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Some Statehood Provisions

WILL VOTE ON QUESTION AT REGULAR NOVEMBER ELECTION AND NAME CONSTITUTIONAL DELEGATES

ONE DELEGATE ALLOWED FOR EVERY 650 VOTES CAST AT CONGRESSIONAL ELECTION IN 1904.

The statehood bill was signed by President Roosevelt last week, and all that is necessary to make New Mexico and Arizona a state under the name of Arizona, is the consent of the voters residing in these territories. The sovereign desire in this matter will be expressed at the general election in November. If either territory returns a majority against the measure, there will be no statehood. Voters generally over the Territory are familiar with the provisions of the original Hamilton statehood bill, and the Advocate publishes below only such changes as were made just previous to passage. Every citizen should read it:

DOCUMENT NO. 487.

Conference report made by Senator Beveridge:

Sec. 23. That the inhabitants of all that part of the United States now constituting the Territories of Arizona and New Mexico, as at present described, may become the State of Arizona, as hereinafter provided.

Sec. 24. That at the general election to be held on the 6th day of November, 1906, all the electors of said Territories, respectively, qualified to vote at such election, are hereby authorized to vote for and choose delegates to form a convention for said Territories. The aforesaid convention shall consist of one hundred and ten delegates, sixty-six of which delegates shall be elected to said convention by the people of the Territory of New Mexico and forty-four by the people of the Territory of Arizona and the Governors, Chief Justices, and Secretaries of each of said Territories, respectively, shall apportion the delegates to be thus elected from their respective Territories, as nearly as may be, equitably among the several counties thereof in accordance with the voting population as shown by the vote cast for Delegate to Congress in the respective Territories in 1904.

That at the said general election and on the same ballots on which the names of candidates to the convention aforesaid are printed, there shall be submitted to said qualified electors of each of said Territories a question which shall be stated on the ballot in substance and form as follows:

"Shall Arizona and New Mexico be united to form one state?"

Yes No

Electors desiring to vote in the affirmative shall place a cross mark in the space to the left of the word "Yes" and those desiring to vote in the negative shall place a cross mark in the space to the left of the word "No" in the form above prescribed. The Governors and Secretaries of the respective Territories shall certify and transmit, as soon as may be practicable, the results of said election, each to the other and likewise to the Secretary of the Interior, and if it appears from the returns thus certified that a majority of the qualified electors in each of said Territories who voted on the question aforesaid at such election voted in favor of the union of New Mexico and Arizona as one state, then, and not otherwise, the inhabitants of that part of the area of the United States now constituting the Territories of Arizona and New Mexico as at present described may become the State of Arizona as hereinafter provided; but if in either of said Territories a majority of the qualified electors voting on the question aforesaid at such election shall appear by such certified returns to have voted against the union of said Territories, then and in that event Section 23 and all succeeding sections of this act shall thereafter be

null and void and of no effect, except that the appropriation made in Section 41, hereof shall be and remain available for defraying all and every kind and character of expense incurred on account of the election of delegates to the convention and the submission of the question aforesaid.

"The Governors of said Territories, respectfully, shall, within thirty days after the approval of this act, by proclamation in which the aforesaid appointment of delegates to the convention shall be duly specified and announced and the aforesaid question to be voted on by the electors shall be clearly stated, order that the delegates aforesaid in their respective Territories shall be voted for and the question aforesaid shall be submitted to the qualified voters in each of said Territories as herein required at the aforesaid general election. Such election for delegates shall be conducted, the returns made and the certificates of persons elected to such convention issued, as near as may be, in the same manner as is prescribed by the laws of said Territories, respectfully, regulating elections therein of members of the legislature: Provided, That if it appears from the returns that a majority of the qualified electors in the Territory of Arizona who voted on the question at the election voted in favor of the union of New Mexico and Arizona as one State then, and not otherwise, the secretary or other proper officer of said Territory of Arizona into whose hands the result of said election finally comes, shall immediately transmit and certify the results, as to the election of delegates to the convention to the secretary of the Territory of New Mexico at Santa Fe, and if it appears from the returns from the election held in New Mexico that a majority of the qualified voters aforesaid voted in favor of joint statehood, then in that event the secretary of said Territory of New Mexico shall make up a temporary roll of the convention from the certified returns from both of said Territories, and he shall call the convention to order at the time herein required, and said convention when so called to order and organized shall be the sole judge of the election and qualifications of its own members. Persons possessing the qualifications entitling them to vote at the aforesaid general election shall be entitled to vote on the ratification or rejection of the constitution if submitted to the people of said Territories hereunder, and on the election of all officials whose election is taking place at the same time, under such rules or regulations as said convention may prescribe, not in conflict with this act.

