.

They Have Moved

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lyons moved into the Otho Blanton house Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Westerman moved Monday to the Jack Norris house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lyons.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Heitman are occupying one of Mrs. Nettie Young's houses.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Slaton have moved to the house on State street where Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Westerman have been living.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Parrish are moving to the Hooker house. President and Mrs. Donald W. MacKay will move to the house where Parrishes have been living.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Sullins Jr. have moved to one of the McCall's apartments at 401 Montana.

TO HOLD DISTRICT COURT
Judge Magee of Roswell will be here on Monday morning, August 13 to open district court at 10 a. m. All court cases on the docket will be heard at this time.

Marie Neer In Girl Scouts Camp

Marie Neer, Portales Girl Scout is in Camp Mary White, near Roswell for the second period which opened Sunday, July 29.

The camp was filled to capacity with more than 80 Girl Scouts and 24 student leaders in attendance. Misses Dorothea Sullivan and Mary L. White, of the national staff of Girl Scout organization will teach the leaders' classes.

Saturday, an "Old Timers Night" was held. Half the campers were women and sold their box lunches by letting the buyers select from their shadows. The girls stood behind a sheet with a light thrown on them, and cast grotesque shadows.

A spelling bee was one of the activities of the evening. Real old-time fiddlers played for square dancing.

COLLEGE COACH IS ATTENDING LUBBOCK TECH

Deward H. Reed, coach and director of health at the Eastern New Mexico Junior College, for the last five years in the Big Springs, Texas schools, is in attendance at the coaching school in Lubbock, Texas, during this week. He will arrive at the college about August 20, to get the equipment in shape for fall football.

D. H. Reed comes well qualified for the work in physical education and athletics. He is a graduate of Texas Tech, and the University of Colorado. He lettered in the major sports and has coached several successful high school aggregations in football and basketball.

RICHLAND HOME MAKERS CLUB

The Richland Home Makers club met Thursday, August 2, with Mrs. H. D. Fulton.

The subject of canning was discussed during the business meeting. Mrs. Frances Beaman gave an interesting demonstration on the making of hooked rugs.

Members present were Mesdames R. S. Sutton, Boyd Rice, F. B. Sutton, L. H. Faw, E. V. Talley, Frances Beaman, Tally Clark, J. B. Martin, Ed Martin and H. D. Fulton.

Guests were Mrs. T. N. Tucker, Misses Jessie Inglis, Opal Clark and Bessie Sutton.

Our next meeting will be with Mrs. F. B. Sutton Thursday, Aug. 6, in an all-day affair.

Local Happenings

Mrs. Mary Moore of Elida has a new Chevrolet pickup.

A. G. Ross has a new Chevrolet truck.

Mrs. Grant Gordon underwent an appendectomy Saturday night.

Roy Kincald has a new Chevrolet.

John Stroud has bought a new Ford DeLux sedan.

Mrs. Mary Moore of Elida has a new Chevrolet pickup.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. McCasland left Saturday for Hugo, Okla., where they will sing in a revival.

Coach Brown was over from Lubbock for the week end. Mrs. Brown returned with him.

Brooks King of the United Dry Goods has been transferred to Big Springs, Texas.

Miss Beatrice Buchanan of Hereford, Texas, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Slaton.

George Bradford of Rogers has gone to Chicago to bring back two new Chevrolets.

Mr. and Mrs. Hooker were dinner guests of Mrs. L. E. Canon Monday. They left for Texas where they will spend some time.

Pete Rapcook, state chairman of the Progressive Republican party was here Tuesday to meet with the County Central Committee.

Mrs. Burl Johnson left Monday morning for market at Dallas. She was accompanied by Mrs. Wilma Trapp.

Misses Carolyn Bradley and Muriel Galloway returned Sunday from Albuquerque where they had been attending the university.

Mrs. W. B. Oldham and Adele and Mrs. C. J. Whitcomb and Wynema and Miss Rosamond Deen left Sunday morning for Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Yoachim left Sunday morning for a two weeks vacation to Colorado Springs, Denver, Manitou and Pikes Peak.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Compton, James and Benny and Mr. and Mrs. Byron Perry returned Sunday from a week's outing on the Rio Hondo near Taos.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lee and daughter of Kenna were shopping in Portales Monday.

Mrs. S. N. Hancock and Jaunita returned Sunday from Lubbock where Jaunita has been in the hospital following an operation.

Mrs. Prentiss Rossman and little daughter Joan, were here from Hereford over the week end and visited Mrs. Rossman's father, J. H. Bond and family.

Miss Lois McClain of Clovis visited Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Davidson this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Sweetland and Mrs. Ethel Sturt spent the week end in Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Scott left Friday for their home in Skull Valley, Arizona, after a two weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Buchanan and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Deen.

Mrs. George Galer of Happy and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Galer of Las Cruces were visitors in the M. L. Carter and F. D. Galloway home.

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SOCIETY NOTES

FAMILY REUNION

D. E. Jordan of Wichita Falls, Mrs. J. A. Pollard and son Dee of Anson, Texas, and Mrs. J. C. Jones of Nevada, Texas, left last Thursday for their homes after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Jordan. They are brother and sister of Mr. Jordan.

METHODIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Methodist Missionary Society met at the church Thursday afternoon for a business meeting. Mrs. Marlow presided over the meeting.

Mrs. L. E. Canon was hostess and served refreshments after the meeting.

F. & P. W. CLUB

The Business and Professional Woman's club will meet with Mrs. Lurline Morrison Monday night instead of going to the sandhills as previously announced.

SWIMMING PARTY

Mrs. Willis Slaton gave a swimming party Friday afternoon commencing Miss Beatrice Buchanan house guest of Mrs. Woodrow Slaton. The group went to the old Country Club swimming pool, after a swim the party returned to Mrs. Slaton's home where refreshments were served on the lawn.

Guests were Misses Buchanan, Comella and Annie Maude Hunter, Helen and Mary Johnson, Nadine Brasell, and Mesdames Orval Slaton and Elmer Harp.

JUNIOR WOMAN'S CLUB

Members of the Junior Woman's club had a swimming party at the old Country Club swimming pool Monday evening. After the swim they had a picnic supper. Hostesses were Mesdames J. O. Bradford, Jimmie Cooper and Elmer Harp.

CONTRACT CLUB

Mrs. Bert Rawlins entertained the Contract club Monday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed J. Neer. Tables were arranged on the porch. Mrs. Rawlins served a cooling drink during the game and an ice course afterwards.

Mrs. J. J. Spires made high score for guests and Mrs. J. C. Compton high for members. Mrs. Cline Caperton made low for guests and Mrs. H. H. Buchanan low for members.

Those attending the party were Mesdames Lucile Cumble, Cline Caperton, Ray Bonner, Marion Stinnett, K. J. Brough, J. H. Morgan, N. F. Baker of Center Point, Texas, J. J. Spires, Wm. LeMaster, J. C. Compton, Byron Perry of Perryton, Texas, P. E. Jordan, A. D. Ribble, H. H. Buchanan and E. R. Black.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Parrish left Wednesday for an extended visit in Las Cruces and El Paso.

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Light Hens - 4c
Heavy Spring
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Cox - 2c
Turkey - 5c & 8c

Dry Hides - 4c
Green Hides - 11c

Eggs,
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Separator Oil for All Makes
Separators.

Big Prizes Offered By Tri-State Fair

AMARILLO, Aug. 2.—Despite the drought, the Tri-State Fair this year is offering and guaranteeing more than \$15,000 in cash prizes.

"There will be no discounting and every cash premium advertised will be paid in full," said Wilbur C. Hawk, back in his old position as president of the fair association.

O. L. "Ted" Taylor also is back on the job as secretary-manager of the fair association.

Catalogues Ready

The 1934 catalogue of the free gate attraction now is ready for distribution. Copies of the catalogue, listing liberal premiums and several new divisions, will be mailed upon request in writing to Mr. Taylor, box 2451.

Both the president and secretary-manager have had years of experience in building the Tri-State Fair into the largest attraction of its kind in the Southwest.

The Tri-State Fair this year as usual will feature a free gate. It will begin on Saturday, September 15, and end on the following Saturday, September 22.

Horse Races Daily

There will be horse races for seven days with legalized wagering. The fair association has spent thousands of dollars in improving and enlarging its racing plant.

The Sam B. Dill and Tom Mix circus will be another big attraction.

There will be a clean carnival company, with sensational rides and many other features.

The cattle division of the fair will be enlarged this year, according to Secretary-Manager Taylor, who said \$5,000 will be offered in prizes exclusively in the Hereford class.

BIRTHDAY HONORED

Monday, August 6 was Mr. Wess Middleton's birthday, and his wife did honor to the day by inviting a few of their friends to their home to share the delicious dinner which she spread at noon.

Mrs. C. L. Height cooked the large white, beautiful cake for the day, which bore 41 white candles, and the words "Happy Birthday" in pink letters.

Mr. Middleton was the recipient of several nice gifts, including a large beautiful bouquet of gladiolus from Mrs. Jim Owens, a beautiful and a lovely bouquet from Mrs. Height.

The day was happily spent in visiting, the only thing to mar the day was the absence of Wess' twin brother, Jesse, who lives in Nugent, Texas, and was unable to visit his brother at this time.

Those enjoying the day with Mr. and Mrs. Middleton and children Joe and Pearl, were Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Ray, Mr. and Mrs. C. L.



O. L. "TED" TAYLOR

"Short Horns of milk stock will be exhibited this year for the first time, too, and there will be an exhibit of Jerseys," said Taylor.

For the swine division the fair association has set aside \$2,000 in cash premiums.

Prizes in all other divisions are equally liberal.

The automobile building will be jammed with the latest models in a motor show during the fair.

With liberal prizes fine displays are assured for each of the exhibition buildings.

Height, Mrs. J. L. Gilliam from Raton, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hollis and children Junior and Dicky Mae Kinard.

The hostess served delicious ice cream and cake to her guests in the afternoon, and all departed believing it a day well spent.

BRIDGE BREAKFAST

Mrs. N. T. Watson entertained

with a bridge breakfast at her country home six miles west of town Wednesday and Thursday morning. Bowls of summer flowers were placed about the room. Bud vases were used for center pieces on the tables during the two-course breakfast.

On Wednesday contract was the diversion of the morning and on Thursday auction bridge was played.

Those attending the breakfast Wednesday were Mesdames Ray Bonner, A. D. Ribble, E. N. Neer, J. H. Morgan, H. H. Buchanan, J. C. Compton, Gordon Lyons, Turner Hensley, Charles Horne, E. L. Wright, William LeMaster, W. W. King, Bert Rawlins, Byron Perry and Miss Sybil Lyons.

Guests this morning were Mesdames Marion Stinnett, J. G. Greaves, J. E. Camp, J. B. Friddy, De Hughes, Ray Snelson, E. R. Black, J. J. Spires, Luther Thomas, Thelma Mersfelder, Cline Caperton, Sidney Stone, Jay Stone, Arthur Jones, C. V. Harris, N. F. Wollard, E. T. Hensley, T. E. Mears, N. F. Baker of Center Point, Texas, Lucile Cumble and Miss Mary Alice Walton and Miss Lillian Harris of Forney, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam H. Batton and daughters of Littlefield were over Wednesday and Thursday visiting friends and attending Hefner's comedians. Nettie Belle remained to visit until Sunday.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS ON MAIN AND COLORADO STREETS

At a meeting of the City Council Tuesday, August 7, the matter of paving with Caliche on the above named streets was gone into with the view of beginning grading at once. But we find there are several lots on the above blocks that have not agreed to meet the cost of crushing caliche, and as the City has undertaken to have as good paving as is possible to be made from Caliche, and the City, not having any fund from which to pay the cost, this has been placed on the owner of property on those streets.

We had to pass up those streets and move over to Nevada street, but will be glad to have you own-

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An array of Silk Crepe
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One lot ladies' summer
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Turkish Towels

17x34 Turkish Towels.
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Ladies' Full fashioned Chiffon and
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Rubber Aprons

Large size Rubber
Aprons. 2 for

49¢

Men's Ties

Men's Silk Lined Ties.
2 for

49¢

Union Suits

Men's athletic Union
Suits. Full cut.

49¢

Pillow Cases

42x36 Pillow Cases
4 for

49¢

Canvas Gloves

A real value in canvas
gloves. 5 pair for

49¢

Dress Socks

Men's fancy Rayon Dress
Socks. 5 pair for

49¢

DRESS SHIRTS

Men's Broadcloth Dress Shirts. Fast
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63¢

House Slippers

Men's and Ladies' Felt
House Slippers, pair

49¢

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Boys' Rayon Polo Shirts.
Close out at, each

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Boys' and Men's new
Fall Caps, each

49¢

Boys' Pants

Boys' Blue Denim Waist
pants. Pair

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Play Suits

Children's Play Suits. In
Hickory stripe and covert

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Men's Coat style work
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21. He had forgotten the name of the people whose home the dance was given in.

This trouble started, he said, after "Boots" had complained to him, that he, Goswick, had whipped him at a dance about a week before. Goswick denied that he had anything to do with the fight. "Boots" is alleged to have drawn a knife on Goswick at this instance, and Goswick's friends took him, Goswick, back into the house.

After District Attorney J. C. Compton explained the state's evidence and Attorney C. J. Pendergraft explained the defendant's evidence, Jennings Inman was set free. However, "Boots" Inman was bound over for further investigation of the grand jury. His bond was fixed at \$350. He made bond immediately.

Shooting Saturday Night

There is no evidence concerning the shooting except what Goswick gave in the examining trial of Boots and Jennings Inman. However, the best information that can be obtained is that the shooting grew out of the trouble that "Boots" Inman had on the night of July 21.

"Boots" Interviewed

"Boots" Inman was interviewed by a representative of the News following the examining trial. He stated he had no statements to make.

Due to Goswick's condition, the nurse at the Braxell Hospital felt that it was useless to interview him at that time.

Mrs. G. F. Criswell, at whose home the shooting occurred last Saturday night stated that she was surprised when she heard shots. The dance, according to Mrs. Criswell, seemed to be going on nicely and every one was having a good time.

She stated further that both parties were good friends of the Criswells.

News Carries First Authentic Oil Story

In this issue of the Portales Valley News will be found the first authentic story of the Claude oil well. The News has had this information for several months, but has refrained from releasing it at the request of the operators, who desired to get everything in readiness before it was given any publicity. This story was released this week, and no other paper in the state has the accurate information carried by The News.

The News will keep the public posted on the developments of this test, and hopes to announce the greatest gusher in the state before snow flies.

If developments justify, the News is equipped and prepared to go to a daily on 24-hours notice.

BOULDER HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Bouldin were in Portales Monday and Tuesday visiting their little daughter Betty Joyce and Mr. and Mrs. Bouldin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Ballow, and getting supplies for their sheep ranch on the Pecos river.

Morris stated that his sheep were doing remarkably well considering the drought. "The salt grass on the river has certainly been a life saver for my sheep," he stated. The river has been practically dry for 60 days. Stockmen are having to dig holes in the river bed to make watering places. Mr. Bouldin is another sheepman who is having to hold his crop of wool.

Use News Want-Ads for results.

PORTALES MARKETS

Wednesday

Heavy Hens	6c
Light Hens	4c
Fryers	11c & 13c
Stags	4c
Turkeys	8c
Roosters	2c
Eggs	10c
Cream, No. 1	21c
Cream, No. 2	19c
No. 3, no market	
Hides	1 1/2 to 4c

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ODD THINGS AND NEW—By Lane Bode



Want Ads

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FOR SALE: BEETS, RHUBARB and strawberries. Free recipe for rhubarb cocktail with each \$1.00 purchase. J. D. STORK, Portales, New Mexico. 38-4tc

FOR SALE—Model T Ford pickup truck and team of horses. Also have 12 milk cows that would let to right party. Milk for part of cream. Inquire at McCall Produce. 42-1tc

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WANT MAN AND WIFE: WORK on ranch, woman cook for two to four hands; man herd sheep and anything that is to do. Permanent. No children. P. E. JORDAN. 42-1tc

FOR SALE OR TRADE: FAIRbanks-Morris three horse pump jack and engine. GRAHAM RIBBLE. 42-1tc

FOR SALE: SWEET POTATO crates. J. A. SANDERS, one and one-half miles southwest of Portales. 42-4tc

FOR SALE: FEW LARGE JAVINA plums, also grapes. J. A. SANDERS, one and one-half miles southwest of Portales. 42-4tc

LOST: WHITE GOLD ELGIN ladies wrist watch on the court house lawn or in the United Dry Goods store Saturday afternoon. Return to News office and receive reward. 42-1tc

WANTED FOR CASH: ABOUT 20 acres of good irrigatable land near Portales; improved preferred. Address E. W. McFARLAND, 720 Hinkle Street, Clovis, New Mexico. 42-1tc

FOR SALE: GRAPES AND RHUBARB. 25 pounds for \$1.00; beets \$1.00 per bushel, at Model Farm. E. B. SIDDALL, northeast of Portales. 42-2tc

FOR SALE: SEVERAL KINDS OF Grapes. Garden Truck one mile south, one-half mile east of cemetery. Valley View Farm, W. E. REYNOLDS, Portales. 42-2tc

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ORDINANCE NO. 123

An Ordinance to regulate public dances within the City of Portales, New Mexico, repealing Ordinance No. 113, of the Ordinance of the said City of Portales.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PORTALES, NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. No person, persons, company or association shall allow or permit on their premises, or premises under their control within the corporate limits of the City of Portales, New Mexico, any place where any public dance or dancing is had or engaged in, where in any charge is made or accepted, or dues paid, directly or indirectly, for the privilege of attending thereat, without first having made application for and obtaining a permit from the City of Portales: Provided, nothing in this ordinance shall prevent dancing in private residences, not held for profit, nor dancing in public places where the revenue derived therefrom is applied to charitable purposes only.

