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HARRY E. MULL, ARTESIAN WELL INSPECTOR DISTRICT 2

These Who Paid for Dinners at Artesia May Have Money Refunded by Manager McCanna

From Albaquorque Morning Journal.
The Artesia Commercial Club
has very handsomely arranged to
pay for all meals purchased by the
members of the Albuqerque Trade
excursion while in that thriving
town, as owing to an oversight the
club did not carry out its intention
at the time of the visit. A very
generous proof that Artesia's
"heart is in the right place is the
following letter received by P. F.
(McCanna, manager of the excursion, from the secretary following letter received by P. F. McCanna, manager of the excursion, from the secretary of the Artesia Commercial club. All mem bers of the excursion who paid for their meals at Artesia may have their money refunded—up to a to tal of \$37—if they apply to Mr McCanna before Wednesdav next, after which time any of the \$37 remaining will go into the "pot to be donated to charity. The letter from Artesia says: temaning will be to be donated to charity. The letter from Artesia says:
Artesia, N. M., March 18, 1908.
Secretary of Albuquerque Commercial Club,
Albuquerque, N. M.,
Dear Sir:

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Herewith I hand you draft for \$37, being the amount that your people paid for meals while in our city and which we wish to refund

city and which we wish to refund to you

As explained to you the day you were here, it was our inten tion to furnish the meals free of cost to the excursionists, but through a misunderstanding with the hotel people, our intention was only partially carried out.

You will see by the enclosed statement that we have ascertained where it was possible the names of the partners who paid for their meals, but in a number of cases it was impossible to learn the names as they did not register.

You will please accept this remittance and when opportunity presents itself, explain to your club the circumstances.

We are very sorry that the matter was so badly handled, but you know that our hearts are in the right place and we will try and do better next time.

Very truly yours,

A. C. KKINATH.

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ARTESIA REFUNDS GASH REPUBLICAN TERRITORIAL CONVENTION Meets at Silver City and Instructs Six Delegates for Howard W. Taft

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Silver City, N. M., March 21—
The republican territorial convention
this afternoon elected six delegates to the national convention
in Chicago. The delegates go instructed to vote for William Howard Taft for president, and are
also instructed to name Soloman
Luna to succeed himself as national committeeman for New
Mexico.

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The convention passed strong resolutions endorsing President Roosevelt and the Roosevelt poli-cies. Secretary Taft, Governor Curry and Delegate Andrews are also endorsed, though the latter did not get the endorsement for the renomination which his friends sought.

The six delegates named are: Thomas B. Catron, Santa Fe.

Thomas B. Catron, Santa Fe.
Former Governor Miguel A.
Otero. of Santa Fe.
Charles A. Spiess, of Las Vezas.
H. O. Bursum, of Socorro.
A. B. Fall of Three Rivers.
W. H. H. Llewellyn, of Las
Cruces.

W. H. Liewenyn, Cruces.
The convention was without in-cident in the active work of the body. In caucus and in commit-tee the contesting delegations from Lincoln county were both seated, each being given half a vote.

Be sure to attend the play at the Logan & Dyer building and help with the M. E. parsonage fund.

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SOOTER—He may not suit you personally, but he has a line of native corn chops and corn that will SUIT YOU. Also cobs for kindling.

C. A. Sipple and Ed Phillips each of whom have recently purchased a fine residence property in town are retouching and repainting the same to the improved appearance of the localities in which they live.

FOR RENT—4 room furnished

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Veal stew, veal cuttlets, at Artesia Market. Phone 8.

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SALOONS TILL JULY 1 DOUBLE WEDDING YESTERDAY

The city council met Tuesdanight of this week and the most important business transacted by them was the passing of the ordinance prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquor within the corporate limits of the town of Artesia. It will no doubt be a great its appointment to the carnest prohibitionists of the town to kind the control of the part of the pa porate limits of the town of Artesta. It will no doubt be a great disappointment to the earnest prohibitionists of the town to know that notwithstanding the large majority attained by the advocates of this measure that the saloons are to be allowed to run until July 1, or at least that the ordinance is not to become effective until that time, of course the council may refuse to reissue licenses April 1, and thereby close them at that time, as the people have spoken their wishes in this matter in no uncertain terms

The clause permitting druggists to sell to the amount of one half pint was stricken out. The City attorney expressed an opinion that this right could not be restricted but the action was taken nevertheless.

