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"Jim" Hall Appointed

Judge James A. Hall has been appointed as chairman of the fifth Liberty Loan campaign committee, and he left Sunday morning for El Paso, Texas, to meet with the various government officials and chairman of other districts, for the purpose of organizing for the most effective work. Judge Hall will have a much more difficult problem to confront than his predecessors, owing to the fact that people will respond more liberally while the country is actually at war than they will after hostilities have ceased, however, this is a very unpatriotic view to take of the matter. Those soldier boys left for France with the firm conviction that they could safely entrust their needs to an honest and patriotic, as well as sympathetic country. They left to give their lives, if necessary, in defense of country and home, and now to leave them stranded in a foreign land without money or means of getting home after having carried our colors victoriously throughout the war and to finally have planted them on the walls of the imperial palace of the Hohenzollern, would be a crime that would put a stain on the fair name of America for countless ages. Be an American. Help Jim Hall to raise our full quota of this fifth loan.

Elbert Lee Sandefer Dead

Last Saturday J. H. Sandefer, received word from Wichita Falls, Texas, that his son, Elbert Lee, was very sick at that place and he accordingly wired tickets for him and a companion with instructions to bring him home at once. John Allison, to whom the wire was addressed, started immediately upon receiving the tickets, and had proceeded on the homeward journey as far as Amarillo, Texas, at which place Mr. Sandefer died in the depot. The father and mother of the deceased went to Amarillo Monday and brought the remains home and funeral services were conducted from the undertaking parlors of Ed J. Neer and held under the direction of the Woodmen of the World. The cause of the death was organic heart trouble. Mr. Sandefer, or "Buck" as he was more familiarly known, had been a citizen of Portales for many years and enjoyed many friends. He was a few days over twenty-four years of age and had served for a time in the army of the United States during the late war, and was given his honorable discharge by reason of having organic heart trouble. The relatives of the deceased have the sympathy of a large number of friends.

Can You Beat It

Last Tuesday Portales experienced about all the different kinds of weather provided for in the almanac. We had warm weather in the morning, and all the different degrees from warm to freezing, between that time and night. It was also calm in the morning with snow, sunshine and clouds, dry under foot and knee deep in snow. There is nothing to it, you can't beat New Mexico for climate any more than we can beat the Republicans for office.

Another Republican Row

What promises to be one of the bitterest Republican rows since the days of territorial government has developed at Santa Fe. The shindy arose over the appointment of a county road overseer for Roosevelt county. Lindsey, as former chief executive, claims that he has some rights and that he should be consulted as to this appointment, while Captain T.J. Molinari, as chairman of the county Republican organization, should say what's what, and who's who. The Santa Fe New Mexican, the avowed mouthpiece of the state Republican organization, has been following to say about the matter;

"Look who's here; ex-governor Lindsey demands recognition.

Former executive believes he is entitled to consideration in home county of Roosevelt in matter of appointment of road superintendent; goes to map with Molinari.

More bitter than any other patronage fight which has come before the chief executive of the state since the Republicans took over control last January is that as to who shall be the road superintendent for Roosevelt county. Acting Governor Pankey is having a lot of grief in trying to figure out whether to recognize the Molinari faction, or the Republicans who are aligned down there with former Governor Lindsey.

"Both sides are raising plenty of dust by way of telegrams and letters. Lindsey is behind Earl McCollum, a transfer man, and Molinari is supporting W. H. Ball, occupation not stated, but who is in town looting after his own interests.

"Perusal of the files in the case shows that such few Republicans as there are in Roosevelt county are playing safe, many of them endorsing both men and leaving it up to the leaders to fight it out.

"Molinari thus far has been pretty strong with the administration. He managed to get a field agency from the state tax commission for himself; his son, Temple Molinari was made gasoline inspector for the fifth judicial district, and his son-in-law has a position in the land office here in Santa Fe.

"Lindsey, since he retired from office has taken no part in politics, was not here during the session of the legislature and has asked for no recognition previously.

"Now it is understood he takes the position that, as the only previous republican governor of New Mexico, he is entitled to recognition in his home county.

"There has long been a bitter personal and political disagreement between Governor Lindsey and Captain Molinari which even was carried to the length in the Republican state convention here last fall that Molinari, though instructed for Lindsey for governor by his home county, openly fought him throughout the convention's deliberations.

UNCLE DON'T LIKE IT

"Uncle Ben Pankey, anxious to please everybody, is heartily wishing Governor Larrazolo had settled this mess before going to Mineral Wells, but he is tackling it courageously and will doubt-

less make the appointment before the end of next week.

"The argument that the Molinaris have had a whole lot so far under his administration and that the former Republican governor is entitled either to have his man named or else regard its refusal as a polite hint to get out of the party entirely is said to be having its weight with the acting governor and seems at this phase of the fight to give the Lindsey aspirant slightly the best of it.

"Lindsey failed to get Republicans to endorse candidate.

"Pankey appoints Ball Roosevelt county road superintendent and Molinari scores.

"The devoted head of Washington E. Lindsey, accustomed to many buffetings politically, acquired during the last two years, must feel natural or at least it will so feel when word gets to Portales, where the ex-governor is abiding, that Acting Governor Pankey has appointed W. H. Ball, road superintendent for Roosevelt county. There was a pretty fight waged there between Lindsey and Captain Molinari for control of the appointment and for the fourth time under this administration Molinari reaps the joys of victory. Governor Pankey in making the appointment said he would have favored the former governor if he possibly could have done so but that Lindsey was about the only Republican who endorsed McCollum, while Ball had the backing of all the leading Republicans of Roosevelt county and of the Republican county central committee.

"This closes up the matter of county road superintendents until the return to the state of Governor Larrazolo as Pankey has announced he will not make the selections in Taos and Dona Ana counties.

At One Dollar Per Year

The board of county commissioners say that a Republican legislature may lead a Democratic horse to water, but that it cannot always make him drink. The last bunch of Republican Bolsheviks passed an act which created the office of county road superintendent and fixed the maximum salary that might be drawn under that act, but it failed to provide any minimum. This act also provides that the salary of this officer must be paid by the county in which said superintendent works, but that he shall be appointed by the governor, in other words Roosevelt county would be compelled to provide a salary for a henchman of the Republican ring without having any voice in the selection of the recipient of that salary. At the meeting just adjourned the commissioners, by resolution, placed such salary at one dollar per annum, the resolution being unanimously adopted.

Victor Crowell, who has been working in the munition plants at Nashville, Tennessee, arrived the latter part of last week and will stay in Portales during the coming summer.

Judge J. C. Compton, Frank Warnica and Fred Broadhead left Thursday morning for Santa Rosa, to attend District court.

PAINT AS AN ASSET.

Bankers Say They Lend More Money on Property When Buildings Are Well Painted.

AN INDICATION OF THRIFT.

Does it pay to paint carefully farm buildings? Does it add to the selling value of a farm when buildings are properly kept up and regularly painted? A careful inquiry of a number of leading bankers in the Mississippi valley, including such states as Iowa, Illinois, Michigan, Ohio, Indiana and Missouri, reveals the fact that in nearly every case the bankers did not hesitate to say that they would lend all the way from 5 to 50 per cent. more on land where farm buildings were well painted and kept in good condition. They maintain that well kept-up and well painted buildings and fences are an indication of thrift and that the thrifty farmer is a good client, and to him money can be safely loaned. An average of the returns from these bankers shows that the increased loan value because of painted buildings is around 22 per cent.

Some of these bankers make interesting comment. A Michigan banker says that, while not especially prepared to advise definitely in response to this inquiry, the officers would loan more money on farms where buildings were painted than where they were not so treated. This bank also finds that where houses, barns and fences are well taken care of the farm is a profitable proposition, and bankers in general consider the farmer a good client. Another Michigan bank says "farm buildings out of repair and needing paint indicate that the owner is slow pay." Such farms are rated at about one-third of the assessed value for loans. Where the farm buildings are in good shape the rating is one-half. The president of a middle western bank says that when real estate loans are considered, painted buildings are always taken into consideration in making an estimate. The general appearance of the property surrounding the house and barn and also the fields and fences would be carefully observed. He further says that he has no hesitancy in saying that he would absolutely refuse a loan on farms where the buildings were not kept up and well painted. In his judgment, unpainted farm buildings would reduce the loan value at least 25 per cent.

A Minnesota banker says that he is much more willing to loan money where the buildings are well painted. In his particular case he believes that he would loan 20 per cent. more than if the buildings were not properly taken care of. A farmer who will keep his buildings painted takes a much deeper interest in his work than one who does not. Another Minnesota bank says that well painted buildings have resulted in securing from his bank sometimes as high as 25 per cent. more money than where the buildings are not painted. An Ohio concern says that it will loan 25 per cent. more money on a well kept farm where buildings are painted at least once every five years. A southern Illinois bank says that it has no fixed rule about this, but it does make a decided difference when owners of farm lands apply for loans. If the buildings are well painted and thus well preserved the loan rate would not only be cheaper, but the amount of money borrowed would be larger. A northern Illinois bank does not hesitate to say that it would loan fully 50 per cent. more on a farm where buildings were well painted and in good order than where they were not. The vice president, who answers the inquiry, goes on to say: "There probably are many farmers good financially and morally who permit their buildings to remain unpainted, but as a rule the most substantial people who live in the country keep their buildings well painted."

An Iowa bank, through its vice president, states that it would make a difference of at least 25 per cent. in favor of the farm with painted buildings. Another Iowa concern says that it would make a difference of at least 20 per cent.

All this being true, it is perfectly evident that it is a good business proposition to keep the farm buildings well painted. They not only look better and are more pleasing to the owner, but the farm would sell to better advantage, the loan value of the property would be greatly increased and the buildings themselves would last much longer and need less repair.—The American Agriculturist.