Section 2. Upon making application for a permit to operate or hold a public dance within the corporate limits of the City of Portales, the person, persons, company or association applying shall present with the application for a permit a fee of ten (\$10.00) dollars for each day such dance is to be operated or held; provided, that the applicant may, upon proper showing that the public dance is to be operated or held for charitable purposes only, receive a permit without having to pay the fee therefor, but in all instances it shall be necessary to apply for and receive a permit before operating or holding a public dance within the corporate limits of the said City.

Section 3. Anyone violating any of the provisions of the foregoing ordinance shall be punished by a fine of not less than twenty-five (\$25.00) Dollars nor more than fifty (\$50.00) Dollars for each offense, and each day of any such violation shall be deemed a separate offense.

Section 4. That ordinance No. 113, and all other ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 5. This ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure on the ground of urgent public need and therefore, immediately upon its final passage, shall be recorded in the book of ordinances of said City kept for that purpose, authenticated by the signatures of the Mayor and the City Clerk shall be published in the Portales Valley News, the official newspaper of said City, and shall be in full force and effect.

fect five days after such publication.

PASSED, ADOPTED, SIGNED AND APPROVED this 7th day of August, A. D., 1934.

R. G. BRYANT, Mayor

(Seal)

ATTEST:
J. CLINT FAIRLY,
City Clerk.

Miss Lois McClain of Clovis visited Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Davidson this week.

REVIVAL AT ROGERS

Hatton B. Gist, who has previously held a series of preaching services in the Causey and Dora communities, will begin a meeting at Rogers Wednesday night, August 15, in the school house auditorium. Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services.

Mrs. W. F. Shaw and Lenore and Francis went to Weatherford Saturday for a visit with Mr. Shaw's brother.

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1 table of silk crepes. Must be closed out.

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Men's flat knit. Must be closed out.

15c

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One rack of wash dresses—values to \$1.49—now

79c

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1 group of Ladies' Shoes, pumps, oxfords. Black.

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Rayon step-in and panties. New Carica style.

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Boys' hickory striped. Good quality.

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Men's broadcloth shorts and ribbed shirts.

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PUBLIC HEALTH

Conducted by Dr. S. S. Gary
Director, New Mexico Bureau of
Public Health.

ALCOHOL AND THE MIND

In the year 1934 a statistical study was made of all patients who were admitted during the previous year to mental hospitals for their first attack of mental disorder on account of alcohol. There were 2,893 such patients and 1,983 almost three quarters of them, were between 30 and 55 years of age. To lose the use of one's mind at any age is tragic enough but to lose it in the full maturity of physical and intellectual life is a social as well as a personal tragedy. These patients had been drinking heavily for a number of years. In many cases the health of the body had also been affected, the most common complaint being inflammation of the stomach. Several kinds of mental disorder are found among these patients. Some loss of control of their emotions; they become disgruntled and easily angered, or facetious, careless and imprudent. Others imagine enemies among their neighbors, become jealous without cause, a prey to fears that are unfounded. Others again are delirious, see creatures and hear voices that do not really exist.

But before there is such loss of contact with the real world as can be certified as insanity there are signs from which the wise may take warning: dependence on drink to avoid discomfort; perpetual need for a "stimulant"; a desire to escape from the difficulties of life; broken sleep disturbed by dreams; tremor and diffidence. All these may come from drinking alcohol, may be temporarily dispelled by drinking more alcohol in a vicious circle. The circle can be broken but only under conditions of helpful discipline. Such conditions can rarely be provided outside of a special institution.

PEP and HIWAY

Good attendance at Sunday school and Sunday night services. Mr. and Mrs. Finaus Tucker and daughter, Beaunia Jean were sight seeing in Portales Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Silas Eiland of Abernathy, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Belcher of Pleasant Valley community were overnight guests in the Andy Thomas home Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Hightower and daughters are planning on a trip soon.

Roy Radcliff attended the O. D. Lambirth branding Tuesday.

Freda Wilson was Friday night guest in the Roy Radcliff home. He later went to Portales with his family.

Freda and Floide Faye were looking after 4-H club interests while in town.

Sara Creighton was an all-day guest in the Hightower home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hibbard Fulton were business visitors in Portales Saturday.

Everyone who attended the marshmallow roast at the Turner well in the J. E. Plummer pasture last Wednesday night report a very nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rowland were Portales visitors Saturday.

Elbert Toombs has got his well repaired.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Thomas and son, Travis attended the Christian meeting at Elda Sunday and Sunday night.

Miss Culeene Hightower spent Saturday night with Miss Bessie Sutton.

We are expecting a big ball game at Pep August 12. Admission 5 cents. Everybody come.

CAMP MARY WHITE NEWS

Fifty-seven towns and 15 states are represented at Camp Mary White, Girl Scout camp in the Sacramento mountains near Roswell, N. M., this two-week period. Roswell has the biggest representation with 20 Girl Scouts. Amarillo has 15 girls and Austin, Texas and Bartlesville, Okla., each have six. Portales has one Girl Scout in camp.

More than 25 student leaders are taking training courses from Misses Dorothea Sullivan and Mary L. White.

Marie Neer is the Girl Scout attending the camp from Portales.

MT. ZION

Our meeting, conducted by Rev. J. L. King of Wellington, Texas, closed last Thursday night. We had 27 additions to the church. Had a good attendance at Sunday school Sunday. Rev. Crabtree delivered a very interesting sermon at the 11 o'clock hour. Next Sunday is the day set for the election of Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. officers. Bro. Dewberry of Dora will speak next Sunday.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Capps Saturday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Barnett Gilliam and children; Mrs. G. W. Lackey and children; Bruce and Myrtle; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sproles and Mary Lois Sproles; Mrs. S. S. Houk, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Harris, Irene Boyd and Mary Frances Boyd.

Floyd Bibby spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Littlejohn and sons, Arthur and Melvin.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Armstrong of Hot Springs, New Mexico, were guests of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lott, Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. G. W. Lackey and children Bruce and Myrtle, arrived Saturday evening from Borger, Texas.

Bruce returned home Sunday, but Mr. Lackey and Myrtle will remain here two or three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Ray and daughter, Lola May spent Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Furgeson of Portales.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lott and children, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Welys and Mr. and Mrs. Cal and children were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Littlejohn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Houk and children, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Smith and Mary Lois Sproles were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Harris Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Sproles were guests of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Harris at Rogers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanford De Priest and daughter, Roma Joyce, spent Tuesday night and Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Sproles.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Carlson of Cranfills Gap, Texas, and daughter, Miss Orinda Carlson of Fort Worth, Texas, are spending several days with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Roberts and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Carlson and Miss Orinda Carlson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Pardon at Portales Sunday and Monday they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roberts.

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Legal Notice

LEGAL NOTICE

State of New Mexico, County of Roosevelt. In the District Court. No. 3008.

J. A. Chapman, plaintiff, vs. J. H. Breshers, et al. defendants.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a decree foreclosing a certain mortgage deed entered in the above entitled cause June 4, 1934, in favor of plaintiff and against defendants, the undersigned Special Master will, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. on Sept. 3, 1934, at the NE front door of the county courthouse of Roosevelt Co., N. M., sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, that real estate situate in Roosevelt Co., N. M., described as follows, to-wit: "SE 1/4, SE 1/4, Sec. 30, Twp. 1 S. R. 35 East, N. M. M., with all improvements thereon." This sale being made to satisfy certain adjudged indebtedness, amounting to the aggregate sum of \$1700.25 at date of sale, and costs of suit and this sale to be taxed. Dated July 25, 1934.

C. J. SPARKS,
Special Master.

July 26-august 16-means

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt Co., N. M. No. 434.

In the Matter of the Estate of J. O. Benson, deceased.

To Lou Benson, and all unknown heirs of J. O. Benson, deceased, and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in or to the estate of said decedent: You are hereby notified that Lou Benson, administratrix of the estate of J. O. Benson, deceased, has filed her final account, report and petition for discharge, as such, and the court has appointed Aug. 20, 1934 at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. as the day and time for hearing objections, if any, to the approval of said final account, report, and discharge of said administratrix, and at the same time said court will proceed to determine the heirship of said estate, the interest of each respective claimant thereto and therein and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof. T. E. Mears, whose P. O. address is Portales, N. M. is attorney for said administratrix.

Given under my hand and seal of said court this July 25, 1934.

MRS. PAUL E. MORRISON,
(Seal) County Clerk.

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Witness my hand and seal of said court this July 25, 1934.

MRS. PAUL E. MORRISON,
(Seal) County Clerk.

July 26-august 16-means

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Special Master of Court to sell the property herein described by an order of the District Court of Roosevelt County, N. M., made in a final decree entered on the 8th day of May, 1934, in Cause No. 2854, where in Dr. W. M. Brown was plaintiff, and Charles M. Stobb, et al. were defendants, said final decree being for a judgment against the defendants, and for the foreclosure of a mortgage deed on the following described property located in Roosevelt County, N. M., to-wit:

E 1/2 Sec. 9, Twp. 7 S, Rn. 32 E, N. M. M.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that I, Fred C. Tharp, pursuant to said appointment contained in said final decree, and the order of sale therein, will, on the 14th day of August, 1934, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, offer for sale and sell at public auction, to the

LEGAL NOTICE

State of New Mexico, County of Roosevelt. In the District Court. No. 3013.

Gladys Stone, Executrix of the estate of Lula Stone, deceased, Plaintiff, vs. John M. Bradley, et al. Defendants.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a decree foreclosing a certain mortgage deed entered in the above entitled cause June 4, 1934, in favor of plaintiff and against defendants, the undersigned Special Master will, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. on Sept. 3, 1934, at the NE front door of the county courthouse of Roosevelt Co., N. M., sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, that real estate situate in Roosevelt Co., N. M., described as follows, to-wit: "NE 1/4, SE 1/4, Sec. 23, Twp. 1 S. R. 34 East, N. M. M., with all improvements thereon." This sale being made to satisfy certain adjudged indebtedness, amounting to the aggregate sum of \$2460.91 at date of sale, plus delinquent taxes and costs of suit and this sale to be taxed. Aug. 1, 1934.

LUCILE HARRINGTON,
Special Master.

aug2-aug23-means

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Special Master of Court, to sell the property hereinafter described by order of the District Court of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, in the final decree rendered by said Court on the 8th day of June, 1934, in case number 3008, where in Henry Beebe is plaintiff, and Ike Hughes, Della Hughes, Jim Greene, Lessee Greene, J. T. Perryman, Jr., Gladys O. Perryman, E. O. Lewis, Susan P. Lewis, H. E. Marsh, T. O. Wildman and C. P. Watson, are defendants; said final decree being a judgment in the first cause of action for the foreclosure of a mortgage deed executed by the said Ike Hughes and Della Hughes, husband and wife, to The Union Mortgage Company of Clovis, New Mexico, a corporation, and assigned to plaintiff; and said mortgage deed being decreed a first, prior and paramount lien to the rights, title, claim and interest of said defendants and each and all of them; and said mortgage deed covering the following described property and real estate, situate lying and being in Roosevelt county, state of New Mexico to-wit:

The East 1/2 of Section 1, Township 3 South, Range 34, East, N. M. Meridian, New Mexico;

and said final decree being a judgment in the second cause of action for the foreclosure of mortgage deed executed by the said Ike Hughes and Della Hughes, husband and wife, unto G. G. Castleberry and M. H. Starnes, and said mortgage deed thereafter being assigned to plaintiff, and the last mentioned mortgage deed being decreed a second mortgage, subject only to plaintiff's said first mortgage, and the said second mortgage covering the above described land.

NOW THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that I, J. G. Whitson, pursuant to said appointment, obtained in said final decree, an order of sale therein, will on the 11th day of September, 1934, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the Roosevelt county courthouse at Portales, New Mexico, all of the above described real estate and premises, and will apply the proceeds of said sale to the satisfaction of said judgment in said first and second causes of action, interest and cost of suit, as none of the amounts found due have been paid, and which said judgment, exclusive of the cost at the time of sale in first cause of action, will amount to \$2381.90, and in the second cause of action, exclusive of cost at the time of sale to \$838.99, thereby totaling, exclusive of cost at the time of sale, the aggregate sum of \$3220.89.

J. G. WHITSON,
Special Master.

aug2-aug30 henry beebe.

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highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the Roosevelt County Court House in Portales, New Mexico, all of the above described real estate and will apply the proceeds of said sale to the payment of said judgment, interest, and costs of suit, which judgment and interest to the date of sale amount to \$1190.19.

Dated July 17, 1934.

FRED C. THARP,
Special Master.

July 19-august 9-smith

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico.

In the Matter of the Estate of J. P. Graham, deceased.

To B. N. Graham, Joe B. Graham, George A. London, Howard A. London, Jennie Lee London, Robert Ona Bogner, Nova Elina London, all unknown heirs of J. P. Graham, deceased and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in or to the estate of said decedent: You are hereby notified that J. B. Graham, administrator of the estate of J. P. Graham, deceased, has filed his final account, report, and petition for discharge, as such, and the court has fixed August 30, 1934, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. as the time for hearing objections, if any, to the approval of said final account and the discharge of said administrator, and at the same time, said court will proceed to determine the heirship of decedent, the ownership of his estate, the interest of each respective claimant thereto and therein and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof. T. E. Mears, whose P. O. address is Portales, N. M. is attorney for said administrator.

Given under my hand and seal of said court this July 19, 1934.

MRS. PAUL E. MORRISON,
(Seal) County Clerk.

July 19-august 9-means

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior
General Land Office at Santa Fe, New Mexico

Notice is hereby given that Henry T. Bowen of Melrose, N. M., who, on May 8th, 1930, made homestead entry additional, No. 069886 for SW 1/4 Section 21, Township 2N, Range 32E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before U. S. Commissioner, at Portales N. M., on the 14th day of August, 1934.

Claimant names as witnesses:

L. Sollman, R. M. Jones, Buster Degraffenreid and Mrs. Ida G. Wall, all of Melrose, N. M.

M. F. Miers,
Register.

July 12-aug 9

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Last Will and Testament of William O. Summers, deceased, was proved in the County of Bexar, State of Texas, and the same, together with the proceedings thereof, have been produced and proved in the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, and the undersigned were appointed Executors by the Probate Judge of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, on the 21st day of July, 1934, and that Letters Testamentary have been issued to them; that all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are hereby notified to present the same within the time and in the manner prescribed by law, or the same will be forever barred; that the address of said Executors is San Antonio, Texas, to which all process may be mailed.

J. C. Compton of Portales, New Mexico, attorney for Executors, Minnie Summers, Theo Summers, aug2-aug23 Joe.

aug2-aug30 henry beebe.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, N. M. No. 588.

In the Matter of the Estate of James F. Keller, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on July 14, 1934, appointed administrator of the estate of James F. Keller, deceased, by the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, N. M., and having duly qualified as such, all persons having any claims against the estate of decedent, are hereby notified and required to present same to the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law. July 16, 1934.

THOMAS J. KELLER,
Administrator.

July 19-august 9-jk

NOTICE OF SUIT PENDING

The State of New Mexico to the defendants, Ida Frampton, impleaded with the following named defendants, against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: said Ida Frampton, Ronald Frampton, Richard Frampton, the unknown heirs of Oliver B. Frampton, deceased, and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to the plaintiffs, defendants, Greeting: Said defendants are hereby notified that a suit has been commenced against them in the District Court of Roosevelt County, N. M., by A. C. Youngblood and Lorie E. Youngblood, plaintiffs against you, said defendants, being No. 3037 on the civil docket of said court; the objects of which are to obtain a decree of said court quieting the title of plaintiffs in and to the NE 1/4 of Sec. 11 in Twp. 2 S, R. 33 East, N. M. M. in Roosevelt County, N. M., against defendants, and to bar and estop defendants and anyone claiming by, under or through them, from having or claiming any right, title, interest, estate, or lien, in, to, or upon said lands and premises, adverse to the estate of plaintiffs therein; except the mortgage lien of said Ida Frampton, and for general relief. Defendants are further notified that unless they enter their appearance in said cause on or by August 30th, 1934, judgment will be rendered against them by default and plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief demanded in their complaint. T. E. Mears, Portales, N. M., is attorney for plaintiffs.

Given under my hand and seal of said court this July 13th, 1934. (Seal) MRS. PAUL E. MORRISON, County Clerk.

July 19-august 9-tem

NOTICE

In The Probate Court, Roosevelt County, State of New Mexico

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO to J. H. Pierce, Mary Wilson, Mahala Hahn, Ellen Westlake and all unknown heirs of said decedent and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in, or to the estate of said decedent, GREETING:

Notice is hereby given that A. L. Hahn, Administrator of the estate of Josie L. Beeman, deceased, has filed his final report in said cause, with petition for discharge, and the 13th day of August, 1934, at the hour of ten o'clock, A. M., has been the day fixed by the Court for the hearing of said final report and accounting, and as the day to determine the heirship of said decedent, the ownership of her estate and the interest of each respective claimant thereto or therein and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof; and a final settlement of said estate.

THEREFORE, any person or creditor, or other person interested in said estate, may on or before the date above said file objections thereto, or to any particular item therein, and the same will be heard and determined by the Court, together with said final report.

C. J. Pendergraft, Portales, N. M., is attorney for the administrator.

Given under my hand and official seal this 13th day of July, 1934.

MRS. PAUL E. MORRISON,
County Clerk.

July 19-august 9-cjp

NOTICE

In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of J. R. Hatfield, deceased, No. 588.

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico.

To Martha A. Hatfield, Clara A. McDonald, Theda May Campbell, and Joseph Albert Hatfield, and to whom it may concern: You are hereby notified that the alleged Last Will and Testament of J. R. Hatfield, deceased, was produced and read in the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico on July 9th, 1934, and the day of proving said Last Will and Testament was thereupon fixed by the court on August 6th, 1934, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. of said day.

Given under my hand and seal of said court this July 9th, 1934.

Mrs. Paul E. Morrison,
(Seal) County Clerk.

July 12-august 2-means

Mrs. C. A. Berry and sons Mack and Marion, of Tucumcari, spent Tuesday night with Rev. and Mrs. J. Griffin Chapman.

