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## COOK FAILS TO MAKE GOOD.

Perry Gets the Credit.

Copenhagen, Denmark, Dec. 21.—The University of Copenhagen, the first institution of learning to recognize Dr. Frederick A. Cook as the discoverer of the north pole, today solemnly declared that the explorer had failed to establish the claim on which his high honors had been based.

The committee appointed by the university to examine Cook's records, recently presented its report to the consistory of the university, which reviewed the deductions of his exploits with the greatest care. That both the committee and the consistory were disappointed was soon known here.

The consistory met today and adopted a written report to the effect that the alleged records submitted for examination by Dr. Cook failed to prove his claim. The report of the committee, of which Prof. Stromgen was chairman, as presented to the consistory, states that Dr. Cook's papers are without any value.

The announcement of Cook's "discovery" of the north pole was first made on Sept. 1. Dr. Cook landed first in Denmark and was given a tremendous ovation by the people of that country, being received by the king and entertained and banqueted by scientific societies. He was garlanded with wreaths of roses at the banquet table and presented with a medal by the scientific society.

While he was still in Copenhagen, the announcement came from Lieut. Peary that he had discovered the pole and at once there arose the charge from Peary that Cook had never been there.

Peary has kept up the fight with the result that the honors are stripped from the doctor.

Since the controversy opened, Dr. Cook's companion on the trip up Mt. McKinley has sworn that Dr. Cook never made the ascent, and two men have sworn that they prepared the records of the Doctor's arctic trip for him. Dr. Cook has disappeared mysteriously, but is now reported in this country.

Lieut. Peary will be next requested to submit his calculations and proofs.

## CHRISTMAS WEEK IN THE STORES OF CARRIZOZO.

Christmas week was ushered in with a cold wave and a three-inch blanket of the "beautiful," which threatened to put a damper on the holiday trade in Carrizozo, which the various stores were so well prepared to handle. Notwithstanding the weather conditions, however, people came from the outlying districts in numbers to do their Christmas trading, and returned with their wagons and buggies well filled with good things appropriate for the season. Everyone, town and country folks alike, seemed filled with the happy Christmas spirit, and purse strings were loosened up accordingly as they exchanged greetings.

The various stores presented an animated appearance, and were packed from floor to ceiling with varied classes of merchandise, from which customers had little difficulty in choosing.

The Carrizozo Trading Company, on account of the general character of goods handled, did a large business. Almost anything desired could be found at "the store where quality and price meet."

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J. R. Humphrey, the Pioneer Jeweler, had on display a beautiful line of silverware, watches, clocks, musical instruments, phonographs, records, etc., and was kept busy most of the week.

W. E. Winfield, "the grocery man," was there with the goods, also, and got his share of public patronage.

Rolland Bros. were prepared for the holiday rush with a line of toilet articles, albums, souvenir postal cards, India curios, fancy cutlery, stationery, and many things too numerous to mention which the public taste demands.

Taylor & Sons, the hardware house, John Skinner the flour and grain merchant, and all other stores, large and small, report good business.

## A MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL.

### A MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL.

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WOMAN'S CRUELTY TO WOMAN.

It is often said that women are more cruel in their judgments of women than are men. The sophomores of Barnard college, New York, have evidently undertaken to show that the sex can be as cruel in action as in judgment. Only women will fully appreciate the terrific cruelty of the edict of those girl sophomores that the girl freshmen must on no account adorn themselves with rats or puffs or braids during the present college term. But the man of average observation will get at least a hint of the tragedy of the situation. While the sophomores are going about adorned in the glory of mountainous false hair the freshmen will have to be content with those simple coiffures at once so becoming to the faces of young girls and so out of style at present, says the Chicago Inter Ocean. Think of the horror of that to girls who are just beginning to understand the inexorable fashion! And when they walk abroad for air or exercise what sudden, sad reminders of their forlorn condition the windows filled with abundant hair goods of all shapes and arrangements are sure to be! What pangs of hopeless desperation and revolt will wake to mar their pleasure!

Omaha dealers are said to be rushing butter to the cold storage warehouses and predicting that consumers will be paying 50 cents a pound for the product before Christmas. It does not require a long head, nowadays, to see that butter will be higher in price in winter than in summer; in fact, from time immemorial butter has always advanced during the winter months. But when there were no cold storage warehouses the prices of butter were lower at this time of the year because there were no speculators buying the product up, right and left, rushing it to the cooler, and predicting tremendous advances during the winter. The cold storage warehouse is beneficent in many ways, but the speculative feature of its utilization has raised the summer prices of butter and eggs and poultry, and also boosted the winter rates for these products. None of these products will ever again sell long at low prices, because the moment the prices ease a little the speculator jumps in and clears the market of the surplus.

It is too early to form conclusions about American traits. The United States is not the only country that has shown assimilative powers. England, on a lesser scale, has engaged in the work with signal success, says the San Francisco Chronicle. At times she has absorbed relatively large numbers of foreigners and completely Anglicized them, but at present her native-born population is so much greater than her foreign that the latter is insignificant by comparison. It is possible, therefore, to speak of British traits with some degree of propriety.

Sixteen pins have been taken from the arm of a Paterson girl, who has no idea how they came there. Funny things happen over on the Jersey side.

For the time being the arctic clubs have taken the wind out of the sails of the aero clubs.

Anyhow, Uncle Sam saw it first. Even Cook and Peary will agree to that.



Uncle Sam Develops New Easter Lily



WASHINGTON.—The plant experts of the department of agriculture are turning their attention to things of beauty as well as usefulness, and several new flowers have been evolved by them. Next season in all probability some novel varieties of lilies which were originated in the department's greenhouses in Washington will be placed upon the market by growers, as well as a new summer-blooming dahlia.

"The growing of lilies in the United States," said Prof. B. T. Galloway, in charge of the bureau of plant industry, "is rapidly becoming an important industry. Large quantities of bulbs have in years past been im-

ported from Bermuda, Japan and other countries, and the demand for the flowering plants seems to be on the increase.

"Various lines of work have been undertaken and carried out by our expert, Mr. Oliver, chiefly for the purpose of securing new types of lilies by hybridizing and crossing and to demonstrate the practicability of growing lilies in this country directly from seed."

One of the most promising of the hybrids has resulted from crossing the Philippine lily and the Bermuda lily. The Philippine lily takes two months to come into bloom from the period of planting the bulb, while the Bermuda and its various relatives require in the neighborhood of five months. It was thought that there would be a great saving if the time taken to force a good Easter lily could be reduced by a month or two.

With a view of bringing this about the hybridization of the Philippine and the Bermuda lily has been effected.

Question of Ham Raised in Washington



MRS CHAMP CLARK of Missouri has entered a controversy which is in progress in Washington among society leaders, epicures and chefs as to the best way to cook a Virginia ham, by contending that a Missouri ham is the best, anyhow. The wife of the Democratic leader in the house of representatives takes direct issue with Gov. "Joe" Blackburn, Col. John A. Joyce, Mrs. F. Berger Moran and others who have declared in favor of hickory smoke with which to cure the ham, the light of the full moon in which to kill it, and that it must come from the "Mother of Presidents," for only there does the real aristocratic porker have its being. The controversy has become so hot that President Taft may be called upon to decide it.