The council adjourned to method the council and some the partor of the parsonage and archead through to the action was refused to the strains of the Lonhent to be the strains of the Lonhent to be allowed to produce a rely north bound train for Rosell. They will return in a few well, and favorably known here for ever a mount of one half pint was stricken out. The City attorney the council and produced to the council and the council an

For quick sale list your property with E. S. Haggard.

ity of Artesia.

The bridal party assembled in the parior of the parsonage and marched through to the archway between the sitting rooms keeping step to the strains of the Lonhengrin bridal march played by Miss Margaret Mathes, while the double ceremony was performed by Rev. E. E. Mathes. They took the early north bound train for Rosewell. They will return in a few days and take up residence in the Valley under the new conditions. These young people have been

G. U. McCrary and John Major were among the Carlsbad visitors this week.

For mutton chors call No. 8

CITIZENS' TICKET



FOR MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL J. S. Highsmith, J. R. Creath, C. F. Erb J Dale Graham

W. F. Schwartz.

W. F. SCHWATEZ.

FOR SCHOOL DIRRCTORS

J. R. Daniels, E. S. Howell.

(J. W. Turknett is not elegible for member of the school board as he lives in the attached territory.)

FOR CITY TREASURER E. E. McNatt.

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The members of this ticket are pledged to the suppression of the liquor traffic, the investigation of the water system deal, and the present telephone rates, and the supporters of the ticket will do all within their power to secure an abatement of the present exhorbitant tax rates and to secure the execution of Attesis courts.

abatement of the present exhorbi-tant tax rates and to secure the creation of Artesia county.

If you would vote in the coming election, you must register before Saturday of this week, with the board of registration now in ses-sion in the office of Talbot & Ter-rid in the rear of the post office. Please attend to this matter and assist in electing a non partisan ticket thereby preserving unity and harmony in the town.

The Citizens Ticket

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Several individuals have assiduously circulated the report during the past week that the Citizen's ticket had its origin in the Næws office. In fact arter careful study of the first page of "the bottle" we have deciphered that James D. Whelan, dry nurse (knee wet nurse) labored earnessly in an endeavorto fix the responsibility upon D. L. Newkirk, the which for the sake of argument we are willing to admit although such was not the case. Furthermore, the above mentioned James D. of yn urse, (knee wet nurse) states that our high taxes and our desire to secure county division are "patches" and

THE ONLY SURE WAY

To have some money is to save some. The one sure way to save it is by depositing it in a responsible bank. You will then be exempt from the annoyance of having it burn holes in your pockets, and aside from the fact that your money will be safe from theft, the habit of saving tends to the establishing of thrift, economy, discipline and a general understanding of business principles essential to your success. To those wishing to establish relations with a safe, strong bank, we heartily extend our services

The FIRST NATIONAL BANK of ARTESIA

Hamilton Injured

A. B. Fail of Three Rivers.

W. H. H. Llewellyn, of Las
Cruces
The convention was without incident in the active work of the
body. In caucus and in committee the contesting delegations from
Lincoln county were both seated,
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Cows for Sale.

We have for sale a number of
good cattle, cows, heifers and
yearling heifers. Will sell any
number.

Johnson Bros
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Hope, N. M.

J. White was visiting in Roswell
this week.

We have to attend the play at the

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Von have putil five oclock Sat-

You have until five o'clock urday afternoon to register and if you do not register you can not vote. All who think favorably of the Citizens ticket should be sure to register.

Special bargains in city and country property at l'HE LAND EXCHANGE.

CITY TRANSFER

All inds of transfer and

Pleasant Evening at Atkeson's

Yesterday evening a number of the young people of Artesia gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson to spend the evening and to bid goodby to Mr. Allen Atkinson, who leaves tonight for Loss Angeles, Cal. The elegant home in the west part of town was crowded with young people of all ages from the greyheaded editor of the Nikot to the young minister of the Christian church. Refreshments were served and the evening was spent playing many different games. The guests retired at a late hour after one of the most pleasant evenings spent in Artesia next Saturday which will be the first of a series to continued all summer. This idea was tried one time ago by Putuam Bros, but did not prove the success that was expected. It is to be hoped that these sales will be continued that the expense of the Chitzen's continued that the sale will be continued that the sales will be continued that these sales will on April 7, add another laurel to her brow and that will be commemorative of the House of Representatives by the house of the Jefferson Manual and Rules of the House of Representatives by the house of the Lefferson Manual and Rules of the House of Representatives by the house of the House of Representatives by the house of Representative

All inds of transfer and drayin at reasonable prices.