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Begin Revival at Church of Christ On August 12th

Sunday, August 12, the summer meeting begins at the Pine Street Church of Christ. Elder Clarence C. Morgan of Clovis will do the preaching and the song service will be in charge of Mr. T. L. Lunsford, also of Clovis.

Evening services will begin at 8 o'clock and be in the open air by the side of the church building.

Day services will be at 10 o'clock in the building. Seats with backs will be provided.

Preparation is being made to seat large crowds. Elder Morgan is well known here. He held a meeting for the local church two years ago; also, he has been heard daily over station KICA for the past eight months.

The public is invited to attend these services. The meeting will continue for two weeks.

C. A. Buchanan, Minister.

FLOYD HOME MAKERS CLUB

The Floyd Home Makers club met with Mrs. Torren Johnson Friday, July 20. Six members and several visitors were present. Quilting was the order of the day.

On account of the Baptist meeting which is to begin Sunday, Aug. 5, the club omitted the next meeting. But will meet with Mrs. Percy Jones on Friday, Aug. 24.

East Valley View

The club women of this community returned home from their trip to the mountains Friday evening.

The Camp brothers of Friona, Texas, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lovern Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Long and Mr. and Mrs. Fisher were Clovis visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson from Bovina, Texas, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Wilson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Miller visited with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lovern Saturday.

Mrs. Ralph Smith was an afternoon visitor of Mrs. Milton Wilson Monday.

Walter Lovern Jr. spent Saturday night with the Roger Warrens. Edgar Smith, Alton Warren and Bernard Nelson visited with Dale Smith Thursday evening.

Miss Ethel Newberry of Los Angeles, Calif., has returned for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. C. M. Setser returned Friday from Chicago where she has been visiting and sight-seeing for the last two weeks. She visited her daughter, Mrs. Algine Newman and twin daughters. The twins returned home with her for a visit.

NOTICE

Meeting of Library Board Saturday at 5 p. m.

MISS THOMSON OF SHANGHAI ON TOUR

Visits Neers While En Route On Return Trip

Miss Lillian Thomson who is librarian for the Shanghai college, located at Shanghai, China, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed J. Neer last Saturday and Sunday. She was on her way to San Francisco, Calif., to return to her work.

Miss Thomson has been in China for 18 years. She was a teacher when she first went there.

Miss Thomson and the Neers are old friends. She visited them 20 years ago. She says that it is hard for one to notice the improvements in Portales. She stated that there has been some wonderful improvements in Portales since she visited here last.

EAST VALLEY VIEW HOME MAKERS CLUB

East Valley View Home Makers believe in the old adage—"all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy." So Tuesday morning each filled a box from her pantry and with blanket, pillow and leaving instructions for hubby and the children, she was ready to leave work behind.

Mr. Burrows' large truck was made comfortable with springs and cushion and no pullman car could afford more comforts. A 10-gallon can of ice water occupied a conspicuous corner in the car.

The first stop was Roswell where the club treasurer laid in a supply of bread; the next stop was at Beautiful Riverside camp. The private car and the great outdoors was the setting for the first slumber party, which was a huge success. Wednesday morning the car moved on up the Hondo Valley. Not too fast lest we miss a peach tree and the president and secretary promised a bushel of peaches as the first treat.

Arrangements for camp was made ahead by our president, so we were soon located on the Rio Grande river under the singing pines and all the comforts and conveniences of a palace was ours.

Each meal was a feast and the supply bountiful. Several side trips were enjoyed also, the evening concert Friday morning at 9 a. m.; the party started home.

Each member expressed appreciation for one of the very happiest vacations and we wonder if the pantizes in East Valley View will not receive a few extra jars of food in anticipation of another similar vacation.

To our president, Mrs. Geo. Davis and secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Homer Miller, we owe much for making this trip possible and to those who could not go but contributed to our pleasure we take this means of expressing our thanks.

The following enjoyed the trip: Mesdames Davis, Miller, Drinkard, Heckman, Pinn, Walker, Porch, Hull, Westfall, Robinson, Phillips, Blyvens, Parker and Misses Helen Lovern and Mary Francis Porch.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

The revival at the Assembly of God church on Southeast Nevada street closed last Sunday night. There were a number won for the Lord, and we believe the Assembly was encouraged.

Prayer meeting Thursday, 7:45. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Morning worship 11 a. m. Evening services 7:45 p. m.

We invite all to attend and worship with us. You will find a warm and friendly welcome.

D. Z. Little, Pastor.



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Political Announcements

Democratic Nominees.

For Sheriff:—
J. H. BOND

For Tax Assessor:
CASS LYONS.

For Superintendent of Schools:
A. C. WOODBURN.

For County Treasurer:
HOMER BARNETT.
(For Re-Election).

For County Clerk:
MRS. PAUL E. MORRISON
(For Re-Election).

Probate Judge:
J. HARVE BAKER
(For Re-Election).

For Commissioner, 2nd District:
R. L. ALLEN.
(For Re-Election).

For Commissioner, 3rd District:
O. C. HERBERT.

For Commissioner, Dist. No. 1:
TOM HASLIP.
(For Re-Election).

For State Representative:
Twentieth Legislative District:
Roosevelt and DeBaca Counties
FLOYD T. KENNEDY.

KENNA

There was a large crowd at the dance Saturday night. Everyone seems to like the music and the platform is a cool and pleasant place to dance.

Miss Vesta Lois Stevens, niece of Mrs. B. M. Naylor, has returned to her home at Dexter, after spending a week with her relatives here.

Dr. Boyle is here visiting his brother, Hugh Boyle and family. Two sisters of Mrs. W. B. McCombe, Setta and William, are visiting the McCombe family this week.

Jimmie Elrod Jr., from Vaughn is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Price Crume and family this week.

Mack Kimmons is here from White Lake visiting his folks. Mrs. Eura Hollis of Clovis visited relatives and friends here this week.

Mrs. Herbert Rickard and children visited Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Lemons and brother, J. B. Battenfield this week.

CHAPMANS TO ARIZONA

Rev. and Mrs. J. Griffin Chapman and children left yesterday for Prescott, Arizona, where they will attend the Arizona Baptist encampment. Mrs. Chapman will be the Southwide W. M. U. representative speaker and Rev. Chapman will be the inspirational speaker at the morning and evening services.

Mrs. Lucile Cumble returned Friday after a several weeks visit in Bronte and Center Point, Texas. She was accompanied home by her sister, Mrs. N. F. Baker and daughter Aileen.

ARCH

The Baptist revival closed last Thursday night. Bros. Love and Coffman left Friday to hold a meeting at Roler.

Mr. Petross of Blanket arrived Sunday to start the singing school. He was accompanied by his family and Mrs. Owen Petross and children. The school will be held in the evening beginning at 7:30. Everyone is urged to be present.

There will be an all day singing and dinner on the ground Sunday, August 12. All visitors are urged to be present.

Mrs. Lawrence Harris of Rogers is spending the week with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Holbert Shirley and family visited in the Wade home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Pate and family and Mr. and Mrs. Dolphus Pate visited in the Randal home at Texico Sunday.

Miss Rea took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. McCasland and daughter.

Miss Nannie Lee Smith spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Aileen Dougherty.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson and Miss Betty have moved here to their place from Portales. We are glad to have them in our midst. Miss Betty will be one of the teachers here this term.

Miss Gladys Townsend is leaving this week for Colorado.

Miss Aileen Dougherty and Miss Rea spent Thursday night with Miss Nannie Lee Smith.

Remember the singing and the basket dinner Sunday.

The dance in the Reed home Saturday night was enjoyed by all present.

Mrs. Dacus, Mrs. McCrory and Miss Della Dacus spent Monday afternoon in the Henry Townsend home.

SINGING AT RICHLAND

Sunday night, August 12, there will be a singing at Richland with the following program.

Song, Sarah Louise Creighton.
Song, Tennie Alexander.
Song, Mrs. Boyd Rice.
Song, Bessie Sutton.
Special, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Rice.

Song, Lola Platt.
Song, Ladean Rice.
Song, Emma Partin.
Song, Boyd Rice.
Special, Alexander Sisters.

Song, Truman Short.
Song, Jewel Brakehill.
Song, Blanche Swann.
Song, Pauline Alexander.
Song, Johnnie Brakehill.

We invite everyone to attend our singing class and help with the singing. Second and fourth Sunday night are our regular singing nights.

Sarah Louise Creighton,
Secretary.

THE WEATHER

August 29 to July 5
High temperature, 104.
Low temperature, 63.
Total wind movement, 68.1.
Total evaporation, 3.04.
Rainfall, none.
A. C. Woodburn, Observer.

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PORTALES, NEW MEXICO

Penny Dinner

Wednesday, August 15, 11:30-1:30

METHODIST CHURCH

Mrs. C. V. Harris' Famous

Chicken Pie

Fried Chicken - Ice Cream

Proceeds go to Pebble-Dashing Methodist Parsonage.

TIRE BARGAINS

440x21 Goodrich Chiefion	\$4.25
450x21 Goodrich Chiefion	\$4.75
475x19 Goodrich Chiefion	\$4.95

GOOD STOCK OF ACCESSORIES, GAS AND OIL FRESH GROCERIES.

New Supply of dishes received. They are free with \$12.50 purchases of tires and groceries.

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Enjoy Real Comfort with GAS HEAT

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Spare yourself those chilly hours and overheated rooms by using controlled gas heat. Come in and let us show you how practical it is to buy a—

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"Bigger and Better" Tri-State Fair In Amarillo September 15 to 22

AMARILLO, August 8.—With more feature attractions, including daily horse races, and larger premiums than ever, all guaranteed, the Tri-State fair this year, September 15-22, easily will measure up to the old slogan—"bigger and better."

Preparations have been made for record crowds to pass through the free gate each of the seven days.

Besides horse racing with legalized wagering, there will be the Sam B. Dill circus with Tom Mix, the Western States Shows, a carnival company with sensational rides and other feature attractions.

The Tri-State fair is just completing a \$30,000 building program to accommodate the 1934 crowds.

Back under the old management of Wilbur G. Hawk as president and O. L. "Ted" Taylor as secretary-manager, the Tri-State fair this year is guaranteeing more than \$15,000 in cash premiums.

Catalogues containing all the premium list, rules and regulations are available now. A catalogue will be mailed upon written request to Mr. Taylor, P. O. Box 2454, Amarillo, Texas.

Several new departments will be added this year. For instance, \$5,000 in cash prizes will be offered exclusively for Hereford cattle. There also will be exhibits of milking shorthorns, Jersey and Holstein.

Cash prizes in all of the other departments are equally liberal.

This year for the first time there will be competitive system of judging county exhibits. Instead, each county that enters an exhibit will be paid \$50.00 in cash.

Advance inquiries already indicate each of the exhibit buildings will be jammed with displays.

The automotive building will house the latest models for a motor show throughout the fair.

"The Tri-State fair weathered a depression and this year's drouth will have no effect either upon the quality of exhibits or the attendance," declared Mr. Hawk.

"So don't forget the dates," he added. "The 1934 greatest Tri-State fair begins on Saturday, September 15, and ends on the following Saturday, September 22."

stock were allowed to drink. One man even tells the story of thrashing his son when he, upon arriving at the water well following the water of oil sediments before his days work in the field, discovered the water was covered in oil. His accusation that his son had deliberately "oiled" the stock water was refuted the following day when oil was again found in the stock tank.

On another occasion it is reported that one rancher in this part of the county had to abandon a water well due to the fact that there was always a thin scum of oil on the water and unfit for consumption. Many of the old timers here report that oil is ubiquitous in this immediate area.

Oil men in every locality will be watching the results of this test, and if successful, Portales is slated for one of the biggest booms in her history. The News will keep a close check on activities and notify its readers of every report coming from this well.

John Young remarked Tuesday that his ranges could use another good rain. His cattle were holding up in fair shape at that time.

Read The News Want-Ads!

Plan to Move Drouth Suffers To Alaska

ANCHORAGE, Alaska.—Maybe Alaska can save the drouth-harassed farmers of the central United States, through a government colonization plan.

Jack Baker, assistant chief of the federal emergency relief administration, surveyed 1,000,000 acres of the fertile Matanuska valley and was en route to Juneau today to discuss with Governor Trov the feasibility of bringing 2,500 families, ruined by the drouth as a federal colony in Alaska.

The land is here—free for the homesteading.

The only drawback, old time Alaskans say, is lack of a market for farm produce.

Odd Fellows Boast of Good Attendance

The Odd Fellows of Portales Lodge met in regular session Tuesday night of last week with a good attendance, as a matter of fact the Odd Fellows have not had a dull session in many months.

Last term was a banner one, the Lodge having taken in, it is believed, as many or more members than any Lodge in the state. The members are looking forward to the current term with great expectations, and if a good start means anything their expectations will not go amiss.

At the last meeting two applications were accepted. Leon Schumper for initiation and Lester White transfer of membership. Beside these two there are several others waiting for initiation to membership. All members are urged to attend future meetings, and help make this term the best in the history of the Lodge.

The Odd Fellows met with a good attendance as usual Tuesday night. Two new members were accepted for membership and Mr. Helm of Eldorado, Okla., visited the lodge. We are always glad to have visitors and extend a cordial invitation to any Odd Fellows who may desire to visit our Lodge.

According to reports from 13 Lodges in the State, this Lodge has not been boasting idly; out of a net gain of 25 for the 13 Lodges this Lodge gained 16 of them; some record, I say. Keep the good work going Odd Fellows and don't forget Grand Lodge at Clovis on October 8 and 9.

—Lodge Reporter.

Mrs. H. H. Buchanan, Mrs. J. P. Deen and Mary Jane, Mr. and Mrs. Winnifred Scott of Skull Valley, Ariz., returned Thursday from Forney, Texas, where they visited their sister, Mrs. T. W. Harris and family. Miss Lillian Harris returned home with them.

W. H. Craddock and wife of Cisco, Texas, and Miss Ann Craddock of Pullman, Washington, are here visiting their brother and family, W. F. Craddock. W. H. Craddock is postmaster at Cisco and Miss Craddock has charge of the clothing and fabric department of the Washington State College.

Mrs. W. J. Rogers and daughter Anna Lois of Oakland, California, are visiting in the O. F. Criswell home at Bluit this week. Mrs. Rogers is Mrs. Criswell's mother.

George Alford of Joseph, Ore., is visiting relatives in and near Portales this week. Mr. Alford lived here 18 years before going to Oregon nine years ago.

ELIDA

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Copeland of Childress, Texas, and three sisters of Clovis came last Wednesday for a visit with Mr. Copeland's brother and family south of town.

Mr. and Mrs. John Howell were business visitors in Elida Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Thompson of Amarillo, Texas, spent Thursday night and Friday with Mrs. Thompson's mother, Mrs. A. A. Beeman. Little Carol returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cothern of Portales were in Elida last week with a load of apples.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Sullins and baby of Portales were visiting, old friends in Elida Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Beeman spent Saturday night and Sunday in Clovis.

Mr. and Mrs. Tomlinson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Regal, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Chilton and baby were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Butts Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Crume and little Jimmie, Sylvia Southard and Mrs. Jessie Freeman returned home Sunday after spending several days at Ruidoso.

Elida base ball team played the CCC boys of near Clovis Sunday. The score was 11-6 in favor of Elida.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Raydon and family left Sunday for Oklahoma City for a visit with relatives.

Miss Ella Mae Butler came Sunday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Butler and family.

Mr. A. Grinshaw is driving a new V-8 Ford he purchased last week.

Mr. W. H. Walker and son, Billie went to Roswell last week and brought back a secondhand Ford pickup.

Mr. and Mrs. Torance Reed and daughter Billie were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller Sunday.

Several from Elida attended the dance at Kenna last Saturday night.

Mrs. Welsingers and family of Clovis were Sunday guests of A. L. French and family.

Mrs. Essie Southard surprised her friends by getting married last week to a Mr. George Vaughn of Fort Sumner. Mrs. Vaughn was formerly Miss Essie Crume.

Carl Atkinson made a business trip to Lubbock Monday.

Harrison Miller left Monday for Lubbock to work on the road.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Randolph of Clovis were visiting in Elida Sunday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Cook.

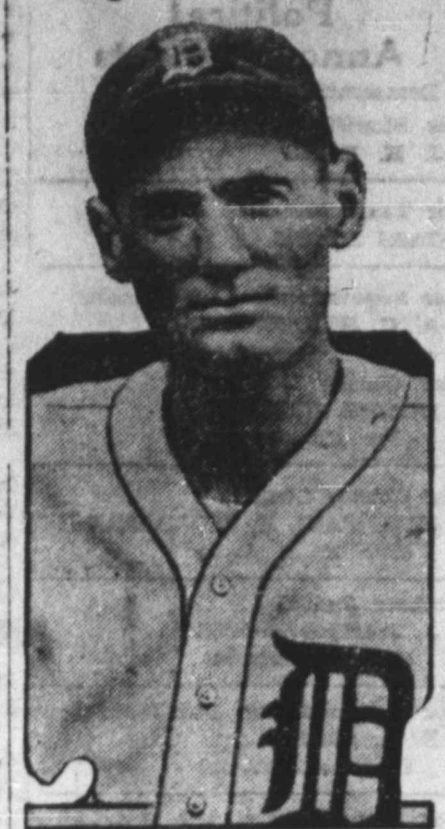
Marvin Bonardson spent the week end with Charles Nicholson.

Bill Snelson of Fort Sumner was a business visitor in Elida Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tomlinson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Regal, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Chilton and baby were among the crowd at the family reunion at R. K. Chilton's Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cothern have returned from Hot Springs, where they have been visiting Bill Kelley and taking the baths.

Tigers Get a Texan



Clarence Phillips has been bought from the Beaumont (Texas) team to bolster up the pitching staff of the Detroit Tigers of the American league. He is 6 feet 4 inches tall and closely resembles Walter Johnson.