"The Missouri ham is so far ahead of anything in the pig line introduced by Virginia or elsewhere," said Mrs. Clark, "that I can't understand how

people can be so deceived. Isn't everything better in Missouri than elsewhere? Why, of course it is. Then, why shouldn't hams be superior? With us raising, curing, cooking and serving this dainty morsel is not only an art, but borders on the sacred things of our lives.

"Our pigs are raised with infinite care; they are not allowed to associate with those of the lower strata in life; iron-clad rules are observed in feeding and grooming them, and when at last they are doomed to die, we are almost as sorry as they can possibly be.

"But our qualms of conscience are assuaged when, after months of smoking in the dear old smokehouse, the hams are tenderly taken from their nooks and treated to a period of simmering (for you never boil a ham) and basting and browning and garnishing, then served and eaten with pure joy and gusto.

"They don't know what a really good piece of hog meat is in Virginia. I will admit, however, that I learned all I know about cooking ham from my friend Mrs. Burke of Alexandria. Mrs. Burke is a great-granddaughter of Thomas Jefferson, and she was telling me how the art of simmering the dainty came to be known in America.

Snakes in a Bag, Not Robbers' Loot



THEY get off some awful stories on the "old Sleuths," but this one is straight goods: R. F. Le Mat, a well-known Washington athlete, spent the summer "near to nature's heart" up in the wilds of Idaho. He started back attired in wild and woolly fashion, a pair of corduroy trousers, a big sombrero, and his face adorned with a huge goatee, all of which may at times be worn by confidence men, but were not in this case.

Besides that he had along with him when he got on the pullman in Chicago a "gunny" sack, which he handled carefully. Chicago sleuths spotted him at once. Yes, indeedy. They saw in that "gunny" sack the loot of

a train robbery that recently occurred in the middle west.

The fact that Le Mat seemed to be very careful of the sack and its contents was sure enough proof of "something," you see, and when he turned it over to a pullman porter paid him some money, and he immediately got the bag hidden out of sight, was just proof positive—well, not quite positive enough for arrest, but mighty good proof.

So two of the Chicago sleuths boarded the pullman, and they shadowed Le Mat to Washington, having telegraphed ahead for detectives to meet them at the Union station. The first man to greet Le Mat on his arrival was a Union station detective, who is a personal friend. Then Le Mat made his get-away, and the detectives from Chicago had a trip to Washington for no cost to themselves.

The gunnysack contained three big rattlesnakes, which now adorn the Washington zoo. And that ends the story of one lot of sleuths.

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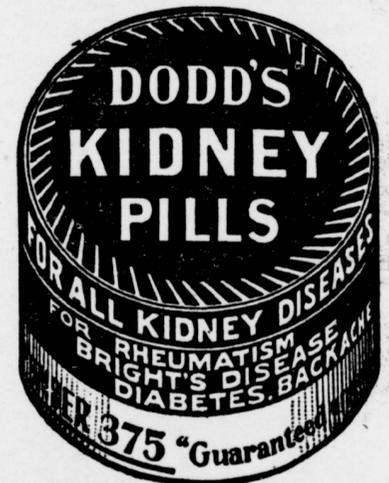
"Yes."

"Did she just fade away and die because some man deserted her?"

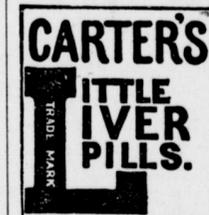
"No; she just took in washing and worked herself to death because the man she loved married her."

Size of North Pole.

"Dr. Cook tells us that the north pole is not larger than a quarter of a dollar," says the Montgomery Advertiser. However, a quarter of a dollar sometimes looks as large as the whole side of a barn.



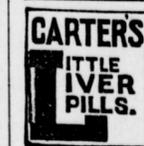
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## THE USEFUL APPLE

NUMBERLESS WAYS IN WHICH IT MAY BE SERVED.

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Baked apples may be varied in several delicious ways. A little honey and butter can be buried in the hollows after removing the cores. Chopped nutmeats, mixed with thin strips of lemon and orange rind, may take the place of the honey. The tops should be sprinkled with sugar and nutmeg or cinnamon.

Apple meringues are merely glorified baked apples. Fill the hollows with quince jelly, cover with fluffy meringue and brown slightly in the oven.

Apples make ideal cups to hold individual services of certain salads. They are appropriate for a Waldorf salad or minced apples, celery and nutmeats, for one of minced peppers, celery and tomatoes or one of sliced bananas and nutmeats dressed with mayonnaise. Rosy apples with a glossy skin are the best for these cups.

This unique salad may be served either in apple or tomato cups. Use equal quantities of minced celery, apples and mild green peppers. Season well with salt and pepper and add enough minced onion to suit the taste. Avoid the use of too much onion, as it coarsens the salad. Dress this with a nicely seasoned mayonnaise and pile into the cups. If tomato cups are used add the tomato pulp scooped from them. To achieve complete success the vegetables should be chopped very fine.

An apple tapioca is especially nice if served with cream. Wash a cup of tapioca, pour six cupfuls of boiling water over it and cook until the tapioca balls are perfectly clear. Measure six cups of peeled, quartered and uncooked apples and add to them some grated lemon rind and a cupful of sugar. Mix with the tapioca, seasoning with a scant teaspoonful of salt. Bake in a slow oven and serve either hot or cold.

A cupful of grated apples of superior quality may be used to flavor ice cream. Grated apples are sometimes added to pancake batter. Better yet, however, are the sweet pancakes and waffles spread with a thin layer of apple sauce flavored with lemon. Melted apple jelly flavored with quince may be used instead of the sauce. Spread the fruit over the buttered and sugared waffles or cakes and pile them one upon another. Serve at luncheon or for dessert at dinner.

An old-fashioned recipe in which apple sauce is used in a cake calls for a cupful of sour apple sauce, a cupful of sugar, half a cupful of butter, a cupful of raisins, two cupfuls of flour, a teaspoonful of soda, and cinnamon and cloves to suit the taste. Stir the soda into the sauce and then proceed as usual when making cake. The rule calls for an egg. Another way of utilizing apple sauce is in a dessert jelly. Prepare an apple sauce of superior flavor, heat it on the stove after straining, add enough dissolved gelatine to stiffen it and a little sugar to sweeten, if needed. Just before it hardens, or, rather, while it is hardening, fold a few stiff whipped whites of eggs through it, so that it presents a spongy appearance. Serve very cold with cream.

### Scotch Eggs.

Hard boil six eggs, remove the shells and cut in half lengthwise. Cook half a cupful of stale bread crumbs in half a cupful of milk to smooth paste; add a cupful of mustard mixed in a little water, a dash of cayenne pepper and a raw egg. Roll the eggs in the mixture and fry in hot fat for three minutes. Serve either hot or cold.

## POOR WITNESS FOR FRIEND

Deacon's Brief Emphatic Testimony Probably Somewhat Impressed the Jury.

Deacon Stephen Potter, one of the pioneers of Utica, N. Y., was a man of great eccentricity but high moral character. The deacon will speak the truth and shame the devil," was often said of him.