Of an Old Timer

Under a heading of "Men You Meet in Calexico," a newspaper of that place has the following, together with a double column cut of the subject of the sketch:

"You all know him, don't you? He's a good friend to most of us, but he is a very particular terror to law defiers. He's the chief of police of Calexico, California, and a deputy sheriff for the Calexico district, and he is about as well known in Baja California as in Southern California, for there is a considerable business between the two states in exchange of prisoners.

"There is a terse saying that poets are born, not made. Likewise expert police and detectives are born to their profession, and Mr. Boucher has inherited the gift of surveillance to a marked degree. His father before him was sheriff of Benton county, Arkansas, for ten years, when Enoch was a young man, away back when Benton county was historic for real bad men. After the young Boucher had graduated from his father's school he was employed successively for fifteen years in expert detective work in the states of Oklahoma and New Mexico, besides being a plain clothes man and a United States government agent.

"We have spoken of a good many years' service of Mr. Boucher, haven't we? But sh-sh-sh! He's grandpa. His oldest son is married and has a baby girl a few months old. The chief is a family man with a wife, three sons and a daughter."

Begin Work for Victory Loan

It would be well for Roosevelt county to bear in mind the Victory Loan drive which will be launched April 21st. We call this last the "Victory Liberty Loan." It is that and more. It is a thanksgiving loan. Indeed it is true that the fighting has stopped and the war is won, but the Allies and especially the American nation must keep it won.

The guns have ceased to fire; yes; yet, but for the commitments of the government at Washington their dreadful crash might today be disturbing the peace of the world. Hostilities have ceased but peace is not yet attained, or the work finished by any means. Germany is whipped, but we as Americans have still a duty. The same American spirit that loaned to its government eighteen billion dollars to date is invited by its government to again loan more money. Your country looks to you for one more supreme effort to secure the necessary means to sustain the army of devoted soldiers and to feed the millions of hungry people through the devastated countries of the east.

Take stock of your resources and be ready to state definitely just what you can do when the sales are opened.

The America that won the war must finish the job. The prize won, now we must protect it.

Think it over and be ready to do your part in putting the Victory Loan over the top in Roosevelt county.

WOMAN'S VICTORY LOAN COM.
Mrs. M. H. Campbell,
County Chairman

The Light in the Clearing

A Tale of the North Country in the Time of Silas Wright

By IRVING BACHELLER

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CHAPTER I—Continued.

I could only fall into his arms and express myself in the grief of childhood. He hugged me close and begged me to tell him what was the matter.

"That Wills boy stole my melon," I said, and the words came slow with sobs.

"Oh, no, he didn't," said Uncle Peabody.

"Yes he did. I saw a piece o' the tin."

"Well by—" said Uncle Peabody, stopping, as usual, at the edge of the precipice.

"He's a snake," I added.

"And you fit and he scratched you up that way?"

"I scratched him, too."

"Don't you say a word about it to Aunt Deel. Don't ever speak o' that miserable melon ag'in to anybody. You scoot around to the barn, an' I'll be there in a minute and fix ye up."

He went by the road with the tea and I ran around to the lane and up to the stable. Uncle Peabody met me there in a moment and brought a gill of water and washed my face so that I felt and looked more respectable.

The worst was over for that day, but the Baynes-Wills feud had begun. It led to many a fight in the school yard and on the way home. We were so evenly matched that our quarrel went on for a long time and gathered intensity as it continued.

One June day Uncle Peabody and I, from down in the fields, saw a fine carriage drive in at our gate. He stopped and looked intently.

"Jerusalem four-corners!" he exclaimed. "It's Mr. and Mrs. Horace Dunkelberg."

My heart beat fast at thought of the legendary Dunkelbergs. Uncle looked me over from top to toe. "Heavens!" he exclaimed. "Go down to the brook and wash the mud off yer feet an' legs."

I ran for the brook and before I had returned to my uncle I heard the horn blow.

"The Dunkelbergs!—the Dunkelbergs! Come quick!" it seemed to say.

Mr. Dunkelberg was a big, broad-shouldered, solemn-looking man. Somehow his face reminded me of a lion's which I had seen in one of my picture books. He had a thick, long, outstanding mustache and side whiskers, and deep-set eyes and heavy eyebrows. He stood for half a moment looking down at me from a great height with his right hand in his pocket. I heard a little jingle of coins down where his hand was. It excited my curiosity. He took a step toward me and I retreated. I feared, a little, this big, lion-like man. My fears left me suddenly when he spoke in a small sneaky voice that reminded me of the chirping of a bird.

"Little boy, come here and I will make you a present," said he.

It reminded me of my disappointment when uncle tried to shoot his gun at a squirrel and only the cap cracked.

I went to him and he laid a silver piece in the palm of my hand. Aunt Deel began to hurry about getting dinner ready while Uncle Peabody and I sat down on the porch with our guests, among whom was a pretty, blue-eyed girl of about my own age, with long, golden-brown hair that hung in curls.

"Sally, this is Barton Baynes—can't you shake hands with him?" said Mrs. Dunkelberg.

With a smile the girl came and offered me her hand and made a funny bow and said that she was glad to see me. I took her hand awkwardly and made no reply. I had never seen many girls and had no very high opinion of them.

As we sat there I heard the men talking about the great Silas Wright, who had just returned to his home in Canton. He had not entered my consciousness until then.

While I sat listening I felt a tweak of my hair, and looking around I saw the Dunkelberg girl standing behind me with a saucy smile on her face.

"Won't you come and play with me?" she asked.

I took her out in the garden to

BARTON MEETS THE DUNKELBERGS, INCLUDING PRETTY LITTLE GOLDEN-HAIRED SALLY.

Synopsis.—Barton Baynes, an orphan, goes to live with his uncle, Peabody Baynes, and his Aunt Deel on a farm on Rattleroad, in a neighborhood called Lickitysplit, about the year 1826.

show her where my watermelon had lain. At the moment I couldn't think of anything else to show her. As we walked along I observed that her feet were in dainty shiny button-shoes. Suddenly I began to be ashamed of my feet that were browned by the sunlight and scratched by the briars. The absent watermelon didn't seem to interest her.

"Let's play house in the grove," said she, and showed me how to build a house by laying rows of stones with an opening for a door.

"Now you be my husband," said she.

Oddly enough I had heard of husbands but had only a shadowy notion of what they were. I knew that there was none in our house.

"What's that?" I asked.

She laughed and answered: "Somebody that a girl is married to."

"You mean a father?"

"Yes."

"Once I had a father," I boasted.

"Well, we'll play we're married and that you have just got home from a journey. You go out in the woods and then you come home and I'll meet you at the door."

I did as she bade me but I was not glad enough to see her.

"You must kiss me," she prompted in a whisper.

I kissed her very swiftly and gingerly—like one picking up a hot coal—and she caught me in her arms and kissed me three times while her soft hair threw its golden veil over our faces.

"Oh, I'm so glad to see you," she said as she drew away from me and shook back her hair.

"Golly! this is fun!" I said.

"Now go to sleep and I'll tell you a story," said she.

Then she told pretty tales of fairies and of grand ladies and noble gentlemen who wore gold coats and swords and diamonds and silks, and said wonderful words in such a wonderful way. I dare say it prospered all the better in my ears because of the mystery by which its meanings were partly hidden. I had many questions to ask and she told me what were fairies and silks and diamonds and grand ladies and noble gentlemen.

We sat down to one of our familiar dinners of salt pork and milk gravy and apple pie now enriched by sweet pickles and preserves and frosted cake.

A query had entered my mind and soon after we had begun eating I asked:

"Aunt Deel, what is the difference between a boy and a girl?"

There was a little silence in which my aunt drew in her breath and exclaimed, "Why!" and turned very red and covered her face with her napkin. Uncle Peabody laughed so loudly that the chickens began to cackle. Mr. and Mrs. Dunkelberg also covered their faces. Aunt Deel rose and went to the stove and shoved the teapot along, exclaiming:

"Goodness gracious sakes alive!"

The tea slopped over on the stove. Uncle Peabody laughed louder and Mr. Dunkelberg's face was purple. Shep came running into the house just as I ran out of it. I had made up my mind that I had done something worse than tipping over a what-not. Thoroughly frightened I fled and took refuge behind the ash-house, where Sally found me. I knew of one thing I would never do again. She coaxed me into the grove where we had another play spell.

I needed just that kind of thing, and what a time it was for me! A pleasant sadness comes when I think of that day—it was so long ago. As the Dunkelbergs left us I stood looking down the road on which they were disappearing. That evening my ears caught a note of sadness in the voice of the katydids, and memory began to play its part with me. Best of all I remembered the kisses and the bright blue eyes and the soft curly hair with the smell of roses in it.

CHAPTER II.

I Meet the Silent Woman and Silas Wright, Jr.

Amos Grimshaw was there in our dooryard the day that the old ragged woman came along and told our fortunes—she was called Rovin' Kate, and was said to have the gift of "second sight," whatever that may be. It was a bright autumn day and the leaves lay deep in the edge of the woodlands. She spoke never a word but stood pointing at her palm and then at Amos and at me.

Aunt Deel nodded and said:

"Ayes, Kate—told their fortunes if ye've anything to say—ayes!"

She brought two sheets of paper and the old woman sat down upon the grass and began to write with a little stub of a pencil. I have now those fateful sheets of paper covered by

the scrawls of old Kate. I remember how she shook her head and sighed and sat beating her forehead with the knuckles of her bony hands after she had looked at the palm of Amos. Swiftly the point of her pencil ran over and up and down the sheet like the movements of a frightened serpent. In the silence how loudly the pencil seemed to hiss in its swift lines and loops.

My aunt exclaimed "Mercy!" as she looked at the sheet; for while I knew not, then, the strange device upon the paper, I knew, by and by, that it was a gibbet. Beneath it were the words: "Money thirst shall burn like a fire in him."