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

The State of New Mexico to the defendant, G. W. Bedinger, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: said G. W. Bedinger, Lillian Bedinger, Henry C. Bedinger, S. S. Bedinger and Mildred B. Beck, (nee Bedinger), if living, and if dead, the unknown heirs of said deceased persons, and all unknown persons claiming any lien, interest or title adverse to plaintiff, Greeting:

You said defendants, are hereby notified that a suit has been filed against you in the District Court, in and for the County of Roosevelt, State of New Mexico, by Harrison H. Cushmanberry, as plaintiff; the nature and object of said suit being to secure a decree of said court quieting the title of plaintiff in and to the W 1/4 of SW 1/4, Section 11, Township 2 South, Range 34 East, N. M. P. M.; and to forever bar and estop defendants and each of them, and anyone claiming by, under or through them from having or claiming any right, title, interest or estate in or to said lands adverse to plaintiff, and to forever quiet and establish and set at rest plaintiff's title and estate therein.

Defendants are further notified that unless they enter their appearance in said cause, on or before the 19th day of October, 1934, judgment will be rendered against them by default, and the plaintiff will apply to and be given by the court the relief demanded in his complaint.

C. J. Pendergraft, Portales, N. M., is attorney for plaintiff.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court this 7th day of August, 1934.

MRS. PAUL E. MORRISON,
(Seal) County Clerk.
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Sweet Spuds, Season's First, Yield 120 Bushel

Henry Berbe dug two short rows of his sweet potato crop Tuesday morning that indicated his crop is yielding about 120 bushels to the acre. These potatoes were put on the local market.

These potatoes are of the Yam variety. They were smooth and had fair shapes for potatoes at this time of the year. The flavor is excellent.

The ground on which they are growing has been in alfalfa for four years. Then there has been considerable fertilizer used on the land.

T. E. Allen, one of Beebe's neighbors, who has been in the potato business for some time, estimated the yield by harvest at more than 400 bushels to the acre.

Lewis A. Little, manager of the Sweet Potato Association stated that the yield on the Beebe farm was excellent for this time of the season. There are the first potatoes reported dug so far this season.

Beebe was not sure how many of the crop he would market at the price he is receiving. However, he was sure he would market a few.

These potatoes have had excellent care. One of Beebe's neighbors stated they were watered so regularly that one would hardly realize that there was such a thing as a drouth this summer.

The vines and strings are being fed to his hogs and cows.

A GOOD SHAVE

Is Refreshing After a Day in the Oil Field.

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PORTALES BARBER SHOP

Clean and Sanitary

Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Scott left Friday for their home in Skull Valley, Arizona, after a two weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Buchanan and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Deen.

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32x6 Firestone 10-ply Heavy Duty	\$27.00
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NEW PASSENGER CAR REGISTRATIONS

First Six Months, 1934

	1934	1933	Gain	% Gain
FORD	295,114	131,943	163,171	123.6
Chevrolet	268,646	230,498	38,148	16.5
Plymouth	158,915	99,592	59,323	59.4
All Others	272,446	220,448	51,998	23.5

TOTAL 995,121 628,481 312,640 45.8

Above Figures from Registration Reports Issued by E. L. Folk & Co., Detroit, Mich.

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It is possible to quote statistics but, without sufficient explanatory detail, in such a way as to be misleading.

You have perhaps seen billboard displays now appearing throughout the country, reading as follows:

"520,000 in Six Months"

This display carries the name of a Manufacturer now occupying a secondary position in 1934 automobile sales volume. It is probable that the figures given represent factory production for the first half of 1934. If such is the case, after deducting sales represented by New Car Registrations shown above, there would remain something in excess of 250,000 UNSOLD UNITS as of June 30th, 1934. However, to one not possessed by the ACTUAL registration figures the information given on the billboard display referred to, could easily be construed to be sales figures.

We invite the oil men to make our place their headquarters. A convenient shop; lubrication department, car washing and factory trained mechanics are at your service.

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SATURDAY SPECIALS

PORK SAUSAGE, 2 lbs. for	25c
BEEF ROAST, grain fed, per lb.	12c
LOIN STEAK, grain fed, per lb.	18c
FRESH COUNTRY BUTTER, per lb.	28c
LUNCH MEATS, assorted, per lb.	30c

FISH ON FRIDAY

PURITY MARKET

PHONE 60

BIGGER! BETTER! GREATER!
TRI-STATE FAIR
DATES SEPTEMBER 15 to 22
The Tri-State Fair Association and the people of Amarillo cordially invite everyone to attend this greater Fair of 1934! Don't miss it! Write O. L. Taylor for Catalogue, which carries Premium List, Amarillo, Tex.
AUTOMOBILE SHOW
SAM B. DILL'S CIRCUS
with TOM MIX
\$15,000 CASH PREMIUMS
I am guaranteeing that they will be paid.—WILBUR G. HAWK, President of Tri-State Fair.
Exciting HORSE RACES DAILY
\$5,000 FOR HEREFORD CATTLE. Also Milking Shorthorns, Jersey and Guernseys.
Big Department: Agricultural Premiums: 6-8 Clubs, etc. Domestic Science and Arts. Many other attractions.
FREE GATE

Armstrong Insurance Agency

Before you start on your trip protect yourself and your loved ones by having a "Special Automobile Accident Policy" written on yourself. This provides hospital expenses in case of injury, doctor's bills if not disabled, and a lump sum in case of death, all for a very small premium. Let us cover you before you leave.

TO OUR CUSTOMERS

We appreciate the business that you are giving us. Especially do we appreciate the cooperation on the part of the farmers to furnish us with high quality cream and eggs.

BETTER CREAM and EGGS . . . BETTER PRICES

Call for Plains Gold Butter . . . it is the Best.

Plains Cooperative Creamery

Portales, New Mexico

OIL PLAY IS STARTED

VIRGIL GOSWICK VICTIM OF FEUDAL SHOOTING, BLUIT

M INMAN IS WANTED FOR ALLEGED CRIME

Fracas Followed the Difficulty With "Boots" Inman

STILL AT LARGE

Victim Is Taken To Examining Trial on Stretcher.

Deputy Sheriff Roy Kincaid went to the Bluit community Sunday morning to arrest Moore Inman for the alleged shooting of Virgil Goswick at a dance held at the home of G. F. Griswell Saturday night. He arrested Dumas, known as "Boots Inman and Jennings Inman for assault on the gun shot victim.

Moore Inman had not been located at the latest information before the paper went to press. Dumas and Jennings Inman, brothers of the accused man, were brought to the county jail at Portales where they were lodged until the examining trial Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock.

Court was called to order by Justice of the Peace F. T. Burke. Virgil Goswick, the victim of the gun shot wounds, was brought into the sheriff's office on a stretcher from the Brassell hospital. "Boots" and Jennings Inman were present. Goswick was sworn in. He testified that he lived at Pitchfork, community, in the eastern part of the state, and about ten miles from Bledsoe, Texas. He stated that he had had no trouble with Moore Inman until last Saturday night at which time the shooting occurred.

Difficulty with "Boots" He stated that he had a difficulty with "Boots" Inman at a dance about a mile and a half west of Bluit on the night of July (Continued on page five)

BOND RETURNS WITH PRISONER

Sheriff J. H. Bond went to Tatum Sunday and returned with L. C. Alsop who broke out of the Roosevelt county jail last spring. He was held in the jail charged with selling intoxicating liquor. He is being held for the coming term of district court.

Will Pebbledash Church Parsonage

Work is to begin immediately on pebbledashing of the Methodist parsonage. This movement is being sponsored by the ladies of the Methodist church. Their first effort to raise money for the project will be a penny dinner at the church next Wednesday.

The feature of the dinner will be chicken pie, the preparation of which is in charge of Mrs. C. V. Harris, who is famous for this dish. Fried chicken along with other foods which have made penny dinners popular will be served. Reshingling of the roof has been completed and the inside has been repapered and part of the wood-work painted.

Mrs. Leslie Briggs and her mother, Mrs. Reagan of Albuquerque visited in Portales Wednesday. At noon they were guests of Mrs. Maude Smith for luncheon and in the evening they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Armstrong.

Superintendent Donald Gordon of Rogers stated Saturday that he had all his teachers but one. His school is lining up for a very promising school term.

PORTALES VALLEY NEWS

In the Heart of New Mexico's Greatest Irrigation District. Great-est Diversified Agricultural Center of nation.

Home of Eastern New Mexico Junior College, where Youth is trained for the better things of life.

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\$25,000 In Permanent Buildings To Be Spent at CCC Camp Here

Camp Designated As 12 Months Project

Good news for this section of the state is the announcement that the CCC camp between Portales and Clovis has been designated as a 12 months camp and beginning September 1, \$25,000 in permanent buildings will be erected on the camp site.

Work on the state park is moving along smoothly.

The swimming pool is about completed and the first lake is almost complete and ready for the turning in of water. Attractive

driveways have been laid out reaching every section of the park, and these are now receiving a coating of caliche.

Dedication Friday Night There will be a great celebration at the camp Friday night of this week when the camp will be officially dedicated as Camp SP-5-N.

The local chapter of the American Legion with that of Clovis, the Spanish War Veterans and the Calvary troop at Clovis will take part in the dedication.

There will be band music, and a great program of entertainment is expected.

First Military Execution On Friday night of last week the first military execution took place—the victim falling before the firing squad.

The day before a steer was struck by an automobile and suffered a broken leg. The camp commander notified the sheriff and was ordered to put it out of its misery.

A firing squad was organized and, under military regulations, the execution of the steer took place.

This state park, while yet in the making, has the possibilities of making one of the most attractive parks on the east side of the state and within one year will become a popular picnic grounds for tourists and citizens of this part of the state.

A program of tree planting will be carried out, which will soon produce a beautiful shade area, and lend attractions to the lakes and other recreational features of the park.

ARREST THREE ON LIQUOR CHARGES

Bonds for Two Set at \$1,000 Each by Commissioner

Bert Boggs, Jim Theiford and W. D. Greathouse were arrested last week by the sheriff's department on a charge of possession of intoxicants without government stamp on the containers.

Boggs was released on bond. The later two were taken to Clovis by a federal agent and arraigned before the federal commissioner on Monday night. Their bonds were fixed at \$1,000 each.

Boggs had not been arraigned on federal charges Wednesday morning.

WILL ENTER ON NEW PROGRAM, JUNIOR COLLEGE

Eastern New Mexico Junior College at Portales will enter on a new program in trades and vocations when college opens Sept. 17. Courses in Auto Mechanics, Electricity or Power, Shop, Agriculture, Tanning and Carpentry will be offered on a purely trades basis.

"The aim of these courses is to help young men to earn a living or to learn to do better the job they are now doing," said Donald William MacKay here today. Other courses in the trades field will be organized if a need in the Eastern New Mexico Junior College shows the course to be valuable.

BAPTIST CHURCH Rev. W. C. Garrett of Roswell will fill the pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday in the absence of the pastor, Rev. J. G. Chapman.

John Young remarked Tuesday that his ranges could use another good rain. His cattle were holding up in fair shape at that time.

Golden Returns From Nashville

Floyd D. Golden returned the last of the week from Nashville, Tenn., where he attended the meeting of the American Association of Colleges on curriculum revision. More than 100 colleges were represented.

Dr. Campbell, secretary of the American Association of Junior Colleges was one of the principal speakers. I conferences with Mr. Golden he criticized the work being done by the Eastern New Mexico Junior College. He felt that in the minimum time the college would be admitted to the association.

Credits from the Junior college are now accepted by the state department of education and the state department of education in Texas. Students will find no difficulty in transferring their credits to other schools according to Dr. Campbell.

Other speakers at the conference were Dr. Works of Chicago university, Dr. Caswell and Dr. Smith of Peabody.

In the suggested curriculum revisions more emphasis is being placed on the social sciences and vocations and trades and less on mathematics, Latin and foreign languages according to Dean Golden.

CLOVIS BAPTIST IN BIG TENT REVIVAL

The first Baptist church of

Clovis will begin their revival Sunday, August 12. A large tent is being shipped here for the meeting which will accommodate hundreds of people.

Dr. W. W. Melton of Waco, Tex., is the evangelist and Johnnie Cohen song leader.

Place, same as the Charlie Taylor meeting Fourth and Axtell.

We welcome our Portales and Roosevelt county friends to these meetings.

J. F. Nix, Pastor.

Donald MacKay, president of the Eastern New Mexico Junior college left today for Santa Fe to attend a meeting called by the state department of education.

REVISE PLAN OF TEACHING VOC. AGR.

Students Required to Carry on Extra Projects

The vocational agriculture teachers of New Mexico are promoting a movement for the revision of the project plan for teaching vocational agriculture in the state. R. A. Young, Portales, is chairman of the committee.

At present, each pupil who is taking vocational agriculture is required to carry on a project on the farm. This project may consist of raising a hog, calf, or giving special care to a certain acreage of a particular crop.

"The new plan," state chairman Young, "is to study the whole farm as a unit. This study is to be done on the basis of the best improved practices."

Frank Wimberly of Las Cruces is at the head of the vocational agriculture work in the state. He has Luther Jones, Elida, C. T. Grable, Floyd and J. C. Ebersole, Des Moines, co-workers with Young.

The new plan will be discussed in detail at the meeting of the vocational agriculture teachers at Las Cruces, August 20.

Chairman Young is confident that the plan will be used in Roosevelt county this year, regardless whether it is accepted for the whole state.

NEW PASTOR OF METHODIST CHURCH WILL ARRIVE SOON

Rev. C. Frank York, new pastor of the Methodist church will arrive with his family the last of the week and will fill the pulpit at both morning and evening.

Rev. York comes from Tucson, Arizona, where he has been presiding elder of the Tucson district.

Mrs. W. W. King went to Amarillo Monday to visit her sister. She returned home Tuesday.

CLAUDELL OIL TEST BRINGS NEW HOPES

Drouth Farmers Are to Reap Benefits Of Wildcat

The Claudell oil test well located in the heart of the worst drouth stricken area of Roosevelt county brings hopes to farmers and stockmen in that district.

This well is located on the T. A. Wilmes ranch, which is bounded on the south by the Will Scott and the J. G. Greaves ranch. On the west by J. H. Hendrix and the Jet and Thomas ranches.

On the east by the Lon Mason and Courtney and Herbert ranches and on the north by the Great house ranch.

Practically the entire block of 11,000 acres is denuded of grass and is as brown as in the dead of winter. In ordinary years this section is one of the best grazing and farming sections in the county, but for the last three years the drouth has taken heavy toll from this section.

Equipment Being Moved In On Monday of this week six large truck loads of machinery and equipment was delivered to the drilling site, and the 84-foot steel derrick will soon be raised.

This derrick will be electrically lighted and will be visible for many miles in every direction. A heavy Diesel engine will be used for drilling, using distillate for fuel.

It is expected that the water well will be completed by the last of this week and drilling operations will begin soon as the rig and machinery are installed.

Located in an isolated spot, where there is very little traffic excepting the mail route, this location soon promises to become a busy center and there will be a heavy traffic of cars of visitors and heavy oil trucks.

Oil Scouts and visitors will doubtless find much sport and be of great benefit to the settlers in jack rabbit shooting, as these pests have about cleaned up what little crops there are in that section.

From week to week the Portales Valley News will keep the public posted on the progress of this well.

Last Rites For A. C. Brown Held Tuesday, July 31

Alvin Cooper Brown passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frank C. Howard in Portales, July 30, 1934. Funeral services were conducted by the Nazarene church at 3 o'clock Tuesday, July 31, by Rev. Joe M. Tyson. Interment was made in Portales cemetery with Wheeler-Johnson in charge.

Mrs. Brown had been in ill health for about six years, but he has been critically ill since last November.

Born in New York City, January 21, 1854, he married Miss Ernestine Krebs, Dresbach, Minn., in September, 1875. To this union was born seven children. Three of them died in childhood, and one, Mrs. Griffith Elliott, died after she was grown up.

Mrs. Brown is still living. The three children still living are Dan E. Brown, Portersville, Calif.; Elmer Brown, Portales, and Mrs. Frank C. Howard, Portales. There are 10 grand children.

Mr. Brown was an active business man until about 10 years ago when his health compelled him to retire. Not only was he a successful business man, but he was an active minister for the Methodist church for 40 years.

After this time of service he set up an independent mission. At all times, he was an ardent supporter of foreign missions.

F. A. Dukeminier and Okley Farnham of Doreno were in Portales yesterday. Their cattle are still holding up, but they have not had a rain on their range since May.

DRILLING OF WATER WELL MARKS THE FIRST STEP OF OIL TEST HERE

Hopes of This Being One of Largest Pools in State Run High; Many Oil Men Have Visited Here Within Last Few Months.

WILL DRILL TO 4200-FOOT DEPTH

Drilling Will Begin Following Completion of Erection of Derrick and Assembling of Tools; New York Firm Are Financing.

Much comment of activity has been brought about by the report of oil operations and tests which begun in this county recently by the drilling of a water well in the southwest part of Roosevelt county. Water from this well will be utilized by the drilling contractors who will begin drilling of the first test well in this part of the county soon as derrick and tools have been assembled on the site.

To date there have been reported oil men from all parts of the country viewing the possibilities of this test and reports of this being one of the most likely successful wells in the county have been affirmed by geologists sent here by their respective companies to look into the matter. It is expected that several other locations will be made within the near future.

Real estate men and local abstract offices have been busy the last few weeks. They report favorably the activities of the company in charge of drilling, and other oil men throughout the country hold high hopes of a big pool in this particular part of the county.

Test Will Begin Soon With the completion of the water well, which is being drilled by A. B. Bickle, Portales contractor, it is expected tools for actual drilling of the wild cat will have been assembled, and work will begin immediately following the assurance of ample water supply to run the rig.

Location of Well Location of the well, the first in this part of the county, is the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of Section 21, township 2 South, Range 30 East, Roosevelt County, New Mexico, on

BULLETIN There are 70,000 pounds of derrick and other equipment on the ground, and 130,000 pounds of equipment now on the road from McCamey, Texas, which will be used in the drilling of the well.

The Theodore Wilmes et al ranch. It is 200 yards from section line.