W. J. Williamson.

Artesia - - - N. M.

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D. L. NWKKINS, Proprietor.
J. F. NWKINS, Proprietor.
J. W. J

Taxes.

When those Simon pure progressive and fair minded republicans repeatedly asked that a Citizens ticket be nominated even though every man upon it be a democrat and pledged themselves to support the same they were seeking to "take advantage of the fairness of the democrats and ride into office." The writer of the above quotation is entitled to sincere sympathy.

WHAT is whiskey? asks the Al-buquerque Morning Journal. Well did you ever! Say, ask some of the Trade excursionists.

HAVE AN ARTESIAN WELL?

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If you are contemplating improving your land have SPERRY & LUKINS drill you a well so as to get some sood of it this fall. Their prices are the lowest of any in the Valley.

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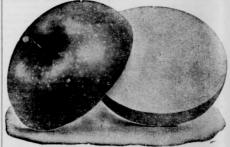
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ARTESIA, N. M.

Talk of the Town

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PANY

Commissioner J. W Turknett ent Saturday in Roswell.

Mrs. J. A. Klasner was up from Carlsbad last week to attend the funeral of Uncle Jimmie Chisum.

Flour, Flour, we are over stocked on Flour and can make you right price. Good Flour. We stand behind every sack and make it right. Artesia Feed & Fuel Co.

The grand jury brought in a true bill against Holly Ray last Friday for the shooting of the Mexican, Juan Acosta, in the Bank saloon at Carlsbad.

Attorney Atkeson was attending court at Carlsbad last week.

Have Sperry & Lukins make your connection to the new water system Lukins is a member of the Master Plumbers Association and the only our work cheaper and better than any one else. Will have a complete stock of plumbing goods. Make inquiries as to why you should patronize Sperry & Cox will nove the rig to the vicin-tukins.

Grant Sooter spent last Saturday in Roswell looking after business interests.

M. J. Crum and wife left *aturday morning for Fredonia, Kansas, where they will make their home in the future. Mr. Crum s son left with the car of household goods last week.

FOR SALE:—First class prairie hay delivered in Artesia at \$7.00 per ton. See J. R. Hodges or address. P. O. box 124. *27

Attorney G. U. McCrary was in Carlsbad last week assisting Bujac & Brice with the defense in the case of Territory vs. Mitchel. The defendent is charged with sheep stealing.

Make us the right selling price. We will do the rest Farmers Land League.

Miss Vivian Newkirk entertained the members of Miss Ross' Sunday school class at her home last Saturday evening.

Ground oats and kaffir corn mixed half and half \$1.75 per hundred. Artesia Milling Co.

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The Eiler show "The King of
the Cattle Ring" played at Artesia
last Thursday night to a crowded
house. The show was not as good
as it was last year owing probably
to the absence of Mr. Eiler himself, who was with his other show.
"Down Mobile" The band, however, was excellent.

Word was received here Sunday morning that it was snowing in the little town of Hope, twenty miles to the west of Artesia.

Once upon a time a fellow named Johnson made faces in Artesia. He is doing it again at the same old stand.

A tower is being built behind the Central office for the fire bell which arrived from Roswell last week. It is about fifteen feet high and is located so as to be handy for the operator. The first proposition was to locate the bell at the City Clerk's office but as this would necessitate calling up that office in case the alarm was turned in by telephone, it was thought better to put it where it would be reached without loss of time.

Wanted—Old lady for light work.

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W. A. Wilson of Roswell, Well Supervisor for District No. 1, has sent in his resignation to take ef-fect April 1. Arthur Steven who has been his assistant for some time, will probably be appointed in his place.

C. L. Heath & Co.'s well rig finished up the Norfleet well north of town last week and a flow of six inches over an eight inch cas-ing is reported.

J. Dale Graham. M. D. CITY PHYSICIAN
Office opposit First National Bank Artesia.

New Mexico

High Art Clothes, this spring and summer styles, made by Hart, Schaffner & Marx, for men who dress well. For sale by tf Joyce-Pruit Co.

The allwise and ever condescend ing Democratic Central Committee of Eddy county has relented from its harsh decision of two years ago and will allow the natives to vote in the primaries this year. At least that is what we judge from the report of the meeting, which says that the clause stricken out of the rules related to the Mexicans.

The Dayton Oil Company has been forced to abandon their first test well for the present, due to the damaged casing in the well preventing its being cleaned out. The company is now making preparations to start a new hole and if they are successful with this one they hope to be able to return to the first well and do something to it later.—Dayton Echo.