She rose and smiled as she looked into my face. I saw a kind, gentle glow in her eyes that reassured me. She clapped her hands with joy. She examined my palm and grew serious and stood looking thoughtfully at the setting sun.

I see, now, her dark figure standing against the sunlight as it stood that day with Amos in its shadow. What a singular eloquence in her pose and gestures and in her silence! I remember how it bound our tongues—that silence of hers!

The woman turned with a kindly smile and sat down in the grass again and took the sheet of paper and resting it on a yellow-covered book began to write these words:

"I see the longing of the helper. One, two, three, four great perils shall strike at him. He shall not be afraid. God shall fill his heart with laughter. I hear guns, I hear many voices. His name is in them. He shall be strong. The powers of



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darkness shall fear him, he shall be a lawmaker and the friend of God and of many people, and great men shall bow to his judgment and he shall—"

She began shaking her head thoughtfully and did not finish the sentence, and by and by the notion came to me that some unpleasant vision must have halted her pencil.

Aunt Deel brought some luncheon wrapped in paper and the old woman took it and went away. My aunt folded the sheets and put them in her trunk and we thought no more of them until—but we shall know soon what reminded us of the prophet woman.

The autumn passed swiftly. I went to the village one Saturday with Uncle Peabody in high hope of seeing the Dunkelbergs, but at their door we learned that they had gone up the river on a picnic. What a blow it was to me! Tears flowed down my cheeks and I clung to my uncle's hand and walked back to the main street of the village. A squad of small boys jeered and stuck out their tongues at me. It was pity for my sorrows, no doubt, that led Uncle Peabody to take me to the tavern for dinner, where they were assuaged by cakes and jellies and chicken pie.

At Christmas I got a picture-book and forty raisins and three sticks of candy with red stripes on them and a jew's-harp. That was the Christmas we went down to Aunt Liza's to spend the day and I helped myself to two pieces of cake when the plate was passed and cried because they all laughed at my greediness. It was the day when Aunt Liza's boy, Truman, got a silver watch and chain and her daughter Mary a gold ring, and when all the relatives were invited to come and be convinced, once and for all, of Uncle Roswell's prosperity, and be filled with envy and reconciled with jelly and preserves and roast

turkey with sage dressing and mince, and chicken pie. What an amount of preparation we had made for the journey, and how long we had talked about it!

In the spring my uncle hired a man to work for us—a nosy, brawny, sharp-featured fellow with keen gray eyes, of the name of Dug Draper. Aunt Deel hated him. I feared him but regarded him with great hope because he had a funny way of winking at me with one eye across the table and, further, because he could sing and did sing while he worked—songs that rattled from his lips in a way that amused me greatly. Then, too, he could rip out words that had a new and wonderful sound in them. I made up my mind that he was likely to become a valuable asset when I heard Aunt Deel saw to my Uncle Peabody:

"You'll have to send that log-far away, right now, ayes, I guess you will."

"Why?"

"Because this boy has learnt to swear like a pirate—ayes—he has!"

Uncle Peabody didn't know it but I myself had begun to suspect it, and that hour the man was sent away, and I remember that he left in anger with a number of those new words flying from his lips. A forced march to the upper room followed that event. Uncle Peabody explained that it was wicked to swear—that boys who did it had very bad luck, and mine came in a moment. I never had more of it come along in the same length of time.

After I ceased to play with the Wills boy Uncle Peabody used to say, often, it was a pity that I hadn't somebody of my own age for company. Every day I felt sorry that the Wills boy had turned out so badly, and I doubt not the cat and the shepherd dog and the chickens and Uncle Peabody also regretted his failures, especially the dog and Uncle Peabody, who bore all sorts of indignities for my sake.

One day when Uncle Peabody went for the mail he brought Amos Grimshaw to visit me. He was four years older than I—a freckled, red-haired boy with a large mouth and thin lips. He wore a silver watch and chain, which strongly recommended him in my view and enabled me to endure his air of condescension.

He let me feel it and look it all over and I slyly touched the chain with my tongue just to see if it had any taste to it, and Amos told me that his father had given it to him and that it always kept him "kind o' scurrit."

"Why?"

"For fear I'll break er lose it an' git licked," he answered.

He took a little yellow paper-covered book from his pocket and began to read to himself.

"What's that?" I ventured to ask by and by.

"A story," he answered. "I met a ragged ol' woman in the road t'other day an' she give me a lot of 'em and showed me the pictures an' I got to readin' 'em. Don't you tell anybody 'cause my ol' dad hates stories an' he'd lick me 'til I couldn't stan' if he knew I was readin' 'em."

I begged him to read out loud and he read from a tale of two robbers named Thunderbolt and Lightfoot who lived in a cave in the mountains. They were bold, free, swearing men who rode beautiful horses at a wild gallop and carried guns and used them freely and with unerring skill and helped themselves to what they wanted.

He stopped, by and by, and confided to me the fact that he thought he would run away and join a band of robbers.

"How do you run away?" I asked.

"Just take the turnpike and keep goin' toward the mountains. When ye meet a band o' robbers give 'em the sign an' tell 'em you want to join."

He went on with the book and read how the robbers had hung a captive who had persecuted them and interfered with their sport. The story explained how they put the rope around the neck of the captive and threw the other end of it over the limb of a tree and pulled the man into the air.

He stopped suddenly and demanded: "Is there a long rope here?"

I pointed to Uncle Peabody's hay rope hanging on a peg.

"Let's hang a captive," he proposed.

At first I did not comprehend his meaning. He got the rope and threw its end over the big beam. Our old shepherd dog had been nosing the mow near us for rats. Amos caught the dog who, suspecting no harm, came passively to the rope's end. He tied the rope around the dog's neck.

Barton gets into trouble at home and decides to run away. He has some interesting experiences before he returns home. Read about them in the next installment.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Alabama illicit whisky brings \$32 a quart, it is said.

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Plain Enough to Mother.

The Baby—"Googly-googly-googoo." The Mother—"Yes, indeed, dear, that's the public library."

Weekly Health Talks

A Single Remedy Often Cures Many Diseases

BY VALENTINE MOTT, M. D.

It is almost impossible to give a list of the endless diseases that follow indigestion. Perhaps a whole column in this newspaper would be required to print them all. You eat to keep alive—to supply blood and flesh and bone and muscle and brain. It is easy to see that if your food is not digested and taken up by the delicate organs and distributed where it is needed, a disease of some sort is sure to come. Dyspepsia is a common symptom, and so are liver complaint, loss of flesh, nervousness, bad memory, dizziness, sleeplessness, no appetite. Many times, when neglected, indigestion results in coughs, throat diseases, catarrh, bronchitis and even more dangerous things. And all these disorders arise because the food is not properly digested in the stomach. It is plain even to a child that relief and cure are to be had only by setting up a healthy condition in the stomach. Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., many years ago combined a number of vegetable growths into a temperance remedy for indigestion, and called it Golden Medical Discovery. It is probably the most efficacious discovery ever made in medicine, for the list of people all over the world who have had their countless ills overcome by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery makes an amazing total of thousands.

I know of no advice better than this: Begin a home treatment today with this good vegetable medicine. It will show you better than I can tell you what it will do. When taking Golden Medical Discovery, you can rest assured of one very important thing—it contains neither alcohol nor opiates. There is nothing in it but standard roots and herbs that possess curative properties of a high order. A safe medicine is the only kind you can afford to take.

A Cough That Lasts

And will not yield to ordinary remedies must have special treatment.

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(Opens the Pores and Penetrates) For Chest Colds, Head Colds, and Croup,

is enclosed with every bottle of HAYES' HEALING HONEY. This is the only cough syrup on the market with which this additional treatment is given. The Salve is also very valuable as a Germicide for the Nose and Throat. You get both remedies for the price of one. 35c. Sold by all Druggists. If your Druggist should not have it in stock, he will order it from his nearest Wholesale Druggist.

Made, Recommended and Guaranteed to the Public

by PARIS MEDICINE COMPANY,

MANUFACTURERS OF

Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic

A CHILD DOESN'T LAUGH AND PLAY IF CONSTIPATED

LOOK, MOTHER! IS TONGUE COATED, BREATH FEVERISH AND STOMACH SOUR?

"CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS" CAN'T HARM TENDER STOMACH, LIVER, BOWELS.



A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is oftentimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Look carefully and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."—Adv.

No Problem. The Small—I may be slow, but I have no trouble with housing conditions.

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It

Applicants for Insurance Often Rejected.

Judging from reports from druggists who are constantly in direct touch with the public, there is one preparation that has been very successful in overcoming these conditions. The mild and healing influence of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its remarkable record of success.

An examining physician for one of the prominent Life Insurance Companies, in an interview of the subject, made the astonishing statement that one reason why so many applicants for insurance are rejected is because kidney trouble is so common to the American people, and the large majority of those whose applications are declined do not even suspect that they have the disease. It is on sale at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes, medium and large.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Adv.

Some people evidently believe that war means the survival of the fittest.

BOSCHEE'S SYRUP

Why use ordinary cough remedies when Boschee's Syrup has been used so successfully for fifty-one years in all parts of the United States for coughs, bronchitis, colds settled in the throat, especially lung troubles? It gives the patient a good night's rest, free from coughing, with easy expectation in the morning, gives nature a chance to soothe the inflamed parts, throw off the disease, helping the patient to regain his health. Made in America and sold for more than half a century.—Adv.

Pleasure is the reflex of unimpeded energy.—Sir W. Hamilton.

Freshen a Heavy Skin

With the antiseptic, fascinating Cuticura Talcum Powder, an exquisitely scented convenient, economical face, skin, baby and dusting powder and perfume. Renders other perfumes superfluous. One of the Cuticura Toilet Trio (Soap, Ointment, Talcum).—Adv.

We can refute assertions, but who can refute silence?—Dickens.

SMALL BUNGALOW OF GOOD DESIGN

Exceptional in Appearance and Interior Arrangement.