Drilling contractor will be the Gus Forsman Company of Casper, Wyo., and is being financed by the Claudell Development company, a New York State corporation.

The well will be drilled to a minimum depth of 4200 feet with cable tools.

An 84-foot steel derrick and string tools are being moved here at this time by Quinn Company, trucking contractors of McCamey, Texas. Actual drilling procedures will begin immediately following the erection of derrick which is being done by the Poteet company of McCamey, Texas. Forsman and his drillers expect to spud in about August 18.

The Niagara group of gas companies of Pennsylvania, New York, and Louisiana are among the heaviest gas producers in the east. This well will mark their first operations in New Mexico. Previous operations have been confined to the oil districts of New York, Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Wyoming, Louisiana and Eastern Texas, where favorable results have been acquired.

Lease 11,000 Acres The block of 11,000 acres for this new test was assembled by Yaden and Caudill, and comprises the full structure as determined by the Magnetometer and Torsion Balance.

To add to the hopes of this being one of the largest pools of the state and assurance that there is every possibility of oil in this (Continued on Page 8)

H. B. Sutton who bought the Tom Scott place near Floyd was in Portales yesterday. He lives in Dallas, Texas.

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WILL PORTALES AWAKEN TO HER OPPORTUNITIES?

Today Portales has the opportunity to become the oil capital of Roosevelt county.

Will she awaken to her opportunities, or will she sleep on and let some neighboring town pick the juicy plum?

With the drilling of the Claudell oil well many oil men will come into this territory within the next week or so. Portales should supply accommodations to attract them to Portales.

The Claudell oil well is the best bet of any wild cat field in the state.

It is true that one cannot tell the results of a wild cat field until the bit reaches the bottom of the hole, but The News feels confident that if this well is drilled deep enough it will strike pay.

On Friday of last week, the drilling of the water well was begun and the peg driven for the major well.

The News has always hesitated on giving publicity to a wild cat concern, and would not do so at this time, but feels that the men behind this project mean business, and that they will make a real test.

There is oil in that section of the county, as The News has had eye sight information of oil breaking into water wells in several instances during the past 15 years. This well will be spudded in about August 18, and drilling will be continuous until the contract depth of 4200 feet is reached. Should it prove a developer, there will be many more wells drilled in that section, and Roosevelt county will become an active oil field.

It is up to Portales to awaken to this valuable opportunity before it is too late. It will mean better business for every one and will be the means of turning many dollars into circulation.

OPTIC SAYS TEXAS HAS SWALLOWED NEW MEXICO

(From Las Vegas Daily Optic)

About two years ago this newspaper commented upon the fact that the latest Texas invasion of New Mexico had assumed such proportions that the business and social complexion of the state was due for a change. That prediction has been and continues to be proven with the steadily increasing visitations of Texas and other southwestern people and the resulting acquisition of permanent residents and investments.

Gradually the people of our eastern neighboring state have gathered up ownership or leasehold of the cattle and sheep ranges of San Miguel and Mora counties until but little land remains in the possession or under the control of native or old-time residents of these counties. Recently these incomers have brought folks eager for lesser investments and it has been startling to some of the older New Mexicans to learn that small places in the remote mountain valleys and along fishing streams have been acquired by Texas purchasers for summer residence.

Our hotels, summer resorts, mountain ranches, camping places and fishing grounds are nearly filled with Texas visitors, during all the summer months.

Once we looked upon them as itinerants with no objective. We spoke of them scornfully as "tincan tourists" and scoffed at the suggestion that they could bring anything of permanent value or interest. Our complacency about it was due to the fact that we were

ignorant of the values which made an immediate appeal to the visitors. They saw in the range lands, the mountain resorts, outing places and frequently in business opportunities, all of which we New Mexicans held of such little consequence that we were amazed when Texans offered money for permanent possession or for leasehold.

And, further, New Mexicans were astonished to note that comparative newcomers to the state were suddenly installed in governmental positions, some by election and others by appointment. The area along the eastern side of the state that was derisively pointed out as "Little Texas" began to contribute candidates for public office and in frequent instances these candidates were successful.

The Lone Star state's people who once looked covetously at the rich realm of the Spanish Conquistadores lying to the west but failed to extend dominion over it bore young who have finally achieved what their forefathers hoped for but failed in doing. Slowly they have flooded over our eastern boundary and now are numbered with us in business, social and governmental affairs. Nor can we prevent it.

There has been some protest against inviting more than Texas has already sent to New Mexico but we who have been idle in securing what was available should not complain. In fact most New Mexicans applaud the effort of our state government to widen the opportunity for others of the southwest to learn about New Mexico and its charms. A little money now being spent is changing this country, once looked upon as fringe on the Spanish fabric of civilization, into a part of the field in which the virility of the younger Texans may soon become a controlling influence.

FUNCTIONS OF A CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

In discussing the functions of a chamber of commerce, The News in no wise casts reflections on the management of the Portales chamber. Mr. E. T. Hensley, as manager, has done a splendid work, and at the same time has been handicapped for finances.

The total finances of the local chamber run from \$40 to \$65 per month, and after paying the salary of stenographer, telephone calls, stamps and stationery, it is readily seen that there are no funds for an aggressive campaign of any sort.

The proper functions of a chamber of commerce is to aid in the development of the city and rural sections of the county. To do this sufficient finances must be provided for this purpose, and the needs of the Portales chamber of commerce will run around \$300.00 per month.

One of the important functions is to see after a good rural road system from the rural sections into town. A program of this sort requires frequent trips to the state capitol.

Another function is to aid in developing of the resources of the city and county, which also requires and expense account. The matter of gaining fair land valuations recognized by the Federal Land bank is another important work of this body.

To properly see after this it will require a trip to Wichita, Kansas, and possibly to Washington. Who is going to make this trip at his own expense for the public good?

The college is here to stay. The chamber of commerce can aid in a building program to take care of the increased citizenship, but it will cost money.

The prospective oil field is one of the greatest things that has happened to Portales in many years. This will bring in many oil men, scouts, lease and royalty buyers. These men should be interested in making Portales their headquarters, but for the lack of proper telegraphic facilities, will go elsewhere.

It is within the functions of the chamber of commerce to contact the telegraph company, and show them where Portales is being discriminated against and losing much valuable trade. This may necessitate trips to headquarters at considerable expense.

It is the function of the chamber of commerce to supply literature advertising Portales and the county of Roosevelt, but they have no funds for this purpose.

There are around 40 members of the local chamber of commerce, where there should be several hundred. These 40 members pay from \$1.00 to \$3.00 per month, and about three members pay \$5.00 per month.

If Portales is to have the business she is entitled, the citizens of Portales will have to wake up and support the chamber of commerce in a manner that it can properly function. It cannot do, under the present financial support, and Portales stands a chance to grow smaller each year if something is not done.

Do not criticize your manager because he is unable to work miracles, but get behind him and give him sufficient financial support so he can meet the necessary expenses of this body.

Farm And Ranch Notes of County

Mrs. A. A. Gribbs was marketing her eggs Saturday. She stated that her hens were doing better since the rain.

G. M. Propps is one of the farmers that has had enough rain to do his crops some good. However, he was wanting another rain Saturday.

W. M. Backman who lives 13 miles south of Portales is pulling his broom corn this week. The drought hurt it considerably, but it is doing better than he expected three weeks ago.

Backman stated further that his corn and cotton is growing and will make something with a few more showers. The late feed seems to be having a hard time with the hot weather of the last few days.

J. R. Hill who lives in the panhandle of Roosevelt county stated that he was not encouraged with his prospects for feed and grass for the winter. He had his cattle in De Baca county at that time.

Roy Terrill of the Richland community planted 20 acres of cane after the shower that he received two weeks ago. The first of the week his row crop still had a chance to make provided that he got rain within the next few days.

Rube Bolinger was not as well satisfied with his last crop of alfalfa as he was with the first one. The first cutting was heavier than either one of the last two.

George Lott in the Hiway community had no rain to speak of Saturday.

J. W. Thompson thought that the early broom corn in the Floyd community would be ready to start pulling by the first of next week. Some of the early small grain is heading and he thought it would make some without any more rain.

The early corn was not estimated by Thompson to amount to much grain. It would be worth more for fodder than for anything else. He estimated a good yield for his late corn with some more good showers.

R. D. Anderson is one of the Bethel farmers who has hopes of a fair crop this year. His grapes are ripening and are making a fair yield.

H. W. Swopes thinks that his crop will make something if the rain comes within the next few days.

A. J. Smith on the J. G. Greaves ranch stated Sunday that the rabbits had eaten his early corn. The rains in that part of the country just got the crops started.

J. R. Petefish one of the Curry county farmers who lives north-west of Meirose was in Portales Saturday. He stated that the crops in the Clovis area looked

like they would do fairly well, especially where they were worked.

During the drought, the rabbits cut the largest cane down and ate it. They have already caused considerable damage to the crops in that part of the country.

Petefish did not feel that it was necessary for him to kill any of his cattle. He turned them in on the early corn and they are in fair shape.

D. E. Miller of the Blackwater draw remarked Saturday that the crops and grass need another good rain to keep them growing.

Jack Kirksey, one of the young farmers of the Arch community stated Saturday that the prospects for crops on the irrigated land was better than they were this time last year. The dry land crops have suffered a lot from the drought.

M. P. Spear of the Floyd community was satisfied with the way his crop was doing the last of last week.

Fred Stewart of the Bethel community was selling his this year's Irish potatoes Saturday. His other crops were satisfactory at that time.

Jim Anderson of Dallas, Texas arrived Saturday to visit his mother, Mrs. W. H. Anderson and his brothers, C. C. and R. D. and families.

Joe Rowland, whose ranch is about 25 miles south did not have any green grass Saturday. His range would have to have rain soon to make winter grass.

One of the Roosevelt county farmers stated Monday that the corn fodder cut after it is dry is dangerous to feed stock. He is basing his opinion on the effect that this kind of feed had on the cattle in Kansas and Missouri about 25 years ago during a time similar to this.

U. S. Frazee, one of the old timers of Roosevelt county was not very enthusiastic about his prospect for a crop the first of the week.

D. A. Gordon of the Floyd community was in Portales Monday morning getting repairs for his tractor. He is planting pinto beans. He has a good prospect for a crop at this time.

Loren Johnston of the Floyd community has 230 acres of good crop, if he can get some more rain. His early feed is heading.

J. H. Short of Richland stated Monday that this is not the first dry year he has had to go through. In 1917, and 1918 he did not cut a stalk of feed. The difference now and then lies in the fact that there are not as many good crops close by as there were then.

Mrs. C. C. Anderson and children returned Saturday from Lubbock, Texas, where they have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lydia. Her brother, Preston, and wife, accompanied them home.

Joe Raymond on Trip Thru East

Dean and Mrs. Floyd D. Golden received a letter from Joe Raymond this week describing his trip to Chicago, Niagara Falls, New York City and Toronto Canada.

By reading the letter one is led to believe that Joe does not have a paid fare. He refers to his work for his meals, the kindness of some people to give him rides, and the assurance to the Canadian immigration officers that he would not be a public charge.

He went into details to describe the sights of the world's fair that interested him most. He regarded the Hall of Science as the most important display of the fair. The New Mexico exhibit, as he stated, was not completed when he was there.

When Joe wrote his letter from Toronto, Ontario, he was contemplating the joy of being home again. Also, he was looking forward to his last year in the Portales high school.

Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Brough left Tuesday for Kansas City, Chicago and Iowa.

Hubert Hooper returned Tuesday from Lubbock.

Miss Estelle Johnson and Mrs. Gladys Morris and Kerry left Friday for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Phil Johnston at Alamogordo and Ruidoso.

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BETHEL

We had 155 in attendance at Sunday school last Sunday. Rev. Milton Little gave a fine message. The revival services have been attended by large crowds each evening and on Sunday night a large crowd was unable to get inside. Bro. Loris is preaching some wonderful sermons. There is special music every night which is given by members of the Christian church at Portales and also by members of Bethel Sunday school. There has been one conversion at this writing.

We had a good singing Sunday afternoon.

The Portales B. Y. P. U. postponed their program they planned for Sunday evening until September.

Sunday evening guests in the Ed Adams home were Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Dutton and family, and Miss Aaron.

Jo Ann Jones fell from the top of a milk house and injured her arm Monday. She also received other bruises.

Ona Little spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Carstun.

Ala Dutton spent Sunday evening with Bernice Anderson.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Ham were Mr. and Mrs. Clay Jones and sons, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Perkins and son, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Smith and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Rube Anderson entertained several guests Sunday in honor of their brother, Jim Anderson of Dallas, who is visiting relatives here. Those present besides the guest of honor were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Anderson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Lyda of Littlefield and Mrs. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stewart were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Milligan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Theiford and Rowena, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Collier and John, Mr. and Mrs. Evert Foster were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Foster and family Sunday.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Bilderback were Mr. and Mrs. Charley Howard and family and Mrs. John White of Portales.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow White and Mrs. John White visited in Bethel Sunday. We were glad to have them with us in Sunday school.

Zelma Wormington was a dinner guest of Doris Dutton Sunday. Leroy Stewart was a Sunday dinner guest in the A. C. Woodburn home.

Mr. Lonie Jones of Palestine, Texas, and Mrs. Tom Jones of Portales visited Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones and family Wednesday.

Mrs. Grace Miller and son and Miss Lela Grover of Friona, Tex., visited their father and uncle, P. M. and L. J. Groves last week.

Thursday evening of last week Mae Groves and son and Lewis Groves of Clovis called at the Groves home and enjoyed a chicken supper. They returned home taking their sisters, Mrs. Miller and Miss Lela Groves back with them.

Sprinkled a little in Bethel Sunday morning. We are hoping it rains.

COLLEGE HEAD ASKS AID FOR STUDENTS

Dear Friends of the College:

It is of vital importance that our enrollment in the fall term at the Eastern New Mexico Junior College reach the 200 mark. Visitors come daily to the college and signify their intention of enrolling this fall.

Approximately five letters come each day which signify the same intention. Transcripts of high school work are being sent by students who intend to enter this fall. In all of these contracts there is a crying need for work.

We are on the list for federal funds which can be used for aid to college students who were not in school last year. Some of the work at the college—stenography, library, and custodial will be done by students. Both of these methods are but a drop in the bucket for the total need.

May I make a plea to all citizens of the community to provide, if possible, some work for students? If you can use a girl for housework, or a boy to take care of the outside work, it will help somebody to go to college, and at the same time help the growth of the college. In many cases it will need to be done out of the generosity of your heart for you probably may not need the extra help around your home. I am hoping, however, that every citizen in business, or not in business, will make every effort to create extra work for students.

Most of the boys and girls are farm boys and girls and know how to work. They want an education. Will you help them, and the college?

Sincerely,

Donald William MacKay

OFFER COURSES AT COLLEGE IN LIBERAL ARTS

"The training of a secretary and the first two years in the training of a commercial teacher are much the same," said Dr. C. B. Wivel, head of the Commerce department of the Eastern New Mexico Junior College.

In consequence the courses in the Junior College will be typewriting, shorthand, office practice, bookkeeping, and accounting.

Background courses in liberal arts are also offered so that a student at the end of the two-year period can go into an office and be the kind of a secretary employers want.

They Have Moved

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lyons moved into the Otha Blanton house Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Westerman moved Monday to the Jack Norris house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lyons.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Heitman are occupying one of Mrs. Nettie Young's houses.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Slaton have moved to the house on State street where Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Westerman have been living.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Parrish are moving to the Hooker house. President and Mrs. Donald W. MacKay will move to the house where Parrishes have been living.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Sullins Jr. have moved to one of the McCall's apartments at 401 Montana.

TO HOLD DISTRICT COURT Judge Magee of Roswell will be here on Monday morning, August 13 to open district court at 10 a. m. All court cases on the docket will be heard at this time.

Marie Neer In Girl Scouts Camp

Marie Neer, Portales Girl Scout is in Camp Mary White, near Roswell for the second period which opened Sunday, July 29.

The camp was filled to capacity with more than 80 Girl Scouts and 24 student leaders in attendance. Misses Dorothea Sullivan and Mary L. White, of the national staff of Girl Scout organization will teach the leaders' classes.

Saturday, an "Old Timers Night" was held. Half the campers were women and sold their box lunches by letting the buyers select from their shadows. The girls stood behind a sheet with a light thrown on them, and cast grotesque shadows.

A spelling bee was one of the activities of the evening. Real old-time fiddlers played for square dancing.

COLLEGE COACH IS ATTENDING LUBBOCK TECH

Deward H. Reed, coach and director of health at the Eastern New Mexico Junior College, for the last five years in the Big Springs, Texas schools, is in attendance at the coaching school in Lubbock, Texas, during this week. He will arrive at the college about August 20, to get the equipment in shape for fall football.

D. H. Reed comes well qualified for the work in physical education and athletics. He is a graduate of Texas Tech, and the University of Colorado. He lettered in the major sports and has coached several successful high school aggregations in football and basketball.

RICHLAND HOME MAKERS CLUB

The Richland Home Makers club met Thursday, August 2, with Mrs. H. D. Fulton.

The subject of canning was discussed during the business meeting. Mrs. Frances Beeman gave an interesting demonstration on the making of hooked rugs.

Members present were Mesdames R. S. Sutton, Boyd Rice, F. E. Sutton, L. H. Faw, E. V. Talley, Frances Beeman, Tally Clark, J. B. Martin, Ed Martin and H. D. Fulton.

Guests were Mrs. T. N. Tucker, Misses Jessie Inglis, Opal Clark and Bessie Sutton.

Our next meeting will be with Mrs. F. B. Sutton Thursday, Aug. 8, in an all-day affair.

Local Happenings

Mrs. Mary Moore of Elida has a new Chevrolet pickup.

A. G. Ross has a new Chevrolet truck.

Mrs. Grant Gordon underwent an appendectomy Saturday night.

Roy Kincaid has a new Chevrolet.

John Stroud has bought a new Ford DeLux sedan.