On one occasion a friend was engaged in a lawsuit in regard to some land a few miles from Utica. He held the land at a high price. During the trial he called Deacon Potter as a witness, to prove how valuable the land was. The deacon was sworn and asked if he knew the land.

"Yes," he replied, "I know every foot of it."

"What do you think it is worth, Mr. Potter?" was the next question.

The old man paused a moment and then said, slowly: "If I had as many dollars—as my yoke of oxen—could draw—on a sled—on glazed ice—I vow—I would not give—a dollar an acre for it!"—Youth's Companion.

### An Entirely Selfish Theorist.

"Do you believe in the theory of reincarnation?" asked the serious girl.

"You mean to ask if I think we'll keep coming back to the earth again and again?" rejoined the flippancy young man.

"Yes."

"I have my doubts about it. The creditors may all come back, but we debtors are apt to go wandering along to other planets if we can possibly arrange it."

### For a Poor Memory.

"Say, Mayme, what's that ring on your finger for?"

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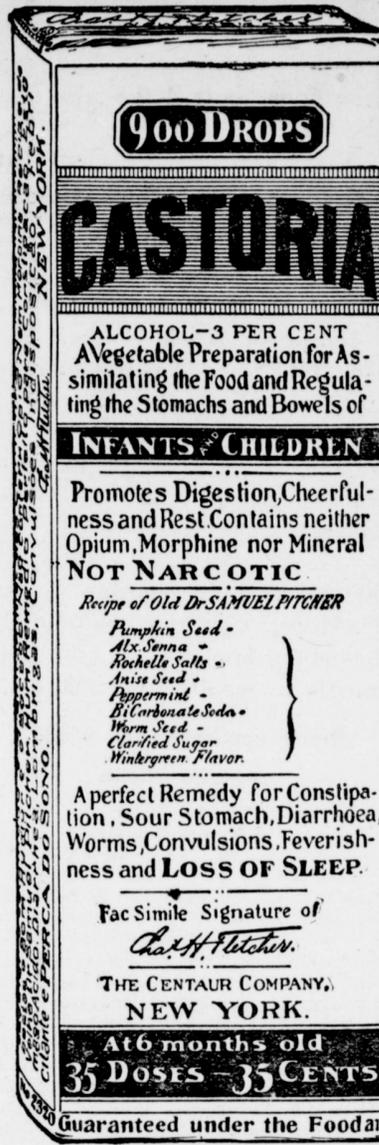
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W. A. HALEY, - - - - - Editor.

Both houses of Congress adjourned for the holidays Tuesday. Before adjourning, the senate confirmed the nomination of Judge W. J. Mills as governor of New Mexico. Judge Pope's nomination for Chief Justice of New Mexico was not acted upon, but will be taken up immediately after the holiday recess. Notwithstanding the opposition of the republican machine at Santa Fe, United States Marshal Foraker was re-appointed.

One of the biggest railroad strikes since the memorable A. R. U. strike many years ago, is liable to occur early in the year. Seventy-five thousand trainmen employed on about 75 railroads east of the Mississippi river, will demand an increase in wages on the first of the year, and if not granted before the 20th. of January, a strike will follow. This will mean a general tie-up of traffic for a considerable time, and if the companies concede the demands of the trainmen it will mean an increase in freight rates equal to the increase in wages. The companies will lose nothing. The dear public will have to pay the piper.

Lieut. Peary and Dr. Cook both claim to have explored the wild wastes of the frigid zone and discovered the long sought for north pole. Theodore R. and son Kermit and party have been doing strenuous work for many moons in the jungles of Africa, slaughtering the wild game of that country. It is now up to "Buffalo" Jones and his aggregation of New Mexico rope-throwers to earn a niche in the Hall of Fame by out-generalizing Teddy at his own game. "Buffalo" is a wise one and expects with the aid of a versatile press agent, who will accompany him to Africa, and the advertising to be borrowed from the feats of the above named explorers, to share in the glory and rake up his full share of the shekels.

## Knocked In the Head.

Tribune-Citizen.

Since we commented editorially on the probability of Foraker's appointment, the deed has been done. The territorial administration has been knocked in the head, and the absolute proof that the national administration is not caring for the machine, or

who runs it, is fixed. Governor Mills is also confirmed and the two land office and register incumbents have also been appointed. The waters are turbulent, and the mixing of the currents are more eminent as every day goes by.

## New Mexico After Back Taxes.

Santa Fe, N. M., Dec. 22.—Governor Curry has issued a call for a meeting of the district attorneys with him at Santa Fe, on January 6, to adopt measures for the collection of delinquent taxes. It is calculated that over \$1,000,000 are far overdue to the territory, counties, municipalities and school districts, and that mostly by wealthy tax dodgers.

## Mining Application No. 411042.

Serial No. 021086.

United States Land Office,  
Roswell, New Mexico,  
December 15th., 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Henry Pfaff, by John Y. Hewitt, his attorney in fact, whose post office address is White Oaks, Lincoln County, New Mexico, has this day filed his application for a patent for the Clipper Lode mining claim, being 1480 feet of said vein bearing gold and other metals, together with surface ground as shown on the plat on file in this office, situated in White Oaks Mining district, New Mexico and described by the field notes on file in this office as survey No. 1389, in Township 6 S., Range 11 E., New Mexico Principal Meridian. Said survey No. 1389 being described as follows to wit:

Beginning at corner No. 1 on the 3-4 line of survey No. 624, Little Homestake Lode, whence the Northwest corner of Section 25, Township 6, S., Range 11 E., bears N. 5° 25' W. 633, 14 feet. Thence S. 78° 30' W. 570 feet to corner No. 2; thence N. 9° 55' W. 1480 feet to corner No. 3; thence N. 78° 30' E. 570 feet to corner No. 4; thence S. 9° 55' E. 1480 feet to corner No. 1, place of beginning.

Area of this claim is 19 359 acres. Said mining claim is of record in the office of the Recorder of said Lincoln County, New Mexico.

The adjoining claims, so far as known, are, on the North, public lands, on the East, Henry Clay and Little Mack lode mining claims, on the South, Little Homestake mining claim and on West, public lands.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the mining ground, veins, lodes, premises, or any portion thereof so described, surveyed, platted and applied for, are hereby notified that unless their adverse claims are duly filed according to law and the regulations thereunder, with the Register of the United States Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, during the sixty days period of publication hereof, they will be barred by reason of the statutes.

T. C. TILLOTSON,  
Register.

## Mining Application No. 020972.

Serial No. 020972.

Coal Land—Forest Reserve.

United States Land Office,  
Roswell, New Mexico,  
December 1st, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that The New Mexico Iron Mining Company, a corporation under the laws of the territory of New Mexico, by Andrew H. Hudspeth its attorney in fact whose post office address is White Oaks, Lincoln county, New Mexico, has this day filed its application for a patent for the Johnson Group of placer mining claims, comprising the Johnson placer mining claim and Thomas placer mining claim, bearing iron and limestone, situated in El Capitan Mining District, Lincoln county, New Mexico, and described as follows, to-wit:

The Thomas placer mining claim being and containing the NW4 of Sec. 14 in Twp. 8 S. of R. 14 E., N. M. P. M., containing 160 acres.