FLOOR PLAN IS ATTRACTIVE

Design May Easily Be Changed to Suit Exposure of House or to Conform to Ideas of Builder—Convenient and Cozy.

By WILLIAM A. RADFORD. Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF COST on all subjects pertaining to the subject of building, for the readers of this paper. On account of his wide experience as Editor, Author and Manufacturer, he is, without doubt, the highest authority on all these subjects. Address all inquiries to William A. Radford, No. 1827 Prairie Avenue, Chicago, Ill., and only enclose three-cent stamp for reply.

Bungalows have had an increasing popularity among home builders during the last few years. Now, when there will be a large number of new homes planned and started throughout the country, they will be exceedingly popular, for the one good reason that the owner gets more for his money in this style of architecture than in the older type of two-story houses.

Of course, there are bungalows and bungalows. Whether they be homes of as few as three rooms or those containing as many as ten, or even more, they are bungalows just the same. The word to any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is oftentimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Home building has been at a standstill during the last couple of years, and the time has come when finding a

A floor plan of this bungalow also is shown in the illustration and a study of it will bring out many points of interest to those who are considering what type of home they will build.

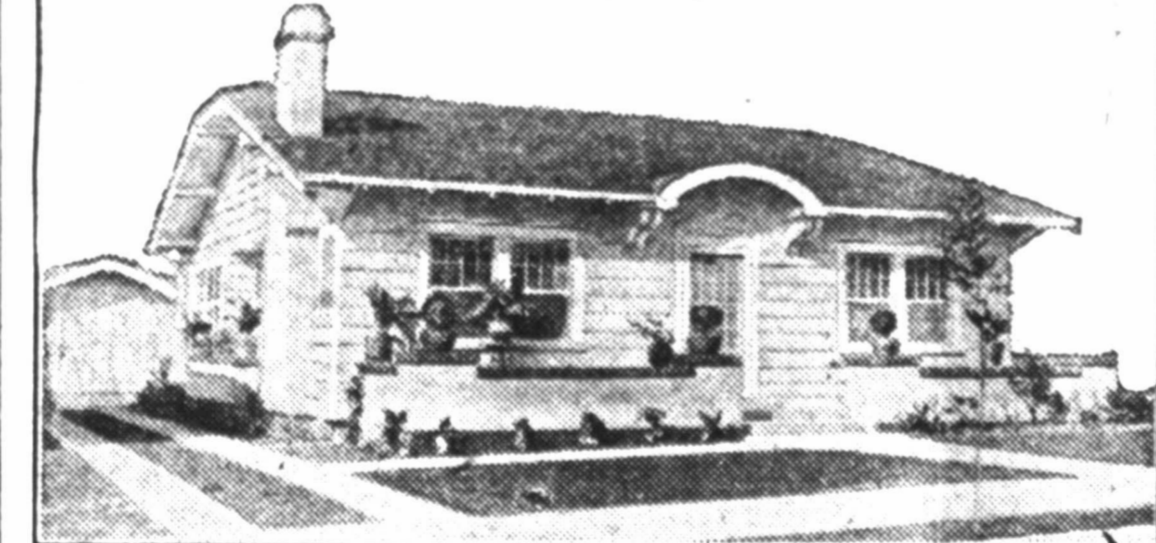
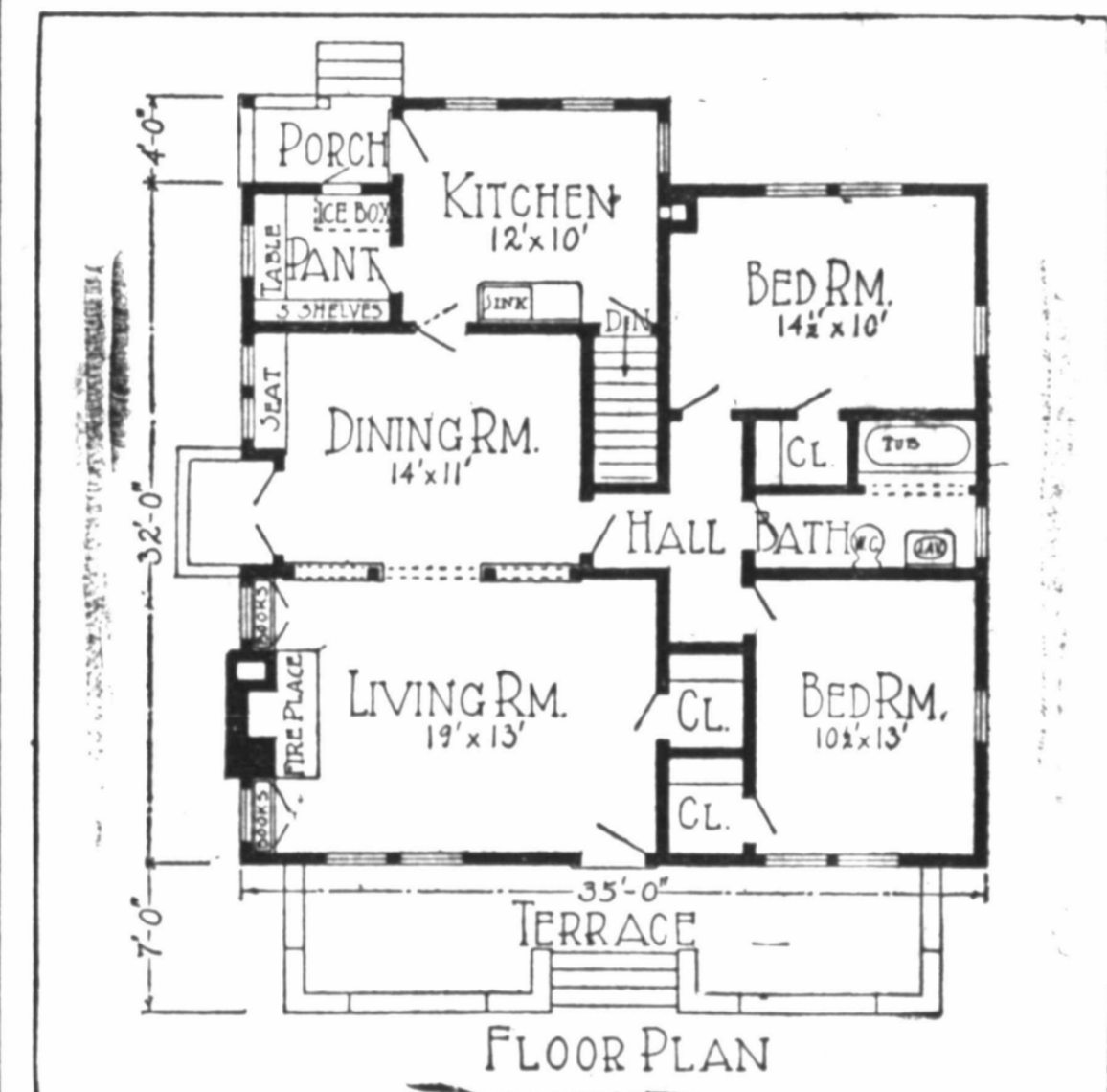
Living Room is Large. The front entrance door opens into the living room, the room that makes a bungalow such a favorite. This room is 19 by 13 feet, an exceptionally good size, not being too large to detract from the idea of coziness and not so small that there is a feeling of being shut in. At one end is an open fireplace, another important bungalow feature, and on either side of it are low bookcases, with windows above.

Opening off the living room through a wide space between colonnades, is the dining room, also of good size and equally attractive in its arrangement. The room is 14 by 11 feet, with an alcove 4 by 5½ feet, the end wall of which is formed by windows. How attractive this nook may be made can be imagined by the woman with artistic tastes. Between the alcove and the wall at the rear of the dining room is a seat with windows above.

The kitchen, the workroom of the home, is designed with a view to efficiency. It is 12 by 10 feet, but a large pantry, 6 by 6 feet adds to its convenience. In the latter is a work table, five shelves, and space for the ice box, the latter having an opening to the back porch so that it may be used without coming indoors. The basement stairs open off one corner of the kitchen.

A T-shaped hall connects the dining room and the two bedrooms. The front bedroom is 10½ by 13 feet and has two windows opening to the terrace and one at the side, allowing for excellent ventilation. The rear bedroom has similar windows, but is slightly larger than the front room, being 14½ by 10 feet. Between is an unusually large bathroom for this size house.

Much Closet Space. Closet space always is a feature that appeals to the housekeeper. In this



place in which to live in almost every community is considerable of a task, and an expensive proposition, too. Rents have advanced, and because of the law of supply and demand are rapidly being further increased. The resumption of building at once, therefore, is important, as the demand now is greater than the supply and the tenant will find paying rent an increasing tax on his income, while at the same time he is accumulating nothing for this extraordinary expenditure but a bunch of rent receipts.

Bungalow Solves Problem. The bungalow goes far toward solving the problem of a home for the small family of limited means. But, what is most important, a bungalow is both a comfortable and attractive home.

The accompanying illustration shows an exceptional bungalow, both from exterior appearance and interior arrangement.

The bungalow is 35 by 32 feet. The terrace extends across 30 feet of the frontage and is 7 feet deep. The slight arch in the roof over the front entrance door breaks the straight roof line, adding to the attractiveness of the building.

bungalow, it will be noticed, are three large closets, one off the living room and one off each of the bedrooms. The bathroom, too, has considerable space that can be so used.

In the hands of an experienced builder, this design may be changed to suit the exposure of the house, or to suit the ideas of the owner. For instance, it will be an easy matter to transpose the bedrooms and bath and the living and dining rooms and kitchen, if the bungalow should face so this arrangement would be more desirable.

For either city, town or country, a bungalow of this type will be found to make a comfortable home, one that will grow on the owner the longer he lives in it. How cozy will be the living room with the open fire in the winter, and how much comfort can be derived from the terrace in the summer can easily be imagined.