Mrs. Mary Moore of Elida has a new Chevrolet pickup.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. McCasland left Saturday for Hugo, Okla., where they will sing in a revival.

Coach Brown was over from Lubbock for the week end. Mrs. Brown returned with him.

Brooks King of the United Dry Goods has been transferred to Big Springs, Texas.

Miss Beatrice Buchanan of Hereford, Texas, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Slaten.

George Bradford of Rogers has gone to Chicago to bring back two new Chevrolets.

Mr. and Mrs. Hooker were dinner guests of Mrs. L. E. Canon Monday. They left for Texas where they will spend some time.

Pete Rapcook, state chairman of the Progressive Republican party was here Tuesday to meet with the County Central Committee.

Mrs. Burl Johnson left Monday morning for market at Dallas. She was accompanied by Mrs. Wilma Trapp.

Misses Carolyn Bradley and Muriel Galloway returned Sunday from Albuquerque where they had been attending the university.

Mrs. W. B. Oldham and Adele and Mrs. C. J. Whitcomb and Wynema and Miss Rosamond Dean left Sunday morning for Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Yonchum left Sunday morning for a two weeks vacation to Colorado Springs, Denver, Manitou and Pikes Peak.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Compton, James and Benny and Mr. and Mrs. Byron Perry returned Sunday from a week's outing on the Rio Hondo near Taos.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lee and daughter of Kenna were shopping in Portales Monday.

Mrs. S. N. Hancock and Jaunita returned Sunday from Lubbock where Jaunita has been in the hospital following an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Sweetland and Mrs. Ethel Sturt spent the week end in Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Scott left Friday for their home in Skull Valley, Arizona, after a two weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Buchanan and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Deen.

Miss Lois McClain of Clovis visited Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Davidson this week.

Mrs. George Caler of Happy and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Caler of Las Cruces were visitors in the M. L. Carter and F. D. Galloway home.

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SOCIETY NOTES

FAMILY REUNION

D. E. Jordan of Wichita Falls, Mrs. J. A. Pollard and son Dee of Anson, Texas, and Mrs. J. C. Jones of Nevada, Texas, left last Thursday for their homes after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Jordan. They are brother and sister of Mr. Jordan.

METHODIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Methodist Missionary Society met at the church Thursday afternoon for a business meeting. Mrs. Marlow presided over the meeting.

Mrs. L. E. Canon was hostess and served refreshments after the meeting.

F. & P. W. CLUB

The Business and Professional Woman's club will meet with Mrs. Lurline Morrison Monday night instead of going to the sandhills as previously announced.

SWIMMING PARTY

Mrs. Willis Slaton gave a swimming party Friday afternoon commencing Miss Beatrice Buchanan house guest of Mrs. Woodrow Slaton. The group went to the old Country Club swimming pool, after a swim the party returned to Mrs. Slaton's home where refreshments were served on the lawn.

Guests were Misses Buchanan, Cornelia and Annie Maude Hunter, Helen and Mary Johnson, Nadine Brasell, and Mesdames Orval Slaton and Elmer Harp.

JUNIOR WOMAN'S CLUB

Members of the Junior Woman's club had a swimming party at the old Country Club swimming pool Monday evening. After the swim they had a picnic supper. Hostesses were Mesdames J. O. Bradford, Jimmie Cooper and Elmer Harp.

CONTRACT CLUB

Mrs. Bert Rawlins entertained the Contract club Monday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed J. Neer. Tables were arranged on the porch. Mrs. Rawlins served a cooling drink during the game and an ice course afterwards.

Mrs. J. J. Spires made high score for guests and Mrs. J. C. Compton high for members. Mrs. Cline Caperton made low for guests and Mrs. H. H. Buchanan low for members.

Those attending the party were Mesdames Lucille Cumble, Cline Caperton, Ray Bonner, Marion Stinnett, K. J. Brough, J. H. Morgan, N. F. Baker of Center Point, Texas, J. J. Spires, Wm. LeMaster, J. C. Compton, Byron Perry of Perryton, Texas, P. E. Jordan, A. D. Ribble, H. H. Buchanan and E. R. Black.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Parrish left Wednesday for an extended visit in Las Cruces and El Paso.

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Heavy Hens . . . 6c
Light Hens . . . 4c
Heavy Spring
Fryers . . . 13c

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Fryers . . . 11c

Cox . . . 2c
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Green Hides . . . 1 1/2c
Eggs,
Candle . . . 11c & 13c

Separator Oil for All Makes
Separators.

Big Prizes Offered By Tri-State Fair

AMARILLO, Aug. 2.—Despite the drought, the Tri-State Fair this year is offering and guaranteeing more than \$15,000 in cash prizes.

"There will be no discounting and every cash premium advertised will be paid in full," said Wilbur C. Hawk, back in his old position as president of the fair association.

O. L. "Ted" Taylor also is back on the job as secretary-manager of the fair association.

Catalogues Ready
The 1934 catalogue of the free gate attraction now is ready for distribution. Copies of the catalogue, listing lists of premiums and several new divisions, will be mailed upon request in writing to Mr. Taylor, box 2454.

Both the president and secretary-manager have had years of experience in building the Tri-State Fair into the largest attraction of its kind in the Southwest.

The Tri-State Fair this year as usual will feature a free gate. It will begin on Saturday, September 15, and end on the following Saturday, September 22.

Horse Races Daily
There will be horse races for seven days with legalized wagering.

The fair association has spent thousands of dollars in improving and enlarging its racing plant.

The Sam B. Dill and Tom Mix circus will be another big attraction.

There will be a clean carnival company, with seasonal rides and many other features.

The cattle division of the fair will be enlarged this year, according to Secretary-Manager Taylor who said \$5,000 will be offered in prizes exclusively in the Hereford class.

BIRTHDAY HONORED
Monday, August 6 was Mr. Wess Middleton's birthday, and his wife did honor to the day by inviting a few of their friends to their home to share the delicious dinner which she spread at noon.

Mrs. C. L. Height cooked the large white, beautiful cake for the day, which bore 41 white candles, and the words "Happy Birthday" in pink letters.

Mr. Middleton was the recipient of several nice gifts, including a large beautiful bouquet of gladiolas from Mrs. Jim Owens, a beautiful and a lovely bouquet from Mrs. Height.

The day was happily spent in visiting, the only thing to mar the day was the absence of Wess' twin brother, Jesse, who lives in Nugent, Texas, and was unable to visit his brother at this time.

Those enjoying the day with Mr. and Mrs. Middleton and children Joe and Pearl, were Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Ray, Mr. and Mrs. C. L.



O. L. "TED" TAYLOR

"Short Horns of milk stock will be exhibited this year for the first time, too, and there will be an exhibit of Jerseys," said Taylor.

For the swine division the fair association has set aside \$2,000 in cash premiums.

Prizes in all other divisions are equally liberal.

The automobile building will be jammed with the latest models for a motor show during the fair.

With liberal prizes fine displays are assured for each of the exhibition buildings.

Height, Mrs. J. L. Gilliam from Raton, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hollis and children Junior and Dicky Mae Kinard.

The hostess served delicious ice cream and cake to her guests in the afternoon, and all departed believing it a day well spent.

—Contributed.

BRIDGE BREAKFAST
Mrs. N. T. Watson entertained

with a bridge breakfast at her country home six miles west of town Wednesday and Thursday morning. Bowls of summer flowers were placed about the room. Bud vases were used for center pieces on the tables during the two-course breakfast.

On Wednesday contract was the diversion of the morning and on Thursday auction bridge was played.

Those attending the breakfast Wednesday were Mesdames Ray Bonner, A. D. Ribble, E. N. Neer, J. H. Morgan, H. H. Buchanan, J. C. Compton, Gordon Lyons, Turner Hensley, Charles Horne, E. L. Wright, William LeMaster, W. W. King, Bert Rawlins, Eyrone Perry and Miss Sybil Lyons.

Guests this morning were Mesdames Marion Stinnett, J. G. Greaves, J. E. Camp, J. B. Priddy, Ike Hughes, Ray Snelson, E. R. Black, J. J. Spires, Luther Thomas, Thelma Mersfelder, Cline Caperton, Sidney Stone, Jay Stone, Arthur Jones, C. V. Harris, N. F. Wollard, E. T. Hensley, T. E. Mears, N. F. Baker of Center Point, Texas, Lucille Cumble and Miss Mary Alice Walton and Miss Lillian Harris of Forney, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam H. Batton and daughters of Littlefield were over Wednesday and Thursday visiting friends and attending Hefner's comedians. Nettie Belle remained to visit until Sunday.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS ON MAIN AND COLORADO STREETS:
At a meeting of the City Council Tuesday, August 7, the matter of paving with Caliche on the above named streets was gone into with the view of beginning grading at once. But we find there are several lots on the above blocks that have not agreed to meet the cost of crushing caliche, and as the City has undertaken to have as good paving as is possible to be made from Caliche, and the City, not having any fund from which to pay the cost, this has been placed on the owner of property on those streets.

We had to pass up those streets and move over to Nevada street, but will be glad to have you own-

ers take some interest in the matter and if you can arrange promptly to meet the crushing cost, we will be glad to return to your streets. But if we are working on those streets that have paid, we will have to wait until that work is completed.

The cost is very small, when you think of those who have had to pay from \$300 to \$1,000 dollars for the paving fronting them, it seems one would grasp the opportunity to have their street placed on grade and covered with caliche at the very nominal cost of crushing.

R. G. Bryant, Mayor.

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36 inch Nu Tone Prints.
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Large size Rubber
Aprons. 2 for
49c

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Men's Silk Lined Ties.
2 for
49c

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Men's athletic Union
Suits. Full cut.
49c

Pillow Cases
42x36 Pillow Cases
4 for
49c

Canvas Gloves
A real value in canvas
gloves. 5 pair for
49c

Dress Socks
Men's fancy Rayon Dress
Socks. 5 pair for
49c

DRESS SHIRTS
Men's Broadcloth Dress Shirts. Fast
color, plains and fancies, each—
63c

House Slippers
Men's and Ladies' Felt
House Slippers, pair
49c

Polo Shirts
Boys' Rayon Polo Shirts.
Close out at, each
49c

Fall Caps
Boys' and Men's new
Fall Caps, each
49c

Play Suits
Children's Play Suits. In
Hickory stripe and covert
49c

Work Shirts
Men's Coat style work
shirts. Size 14 1/2 to 18.
49c

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Virgil Goswick Shot Near Bluit

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21. He had forgotten the name of the people whose home the dance was given in.

This trouble started, he said, after "Boots" had complained to him, that he, Goswick, had whipped him at a dance about a week before. Goswick denied that he had anything to do with the fight. "Boots" is alleged to have drawn a knife on Goswick at this instance, and Goswick's friends took him, Goswick, back into the house.

After District Attorney J. C. Compton explained the state's evidence and Attorney C. J. Pendergraft explained the defendant's evidence, Jennings Inman was set free. However, "Boots" Inman was bound over for further investigation of the grand jury. His bond was fixed at \$350. He made bond immediately.

Shooting Saturday Night

There is no evidence concerning the shooting except what Goswick gave in the examining trial of Boots and Jennings Inman. However, the best information that can be obtained is that the shooting grew out of the trouble that "Boots" Inman had on the night of July 21.

"Boots" Interviewed

"Boots" Inman was interviewed by a representative of the News following the examining trial. He stated he had no statements to make.

Due to Goswick's condition, the nurse at the Brassell Hospital felt that it was useless to interview him at that time.

Mrs. G. F. Criswell, at whose home the shooting occurred last Saturday night stated that she was surprised when she heard shots. The dance, according to Mrs. Criswell, seemed to be going on nicely and every one was having a good time.

She stated further that both parties were good friends of the Criswells.

News Carries First Authentic Oil Story

In this issue of the Portales Valley News will be found the first authentic story of the Claudell oil well. The News has had this information for several months, but has refrained from releasing it at the request of the operators, who desired to get everything in readiness before it was given any publicity. This story was released this week, and no other paper in the state has the accurate information carried by The News.

The News will keep the public posted on the developments of this test, and hopes to announce the greatest gusher in the state before snow flies.

If developments justify, the News is equipped and prepared to go to a daily on 24-hours notice.

BOULDINS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Bouldin were in Portales Monday and Tuesday visiting their little daughter Betty Joyce and Mr. and Mrs. Bouldin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Ballow, and getting supplies for their sheep ranch on the Pecos river.

Morris stated that his sheep were doing remarkably well considering the drought. "The salt grass on the river has certainly been a life saver for my sheep," he stated. The river has been practically dry for 60 days. Stockmen are having to dig holes in the river bed to make watering places. Mr. Bouldin is another sheepman who is having to hold his crop of wool.

Use News Want-Ads for results.

PORTALES MARKETS Wednesday

Heavy Hens	11c
Light Hens	10c
Fryers	11c & 13c
Stags	10c
Turkeys	8c
Roosters	2c
Eggs	10c
Cream, No. 1	21c
Cream, No. 2	19c
No. 3, no market	
Hides	1 1/2 to 4c

McCall's Produce

ORDINANCE NO. 122.

An Ordinance relating to Sanitary and Health regulations within the City of Portales, New Mexico, and repealing Ordinance No. Forty-six (46), and Section six (6) of Ordinance No. Nine (9), of the Ordinance of said City.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Portales, New Mexico.

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to maintain any slaughter house or other place for the slaughter of animals within the corporate limits of the City of Portales, New Mexico.

Section 2. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to keep or permit to be kept on or about his or her premises situate within the following bounded areas any hog or hogs, pig or pigs, in pens, inclosures or otherwise, and such areas are hereby specifically designated and set out as follows, to-wit:

(A) All of the Original Townsite of the City of Portales.

(B) That portion of the School Addition to the City of Portales lying north of Oldham Street within the corporate limits of the City of Portales.

(C) That portion of the Leach Addition to the City of Portales lying south of Oldham Street and including Blocks One (1) to Five (5), inclusive within the corporate limits of the City of Portales.

(D) That portion of the East Portales Addition to the City of Portales lying south of East Fulton Street within the corporate limits of the City of Portales.

(E) That portion of the Morrison Addition to the City of Portales lying south of East Fulton Street within the corporate limits of the City of Portales.

(F) Blocks Twenty-two (22) and Twenty-three (23) of the Bogard Addition to the City of Portales.

(G) That portion of the Crosby Addition to the City of Portales lying south of the A. T. & S. F. Ry. tracks within the corporate limits of the City of Portales.

(H) That portion of the Wood Addition to the City of Portales lying south of the A. T. & S. F. Ry. tracks within the corporate limits of the City of Portales.

Section 3. Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction therefor, shall be fined not less than ten nor more than fifty dollars, or punished by imprisonment for not less than ten nor more than thirty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court trying the case.

Section 4. This ordinance repeals Ordinance No. Forty-six and Section Six (6), of Ordinance No. Nine (9), of the ordinances of the City of Portales, and all other ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 5. This ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure on the ground of urgent public need, and therefore immediately upon its final passage, shall be recorded in the book of ordinances of said City kept for that purpose, authenticated by the signature of the Mayor and City Clerk, and shall be in force and effect from and after five (5) days after its publication.

Passed, adopted, signed and approved this 7th day of August, A. D. 1934.

R. G. BRYANT, Mayor.

(Seal)
ATTEST:
J. CLINT FAIRLY,
City Clerk.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC
Notice is hereby given that the City Council at its regular meeting held June 5th, 1934, designated for fifteen-minute parking between the hours of 10:00 a. m. and 4:00 p. m., that portion on the SE side of State Street from the SW line of the Post Office NE to the front of the First National Bank. By order of the City Council.

Mrs. N. T. Watson returned Saturday from a visit with relatives in Colorado.

ODD THINGS AND NEW—By Lane Bode



Want Ads

SEE ME WHEN YOU HAVE beans and onions to sell. J. H. BRESHEARS & SON. 39-4tc

FOR SALE: BEETS, RHUBARB and strawberries. Free recipe for rhubarb cocktail with each \$1.00 purchase. J. D. STORK, Portales, New Mexico. 38-4tc

FOR SALE—Model T Ford pickup truck and team of horses. Also have 12 milch cows that would let to right party. Milk for part of cream. Inquire at McCall Produce.

REPOSSESSED BALDWIN Grand, also small bungalow piano, at a real bargain. Will sacrifice rather than ship. Also used pianos from \$40 up. Write Finance Department, The Baldwin Piano Company, 1636 California Street, Denver, Colorado. 39-3tc

WANT MAN AND WIFE: WORK on ranch, woman cook for two to four hands; man herd sheep and anything that is to do. Permanent. No children. P. E. JORDAN. 42-1tc

FOR SALE OR TRADE: FAIRBANKS-Morris three horse pump jack and engine. GRAHAM RIBBLE. 42-1tp

FOR SALE: SWEET POTATO crates. J. A. SANDERS, one and one-half miles southwest of Portales. 42-4tp

FOR SALE: FEW LARGE JAU-nita plums, also grapes. J. A. SANDERS, one and one-half miles southwest of Portales. 42-4tp

LOST: WHITE GOLD ELGIN ladies wrist watch on the court house lawn or in the United Dry Goods store Saturday afternoon. Return to News office and receive reward. 42-1tp

WANTED FOR CASH: ABOUT 20 acres of good irrigatable land near Portales; improved preferred. Address E. W. McFARLAND, 720 Hinkle Street, Clovis, New Mexico. 42-1tp

FOR SALE: GRAPES AND RHUBARB, 25 pounds for \$1.00; beets \$1.00 per bushel, at Model Farm. E. B. SIDDALL, northeast of Portales. 42-2tc

FOR SALE: SEVERAL KINDS OF Grapes. Garden Truck one mile south, one-half mile east of cemetery. Valley View Farm, W. E. REYNOLDS, Portales. 42-2tp

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ORDINANCE NO. 123

An Ordinance to regulate public dances within the City of Portales, New Mexico, repealing Ordinance No. 113, of the Ordinance of the said City of Portales.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PORTALES, NEW MEXICO.