The Johnson placer mining claim being and containing the W2 of the SW4 of the SE4 of Sec. 11; the S2 of the SW4 of Sec. 11; the E2 of the SE4 of the SE4 of Sec. 10 and the E2 of the NE4 of the NE4 of Sec. 15 of Tp. 8 S. of R. 14 E., N. M. P. M., area of the Johnson placer claim, 140 acres; total area of the Johnson Group, 300 acres

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LINCOLN, NEW MEXICO.

Said mining claims are of record in the office of the Recorder of said Lincoln county, New Mexico, in Book Y of mining records at pages 335 and 336.

The adjoining claims, so far as known, are, on the north, Calcium Oxide placer; on the east, Holt placer; on the south, Holt placer and Gray Forge placer; on the West, Calcium Oxide placer and Gray Forge placer. Any and all persons claiming adversely the mining grounds, premises, or any portion thereof so described and applied for are hereby notified that unless their adverse claims are duly filed according to law and the regulations thereunder with the Register of the United States Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, during the 60 days period of the publication hereof, they will be barred by reason of the statutes.

12-10-14 T. C. TILLOTSON, Register.

DeWitts Little Early Risers, the safe, sure, easy, gentle little liver pills. The original Carbolized Witch Hazel salve is DeWitt's. The name is plainly stamped on every box. It is good for cuts, burns, bruises, sores, boils and sunburn—but it is especially good for piles. Sold by Paden's drug store. and Rolland Bros.

**School Notes.**

The new class in the primary department of the Carrizozo school will begin the first Monday in January, 1910. All those who have reached the age of five years and who have been vaccinated, bringing their certificates with them the first day, may enter this class.

It is desired that all come the first day so that all may take up the work at one time.

For the first time we publish our Honor Roll. All pupils who have made a general average of 90 on their examinations and daily work receive this honor.

**HONOR ROLL.**

The pupils in the First and Second Grades who are distinguished this month are;

**FIRST GRADE.**

Ruth Edmiston,  
Willie Riley,  
Aileen Andrews,  
Katherine Pine,  
Gordon Pine,  
Jodie Bently,  
James Lee,  
Bryant Casner,  
John Adams,  
William Johnson.

**SECOND GRADE.**

Mary Adams,  
Bernice Collins,  
Charlie Moody,  
Winnie Peck,  
Bessie Gross,  
Willie Gray,  
Frederick Laster,  
Issobel Tinnon,  
Barney Gray.

**THIRD GRADE.**

Name	Per Cent
Lucile Cole	95
Willena Wingfield	97
Margie Lacy	96
Joe Spence	93
Sallie Johnson	92
Carlton Metzner	92

**FOURTH GRADE.**

Emerson Gross	97
Bessie White	93
Rachel Hughes	92
Sobrey Collins	90

**FIFTH GRADE.**

Thelma Coe	91
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**SEVENTH GRADE.**

Beulah Brazel	92
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**EIGHTH GRADE.**

Ida Grumbles	93
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**NINTH GRADE.**

Pearl Taylor	94
Edna Baird	92
Mildred Peters	91
Helen Canning	90

E. B. CHAPMAN, Prin.

**Notice to Corporations.**

The attention of corporations is called to the following:

Office of Collector of Internal Revenue, Santa Fe, N. M. Dec. 8, 1909.

In accordance with an act of congress, approved Aug. 5, 1909, I have been directed by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue to procure reports from all corporations, joint stock companies and associations in this district. Such organizations will please write to this office for blank returns, which will be furnished promptly on receipt of application therefor. Returns must be in my office on or before March 1st., 1910, to avoid penalty.

H. P. BARDSHAR,  
Collector of Internal Revenue.

# GREAT DISPLAY

# HOLIDAY GOODS

## BUY A USEFUL PRESENT

To those who are yet undecided what to buy we will suggest

## AT THE ELEVENTH HOUR

**FOR HIM**

**FOR MEN**

Neckwear  
Mufflers  
Handkerchiefs  
Suspenders  
Gloves  
Ties



**FOR HER**

**FOR LADIES**

Silk Scarfs  
Purses  
Kid Gloves  
Handkerchiefs  
Belts  
Shopping Bags

Come in and see our line before buying. We can show you many new things, and believe we can save money for you.

# ZIEGLER BROS.

"The House of Good Taste."

**Teachers' Examination.**  
The regular mid-winter examination of teachers will be held in the public school building at Carrizozo, N. M., on Friday and Saturday, January 14th and 15th, 1910. All permits expire on the date of this examination, and all teachers holding permits and desiring to continue teaching are required to secure a certificate at this examination. The issuance of two permits in succession is forbidden; hence the necessity for holders of permits to secure a certificate in order to draw salary from the public school fund. The Territorial Board expects to furnish questions for first, second and third grade certificates. The examination will begin at eight o'clock, Friday morning, and a specifically allotted time will be given to each subject until the examination is completed.  
JNO. A. HALEY,  
Supt. of Schools,  
Lincoln Co., N. M.  
12-10-6

**FOR SALE:**—Tent House, 10x12, well floored. Apply to A. T. Roberts at Carrizozo Livery Stable.

The best grade of whiskey for medicinal purposes only, at Paden's Drug Store. 6-4tf

**Call for Plans.**  
Call is hereby made for plans and specifications for the construction of a court house and jail, to be erected at Carrizozo, Lincoln county, New Mexico and will be received and opened at Lincoln, Lincoln county, New Mexico, on January 3, 1910, at the hour of 10 a. m. Said plans are to be made for buildings to be constructed of brick and stone, to cost less than \$25,000; and the person or persons presenting acceptable plans shall receive 5 per cent of the contract price of the buildings, for submitting such plans and specifications and for supervising the erection of said buildings. The board, however, reserves the right to select a supervisor of said buildings, which said supervisor shall receive 1/2 of said 5 per cent heretofore mentioned as a fee for plans and specifications and supervision of construction of buildings, in the event it sees proper to segregate this portion of the work.

By order of the Board,  
ROBT. H. TAYLOR,  
Chairman.

**Foxworth-Galbraith LUMBER COMPANY.**  
Shingles, Doors, Sash, Mouldings Building Paper, &c.  
Sewell's Paint, Ancho Cement, and everything in the line of Building Material.  
Carrizozo : : New Mexico

**ROLLAND BROS. DRUGS**  
Toilet Articles, Etc.  
Eastman's Kodaks.  
Indian Curios  
Carrizozo, New Mexico.

**NEW POOL HALL**

Opposite Depot

Courteous Treatment  
Fair Dealing and  
a Warm Welcome  
HARVEY & ADAMS

Fresh Nuts and New Dried Fruits, at Carrizozo Trading Co.

### A Christmas Carol.

By P. Brooks.

The earth has grown old with its burden of care,  
But at Christmas it always is young;  
The heart of the jewel burns lustrous and fair,  
And its soul full of music bursts forth on the air,  
When the song of the angel is sung.

It is coming, Old Earth, it is coming tonight!  
On the snow-flakes which cover thy sod  
The feet of the Christ-child fall gentle and white,  
And the voice of the Christ-child tells out with delight  
That mankind are the children of God.