A bungalow home, built from this design will meet the needs of the family that wants a pretty, comfortable, convenient house—one that will not be very costly to build. And when it is finished and the owner has moved in the family will feel justifiably proud of their new bungalow home—"a home of our own."

DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE

By Mary Graham Bonner

THE FURNACE.

"Well," said the furnace, "I wouldn't be an ice box for anything in the world."

"I don't suppose you could be," said the ice box.

"What don't you suppose I could be?" asked the furnace.

"I don't suppose you could be an ice box."

"That is true. I couldn't be," said the furnace.

Now the furnace and the ice box were both in a big cellar. The ice box was some distance away from the furnace but still they were in the same cellar. The ice box was off, near a door, which was by some steps. These steps led up to the kitchen of the house and everyone came down to the ice box to get out the food which was going to be used and the milk and all such things which belong in an ice box.

Of course, half of the year the furnace wasn't doing anything, and in the winter time the ice box did not have nearly so much ice given to it.

"I feel sorry for you," said the furnace. "Here you are so cold and you haven't even enough warmth about you to make the ice melt quickly as it does in the summer time."

"Poor old ice box, you have my sympathy. That is to say, I feel sorry for you, terribly sorry, poor old ice box."

"Now look here, furnace," said the



"How You've Made the Family Shiver."

ice box, "don't feel so sorry for me that you can't tell the truth. I am not old. I am only two years old. You are really far older."

"I wouldn't be such a silly, giddy young thing as to be cold. I would know enough to have plenty of coal on my fire so as to keep warm."

"Ah, furnace, you mustn't boast too much," said the ice box. "I've heard the family having great trouble with you. There are days, sometimes the cold, cold ones, too, when you won't burn. I've even known you to go out sometimes."

"And oh, how you have made the family shiver. You have behaved like a naughty, naughty person. You wouldn't go when you were supposed to go. You have made them fuss over you and fuss over you."

"And why shouldn't they fuss over me?" asked the furnace. "I'm the furnace, I am; the great and warm and powerful furnace. I keep the whole house warm. I keep all the people in it warm."

"But you don't keep them warm when you go out and when you go slowly and when you won't burn nicely," said the ice box.

"That is to show that I won't let anyone think I'm so unimportant that I don't have to be noticed and fussed over."

"It shows that sometimes you are very mean, furnace. Important and great and wise and clever creatures don't have to be fussed over. They're above it."

"Look here, young ice box," said the furnace. "I don't want any rules from you. You are a fine thing to talk about a creature keeping warm. What warmth do you ever give to any one, I'd like to know?"

"You're right, furnace, I don't give any warmth. But I am not supposed to, and you are. I am supposed to keep the ice and to make folks cool in the hot summer and make the food keep nice and fresh and cool. I do my work, I do. And you should do yours, you should."

"I do it all right, never fear," said the furnace, though it knew that many a time it had behaved pretty badly. But now it was mad and it went for all it was worth and the ice box chuckled and said to itself, "The poor people have been saying how cold they were and how badly the furnace was behaving. Now the furnace is mad and will behave by burning and raging for all it is worth."

And the furnace burned angrily and furiously and how nice and warm the people kept on that cold winter's day!

Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured by local applications as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure Catarrhal Deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Catarrhal 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. Unless the inflammation is reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing may be destroyed forever. Many cases of Deafness are caused by Catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the Mucous Surfaces. ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. All Druggists 75c. Circulars free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

And we'd rather see a fellow "make good" than make promises.

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off.—Adv.

Actions speak louder than words.

Spanish Influenza can be prevented easier than it can be cured.

At the first sign of a shiver or sneeze, take



Standard cold remedy for 20 years—in tablet form—safe, sure, no opiates—breaks up a cold in 24 hours—relieves grip in 3 days. Money back if it fails. The genuine box has a Red top with Mr. Hill's picture. At All Drug Stores.

U. S. CONGRESSMAN QUICKLY FINDS STOMACH RELIEF

Joseph Taggart, M. C., from Kansas, Declares EATONIC Best for Indigestion He Ever Used.



A congressman hears many arguments for and against different propositions. His mind is open to conviction, but before he casts his vote on any measure he insists upon evidence that, on its own weight, carries conviction.

In the case of "EATONIC" Joseph Taggart, Congressman from the 2nd District, Kansas City, Kans., decided that a trial of the remedy, itself, would furnish the most conclusive proof. Read his decision and do what he tells you. "One box of EATONIC will convince the most skeptical. It is the best remedy I have ever tried for indigestion."

Respectfully, JOSEPH TAGGART, M. C. 2d Kan. Dis., Kan. City, Kans.

Nearly all stomach trouble is caused by too much acid in the stomach. EATONIC neutralizes the excess acidity and enables you to eat what you like and digest what you eat in comfort. It keeps the stomach in a state of perfect health.

Here's the secret: EATONIC takes up the acidity, drives the gas out of the body—and the blood goes with it. Costs only a cent or two a day to use it. Get a box today from your druggist.



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in the laundry every week. Nothing else will take its place and nothing else is just as good. All grocers, 5c

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Post paid: 100, 40c; 500, \$1.75; 1,000, \$3.00. FROST PROOF CABBAGE PLANTS. By express, F. O. B. here: 1,000, \$2.00; 5,000 at \$1.75; 10,000 at \$1.50.

TOMATO PLANTS. F. O. B. here: 100, 40c; 500, \$1.50; 1,000, 2.25. EGG and PEPPER PLANTS. F. O. B. here: 100, 40c; 500, \$1.75; 1,000, 2.75. Wholesale and Retail D. F. JAMISON, SUMMERVILLE, S. C.

Japan Clover Seed 10 bushel; stand drought better than any clover growing; a sure hay or pasture crop; reseeds itself each year. Cole Seed Saver Co., Newbern, Tenn.

THE PORTALES JOURNAL

Entered as second-class matter June 6, 1917, at the post office at Portales, N. M. under Act of March 3, 1879.

H. B. RYTHER, Manager

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One Year \$1.00
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A DEMOCRATIC NEWSPAPER



Larrazolo has gone to Mineral Wells, Texas, to recuperate his physical health, his political health is such that no hopes are held out for its betterment.

There is a big row in the Republican camp. Let the good work go on, the tax payer can come to no grief so long as that bunch is engaged in a Kilkenny love feast.

Republican newspapers continually harp on the menace of the Bolsheviki in America, yet the Republican press of the nation is a much greater menace to home and country than all the Bolsheviki propaganda extant, and, strange as it may appear, New Mexico, is included in the nation, as well as the Republican press thereof.

A cable announcing illness of the president caused serious concern over the prospect of a fatal break down of the brainy executive. His successor would be a man whom the country has never taken seriously. — Albuquerque Journal.

It sure does take some gall for a newspaper that finds anything to praise in the present Republican administration of the state of New Mexico to put across anything like the above. The most we can say is that we have escaped some of the evils of the North Dakota Bolsheviki. The New Mexico administration will be taken seriously, in fact, very seriously, just as soon as the tax payer learns some of the things that have been put over him.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, March 17, 1919.
Notice is hereby given that William J. Pool, of Lingo, New Mexico, who, on January 27, 1919, made homestead entry No. 04467 for all of section 27, township 7 south, range 37 east, New Mexico Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before James A. Hall, U. S. Commissioner, at Portales, New Mexico, on the 30th day of April, 1919.
Claimant names as witnesses:
Frank Hill, Frank Johnston, Robert Allen, Jim Bilibrey, all of Lingo, New Mexico.
EMMETT PATTON, Register.
Mar. 28 Apr. 25.

Statement of Ownership, Management, Etc., Required by the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912.

of the Portales Journal, published weekly at Portales, New Mexico, for April 1st, 1919, State of New Mexico. County of Roosevelt.
Before me, a notary public in and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared H. B. Ryther, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the publisher of the Portales Journal, and that the following is to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication:
That the name and address of the publisher, editor, managing editor and business manager is H. B. Ryther; that the names and addresses of the stockholders of the corporation are: A. F. Jones, P. E. Jordan, G. M. Williamson, J. B. Friddy and H. B. Ryther, and their postoffice address is Portales, New Mexico. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding one per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages and other securities are G. L. Reese, Portales, New Mexico. H. B. RYTHER, President.
Sworn and subscribed to before me this 11th day of April, 1919.
A. J. GOODWIN, Notary Public.
My commission expires Feb. 26th, 1922.

THE First National Bank

Felt it a duty to see its customers through the drouth, and HAS DONE SO. Now that the drouth has broken, we shall endeavor to help them back to prosperity. We want all our customers to feel free to call on us for any needs, especially the farmers that must have seed and feed to make a crop. You may depend on us to help you in any way possible, consistent with good banking.

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The all-year-round soft drink
For business men, professional men, men of sports -- golf, bowling, tennis, shooting, riding. For everybody, everywhere, the year round. Bevo is hale refreshment for wholesome thirst -- an invigorating soft drink. Ideal for the athlete or the man in physical or mental training -- good to train and gain on. Healthful and appetizing.
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Wholesale Distributors PORTALES, N. M.

In the District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico.

James A. Hamlin, Plaintiff,
vs.
Lee Kilgore, Bessie Kilgore, C. T. Kilgore, Cicero S. Wash, Cicero G. Wash, C. M. Burks, C. T. Kilgore, William Murphy, Mary Murphy, F. J. Ripley and all unknown heirs of A. S. Ripley, deceased, and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to the plaintiff, Defendants.