The Talmadges of Roswell brought in over 100 homeseekers on the last excursion and are sell ing them land in the northern part of the Valley. The company required three cars to handle the crowd.

Sperry & Lukins have a new machine for tapping the new water

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The Artesia High School base
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ball team will go to Roswell Saturday and show the youngsters in
that town how to play the great
American game.

Remember Sperry & Lukins are
complying exactly to the law and
ordinance in regard to tapping the
city water pipes.

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J. D. Christopher.

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Pickled Pork

And Prime

Corned Beef

Like Grandma used to make

Don't forget our HOME MADE

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Put up-in new pails and is 100 per cent Pure. It sells for 1 settlement of the Frances Institute will be held in Artesia Salurlay use fourth of April

THE FARMES INSTITUTE

Ret' Meeting Will be Held in Artesia Salurlay to fourth of April

The next meeting of the Artesia Salurlay to fourth of the Home will do so. Nothing will advance the country so much as this Association if it is a success and it lies with the members themselves as to whether The meeting will be held the Artesia display at the National Friguence, and this is another reason why there should be a good a trends and earlier spongers and the subject of the Artesia display at the National Trigation Congress at Albuquerque, and this is another reason why there should be a good attendance at this time. The following Pogram has been propared it is hoped that all the tarmers in the Middle Valley who can possibly attend will do so. Nothing will advance the country so much as this Association if it is a success and it lies with the members themselves as to whether The meeting will be held the first Startday in each month.

Black Langhan Eggs.

For hatching. Best chicken on earth. Farm raised by H. Baugh man. Will be kept on hand fresh by Jovee Prut Co.

If the Art Cothes, this spring and summer styles, made by H. Baugh man. Will be kept on hand fresh by Jovee Prut Co.

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4t W. J. Williamson.

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this article.

As a physical fact, there must be something especially good in a man, who has had such surroundings and associations and yet not not be led astray or become corrupt.

These old pioneers lived here for

A Few Ifs AND Don'ts

If your face is out of fix or
Dont suit you, take it to Johnson
If you think Johnson cant fix it
Dont fool yourself any longer
If Johnson cant do it
Dont try anyone else
If you are not satisfied with the pictures
Dont take them If your face is out of fix or Dont take them If you have any enlargements to be made Dont give them to anyone but Johnson If you are broke Dont stay away
If you think Johnson is broke Dont stay away

For he is and he needs the money

years without ever hearing the word of God, yet they have kept His commandments and kept the unwritten laws of the land moreonscientiously than many of our latter day saints. Our great st consolation and the same we extend to his bereaved childred and friends is. "the heavier the cross the brighter the crown that awaits him in Heaven" where he has gone and where we all may hope to meet him.

Written by a life long friend who has known him more as a father than a friend.

Mrs. L. C. Klasmer.

Picacho, N. M.

Cottonwood Items

Cattonwood Items

Alex Ault came in Friday trom Colo. and is looking after his interests on Cottonwood.

The Misses Betty went to Roswell Monday to make proof on their homesteads

Claude May and Alex Ault drove to Da ton Saturday.

Dr Hendrickson went to Roswell Monday

Dr Yates is having a tank made on his place. Mr. Evans has the contract and will complete the work this week

The Glass well rig has moved to the Muncy place and is ready for work.

Mrs. Randolph drove to Lake Arthur Wednesday.

Mr. Howard of Lake Arthur drove out to his ranch Monday,

Mr. Cound and son Raymond wer shopping in Lake Arthur Monday.

Mr. Murphy of Lake Arthur Monday.

Mr. Murphy of Lake Arthur Spent Saturday night and Sunday out on his claim

Judge Bozel is having a tank put up on his place. Mr. Bruce and Head are doing the work.

Mr Ault went to Artesia Tuesday of trees to reset his orchard.

Mr. and Mrs Randolph drove to Artesia the first of the week.

Mr. Whitehom has been enter.

Mr. Mr. and Mrs Randolph drove to Artesia the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs Randolph drove to Artesia the first of the week, Mr. Whitehom has been entertaining a cousin, one Mr. Crouder of Texas.

We hope the much talked of schoolhouse for Upper Cotton wood will be under way of construction in the near future.

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Large Pumping Plant

The Brainard Hardware Company is this week installing a fifteen horse power pumping plant on the land owned by Messers Hayden. Witmer and Bishop 3½ miles south west of town. This plant is supposed to be of sufficient capacity to furnish water for the irrigating of the land.