On the sad and the lonely, the wretched and poor,  
The voice of the Christ-child shall fall,  
And to every blind wanderer open the door  
Of hope that he dared not dream of before,  
With a sunshine of welcome for all.

The feet of the humblest may walk in the field  
Where the feet of the holiest trod,  
This, then, is the marvel to mortals revealed  
When the silvery trumpets of Christmas have pealed  
That mankind are the children of God.

### Masons Will Meet.

Carrizozo Lodge No. 41, A. F. & A. M., will hold their regular communication on Saturday night, the 27th. inst. On Monday night, the 27th. inst., a public installation of the officers of the lodge will take place, to which all Master Masons and their friends are invited.

### LINCOLN LOCALS.

Attorney A. H. Hudspeth and Forest Supervisor J. H. Kinney spent several days in Lincoln this week on business.

Miss Mildred Peters, of Carrizozo, is expected to spend the holidays with Miss Genevieve Riggie here at Lincoln.

Dr. J. W. Laws is adding a big dining room to his sanatorium and leaves nothing undone to make it attractive and neat in every particular.

Wm. F. A. Gierke left last Thursday to spend the holidays in Carrizozo, partly on business and partly on pleasure. He expects to return next week.

Mrs. Alvina Almdares, who has been living with her son several miles above Lincoln, died Monday, the 20th, of old age. Her remains were interred in the Lincoln cemetery on Tuesday.

Prof. O. T. Nye, principal of the Lincoln schools, left last Thursday to spend the holidays "at home" at McIntosh, N. M., up in the Estancia valley, where he is the proud possessor of one of the finest farms in that part of the country.

### PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

**R. C. DRYDEN**  
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON  
Office Hours 9 to 11 a. m. and 2 to 4 p. m.  
Office in Gierke Bldg.  
Carrizozo : : New Mexico.

**FRANK J. SAGER**  
FIRE INSURANCE  
Notary Public.  
Office in Exchange Bank Carrizozo.

**HEWITT & HUDSPETH**  
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW  
White Oaks : : New Mexico

**G. W. HALL**  
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW  
Corporation and Mining Law a Specialty.  
Notary in Office.  
Bank Building, Carrizozo.

**GEORGE SPENCE**  
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW  
Office in Bank Building  
Carrizozo New Mexico

**W. F. A. GIERKE**  
ATTORNEY AT LAW  
Carrizozo New Mexico.

**DR. F. S. RANGLES**  
—DENTIST—  
Office in Bank Building  
Carrizozo, - - New Mexico

**FRANK E. THEURER**  
County Surveyor  
The only bonded Surveyor in Lincoln County  
Claims Surveyed.  
Loans Insurance  
Carrizozo New Mexico.

**S. J. WOODLAND**  
CONTRACTOR & BUILDER  
Estimates Furnished.  
Carrizozo, New Mexico.

**NEID & LITTLE**  
CONTRACTORS & BUILDERS  
Plans and Estimates on all classes of Buildings  
furnished on short notice,  
Carrizozo, New Mexico.

**R. L. RANSOM**  
PLASTERER AND CONTRACTOR  
Estimates Furnished on all kinds of plastering and cement work.  
Carrizozo - - - New Mexico.

### Notice !

All parties indebted to us for accounts due more than 30 days are requested to call before January 10, 1910, and settle same, either in cash or by a satisfactory note.  
CARRIZOZO TRAD. CO.

FURNISHED ROOM—Large furnished room for rent; outside door. See J. F. Kimbell.

FOR SALE—Some good cord wood. See H. S. CAMPBELL. 3-12.

## McDONALD ADDITION

Lots 25 and 50 x 130 Feet.

When you buy a lot here it is 130 feet long, facing on a street 80 feet wide, whether for a home or for a business location.

Investigate before you buy.

A Square Deal Guaranteed.

W. C. McDONALD. Office in "Oriental" Bldg.

## That Lame Back Means Kidney Disease

And to Relieve the Lame and Aching Back, You Must First Relieve the Kidneys

There is no question about that at all—for the lame and aching back is caused by a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder. It is only common sense, any way—that you must cure a condition by removing the cause of the condition. And lame and aching back are not by any means the only symptoms of derangement of the kidneys and bladder. There are a multitude of well-known and unmistakable indications of a more or less dangerous condition. Some of these are, for instance: Extreme and unnatural lassitude and weariness, nervous irritability, heart irregularity, "nerves on edge," sleeplessness and inability to secure rest, scalding sensation and sediment in the urine, inflammation of the bladder and passages, etc.

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills are an exceptionally meritorious remedy for any and all affections or diseased conditions of these organs. These Pills operate directly and promptly—and their beneficial results are at once felt.

They regulate, purify, and effectually heal and restore the kidneys, bladder and liver, to perfect and healthy condition—even in some of the most advanced cases.



E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, Ill., want every man and woman who have the least suspicion that they are afflicted with kidney and bladder diseases to at once write them, and a trial box of these Pills will be sent free by return mail postpaid.

For Sale at Dr. Paden's Drug Store and Rolland Bros.

### Mining Application No. 020698.

United States Land Office,  
Roswell, New Mexico,  
November 11, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that Chicago and Santa Fe Smelting and Mining Company, by John Y. Hewitt, its attorney-in-fact, whose postoffice is White Oaks, Lincoln county, New Mexico, has this day filed its application for a patent for the Hawkeye Group of mining claims, consisting of the Hawkeye Lode for 1270.90 feet, and the Red Rose Lode for 1254.15 feet of said veins, bearing gold, together with surface ground as shown on the plat on file in this office, situated in Jicarilla Mining District, Lincoln county, New Mexico, and described by the field notes on file in this office as Survey No. 1388, in unsurveyed township No. 5 S. range 12 E. New Mexico Principal Meridian. Said Survey No. 1388 being described as follows, to-wit:

#### HAWKEYE LODGE.

Beginning at corner No. 1, whence the standard quarter section corner on the south side of section 34, township 5 S. range 12 E of New Mexico Principal Meridian, bears south 27° 53' west 5573.95 feet.

Thence north 16° 24' west 1259.7 feet to corner No. 2.

Thence north 58° 16' east, var. 13° 10' east, 477.55 feet to corner No. 3.

Thence south 22° 36' east, var. 14° east, 1259.81 feet to corner No. 4.

Thence south 58° 16' west 618.50 feet to corner No. 1, the place of beginning.

Area of this the Hawkeye Lode claim, 15.690 acres.

#### RED ROSE LODGE.

Beginning at corner No. 1, whence the quarter section corner on the south side of section 34, township 5 S. range 12 E. New Mexican Principal Meridian bears south 15° 50' west 6730.11 feet.

Thence N. 10° 53' E, 383.30 feet to corner No. 2.

Thence S. 65° 21' E., 1254.15 feet to corner No. 3.

Thence S. 10° 53' W., var. 14° E., 383.30 feet to corner No. 4.

Thence N. 65° 21' W. 1254.15 feet to corner No. 1, the place of beginning.