Section 1. No person, persons, company or association shall allow or permit on their premises, or premises under their control within the corporate limits of the City of Portales, New Mexico, any place where any public dance or dancing is had or engaged in, where in any charge is made or accepted, or dues paid, directly or indirectly, for the privilege of attending thereat, without first having made application for and obtaining a permit from the City of Portales. Provided, nothing in this ordinance shall prevent dancing in private residences, not held for profit, nor dancing in public places where the revenue derived therefrom is applied to charitable purposes only.

Section 2. Upon making application for a permit to operate or hold a public dance within the corporate limits of the City of Portales, the person, persons, company or association applying shall present with the application for a permit a fee of ten (\$10.00) dollars for each day such dance is to be operated or held; provided, that the applicant may, upon proper showing that the public dance is to be operated or held for charitable purposes only, receive a permit without having to pay the fee therefor, but in all instances it shall be necessary to apply for and receive a permit before operating or holding a public dance within the corporate limits of the said City.

Section 3. Anyone violating any of the provisions of the foregoing ordinance shall be punished by a fine of not less than twenty-five (\$25.00) Dollars nor more than fifty (\$50.00) Dollars for each offense, and each day of any such violation shall be deemed a separate offense.

Section 4. That ordinance No. 113, and all other ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 5. This ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure on the ground of urgent public need and therefore, immediately upon its final passage, shall be recorded in the book of ordinances of said City kept for that purpose, authenticated by the signatures of the Mayor and the City Clerk shall be published in the Portales Valley News, the official newspaper of said City, and shall be in full force and effect.

feet five days after such publication.

PASSED, ADOPTED, SIGNED AND APPROVED this 7th day of August, A. D. 1934.

R. G. BRYANT, Mayor
(Seal)
ATTEST:
J. CLINT FAIRLY,
City Clerk.

Miss Lois McClain of Clovis visited Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Davidson this week.

REVIVAL AT ROGERS

Hutton E. Gist, who has previously held a series of preaching services in the Causey and Dora communities, will begin a meeting at Rogers Wednesday night, August 15, in the school house auditorium. Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services.

Mrs. W. F. Shaw and Lenore and Francis went to Weatherford Saturday for a visit with Mr. Shaw's brother.

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White mesh and drill. Just what you need now.

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Tennis Shoes
Heavy sturdy tennis shoe. New rubber. Only

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Silk Hose
Ladies' pure silk, full fashion. A real value.

69c

Work Pants
Men's heavy blue denim, the better made pant.

\$1 10

Dress Shirts
One table men's shirts Regular \$1.29 value

98c

Ladies' Shoes
1 table of white pumps and oxfords. \$2.98 value

\$1 79

Silk Crepe
1 table of silk crepes. Must be closed out.

49c

Under Shirts
Men's flat knit. Must be closed out.

15c

Wash Frocks
One rack of wash dresses—values to \$1.49—now

79c

Ladies' Shoes
1 group of Ladies' Shoes, pumps, oxfords. Black.

\$1 98

Lingerie
Rayon step-in and panties. New Carioca style.

25c

Coveralls
Boys' hickory striped. Good quality.

55c

Shirts & Shorts
Men's broadcloth shorts and ribbed shirts.

25c

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PUBLIC HEALTH

Conducted by Dr. J. R. Earp
Director, New Mexico Bureau of
Public Health.

ALCOHOL AND THE MIND

In the year 1934 a statistical study was made of all patients who were admitted during the previous year to mental hospitals for their first attack of mental disorder on account of alcohol. There were 2,633 such patients and 1,963 almost three quarters of them, were between 30 and 55 years of age. To lose the use of one's mind at any age is tragic enough but to lose it in the full maturity of physical and intellectual life is a social as well as a personal tragedy.

These patients had been drinking heavily for a number of years. In many cases the health of the body had also been affected, the most common complaint being inflammation of the stomach. Several kinds of mental disorder are found among these patients. Some loss of control of their emotions; they become disgruntled and easily angered, or facetious, careless and improvident. Others imagine enemies among their neighbors, become jealous without cause, a prey to fears that are unfounded. Others again are delirious, see creatures and hear voices that do not really exist.

But before there is such loss of contact with the real world as can be certified as insanity there are signs from which the wise may take warning: dependence on drink to avoid discomfort; perpetual need for a "stimulant"; a desire to escape from the difficulties of life; broken sleep disturbed by dreams; tremor and diffidence. All these may come from drinking alcohol, may be temporarily dispelled by drinking more alcohol in a vicious circle. The circle can be broken but only under conditions of helpful discipline. Such conditions can rarely be provided outside of a special institution.

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MT. ZION

Our meeting, conducted by Rev. J. L. King of Wellington, Texas, closed last Thursday night. We had 27 additions to the church. Had a good attendance at Sunday school Sunday. Rev. Crabtree delivered a very interesting sermon at the 11 o'clock hour. Next Sunday is the day set for the election of Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. officers. Bro. Dewberry of Dora will speak next Sunday.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Capps Saturday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Barnett Gilliam and children; Mrs. G. W. Lackey and children; Bruce and Myrtle; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sproles and Mary Lois Sproles; Mrs. S. S. Houk, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Harris, Irene Boyd and Mary Frances Royd.

Floyd Bibby spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Littlejohn and sons, Arthur and Melvin.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Armstrong of Hot Springs, New Mexico, were guests of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lott, Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. G. W. Lackey and children Bruce and Myrtle, arrived Saturday evening from Borger, Texas.

Bruce returned home Sunday, but Mr. Lackey and Myrtle will remain here two or three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Ray and daughter, Lola May spent Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Furgeson of Portales.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lott and children, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Welys and Mr. and Mrs. Cal and children were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Littlejohn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Houk and children, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Smith and Mary Lois Sproles were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Harris Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Sproles were guests of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Harris at Rogers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stamford De Priest and daughter, Roma Joyce, spent Tuesday night and Wednesday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Sproles.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Carlson of Cranfill's Gap, Texas, and daughter Mrs. Orinda Carlson of Fort Worth, Texas, are spending several days with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Roberts and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Carlson and Miss Orinda Carlson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Perdon at Portales Sunday and Monday they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roberts.

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Legal Notice

LEGAL NOTICE
State of New Mexico, County of
Roosevelt. In the District Court.
No. 3009.

J. A. Chapman, plaintiff, vs. J. H. Breshars, et al. defendants. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a decree foreclosing a certain mortgage deed entered in the above entitled cause June 4, 1934, in favor of plaintiff and against defendants, the undersigned Special Master will, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. on Sept. 3, 1934, at the NE front door of the county courthouse of Roosevelt Co., N. M., sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, that real estate situated in Roosevelt Co., N. M., described as follows: "SE 1/4, SE 1/4, Sec. 30, Twp. 1 S. R. 35 East, N. M. M. with all improvements thereon." This sale being made to satisfy certain adjudged indebtedness, amounting to the aggregate sum of \$1700.25 at date of sale, and costs of suit and this sale to be taxed. Dated July 25, 1934.

C. J. SPARKS,
Special Master.
July 26-August 16-means

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT
In the Probate Court of Roosevelt Co., N. M. No. 434.
In the Matter of the Estate of J. O. Benson, deceased.

To Lou Benson, and all unknown heirs of J. O. Benson, deceased, and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in or to the estate of said decedent: You are hereby notified that Lou Benson, administratrix of the estate of J. O. Benson, deceased, has filed her final account, report and petition for discharge, as such, and the court has appointed Aug. 20, 1934 at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. as the day and time for hearing objections, if any, to the approval of said final account, report, and discharge of said administratrix, and at the same time said court will proceed to determine the heirship of decedent, the ownership of said estate, the interest of each respective claimant therein and there-to (and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof. T. E. Mears, whose business and P. O. address is Portales, N. M. is attorney for said administratrix. Witness my hand and seal of said court this July 25, 1934.

MRS. PAUL E. MORRISON,
County Clerk.
(Seal)
July 26-August 16-means.

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Special Master of Court to sell the property herein described by an order of the District Court of Roosevelt County, N. M., made in a final decree entered on the 8th day of May, 1934, in Cause No. 2954, where in Dr. W. M. Brown was plaintiff, and Charles M. Stobb, et al. were defendants, said final decree being for a judgment against the defendants, and for the foreclosure of a mortgage deed on the following described property located in Roosevelt County, N. M., to-wit:

E 1/2 Sec. 9, Twp. 7 S, Rn. 32 E, N. M. M.
Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that I, Fred C. Tharp, pursuant to said appointment contained in said final decree, and the order of sale therein, will, on the 14th day of August, 1934, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, offer for sale and sell at public auction, to the

LEGAL NOTICE
State of New Mexico, County of Roosevelt. In the District Court.
No. 3013.

Gladys Stone, Executrix of the estate of Lula Stone, deceased, Plaintiff, vs. John M. Bradley, et al. Defendants.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a decree foreclosing a certain mortgage deed entered in the above entitled cause June 4, 1934, in favor of plaintiff and against defendants, the undersigned Special Master will, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. on Sept. 3, 1934, at the NE front door of the county courthouse of Roosevelt Co., N. M., sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, that real estate situated in Roosevelt Co., N. M., described as follows: "NE 1/4, SE 1/4, Sec. 22, Twp. 1 S. R. 34 East, N. M. M. with all improvements thereon." This sale being made to satisfy certain adjudged indebtedness, amounting to the aggregate sum of \$2460.91 at date of sale, plus delinquent taxes and costs of suit and this sale to be taxed. Aug. 1, 1934.

LUCILE HARRINGTON,
Special Master.
aug2-aug23means

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE
SALE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Special Master of Court, to sell the property hereinafter described by order of the District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, in the final decree rendered by said Court on the 9th day of June, 1934, in case number 3008, where in Henry Beebe is plaintiff, and Ike Hughes, Della Hughes, Jim Greene, Leslie Greene, J. T. Perryman, Jr., Gladys O. Perryman, E. G. Lewis, Susan P. Lewis, H. E. Marsh, T. C. Wildman and C. P. Watson, are defendants; said final decree being a judgment in the first cause of action for the foreclosure of a mortgage deed executed by the said Ike Hughes and Della Hughes, husband and wife, to The Union Mortgage Company of Clovis, New Mexico, a corporation, and assigned to plaintiff, and said mortgage deed being decreed a first, prior and paramount lien to the rights, title, claim and interest of said defendants and each and all of them; and said mortgage deed covering the following described property and real estate, situated lying and being in Roosevelt County, State of New Mexico to-wit:

The East 1/2 of Section 1, Township 3 South, Range 34, East, N. M. Meridian, New Mexico; and said final decree being a judgment in the second cause of action for the foreclosure of mortgage deed executed by the said Ike Hughes and Della Hughes, husband and wife, unto G. G. Castleberry and M. H. Starnes, and said mortgage deed thereafter being assigned to plaintiff, and the last mentioned mortgage deed being decreed a second mortgage, subject only to plaintiff's said first mortgage, and the said second mortgage covering the above described land.

NOW THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that I, J. G. Whitson, pursuant to said appointment, obtained in said final decree, an order of sale thereof, will, on the 11th day of September, 1934, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the Roosevelt county courthouse at Portales, New Mexico, all of the above described real estate and premises; and will apply the proceeds of said sale to the satisfaction of said judgment in said first and second causes of action, interest and cost of suit, as none of the amounts found due have been paid, and which said judgment, exclusive of the cost at the time of sale in first cause of action, will amount to \$2381.90, and in the second cause of action, exclusive of cost at the time of sale to \$839.98, thereby totaling, exclusive of cost at the time of sale, the aggregate sum of \$3221.88.

J. G. WHITSON,
Special Master.
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highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the Roosevelt County Court House in Portales, New Mexico, all of the above described real estate and will apply the proceeds of said sale to the payment of said judgment, interest, and costs of suit, which judgment and interest to the date of sale amount to \$1190.19.

Dated July 17, 1934.
FRED C. THARP,
Special Master.
July 19-August 9-smith

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT

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In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico.
In the Matter of the Estate of J. P. Graham, deceased.

To B. N. Graham, Joe B. Graham, George A. London, Howard A. London, Jennie Lee London, Robert Ona Bogner, Nova Elna London, all unknown heirs of J. P. Graham, deceased and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in or to the estate of said decedent: You are hereby notified that J. B. Graham, administrator of the estate of J. P. Graham, deceased, has filed his final account, report, and petition for discharge, as such, and the court has fixed August 30, 1934, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M. as the time for hearing objections, if any, to the approval of said final account and the discharge of said administrator, and at the same time, said court will proceed to determine the heirship of decedent, the ownership of his estate, the interest of each respective claimant thereto and therein and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof. T. E. Mears, whose P. O. address is Portales, N. M. is attorney for said administrator.

Given under my hand and seal of said court this July 19, 1934.
MRS. PAUL E. MORRISON,
County Clerk
(Seal)
July 19-August 9-means

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
Department of the Interior
General Land Office at Santa Fe,
New Mexico

Notice is hereby given that Henry T. Bowen of Melrose, N. M., who, on May 8th, 1930, made homestead entry additional, No. 059836 for SW 1/4 Section 21, Township 2N, Range 32E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before U. S. Commissioner, at Portales N. M., on the 14th day of August, 1934.

Claimant names as witnesses:
L. Sollman, R. M. Jones, Buster Degraffenreid and Mrs. Ida G. Wall, all of Melrose, N. M.
M. F. Miera,
Register.
July 12-aug9

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Last Will and Testament of William O. Summers, deceased, was proved in the County of Bexar, State of Texas, and the same, together with the proceedings thereof, have been produced and proved in the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, and the undersigned were appointed Executors by the Probate Judge of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, on the 21st day of July, 1934, and that Letters Testamentary have been issued to them; that all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are hereby notified to present the same within the time and in the manner prescribed by law, or the same will be forever barred; that the address of said Executors is San Antonio, Texas, to which all process may be mailed.

J. C. Compton of Portales, New Mexico, attorney for Executors.
Minnie Summers,
aug2-aug23 Theo Summers,
Jcc.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, N. M., No. 598.
In the Matter of the Estate of James F. Keller, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on July 14, 1934, appointed administrator of the estate of James F. Keller, deceased, by the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, N. M., and having duly qualified as such, all persons having any claims against the estate of decedent, are hereby notified and required to present same to the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law. July 16, 1934.

THOMAS J. KELLER,
Administrator.
July 19-August 9-jk

NOTICE OF SUIT PENDING

The State of New Mexico to the defendants, Ida Frampton, impleaded with the following named defendants, against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: said Ida Frampton, Ronald Frampton, Richard Frampton, the unknown heirs of Oliver B. Frampton, deceased, and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to the plaintiffs, defendants, Greeting: Said defendants are hereby notified that a suit has been commenced against them in the District Court of Roosevelt County, N. M., by A. C. Youngblood and Lorie E. Youngblood, plaintiffs against said defendants, being No. 3037 on the civil docket of said court; the objects of which are to obtain a decree of said court quieting the title of plaintiffs in and to the NE 1/4 of Sec. 11 in Twp. 2 S. R. 33 East N. M. M. in Roosevelt County, N. M., against defendants, and to bar and estop defendants and anyone claiming by, under or through them, from having or claiming any right, title, interest, estate, or lien, in, to, or upon said lands and premises, adverse to the estate of plaintiffs therein; except the mortgage lien of said Ida Frampton, and for general relief. Defendants are further notified that unless they enter their appearance in said cause on or by August 30th, 1934, judgment will be rendered against them by default and plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief demanded in their complaint. T. E. Mears, Portales, N. M., is attorney for plaintiffs.

Given under my hand and seal of said court this July 13th, 1934.
(Seal) MRS. PAUL E. MORRISON,
County Clerk.
July 19-August 9-tem

NOTICE

In The Probate Court, Roosevelt County, State of New Mexico
THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO
To J. H. Pierce, Mary Wilson, Mahala Hahn, Ellen Westlake and all unknown heirs of said decedent and all unknown persons claiming any lien upon or right, title or interest in, or to the estate of said decedent, GREETING:

Notice is hereby given that A. L. Hahn, Administrator of the estate of Josie L. Beeman, deceased, has filed his final report in said cause, with petition for discharge, and the 13th day of August, 1934, at the hour of ten o'clock, A. M. has been the day fixed by the Court for the hearing of said final report and accounting, and as the day to determine the heirship of said decedent, the ownership of her estate and the interest of each respective claimant thereto or therein and the persons entitled to the distribution thereof; and a final settlement of said estate.

THEREFORE, any person or creditor, or other person interested in said estate, may on or before the date above said file objections thereto, or to any particular item therein, and the same will be heard and determined by the Court, together with said final report.

C. J. Pendergraft, Portales, N. M., is attorney for the administrator. Given under my hand and official seal this 13th day of July, 1934.

MRS. PAUL E. MORRISON,
County Clerk.
July 19-August 9-cjp

NOTICE

In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of J. R. Hatfield, deceased, No. 596.

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico.
To Martha A. Hatfield, Clara A. McDonald, Theda May Campbell, and Joseph Albert Hatfield, and to whom it may concern: You are hereby notified that the alleged Last Will and Testament of J. R. Hatfield, deceased, was produced and read in the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico on July 9th, 1934, and the day of proving said Last Will and Testament was thereupon fixed by the court on August 6th, 1934, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. of said day.

Given under my hand and seal of said court this July 9th, 1934.
Mrs. Paul E. Morrison,
County Clerk.
July 12-August 2-means

Mrs. C. A. Berry and sons Mack and Marion, of Tucuman, spent Tuesday night with Rev. and Mrs. J. Griffin Chapman.

Begin Revival at Church of Christ On August 12th

Sunday, August 12, the summer meeting begins at the Pine Street Church of Christ. Elder Clarence C. Morgan of Clovis will do the preaching and the song service will be in charge of Mr. T. L. Lunsford, also of Clovis.

Evening services will begin at 8 o'clock and be in the open air by the side of the church building.

Day services will be at 10 o'clock in the building. Seats with backs will be provided.

Preparation is being made to seat large crowds. Elder Morgan is well known here. He held a meeting for the local church two years ago; also, he has been heard daily over station KICA for the past eight months.