Notice of Suit

The State of New Mexico, to the defendants, Lee Kilgore, Bessie Kilgore, C. T. Kilgore, Cicero S. Wash, Cicero G. Wash, C. M. Burks, F. J. Ripley and all unknown heirs of A. S. Ripley, deceased, and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to the plaintiff, together with William Murphy and wife, Mary Murphy, as defendants, said suit has been numbered 1468 on the civil docket of said court and that A. W. Hockenbush, whose business and postoffice address is Clovis, New Mexico, is attorney for plaintiff in said suit.
You will further take notice that the general objects of said suit are as follows, to-wit:
(a) To quiet title against you and each of you to the following described lands and premises situated in Roosevelt County, New Mexico, to-wit: All of the northeast quarter (NE 1-4) of section number Twenty-Six (26) and the southeast quarter (SE 1-4) of section numbered Twenty-Six (26) in township Three (3), south range Thirty-Two (32) east, N. M. P. M.
(b) For further decree of the court finding and establishing that F. J. Ripley and F. J. Ripley is one and the same person, that A. S. Ripley and A. S. Ripley is one and the same person, that William Murphy and William Murphy are one and the same person and that Mary Murphy and Mary Murphy is one and the same person, that their names are spelled differently in certain deeds and other monuments effecting the title to said lands but that in truth and in fact they are one and the same person throughout. You will further take notice that unless you appear, answer, demur or otherwise appear in

said suit on or before the 22nd day of May, A. D. 1919, plaintiff will take judgment by default against you and each of you and will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in his complaint filed in said suit.
In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and fixed the seal of said court this 2nd day of April, A. D. 1919.
[SEAL] SETH A. MORRISON,
County Clerk and Ex Officio Clerk of the District Court, Roosevelt County, New Mexico.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

01247
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., April 7, 1919.
Notice is hereby given that Charles O. Bickham, father of Myrtle Bickham, deceased, of Portales, New Mexico, who, on May 1st, 1915, made homestead entry No. 012547, for west half east half, section 9, and west half west half southeast quarter, east half southwest quarter, southwest quarter southwest quarter of section 9, and south half southeast quarter, southeast quarter southwest quarter of section 8, township 1 south, range 35 east, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before J. C. Compton, probate judge, Roosevelt county, N. M., at Portales, N. M., on the 15th day of May, 1919.
Claimant names as witnesses:
Monroe Hones, Joe Beasley, John W. George, Frank Warnica, all of Portales, N. M.
W. R. McGILL, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

012938
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, New Mexico, April 7, 1919.
Notice is hereby given that Roy Vaughn, of Red Lake, New Mexico, who, on Sept. 7th, 1915, made homestead entry No. 012937 for southwest quarter, section 7, township 5 south, range 34 east, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before J. C. Compton, probate judge, Roosevelt county, at Portales, N. M. on the 15th day of May 1919.
Claimant names as witnesses:
Charles E. Toomba, Henry E. Toomba, Neale K. Blackard, Mather S. Gresham, all of Red Lake, New Mexico.
W. R. McGILL, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

013049
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., March 21st, 1919.
Notice is hereby given that William W. Jones, of Rogers, N. M., who, on October 5th, 1915, made homestead entry, number, 013049, for lots 13 and 14 and east half southwest quarter, and southeast quarter, section 6, township 1 south range 29 east New Mexico Principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before James A. Hall, U. S. Commissioner, in his office at Portales, N. M., on the 1st day of March, 1919.
Claimant names as witnesses:
Thomas F. Jones, Portales, N. M. John Turner Upton, N. M., James H. Gore, Derron, N. M., S. A. Elliott, Derron, N. M.
W. R. McGILL, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., March 4th, 1919.
Notice is hereby given that Etna Watts, of Longs, N. M., who, on April 5th, 1916, made homestead entry No. 013813, for west half, section 11, township 5 south, range 35 east, N. M. P. meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before James A. Hall, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Portales, N. M., on the 18th day of April, 1919.
Claimant names as witnesses:
Thomas H. Brooks, Luney A. Pruitt, Robert C. Marshall, Ezra Watts, all of Rogers, N. M.
W. R. McGILL, Register.

Lost—Between the old irrigation plant and the farm of A. A. Rogers, west of town, one Diston saw. Finder please leave at this office.

Notice of Suit
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF ROOSEVELT COUNTY, STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

W. E. Roberts, Plaintiff,
vs.
J. J. Eller, Defendant. No. 1411.

The State of New Mexico to J. J. Eller, greeting:

You are hereby notified that there has been instituted against you in the district court of Roosevelt County, State of New Mexico, a suit styled and numbered as above, wherein the plaintiff, W. E. Roberts, seeks to recover judgment against you in the sum of ninety-three dollars and forty-five cents, together with interest and costs of suit, the alleged indebtedness having accrued because of goods, wares and merchandise sold you by plaintiff on open account from his store at Emzy, New Mexico; and you are further notified that your property, to-wit: The northeast eighty-one feet off the ends of lots One and Two, extending across said lots to a depth of ninety feet, fronting on Liberty Street, in the Town of Portales, Roosevelt County, New Mexico, and in block Twenty-Two thereof, with the buildings and all appurtenances, has been attached under a writ issued out of this court and levied on the sixth day of February, 1919, and that on the tenth day of March, 1919, the judge of this court directed that citation by publication issue against you, commanding and notifying that unless you appear at the return day, that is to say the 25th day of April, 1919, judgment will be entered against you and your said property sold to satisfy the same.

The attorney for plaintiff is James A. Hall and his business address is Portales, New Mexico.

Witness my hand and the seal of court at Portales, New Mexico, this the tenth day of March, 1919.

SETH A. MORRISON,
County Clerk.

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

In the matter of the last will and testament of
Mary Nickls, Deceased No. 117.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, executor of the estate of Mary Nickls, deceased, has filed his final report and accounting and petition for discharge; thereupon the court has set the 1st Monday in May, 1919, as the day and date for hearing and determining the said final report and accounting and petition for discharge.

Therefore, any and all persons interested in said estate, or the accounting and settlement thereof, and have any objections thereto, are hereby notified to file the same on or before the day set for hearing and determining the said final report and accounting and petition for discharge, and all and any such objections, will be heard and determined at said time.

Dated this the 25th day of March, 1919.
JOHN W. STIGALL.

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, State of New Mexico.

In the matter of the estate of
Ophelia C. C. Thompson, Deceased. No. 118.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administrator in the above styled cause, has filed his final report and accounting and petition for discharge; thereupon the court has fixed and set the 1st Monday in May, 1919, as the day and date for hearing and determining the said final report and accounting and petition for discharge.

Therefore, any and all persons interested in said estate, or the accounting and settlement thereof, and have any objections thereto, are hereby notified to file and present the same on or before the said date for hearing and determining the said final report and accounting and petition for discharge, and all and any such objections will be heard and determined at said time.

Dated this the 25th day of March, 1919.
B. W. MILLER, Administrator.

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, State of New Mexico.

In the matter of the estate of
Rufus M. Caffey, Deceased. No. 119.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administratrix in the above styled cause, has filed her final report and accounting and petition for discharge in said cause; thereupon the court has fixed and set the 1st Monday in May, 1919, as the day and date for hearing and determining the said final report and accounting and petition for discharge.

Therefore, that any and all persons interested in said estate or the accounting and settlement thereof, and have any objections thereto, are hereby notified to file or present the same on or before the said date for hearing and determining the said final report and accounting and petition for discharge, and all and any such objections, if any, will be heard and determined at said time.

Dated this the 25th day of March, 1919.
DUNKIE MCNUTT, Administratrix.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, Feb. 24, 1919.
Notice is hereby given that Mamie Allen (nee Mamie Foust), of Lingo, New Mexico, who, on June 17, 1918, made homestead entry 043902, for southeast quarter section 21, and southwest quarter section 22, and additional homestead entry No. 043903, for southwest quarter, Sec. 21, and southeast quarter section 20, township 7 south, range 37 east, N. M. P. meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before James A. Hall, U. S. Commissioner, at Portales, New Mexico, on the 11th day of April, 1919.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Jim Bilibrey, of Lingo, New Mexico, John Kidd, of Garrison, New Mexico, Walden Bankston, of Bluff, New Mexico, Jim Turner, of Portales, New Mexico.
EMMETT PATTON, Register.

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W. J. Curren, of Clovis, was a business visitor in Portales this week.

Editor Cowgill, of the Elida Enterprise, was attending court in Portales Friday.

Mrs. S. Grinstead returned the first of the week from a visit to Ranger, Texas.

Miss Lucy Johnson, who has been visiting at Lubbock, Texas, returned home Thursday.

Levi J. Whiteman, formerly an employe at the Journal office, left Friday morning for the oil fields Texas.

Former County Superintendent of schools Mrs. S. F. Culberson is in the city for a few days visiting friends.

There is a report current that there will be a broom corn buyer in Portales the first of the week, probably Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Carr, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy W. Connally, of Fort Sumner, were here a few days this week.

Ben Smith, cashier of the Security State bank, made a business trip to Fort Sumner, Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. Broadhead, mother of Fred Broadhead, arrived Friday morning to visit for a time in the home of her son.

In the case of A. A. Beeman vs. Boatman, the parties settled out of court after the case had been about half completed.

W. H. Boult, chief special agent for the Missouri Pacific railroad, will arrive Saturday for a short visit with his daughter-in-law, Mrs. R. W. Boult. He will probably, return Sunday taking with him his little granddaughter.

There will be a special program given at the Methodist church Sunday night by the members of the Epworth League. There is an especial invitation extended to all the young people of Portales to attend this meeting.

Don't forget the Farm Bureau meeting on April 26th. This will be an all day meeting and you are urged to get here early. There is much business of importance to transact.

J. S. Sandefer, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sandefer, who was here this week to attend the funeral services of his brother, left Friday morning for his home at Ranger, Texas.

Bascom Howard and D. W. Colligan will leave next Tuesday for Deming, this state, to attend the W. O. W. convention for the jurisdictions of New Mexico and Arizona.

Glenn Langston and family arrived this week from the western part of the state for a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Langston.

District court reconvened here Friday morning, however, only a few court cases remain to be tried this term and the session will be a short one.