Saving and excepting from this claim all that portion thereof in conflict with the Hawkeye Lode of this survey. Net area of this the Red Rose Lode 9,112 acres. Total area of this group, 24,802 acres.

Each of said mining claims is of record in the office of the Recorder of said Lincoln county, New Mexico.

The adjoining claims, so far as known, are on the east, Meadow Lark Lode, Zig Zag Lode, and public lands; on the north, Hard Luck Lode and public lands; on the west, Belle of New Mexico Lode, Hard Luck Lode and public lands; on the south, Belle of New Mexico Lode, Ready Cash and public lands.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the mining ground, veins, lodes, premises or any portion thereof so described, surveyed, platted and applied for, are hereby notified that unless their adverse claims are duly filed according to law and the regulations thereunder, with the Register of the United States Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, during the sixty-days period of the publication hereof, they will be barred by reason of the statutes.

T. C. TILLOTSON, Register.

First pub. Nov. 19-9t

Take care of your stomach. Let Kodol digest all the food you eat. For that is what Kodol does. Every tablespoonful of Kodol digests 2¼ pounds of food. Try it today. It is garranteed to relieve you or your money back. Sold at Paden's drug store and Rolland Bros.

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Cane Granulated Sugar " 6.15	Wholesale and Retail <b>GENERAL MERCHANDISE</b>	Stetson Hats
Pride of Denver Flour " 3.30		Boots and Shoes
Imboden's Best Flour " 3.35		Dry Goods
Pratt's Best Flour " 3.30		Etc., Etc.
Club House Flour " 3.20		
These prices subject to change without notice.		<hr/>  <hr/> Farming Implements Farm Wagons Iron Roofing Chicken Netting

## WELCH & TITSWORTH.

CAPITAN.

### Last Week's Storm.

The past week has been one of the coldest experienced in this part for a number of years, the mercury dropping below the zero mark on several days. Monday morning the thermometer registered 12 below. About three inches of snow fell, which caused a considerable shrinkage in range cattle, which was offset, however by the amount of moisture left in the ground. The storm was general throughout the territory, extending into Texas on the south, and Arizona on the west. It was accompanied by a piercing northeast wind, which stopped all outside labor. Some losses of live stock have been reported. These, however, are slight and compared with the amount of good accomplished by the snow fall, amount to very little.

The atmosphere, however, cleared up by Thursday and the usual number of Carrizozo shoppers were seen around buying their Christmas goods, etc. Although the stores were almost deserted the first days of the week, a large business was done during the last days.

Will Ferguson, of the Mesa, was down this week loading up with Christmas supplies for his ranch.

### A Sudden Death.

This (Friday) morning, the spirit of a bride of two short months took its flight to the Great Beyond. The deceased was the wife of Elmer Jones, a carpenter who has been a resident of Carrizozo for two or more years. Mr. Jones, since his return from Tennessee, purchased an interest in the Winfield grocery store. He has a residence in course of construction on the east side. Mrs. Jones had been ill only a few days and her death was unexpected.

Mr. Jones has the sympathy of the entire community on his loss on the eve of Christmas.

A Merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

The NEWS extends to all its patrons the compliments of the season.

Uncle Tom Henley and George Akers were among those who were down from Nogal yesterday.

S. T. Gray, Dr. E. J. Cowart, O. D. Wood, E. E. Nichols and Newt Kemp were over from Capitan Wednesday.

Miss Frances McDonald has returned from Wolfe Hall Seminary of Denver, to spend the holidays here with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McCourt, of El Paso, are spending the holidays here with relatives.

A ball and supper will be given at Nogal Christmas night, the 25th. inst.

Wm. F. A. Gierke came over from Lincoln yesterday to spend the holidays here, and to assist in the installation of officers in the Masonic lodge on Monday.

The drawing of the big doll to be given away by the Carrizozo Trading Co., will take place in the Carrizozo pool hall, Friday afternoon, Dec. 24. All parties having tickets are requested to be present.

Though many people did not notice the fact, Tuesday was the shortest day of the year, and one of the coldest. Had the sun risen on that day instead of hiding behind a dull grey blanket, it would have made its appearance at 6:59 a.m., and should have disappeared in the west at 4:59 p.m.

Owing to the deep snow and severity of the weather, the superintendent of schools of this county finds it impossible to make a personal visit to all the schools under his jurisdiction. However, he expects the weather will moderate, and he will be able to visit most of them before the close of the year.

Another proof that the past week has been the coldest here in many years comes from Angus. A. C. Austin, of the Bonito Fruit Farm at that place, states that during his sixteen years residence in the Bonito valley, he does not remember colder weather. On three successive days during the past week the thermometer registered 20 degrees below zero, with a snow fall of nine inches.

The past week has proven that Carrizozo is the coming market town of Lincoln county. Wagons, loaded with produce, came in day after day from all parts of the country, all of which was quickly disposed of at good prices. There were loads of young pigs, turkeys and vegetables. Most of the money received for the stuff was exchanged for merchandise in the stores—that's business.

W. A. Connor, the Sheleyville miner and promoter, spent several days in town this week. He seemed to be very optimistic about the mining industries in this country during the coming year. Considerable development work is being done in his immediate district, and reports from other districts are to the effect that assessment work is being rushed so as to finish up by December 31.

### Taking Care of Yourself.

There never was a time when people paid as much attention to their health and strength as they do now. Time was when fine stock and fine horses were fed more carefully than human beings.

The result of properly balanced rations has worked wonders with stock and recent experiments are proving that the same thing is true of mankind.

It has been found that Quaker Scotch Oats eaten often and regularly taking the place of heavy, greasy foods will work wonders in the health and strength of a family.

School children fed frequently on Quaker Scotch Oats thrive physically and are always capable of the best work at school. For athletes, laborers, it is the best food. One of the attractive features of Quaker Scotch Oats is the perfect way it is packed. Besides the regular size package there is the large size family package. 10

### New England Pie.

Some poor dweller in the benighted beyond of Chicago asks what a real New England pie is like. It probably will not help him to be told, but if he means apple, it is like an essay by Emerson liquefied with the music of Massenet and spiced with the cynicism of Shaw; if he means pumpkin, it is like some of Gounod's music heard in a landscape all sun and flowers. It is too early yet to describe the mince pies of 1909, but last year's—and last year was not an extraordinary good year—were like an increase in salary, and a present from home arriving on the day when one's conscience was behaving itself.—Boston Globe.

### Suspicious.

The father of Judge W. H. Wadhams had a chicken-coop and a dog and a stable hand. It began to look to Mr. Wadhams as though some one had discovered the combination. So he kept the coop and the stable hand, but he got a new dog. Next day the bent old negro who groomed the Wadhams' horses came to him. "You los' your affection for me, boss?" he asked. "No, Scipio," said Mr. Wadhams. "I like you as well as ever." "Then," said Scipio, peevishly, "w'yn't you tie Old Rover in de chicken-coop, 'stid of dat new dorg?"

### Bridge.

Miss Cheatham—I believe I shall have to give up bridge.

Miss Frank—Really? Wasn't the game worth the scandal?

### CAREFUL DOCTOR Prescribed Change of Food Instead of Drugs.

It takes considerable courage for a doctor to deliberately prescribe only food for a despairing patient, instead of resorting to the usual list of medicines.