E. S Porter is figuring with the same company for the installing of a similar plant on his land adjoining that described above

Sweet Potato Plants.

Ready April 1st. Send for price st. Roswell Seed Co. Roswell,

FOR SALE. Span of good ares, one eight years old and the ther six. Call at Ullery Furni-

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LET US FIGURE WITH YOU

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Invites you to see her line of

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Murray Schenk, Proprietor

New equipments will be installed and arrangements made for doing the finest mechanical work. A skilled workman of thirty

Artesia. New Mexico ************************ A Bachelor's Sad Plight

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That the bachelors of Lakewood are ingenuous and able to over-come a difficulty in short order, was clearly manifested last Friday night. Just before the dance was to begin at the new barber shop, there was a scene in the Plott-Childress store which could be plainly noticed through the big glass doors. Ernest A. Fields had donned his best black pantaloons and by an unfortunate accident had torn a great hole in the front part of one leg. Bachelor like he had essayed to sew it up, but having nothing but a big needle and coarse white thread you can imagine how it looked after he had finished. In his extremity he called on Nim Childress for fhelp, and Nim, always geneous and kind, procured a bottle of ink and brush and spread the sable coloring over the big white stitches. The job was a good one, and no one at the dance had a bigger time than did Ernest.—Lakewood Progress

Bridge Picnic at Hagerman

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Hagerman will hold a big jolli
fication picnic Priday April 3 to
celebrate the completion of their
bridge across the Pecos. All kinds
of fun is promised those who are
fortunate to atteno and to make
the merrymaking more complete
the Hagerman people expect to
have the Artesia Band with them
Although nothing definite has
been done yet, the Hagerman peo
ple are at work raising the money
and there is not much doubt that
the Artesia boys will be there to
help with the celebration.

Transfer Line.

Am prepared to do all kinds of hauling. When in need of such work, phone No. 24. When not busy, I will be found in front of Brainard Hardware Company. T. T. Kuykendall.

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Talk of the Town

For Dr. Dunaway phone 28 or 138. appointed pos-last Saturday.

C. W. Grier of Roswell was in town Tuesday looking after busi-

Dr. G. A. Lipp returned this afternoon from Artesia where he has been inspecting cattle.—Record.

Cash 1 aid for fat hens. Fletch's Market.

E. Foster left Tuesday morning for Hastings, Neb.

A part of the Sunday school hour at the Christian church next Sunday will be devoted to chart and blackboard illustrations on temperance. The exercises will be interesting and well worth your strendame.

JAP A-LAC at Pecos Valley rug Co.

Albert Linell and Milt Attebury pent Sunday in Roswell visiting

Goods at Nebraska prices. Artesia Feed & Fuel Co.

John B. Heck, of Dayton, was

All kinds of spraying solution at Pecos Valley Drug Co.

A. I. Schneider was in Roswell Monday

ternoon from Artesia where he has been inspecting cattle.—Record.

THE LAND EXCHANGE for land chargains of course.

J. M. White came in from the north last week in charge of eleven prospective homeseckers from Kansas and Nebraska.

Cash wild for fav.

The Farmers Land League had a large bunch of homeseckers in last week. The s vere weather of the north is making those people appreciate our fine climate.

L. W. Martin was confined to his bed yeskerday with his old complaint

According to the Roswell Record of Wednesday, Eugene, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Will Robiuson is sick with the scarlet

W. R. Friermood made a business trip to Poswell Monday.

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The entertainment at the Presbyterna church last Fridas night was well attended the church being almost full to the seating capacity. The recepts were nearly \$15.00 which amount is to be added to the fund for putting in a science laboratory.

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Homer Higgins was called to Carlsbad Thursday night to testify before the grand jury on the Weddle-Sullivan case. He returned home Sunday morning.

JAPA-LAC at Pecos Valley

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C. I. Heath went to Pecos Wednesday to look after business interests at that place.

Cash paid for butter, eggs and chickens. Artesia Market.

A. B. Ebersole of Artesia left last night for his bome after spending a day here on his way from a three weeks trip to Lowa.—Record.

Grant Sooter shipped a fine herd of Galloway cattle to his farm near Enid, Okla., Tuesday of the week. Mr. Sooter intends to run a fine stock farm at that place, and heavy the stock farm at that place, and the 47 thoroughbreds he shipped the work of the shipped soot of the sh

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