Joe Howard returned this week from a business trip to Oklahoma.

W. E. Lindsey this week bought a Ford Sedan from the Universal garage.

Mrs. Robinson and daughter are here visiting with Mrs. R. Hardy.

There have been but few cattle losses reported as a result of the snow storm Sunday.

Miss "Babe" Odom, of Clovis, was visiting Miss Juanita Ryther Saturday and Sunday.

Cecil Honea, manager of the telephone system at Clovis, was here Sunday of this week.

Charley Gilbert, an attorney of Roswell, was here Saturday of last week attending court.

Mrs. Monroe Honea left last week for Tulia, Texas, to visit with her daughters at that place.

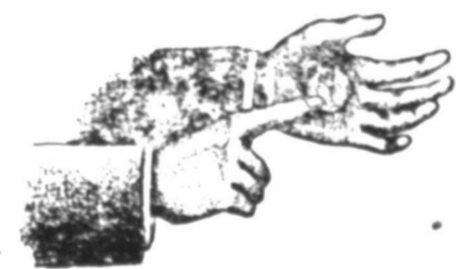
Mrs. C. B. Thompson, of Santa Fe, arrived Thursday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. T. J. Molinari.

Charley Del Curto arrived from Las Cruces Thursday and will visit for a few days with his folks here.

M. H. Campbell this week attended the conference of the managers of the Fifth Liberty loan, at El Paso, Texas.

Choice Barred, White and Buff Plymouth Rock eggs for sale at \$2 for 15. Better book your orders early.—Mrs. J. A. Fairly.

Farm Loans



Money in Hand When Papers Are Signed.

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Particulars.
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"Oh, yes. A black eye, a split lip, two broken ribs and three lumps on his head."
A lot of us are never too busy to go looking for trouble.

Shifting Responsibilities.
"Who is the most responsible person in your railway organization?"
"Well, in case of dividends, it's the president of the company. In case of an accident, it's the motorman."
Deeds of horror may be necessary, but not often glorious.

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An Exception.
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"Not if he happens to be in charge of an information bureau."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Many a man who suddenly rose neglected to take a parachute with him.

If a man loved to exercise his body as well as he does his authority, he'd live longer.

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POULTRY FACTS

CHICKS REARED IN BROODERS

No System Ideal for All Conditions—Success Depends on Individual Handling.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

More difference of opinion exists as to the value of brooding systems than in any other part of poultry rearing, which shows that no system is ideal for all conditions, but that success depends largely on individual handling and care. Many failures in brooding are due to weak chicks which may be traced to faulty incubation or weakness in breeding stock. Successful chick raising depends primarily upon having healthy, vigorous breeding stock.

Some of the most important faults in the management of brooders are overcrowding and lack of ventilation while the chicks fail to get sufficient exercise. The brooder should supply the proper temperature, be readily adapted to change in weather conditions, be easy to clean and well ventilated. The capacity should not be overestimated. One-half to two-thirds of the number of chickens commonly advised will do much better than a larger number. Brooders and hovers should have from one-half to two inches of sand, dry dirt, cut clover or chaff spread over the floor, and in case they are kept in the brooder house, over the floor of this also. The hovers should be cleaned frequently, as cleanliness is essential in raising chickens successfully.

It is impossible to state for each case at what temperature the brooders should be kept to raise young chickens; however, it will run from 90 up to 100 degrees in some cases, as some broods of chickens seem to require more heat than others, an average being 93 to 95 degrees for the first week or ten days, when the temperature is gradually reduced to 85 degrees for the following ten days, and then lowered to 70 or 75 degrees for as long as the chickens need heat. This depends somewhat on the season of the year and the number of the chickens, as it can be readily seen that the heat generated by 50 chickens would raise the temperature under the hover to a higher degree than the heat given off by a lesser number, consequently the amount of heat furnished by the lamp or stove will have to be regulated accordingly. As the chickens grow larger and need less heat the lamps may be used only at night, and later only on cold nights. The heat is usually



Splendid Flock for Any Farm.

cut off at the end of four or five weeks in March or April in the vicinity of Washington, D. C., while winter chickens have heat for eight or ten weeks, or until they are well feathered. Care should be taken to prevent chilling or overheating the chickens, which weakens them and may result in bowel trouble.

When chickens are first put into the brooder they should be confined under or around the hover by placing a board or wire frame a few inches outside (this would not apply to the small outdoor colony brooders).

POULTRY NOTES

When you own a good lot of geese hang on to them.

Ducks need the grit for their digestion just as chickens do.

Clean houses, nests, runs, drinking and feeding vessels are important.

Green food is almost a necessity for profitable results in poultry raising.

Old hens that are not needed for breeders should be fattened and marketed.

There is still a good demand for capons, and all on hand should be marketed.

You should have tight coops for the hens and chickens to prevent rats, weasels and skunks from getting in at night and killing little chickens.



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All three kinds sealed in air-tight, impurity-proof packages. Be SURE to get WRIGLEY'S



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"Has the fact that your wife votes made any real difference in your life?"
"A little," admitted Mr. Meekton; "I used to have mild ambitions to run for office. But now I wouldn't think of tempting Henrietta to arise and publicly express her conscientious opinion of my abilities."

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And it takes two to make a bargain, but only one gets the long end of it.

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"What line is he in?"
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Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Fletcher*. In Use for Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Peppery Pulchritude.
"Bob's wife is pretty, but she has an awful temper." "Is that why they say she's a raving beauty?"

DECORATIVE POCKET IS BACK

Convenience of All Kinds of Garments Has Gone Through Many Changes in Recent Years.

A volume could be written on the history of pockets within the last few years. After the disappearance of the pocket that used to be, long years ago, cleverly—sometimes not so cleverly—concealed in the side seam of a woman's skirt, there were years when pockets were unknown. Occasionally, to be sure, there were pockets on our topcoats. But we never put anything in them save, occasionally, our finger tips on a cold day.

Then pockets came in as a decorative feature. Even before the war began decorative pockets were well established. Sometimes there were little handkerchief pockets on our blouses, particularly on tailored sport models. There were pockets on all our coats, long and short. There were patch pockets on our skirts.

The next phase of the pocket history was the big pocket that looked like half of a bulging little workbag

fastened on the skirt. It was made with a shirred top, very often, and was capacious enough to hold handkerchief and purse. Then came the pocket of real utilitarian value. Last year, when the privations of war were at their worst in Paris, parcels pockets were made a feature of some of the smartest coats and frocks and skirts. And in these really big pockets women were supposed to carry their parcels, which in Paris, as in most of our cities, could not be delivered for want of labor.

Now the pocket has gone back to a more decorative phase. To be sure, the merchandise delivery system is still a bit out of normal. But we prefer to carry our packages in shopping bags, rather than in our pockets. So the decorative pocket is the one at present in vogue.

Polish Pads.
When those little pads used in putting on powder are worn out and useless for that purpose, they make excellent polishing pads for silver.

The will does it.—Italian.

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With Vestal's "Sure Bloom" Roses, you can have a highly colored, beautiful garden at a surprisingly low cost. The fragrance of our roses—their beauty and sturdiness—are the result of 50 years of cultivation and experience with roses and other flowers. Many a nook and corner that would otherwise go to waste is brightened and beautified with Vestal's roses.

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Harrisburg, Ark.—Mrs. J. M. Needham, living near here, states: "When I began working on me I suffered a great deal. I had so much soreness and pain in the lower part of my body I could hardly get up when I was down. I would have severe pains, all across my back, and my sides hurt me all the time. I would have headaches constantly, especially the back of my head and neck. I was almost discouraged with my condition when I thought of Cardui, and decided to see what it would do.

I saw an improvement at once after the first bottle. I kept it up and the result was wonderful. I took altogether four bottles. I grew stronger, better appetite, less pain until I was well. I think Cardui is a God-send to suffering women, and I certainly can praise it, and do so."

For more than 40 years Cardui has been in general use and in that time thousands have written to tell us how it helped them back to health and strength.

At druggists.—Adv.

A man may feel as young at fifty as he did at twenty, but he doesn't know half as much.

FRANTIC WITH PAIN

Long Suffering From Kidney Trouble More Than Words Can Describe. Doan's Brought Health and Happiness.

Mrs. Anna Thorson, 290 South St., Stamford, Conn., says: "I hadn't any more strength than a child, and after sweeping my back hurt me more and more. My headaches were so bad it seemed as though my skull were being torn into shreds and I would finally lose track of everything and lie in a stupor for hours. I felt I had to keep going or lose my mind and I kept up often when I trembled all over with weakness. My feet were swollen and every bone in my body seemed to ache. My fingers got almost as rigid as pieces of wood and the knuckles swelled. The kidney secretions were dark colored, scanty and terribly burning. I suffered more than words can describe. I finally began using Doan's Kidney Pills and I believe with all my heart that they kept me out of the grave. I am well and happy after going through enough pain to drive me frantic. Doan's saved my life." *Sworn to before me this 13th day of Sept., 1915.*



Mrs. Thorson

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HERE'S RELIEF FROM THOSE TERRIBLE HEADACHES

Those terrible headaches are relieved almost instantly. One lady says: "I have been subject to severe headaches for about seven years. My head would ache so badly at times that I could scarcely stand it. Doctors seemed to be unable to give me relief, though I tried several of them, and took many kinds of headache medicines and tablets. About a month or so ago I read Hunt's Lightning Oil, which gave me almost instant relief and I am glad to say that I have been entirely free from those terrible headaches since. From my own experience I can say that Hunt's Lightning Oil is without an equal as a reliever of pain, and I only wish that I had used it several years ago."—Mrs. W. T. Stone, Sherman, Texas.

HUNT'S LIGHTNING OIL

Heal Itching Skins With Cuticura

WINTERSMITH'S CHILL TONIC

THE KITCHEN CABINET

Would you throw away a diamond because it pricked you? One good friend is not to be weighed against the jewels of the earth. If there is coolness or unkindness between us, let us come face to face and have it out. Quick, before love grows cold.—Robert Smith.