There are some truly scientific physicians among the present generation who recognize and treat conditions as they are and should be treated regardless of the value to their pockets. Here's an instance:

"Four years ago I was taken with severe gastritis and nothing would stay on my stomach, so that I was on the verge of starvation.

"I heard of a doctor who has a summer cottage near me—a specialist from N. Y., and as a last hope, sent for him.

"After he examined me carefully he advised me to try a small quantity of Grape-Nuts at first, then as my stomach became stronged to eat more.

"I kept at it, and gradually got so I could eat and digest three teaspoonfuls. Then I began to have color in my face, memory became clear, where before everything seemed a blank. My limbs got stronger and I could walk. So I steadily recovered.

"Now, after a year on Grape-Nuts I weigh 153 lbs. My people were surprised at the way I grew fleshy and strong on this food."

Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

"There's a Reason."

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

### GOOD IDEA FOR A SALAD

#### Tomato Jelly with Gelatine Makes a Most Appetizing Dish for Luncheon.

Tomato jelly with gelatine may be cut in squares and served with lettuce and celery and mayonnaise for a salad. It is easily made by dissolving half a box of gelatine in a cupful of cold water. Cook the tomato, season and strain it, and then heat it again. Use a quart of this to the cup of gelatine and stir well until the latter is all dissolved. Pour into shallow dishes or little molds and serve in individual dishes prettily arranged.

An old fashioned way to make tomato jelly without gelatine is to fill a stone jar with ripe tomatoes sliced. Cover it tightly, put the jar in a pot of water, and boil four or five hours. Strain the juice through a fine sieve and to each pint of juice put a pound of brown sugar. Add the whites of six eggs to each gallon of juice and boil until thick; then put it in glasses. This is a rich, odd jelly. If preferred more spicy, put only half as much sugar, pepper and salt to taste, and mace and nutmeg.

### The Home.

When suede shoes become worn or shiny rub them with emery paper and they will look like new.

Steam white mercerized cotton floss to shrink it. Place it in the steamer, allow it to steam for one hour and then dry it.

To make a green mayonnaise blend chopped parsley with butter until it is a bright green. Omit yellow of egg or catchup.

While beating rugs, it is an excellent and hygienic plan to fasten a handkerchief over the nose and mouth, which will prevent the inhaling of dust.

Sun blinds and shades should be unrolled and examined to see if they require mending or cleaning. The best way to mend a tear is to paste a piece of the same material on at the back.

Spots in light dresses may be generally removed by laying on them a paste of fuller's earth and eau de cologne. Let it dry before brushing off. If necessary make a second application.

A strong tea and common hay is said to preserve the color of French linens. Put vinegar in the rinsing water for pink or green calicoes to brighten them. Soda answers the same purpose for purple and blue.

If the loaves of bread are a little too light and in danger of running over cut strips of heavy brown paper three or four inches wide, grease one side and pin around the loaf, being careful that it does not touch the side of the oven.

### Lexington Sweet Potatoes.

Bake sweet potatoes until well done, cut a slice of the peeling from the side of each potato, scoop out the potato into a hot pan, mash well, with a large lump of butter, a dash of cinnamon, a pinch of salt, a little sherry wine to moisten, and, unless the potatoes are very sweet, a little sugar to taste. Return the mashed potato to the empty shells and place in the oven for ten minutes or until the mashed potato has browned.

### Maple Blanc Mange.

Mix five level tablespoons of cornstarch with 1½ cups of maple syrup until smooth; add one saltspoon of salt and one-half saltspoon of soda, and turn the mixture slowly into one quart of scalding milk. Cook for 20 minutes, stirring frequently; pour it into small wet molds and serve cold with cream, either plain or whipped.

### To Shape the Eggs.

When poaching eggs add a little vinegar to the water, besides salt. This sets the eggs and keeps them in good shape.

### A BOY TO ADMIRE.



Gallant Bob (slipping from his father's knee in the car, to lady)—Won't you take my place, madam?

### Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

### Undoubtedly Not.

Capt. Jerome, while visiting Col. Higginson, took a derringer from the table, and asked: "This thing loaded?" But before the colonel could reply the weapon was discharged, the bullet tearing away one of the fingers of the visitor. The colonel, who is widely known on account of his extreme politeness, bowed gracefully, and rejoined: "Not now, my dear captain."

### Lucky Christopher.

Columbus told his greatest joy. "I have made an Atlantic trip without tips," he cried. Herewith he pitied those who were to follow him.

The next time you feel that swallowing sensation, the sure sign of sore throat, gargle Hamlin's Wizard Oil immediately with three parts water. It will save you days and perhaps weeks of misery.

Difficulties may surround our path, but if the difficulties be not in ourselves, they may generally be overcome.—Jewett.

### PERRY DAVIS' PAINKILLER

should be taken without delay when sore chest and tickling throat warn you that an annoying cold threatens. At all druggists in 25c, 50c and 50c bottles.

A man likes a giggling girl about as well as he does a crying baby.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets, small, sugar-coated, easy to take as candy, regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Do not gripe.

A little learning makes a bore doubly tiresome.

# OWES HER LIFE TO

## Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Vienna, W. Va.—"I feel that I owe the last ten years of my life to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



Eleven years ago I was a walking shadow. I had been under the doctor's care but got no relief. My husband persuaded me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it worked like a charm. It relieved all my pains and misery. I advise all suffering women to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. EMMA WHEATON, Vienna, W. Va.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, contains no narcotics or harmful drugs, and to-day holds the record for the largest number of actual cures of female diseases of any similar medicine in the country, and thousands of voluntary testimonials are on file in the Pinkham laboratory at Lynn, Mass., from women who have been cured from almost every form of female complaints, inflammation, ulceration, displacements, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, indigestion and nervous prostration. Every such suffering woman owes it to herself to give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial.

If you would like special advice about your case write a confidential letter to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free, and always helpful.

## Oh! That Awful Gas

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## A GREAT ANNOYANCE.

**Kidney Disease Shows Many Painful and Unpleasant Symptoms.**

George S. Crowell, 1109 Broadway, Helena, Mont., says: "I was troubled with a disordered condition of the kidneys, some backache and irregular passages of secretions. At times I was obliged to get up out of bed at night, and the urine was unnatural in appearance. On the advice of a friend I procured Doan's Kidney Pills and began using them. This remedy helped me at once, strengthened my kidneys and corrected the disordered condition."

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## DIFFERENT.



Mr. Wholesale (indignantly)—What's that? You say the cash is not correct. I always thought that bookkeeper was a rascal, and was robbing me.

Expert Accountant—The cash is \$50 over, sir.

Mr. Wholesale—O, well, just give me that and say nothing to him about it. Perhaps he's forgotten to draw some of his salary.