The public is invited to attend these services. The meeting will continue for two weeks.

C. A. Buchanan, Minister.

FLOYD HOME MAKERS CLUB

The Floyd Home Makers club met with Mrs. Torren Johnson Friday, July 20. Six members and several visitors were present. Quitting was the order of the day.

On account of the Baptist meeting which is to begin Sunday, Aug. 5, the club omitted the next meeting. But will meet with Mrs. Percy Jones on Friday, Aug. 24.

East Valley View

The club women of this community returned home from their trip to the mountains Friday evening.

The Camp brothers of Friona, Texas, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lovern Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Long and Mr. and Mrs. Fisher were Clovis visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson from Bovina, Texas, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Wilson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Miller visited with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lovern Saturday.

Mrs. Ralph Smith was an afternoon visitor of Mrs. Milton Wilson Monday.

Walter Lovern Jr. spent Saturday night with the Roger brothers. Edgar Smith, Alton Warren and Bernard Nelson visited with Dale Smith Thursday evening.

Miss Ethel Newberry of Los Angeles, Calif., has returned for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. C. M. Setser returned Friday from Chicago where she has been visiting and sight-seeing for the last two weeks. She visited her daughter, Mrs. Algie Newman and twin daughters. The twins returned home with her for a visit.

NOTICE

Meeting of Library Board Saturday at 5 p. m.

MISS THOMSON OF SHANGHAI ON TOUR

Visits Neers While En Route On Return Trip

Miss Lillian Thomson who is librarian for the Shanghai college, located at Shanghai, China, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed J. Neer last Saturday and Sunday. She was on her way to San Francisco, Calif., to return to her work.

Miss Thomson has been in China for 18 years. She was a teacher when she first went there.

Miss Thomson and the Neers are old friends. She visited them 20 years ago. She says that it is hard for one to notice the improvements in Portales. She stated that there has been some wonderful improvements in Portales since she visited here last.

EAST VALLEY VIEW HOME MAKERS CLUB

East Valley View Home Makers believe in the old adage—"all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy." So Tuesday morning each filled a box from her pantry and with blanket, pillow and leaving instructions for hubby and the children, she was ready to leave work behind.

Mr. Burrous' large truck was made comfortable with springs and cushion and no pullman car could afford more comfort. A 10-gallon can of ice water occupied a conspicuous corner in the car.

The first stop was Roswell where the club treasurer laid in a supply of bread; the next stop was at Beautiful Riverside camp. The private car and the great outdoors was the setting for the first slumber party, which was a huge success. Wednesday morning the car moved on up the Hondo Valley. Not too fast lest we miss a peach tree and the president and secretary promised a bushel of peaches as the first treat.

Arrangements for camp was made ahead by our president, so we were soon located on the Rio Grande river under the singing pines and all the comforts and conveniences of a palace was ours.

Each meal was a feast and the supply bountiful. Several side trips were enjoyed also, the evening concert Friday morning at 9 a. m.; the party started home.

Each member expressed appreciation for one of the very happiest vacations and we wonder if the pantries in East Valley View will not receive a few extra jars of food in anticipation of another similar vacation.

To our president, Mrs. Geo. Davis and secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Homer Miller, we owe much for making this trip possible and to those who could not go but contributed to our pleasure we take this means of expressing our thanks.

The following enjoyed the trip: Mesdames Davis, Miller, Drinkard, Heckman, Finn, Walker, Porch, Hull, Westfall, Robinson, Phillips, Blivens, Parker and Misses Helen Lovern and Mary Francis Porch.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

The revival at the Assembly of God church on Southeast Nevada street closed last Sunday night. There were a number won for the Lord, and we believe the Assembly was encouraged.

Prayer meeting Thursday, 7:45. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Morning worship 11 a. m. Evening services 7:45 p. m.

We invite all to attend and worship with us. You will find a warm and friendly welcome.

D. Z. Little, Pastor.



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Some day it will be your responsibility to arrange for the last services to a departed dear one. Your task will be easier and more completely fulfilled if you take time now to learn of the excellence and completeness of the services we offer. Our name has been built on the satisfaction, in price and in service, given in the hour of need.

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Political Announcements

Democratic Nominees.

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A. C. WOODBURN.

For County Treasurer:

HOMER BARNETT.

(For Re-Election).

For County Clerk:

MRS. PAUL E. MORRISON

(For Re-Election)

Probate Judge:

J. HARVE BAKER

(For Re-Election).

For Commissioner, 2nd District:

R. L. ALLEN.

(For Re-Election)

For Commissioner, 3rd District:

O. C. HERBERT.

For Commissioner, Dist. No. 1

TOM HASLIP.

(For Re-Election).

For State Representative:

Twentieth Legislative District:

Roosevelt and DeBaca Counties

FLOYD T. KENNEDY.

KENNA

There was a large crowd at the dance Saturday night. Everyone seems to like the music and the platform is a cool and pleasant place to dance.

Miss Vesta Lois Stevens, niece of Mrs. B. M. Naylor, has returned to her home at Dexter, after spending a week with her relatives here.

Dr. Boyle is here visiting his brother, Hugh Boyle and family. Two sisters of Mrs. W. B. McCombs, Setta and Willamena, are visiting the McCombs family this week.

Jimmie Elrod Jr., from Vaughn is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Price Crume and family this week.

Mack Kimmons is here from White Lake visiting his folks.

Mrs. Eura Hollis of Clovis visited relatives and friends here this week.

Mrs. Herbert Rickard and children visited Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Lemons and brother, J. B. Battenfield this week.

CHAPMANS TO ARIZONA

Rev. and Mrs. J. Griffin Chapman and children left yesterday for Prescott, Arizona, where they will attend the Arizona Baptist encampment. Mrs. Chapman will be the Southwide W. M. U. representative speaker and Rev. Chapman will be the inspirational speaker at the morning and evening services.

Mrs. Lucille Cumble returned Friday after a several weeks visit in Bronte and Center Point, Texas. She was accompanied home by her sister, Mrs. N. F. Baker and daughter Alleen.

ARCH

The Baptist revival closed last Thursday night. Bros. Love and Coffman left Friday to hold a meeting at Roller.

Mr. Petross of Blanket arrived Sunday to start the singing school. He was accompanied by his family and Mrs. Owen Petross and children. The school will be held in the evening beginning at 7:30. Everyone is urged to be present.

There will be an all day singing and dinner on the ground Sunday, August 12. All visitors are urged to be present.

Mrs. Lawrence Harris of Rogers is spending the week with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Holbert Shirley and family visited in the Wade home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Pate and family and Mr. and Mrs. Dolphus Pate visited in the Randal home at Texico Sunday.

Miss Rea took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. McCasland and daughter.

Miss Nannie Lee Smith spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Alleen Dougherty.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson and Miss Betty have moved here to their place from Portales. We are glad to have them in our midst. Miss Betty will be one of the teachers here this term.

Miss Gladys Townsend is leaving this week for Colorado.

Miss Alleen Dougherty and Miss Rea spent Thursday night with Miss Nannie Lee Smith.

Remember the singing and the basket dinner Sunday.

The dance in the Reed home Saturday night was enjoyed by all present.

Mrs. Dacus, Mrs. McCrory and Miss Della Dacus spent Monday afternoon in the Henry Townsend home.

SINGING AT RICHLAND

Sunday night, August 12, there will be a singing at Richland with the following program.

Song, Sarah Louise Creighton.
Song, Tennie Alexander.
Song, Mrs. Boyd Rice.
Song, Bessie Sutton.
Special, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Rice.

Song, Lola Platt.
Song, Ladean Rice.
Song, Emma Partin.
Song, Boyd Rice.

Special, Alexander Sisters.
Song, Truman Short.
Song, Jewel Brakehill.
Song, Blanche Swann.
Song, Pauline Alexander.
Song, Johnnie Brakehill.

We invite everyone to attend our singing class and help with the singing. Second and fourth Sunday night are our regular singing nights.

Sarah Louise Creighton,
Secretary.

THE WEATHER

August 29 to July 5

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A. C. Woodburn, Observer.

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"Bigger and Better" Tri-State Fair In Amarillo September 15 to 22

AMARILLO, August 8.—With more feature attractions, including daily horse races, and larger premiums than ever, all guaranteed, the Tri-State fair this year, September 15-22, easily will measure up to the old slogan—"bigger and better."

Preparations have been made for record crowds to pass through the free gate each of the seven days.

Besides horse racing with legalized wagering, there will be the Sam B. Dill circus with Tom Mix, the Western States Shows, a carnival company with sensational rides and other feature attractions.

The Tri-State fair is just completing a \$30,000 building program to accommodate the 1934 crowds.

Back under the old management of Wilbur C. Hawk as president and O. L. "Ted" Taylor as secretary-manager, the Tri-State fair this year is guaranteeing more than \$15,000 in cash premiums.

Catalogues containing all the premium list, rules and regulations are available now. A catalogue will be mailed upon written request to Mr. Taylor, P. O. Box 2454, Amarillo, Texas.

Several new departments will be added this year. For instance, \$5,000 in cash prizes will be offered exclusively for Hereford cattle. There also will be exhibits of milking shorthorns, Jersey and Holstein.

Cash prizes in all of the other departments are equally liberal. This year for the first time there will be competitive system of judging county exhibits. Instead, each county that enters an exhibit will be paid \$50.00 in cash.

Advance inquiries already indicate each of the exhibit buildings will be jammed with displays.

The automotive building will house the latest models for a motor show throughout the fair.

"The Tri-State fair weathered a depression and this year's drought will have no effect either upon the quality of exhibits or the attendance," declared Mr. Hawk.

"So don't forget the dates," he added. "The 1934 greatest Tri-State fair begins on Saturday, September 15, and ends on the following Saturday, September 22."

Oil Play Comes To Eastern New Mex.

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area, many old timers report in past year there has been oil found in water wells in abundance. Many times it has been necessary to rid stock were allowed to drink. One man even tells the story of thrashing his son when he, upon arriving at the water well following the water of oil sediments before his days work in the field, discovered the water was covered in oil. His accusation that his son had deliberately "oiled" the stock water was refuted the following day when oil was again found in the stock tank.

On another occasion it is reported that one rancher in this part of the county had to abandon a water well due to the fact that there was always a thin scum of oil on the water and unfit for consumption. Many of the old timers here report that oil is ubiquitous in this immediate area.

Oil men in every locality will be watching the results of this test, and if successful, Portales is slated for one of the biggest booms in her history. The News will keep a close check on activities and notify its readers of every report coming from this well.

Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Payne returned Tuesday from a trip to the mountains.

Odd Fellows Boast of Good Attendance

The Odd Fellows of Portales Lodge met in regular session Tuesday night of last week with a good attendance, as a matter of fact the Odd Fellows have not had a dull session in many months.

Last term was a banner one, the Lodge having taken in, it is believed, as many or more members than any Lodge in the state. The members are looking forward to the current term with great expectations, and if a good start means anything their expectations will not go amiss.

At the last meeting two applications were accepted, Leon Schumper for initiation and Lester White transfer of membership. Beside these two there are several others waiting for initiation to membership. All members are urged to attend future meetings, and help make this term the best in the history of the Lodge.

The Odd Fellows met with a good attendance as usual Tuesday night. Two new members were accepted for membership and Mr. Helm of Eldorado, Okla., visited the lodge. We are always glad to have visitors and extend a cordial invitation to any Odd Fellows who may desire to visit our Lodge.

According to reports from 13 Lodges in the State, this Lodge has not been boasting idly; out of a net gain of 25 for the 13 Lodges this Lodge gained 16 of them; some record, I say. Keep the good work going Odd Fellows and don't forget Grand Lodge at Clovis on October 8 and 9.

—Lodge Reporter.

Mrs. H. H. Buchanan, Mrs. J. P. Deen and Mary Jane, Mr. and Mrs. Winnifred Scott of Skull Valley, Ariz., returned Thursday from Forney, Texas, where they visited their sister, Mrs. T. W. Harris and family. Miss Lillian Harris returned home with them.

W. H. Craddock and wife of Cisco, Texas, and Miss Ann Craddock of Pullman, Washington, are here visiting their brother and family, W. F. Craddock. W. H. Craddock is postmaster at Cisco and Miss Craddock has charge of the clothing and fabric department of the Washington State College.

Mrs. W. J. Rogers and daughter Anna Lois of Oakland, California, are visiting in the G. F. Criswell home at Bluff this week. Mrs. Rogers is Mrs. Criswell's mother.

G. George Alford of Joseph, Ore., is visiting relatives in and near Portales this week. Mr. Alford lived here 18 years before going to Oregon nine years ago.

EXECUTRIX NOTICE
In the Probate Court of Roosevelt Co., N. M. No. 596.
In the Matter of the Estate of J. R. Hatfield, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on Aug. 6, 1934, appointed executrix of the estate of J. R. Hatfield, deceased, by the Probate Court of Roosevelt Co., N. M., and having duly qualified as such, all persons having any claims against said estate of said decedent, are hereby notified and required to present same to the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law, Aug. 8, 1934.

MARTHA A. HATFIELD,
aug 9-30 means Executrix
Clifton Bankston won an honor medal at the C. M. T. C. camp this summer for excellent work.

ELIDA

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Copeland of Childress, Texas, and three sisters of Clovis came last Wednesday for a visit with Mr. Copeland's brother and family south of town.

Mr. and Mrs. John Howell were business visitors in Elida Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Thompson of Amarillo, Texas, spent Thursday night and Friday with Mrs. Thompson's mother, Mrs. A. A. Beeman. Little Carol returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cothorn of Portales were in Elida last week with a load of apples.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Sullins and baby of Portales were visiting old friends in Elida Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Beeman spent Saturday night and Sunday in Clovis.

Mr. and Mrs. Tomlinson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Regal, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Chilton and baby were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Butts Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Crume and little Jimmie, Sylvia Southard and Mrs. Jessie Freeman returned home Sunday after spending several days at Ruidoso.

Elida base ball team played the CCC boys of near Clovis Sunday. The score was 11-6 in favor of Elida.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Raydon and family left Sunday for Oklahoma City for a visit with relatives.

Miss Ella Mae Butler came Sunday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Butler and family.

Mr. A. Grishaw is driving a new V-8 Ford he purchased last week.

Mr. W. H. Walker and son, Billie went to Roswell last week and brought back a secondhand Ford pickup.

Mr. and Mrs. Torance Reed and daughter Billie were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller Sunday.

Several from Elida attended the dance at Kenna last Saturday night.

Mrs. Weisinger and family of Clovis were Sunday guests of A. L. French and family.

Mrs. Essie Southard surprised her friends by getting married last week to a Mr. George Vaughn of Fort Sumner. Mrs. Vaughn was formerly Miss Essie Crume.

Carl Atkinson made a business trip to Lubbock Monday.

Harrison Miller left Monday for Lubbock to work on the road.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Randolph of Clovis were visiting in Elida Sunday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Cook.

Marvin Bonardon spent the week end with Charles Nicholson.

Bill Snelson of Fort Sumner was a business visitor in Elida Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tomlinson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Regal, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Chilton and baby were among the crowd at the family reunion at R. K. Chilton's Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cothorn have returned from Hot Springs, where they have been visiting Bill Kelley and taking the baths.

SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

The State of New Mexico to the defendant, G. W. Bedinger, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: said G. W. Bedinger, Lillian Bedinger, Henry C. Bedinger, S. S. Bedinger and Mildred B. Beck, (nee Bedinger), if living, and if dead, the unknown heirs of said deceased persons, and all unknown persons claiming any lien, interest or title adverse to plaintiff, Greeting:

You said defendants, are hereby notified that a suit has been filed against you in the District Court, in and for the County of Roosevelt, State of New Mexico, by Harrison H. Cushmanberry, as plaintiff; the nature and object of said suit being to secure a decree of said court quieting the title of plaintiff in and to the W $\frac{1}{2}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 11, Township 2 South, Range 24 East, N. M. P. M.; and to forever bar and estop defendants and each of them, and anyone claiming by, under or through them from having or claiming any right, title, interest or estate in or to said lands adverse to plaintiff, and to forever quiet and establish and set at rest plaintiff's title and estate therein.

Defendants are further notified that unless they enter their appearance in said cause, on or before the 19th day of October, 1934, judgment will be rendered against them by default, and the plaintiff will apply to and be given by the court the relief demanded in his complaint.

C. J. Pendergraft, Portales, N. M., is attorney for plaintiff.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court this 7th day of August, 1934.

MRS. PAUL E. MORRISON,
(Seal) County Clerk.

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NOTICE OF SPECIAL MASTER'S SALE

By virtue of a final decree rendered by the Honorable District Court in and for the County of Roosevelt of the Ninth Judicial District, State of New Mexico, on the day of June, 1934, in a certain cause therein pending, wherein M. E. Singleton as Trustee and General American Life Insurance Company, a corporation, were plaintiffs and Colon S. Wilson, et al, defendants, being Cause No. 3017 on the docket of said Court, a judgment was rendered for said plaintiff, General American Life Insurance Company, as against certain of the defendants, and the property hereinafter described, for the total sum of \$1627.64, with interest thereon from the 21st day of February, 1934, until paid, at the rate of 10 per cent per annum on \$1456.47, at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on \$16.17, at the rate of 6 per cent per annum on the remainder thereof; and the Court further ordered that the Trust Deed described in the complaint in this cause be foreclosed as a mortgage.

The amount awarded by such judgment and decree with interest as above stated to the date of sale herein fixed is the sum of \$1,714.61.

By the terms of said final decree, C. J. Sparks was appointed

Special Master.

Crockett Stone the principal of Causey school, was in Portales the first of the week getting material to build a bed for his school bus.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Scott left Friday for their home in Skull Valley, Arizona, after a two weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Buchanan and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Deen.

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Chevrolet	268,646	230,498	38,148	16.5
Plymouth	158,915	99,592	59,323	59.4
All Others	272,446	220,448	51,998	23.5

TOTAL - 995,121 628,481 312,640 45.8

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