TASTY TIT-BITS.

A most delicious and economical accompaniment to roast beef is Richmond Corn Cakes.

To three-fourths of a cupful of canned corn add one-half cupful of milk, one-half table-spoonful of sugar and two eggs well beaten. Mix and sift seven-eighths of a cupful of flour, one teaspoonful of salt, one table-spoonful of baking powder. Combine mixtures and drop by spoonfuls in buttered muffin rings; set in a buttered dripping pan; bake in moderate oven.

Cadillac Chicken.

Wipe a chicken dressed as for broiling; sprinkle with salt and pepper; place in a well-greased broiler and broil over a clear fire for eight minutes. Remove to a pan and rub over with the following mixture: Cream four table-spoonfuls of butter, add one teaspoonful of mustard, one-half teaspoonful of salt, one teaspoonful of vinegar and one-half teaspoonful of paprika. Sprinkle with three-fourths of a cupful of buttered crumbs and bake until the chicken is tender.

Swedish Halibut.

Wipe a slice of halibut weighing one pound. Place in a shallow earthen baking dish; sprinkle with salt, pepper and brush with melted butter. Drain canned tomatoes and add three-fourths of a cupful of pulp; add a teaspoonful of powdered sugar and spread over the fish. Cover with one-half sliced onion. Bake 20 minutes; pour over one-third of a cupful of heavy cream, and bake ten minutes. Remove the onion and garnish with parsley.

Jellied Prunes.

Pick over, wash and soak one-third of a pound of prunes in two cupfuls of cold water; cook in the same water until soft. To the prune water add enough water to make two cupfuls. Soak two and one-half table-spoonfuls of gelatin in half a cupful of cold water; dissolve in the hot liquid and add one cupful of sugar, one-fourth of a cupful of lemon juice; add prunes and chill. Stir twice while cooling to keep the prunes from setting.

Why this longing, this forever sighing, For the far off, unattained and dim? While the beautiful, all around thee lying, Offers its low, perpetual hymn.

—Harriet Winslow.

SEASONABLE DISHES.

We may still indulge in the favorite shell fish. Try this recipe:

Norfolk Oysters.

Cover the bottom of a baking dish with three-fourths of a cupful of hot boiled rice; cover the rice with one-half a pint of oysters; pour over one-half cupful of white sauce, dot with butter and sprinkle with salt and pepper; repeat, using the same amount of ingredients. Cover with buttered crumbs and bake in a hot oven 30 minutes.

Barbecued Ham.

Soak two thin slices of ham in lukewarm water 25 minutes. Drain, wipe, cook in a hot frying pan until delicately browned, and remove to a hot platter. To the fat in the pan add two table-spoonfuls of vinegar, one table-spoonful of mustard, one-eighth of a table-spoonful of paprika and one-half table-spoonful of sugar. When thoroughly heated pour over ham and serve at once.

Cracker Plum Pudding.

Pour four cupfuls of scalded milk over one and one-fourth cupfuls of rolled cracker crumbs and let stand until cool; add one cupful of sugar, four beaten eggs, one-half a grated nutmeg, one table-spoonful of salt and one-third of a cupful of melted butter. Parboil one and one-half cupfuls of raisins in boiling water, cover, add to the mixture. Turn into a buttered baking dish and bake slowly two and one-half hours, stirring the first half hour. Serve with any preferred sauce.

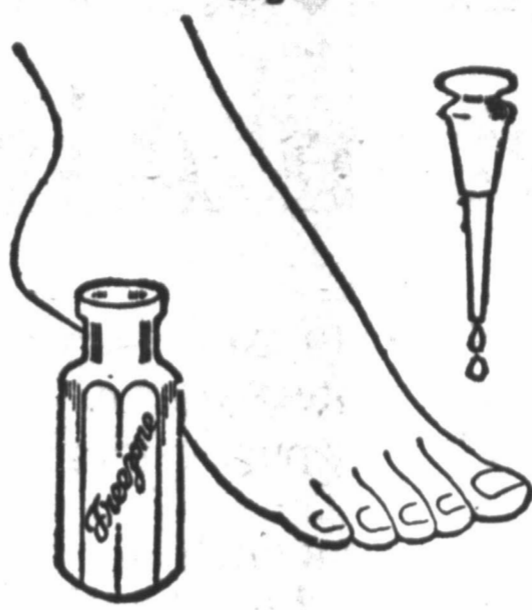
Fruit Cream.

Soak a table-spoonful of granulated gelatin in one-fourth of a cupful of cold water, dissolve in one-fourth of a cupful of scalded milk and add one-half a cupful of sugar and one table-spoonful of lemon juice. Strain into dish and set into ice water, stirring constantly, and when the mixture begins to thicken add the whites of two eggs beaten stiff and one cup of heavy cream beaten stiff, one-third of a cupful of stewed prunes cut in bits, three figs chopped and two table-spoonfuls of blanched and chopped almonds. Mold and chill.

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Apply few drops then lift sore, touchy corns off with fingers



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A tiny bottle of Freezone costs but a few cents at any drug store, but is sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the callused, without soreness or irritation. Freezone is the sensational discovery of a Cincinnati genius. It is wonderful.

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You can turn gray, faded hair beautifully dark and lustrous almost overnight if you'll get a bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound" at any drug store. Millions of bottles of this old famous Sage Tea Recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, are sold annually, says a well-known druggist here, because it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that no one can tell it has been applied.

Those whose hair is turning gray or becoming faded have a surprise awaiting them, because after one or two applications the gray hair vanishes and your locks become luxuriantly dark and beautiful.

This is the age of youth. Gray-haired, unattractive folks aren't wanted around, so get busy with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound to-night and you'll be delighted with your dark, handsome hair and your youthful appearance within a few days.—Adv.

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First Tramp—What kind of dogs do you like best?

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Keep clean inside as well as outside by taking a gentle laxative at least once a week, such as Doctor Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Adv.

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Your druggist or dealer sells you a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone for a

few cents under my personal guarantee that it will clean your sluggish liver better than nasty calomel; it won't make you sick and you can eat anything you want without being salivated. Your druggist guarantees that each spoonful will start your liver, clean your bowels and straighten you up by morning or you get your money back. Children gladly take Dodson's Liver Tone because it is pleasant tasting and doesn't gripe or cramp or make them sick.

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There's many a slip 'twixt the cup and the lip, but there is only one between a man and the sidewalk.

To avoid criticism, say nothing, do nothing, be nothing.—Hubbard.

Airplane Safety Device.

More than once mud from airmen's boots has caused serious trouble by interfering with the operation of control levers in an airplane, so a flyer has devised a mud scraper conveniently attached to the side of his machine, which he uses before entering the cockpit.

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WEAK KIDNEYS MEAN A WEAK BODY

When you're fifty, your body begins to break a little at the hinges. Motion is more slow and deliberate. "Not so young as I used to be" is a frequent and unwelcome thought. Certain bodily functions upon which good health and good spirits so much depend, are impaired. The weak spot is generally the bladder. Unpleasant symptoms show themselves. Painful and annoying complications in other organs arise. This is particularly true with elderly people. If you only know how, this trouble can be obviated.

those stiffened joints, that backache, rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica, gall stones, gravel, "brick dust," etc. They are an effective remedy for all diseases of the bladder, kidney, liver, stomach and allied organs.

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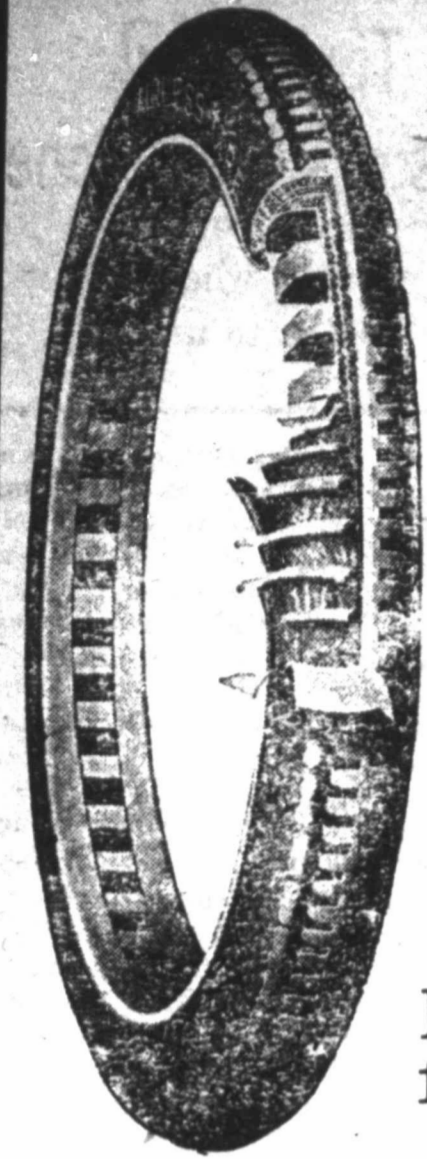


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W. H. Ball returned this week from a business trip to Santa Fe.

Drs. Wollard and Williams left Friday morning for Roswell, taking with them Miss Eulalia Wollard for surgical treatment.

Arthur McCarty, a soldier recently returned from France, arrived Thursday morning and will visit in the family of R. O. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. David Shapcott, Miss Renda Cunningham and Miss Juanita Ryther attended the picture show at Clovis Saturday night.

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Paul Collier, a recently returned soldier boy from France, but whose home is at Carlsbad, arrived Thursday for a short visit with friends.

Carl Turner, who has for the past two months been "getting rich" in the Texas oil fields, returned Thursday for a visit with his family.

Messrs. Ed. Wall and Charley Toler were in Portales the first of the week attending the meeting of the county commissioners, of which board they are members.

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