## SKIN TROUBLES CURED.

**Two Little Girls Had Eczema Very Badly—In One Case Child's Hair Came Out and Left Bare Patches.**

**Cuticura Met with Great Success.**

"I have two little girls who have been troubled very badly with eczema. One of them had it on her lower limbs. I did everything that I could hear of for her, but it did not give in until warm weather, when it seemingly subsided. The next winter when it became cold the eczema started again and also in her head where it would take the hair out and leave bare patches. At the same time her arms were sore the whole length of them. I took her to a physician, but the child grew worse all the time. Her sister's arms were also affected. I began using Cuticura Remedies, and by the time the second lot was used their skin was soft and smooth. Mrs. Charles Baker, Albion, Me., Sept. 21, '08."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

## Mind Over Matter.

"Much may be done," said the Acute Observer, "by an authoritative voice. Now, if a man says to a dog: 'Come here!' with a note of absolute authority in his voice, the dog comes immediately."

"Yes," said the Traveler, "I've noticed it. And it is especially marked in oriental peoples. Why, when I was in Khalisandjharo, I heard a man say with that authoritative note in his tone: 'Oh, king, live forever,' and immediately the king lived forever."—Carolyn Wells, in Success Magazine.

## Getting in Deep.

The ladies devoted to reform were in session.

"I believe," said one, "that only good men should be permitted to marry."

"But," interposed a second, "would not such a radical policy be promotive of race suicide?"

On the instant they perceived that they had tackled a real problem.

## ABOUT THE SEWING MACHINE

**Regulation of the Tension is the All-Important Thing in Its Welfare.**

The hardest thing to regulate about your sewing machine is its tension. It must not be too tight nor too loose and should be screwed up or down, as the case may be, with care. Use a fold of the material you are working on, instead of a hem or seam, to experiment with. Thread the machine with silk or thread appropriate to the gown you are making.

Shorten or lengthen your stitch as desired; if it draws, the tension should be made looser. Sometimes it is the upper and sometimes the lower thread that pulls. Find out which before attempting to adjust the tension.

A loosely sewed seam is more serviceable than one too tightly sewn, as the latter will snap and tear at the slightest provocation.

In sewing silk goods all seams require the loosest possible tension.

This is also true in sewing chiffons and thin goods. Seams on which there is a strain will give more if sewn loosely.

## RECIPE FOR PERFECT COFFEE

**How the Beverage Is Prepared in the Most Famous of Viennese Cafes.**

The Viennese are famous for their "cafe au lait," and there are many restaurants in London where the real thing can be partaken of.

Here the process, though simple, is not so quick as that employed by other coffee makers.

The freshly ground coffee is put into a bag. On this boiling water is poured and kept constantly boiling for half an hour. The steam should be allowed to escape without losing the flavor of the coffee. The bag in the water should be thoroughly squeezed and then removed.

In the patent vessels used in the big Viennese cafes the bag is squeezed gradually and automatically.

The milk should be boiled separately and be boiling when added to the coffee. The top of the coffee should then be covered with whipped cream.

## Saving Pillow Cases.

Every housewife knows how soon pillow cases wear out, but it took a remarkably clever woman to see at a glance how she could prolong their lives. When her pillow cases are beginning to show signs of wear she takes out the seam at the bottom of the case and turns it round, so that the side seams come directly up in the middle. Then she re-seams the bottom.

It is easy to see that this will bring the side of the pillow under the head, where the wear will come, so the pillow case will last longer. A better idea could not be found, and who minds sewing up a pillow case seam?

## Strips of Veal Breaded.

Cut lean veal into pieces the size of large oysters. Make a seasoning of pepper, salt and a little mace and rub over each piece. Dip each piece in beaten egg, then in cracker crumbs four times instead of twice. Let them stand and dry well, after dipping them twice before dipping them the last time. Fry carefully in hot butter and lard. Take up on a hot platter and squeeze a little lemon juice over all.

## A Pretty Dessert.

A pretty dessert served as a vegetarian dinner last summer was made by forming circles of boiled rice on little fruit plates, piling up strawberries in the center of each, and pouring over it a ladleful of pineapple juice well sweetened with sugar. All the ingredients were ice-cold, and the dish proved as refreshing as it was delicious.—Woman's Home Companion.

## India Relish.

India relish mixed with cream salad dressing makes a nice filling for sandwiches that are served with coffee.

## Chloroform Zoo Animals.

The practice of cutting the claws of the more ferocious animals of the London zoological garden has recently been greatly facilitated by chloroforming the animals. Heretofore it was done by sheer force by a squad of men, the animal being first secured by ropes.

## Social Progress.

"The Pilters are getting on rapidly, aren't they?"

"Indeed, yes. They used to employ a washerwoman, but now they have a laundress."—Rehoboth Sunday Herald.

## Comparative Honors.

First Freshman—Prexie has asked me to dinner next Sunday.

Second Freshman—That's nothing. The football captain just bowed to me.—Yale Record.

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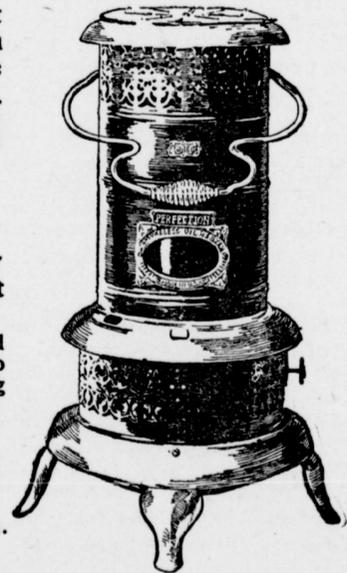
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**GIVE HER A PAIR OF FEET.**

Make a Merry Christmas for Her.

The suggestion is a little late but if the plan is followed it will not be too late to do good and make one little one happy.

The best gift to a person in ill health would be health; the best gift to a deformed person would be a restoration of sound members of the body.



The accompanying likeness is that of a little girl in the Children's Home at Albuquerque. Her mother was deserted by her husband, and besides this little deformed tot, had several other children to care for. The Children's Home Society, a charitable institution at Albuquerque, took this wee girlie in its protecting care, and is now appealing to friends of the society to give this unfortunate a pair of feet. She will never be able to walk unless a successful operation is performed, and it is to secure the means for this operation that this appeal is made.

Can she be cured? Doctors say she can, and the Chief Surgeon of the Santa Fe, Dr. J. B. Kaster, has outlined a plan by the celebrated bloodless method of surgery, where she can in a thrice repeated operation, and a year of nursing, be given the use of her feet and thus enable her to enjoy life as other children.

The Children's Home Society, an organization which is trying to save the orphan and homeless children anywhere in the Southwest, which has already placed many children in good homes for adoption, found this little girl, and although this surgical work is not ordinarily a part of its work, could not pass her by, and so she is now in the care of the Society at the Receiving Home.

There are many other little ones under their care, but Minnie will need special nurse and ex-

pensive care, it will cost hundreds of dollars to cure her. The Society, which is dependent on public contributions for its support must have this money given if the cure is to be given; they will do the work and give the patient care necessary.

Do you want a share in this beautiful Christmas present? Sunday and day schools, Benevolent Societies, Lodges and individuals are asked to send their help for this little girl. Make out your check or money order to Dr. C. E. Lukens, Superintendent Children's Home Society, Albuquerque, N. M., or ask the editor of your paper to send it for you, full credit will be given, the editor of this paper knows about the work being done and freely gives this space to aid the cause of humanity.

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