Sec. 25. That if a majority in each of said Territories at the election aforesaid shall vote for joint statehood, and not otherwise, the delegates to the convention thus elected shall meet in the hall of the House of Representatives of the Territory of New Mexico, in the City of Santa Fe therein, at 12 o'clock noon on Monday, December 4, 1906, but they shall not receive compensation for more than sixty days of service, and after organization shall declare on behalf of the people of said proposed State that they adopt the Constitution of the United States, whereby the said convention shall be, and is hereby, authorized to form a constitution and State government for said proposed State. The constitution shall be republican in form, and make no distinction in civil or political rights on account of race or color, except as to Indians not taxed, and shall not be repugnant to the Constitution of the United States and the principles of

the Declaration of Independence. And said convention shall provide, by ordinance irrevocable without the consent of the United States and the people of said State:

First. That perfect toleration of religious sentiment shall be secured, and that no inhabitant of said State shall ever be molested in person or property on account of his or her mode of religious worship; and that polygamous or plural marriages and the sale, barter, or giving of intoxicating liquors to Indians are forever prohibited.

Second. That the people inhabiting said proposed State do agree and declare that they forever disclaim all right and title to the unappropriated and ungranted public lands lying within the boundaries thereof and to all lands lying within said limits owned or held by any Indian or Indian tribes, except as hereinafter provided, and that until the title thereto shall have been extinguished by the United States the same shall be and remain subject to the disposition of the United States, and such Indian lands shall remain under the absolute jurisdiction and control of the Congress of the United States; that the lands and other property belonging to citizens of the United States residing without the said State shall never be taxed at a higher rate than the lands and other property belonging to residents thereof; that no taxes shall be imposed by the State on lands or property therein belonging to or which may hereafter be purchased by the United States or reserved for its use; but nothing herein or in the ordinance herein provided for, shall preclude the said State from taxing, as other lands and other property are taxed, and lands and other property owned or held by any Indian who has severed his tribal relations and has obtained from the United States or from any person a title thereto by patent or other grant, save and except such lands as have been or may be granted to any Indian or Indians under any Act of Congress containing a provision exempting the lands thus granted from taxation, but said ordinance shall provide that all such lands shall be exempt from taxation by said State so long and to such extent as such Act of Congress may prescribe.

Third. That the debts and liabilities of said Territory of Arizona and said Territory of New Mexico shall be assumed and paid by said State, and that said State shall be subrogated to all the rights of indemnity and reimbursement which either of said Territories now has.

Fourth. That provision shall be made for the establishment and maintenance of a system of public schools, which shall be open to all the children of said State and free from sectarian control; and that said schools shall always be conducted in English: Provided, That nothing in this Act shall preclude the teaching of other languages in said public schools.

Fifth. That said State shall never enact any law restricting or abridging the right of suffrage on account of race, color or previous condition of servitude, and that ability to read, write and speak the English language sufficiently well to conduct the duties of the office without the aid of an interpreter shall be a necessary qualification for all State officers.

Sixth. That the capital of said State shall temporarily be at the city of Santa Fe, in the present Territory of New Mexico, and shall not be changed therefrom previous to Anno Domini nineteen hundred and fifteen, but the permanent location of said capital may, after said year, be fixed by the electors of said State, voting at an election to be provided for by the legislature.

WILL ISSUE CALL JULY 4TH.

Regarding the above, the Santa Fe New Mexican says:

The conference report on the Hamilton joint statehood bill as finally adopted and as approved by the President Saturday last, was received by the New Mexican this morning. The sections relating to the creation of the State of Arizona to be composed

of New Mexico and Arizona are from and including 23 to 41.

The report was examined this forenoon by Governor Hagerman and Secretary Reynolds. After consultation, Governor Hagerman stated that in order to carry out the provisions of Section 24 of the law, a meeting would be arranged between himself, Secretary of the Territory James W. Reynolds and Chief Justice William J. Mills, of Las Vegas, for the purpose of fixing and declaring the apportionment of delegates to the convention under the law as it now exists. As soon as this is agreed upon, a proclamation calling for the election of delegates in accordance with the ratio fixed for each county would be issued by the Governor. This will be based upon the votes cast for Delegate to Congress November, 1904. The New Mexican publishes herewith Sections 23, 24 and 25, of the law which contain the only changes which have been made in the text of the Hamilton bill heretofore published in this paper.

Constable Patrick went to Roswell a day or two ago and arrested a young man named Davis, who is charged with having attempted to burglarize a house in this city last week. He was placed in jail at Carlsbad.

Our perfect adjustable disc cultivators are giving such universal satisfaction that we fear we won't have enough to go round. So if you think of buying one better come early before they are all gone. J. P. Blair.

S. A. Butler this week bought from Gayle Talbot the three lots on the corner of Third and Quay avenue, and is now having them fenced and improved. He will erect a nice residence in the near future.

For Sale—A good business between Roswell and Carlsbad, doing \$1800 business per month. 6 months old. Best location, best business. Address this office.

It is said that the saloon men of Roswell will petition the city council of Roswell to repeal the anti-gambling license, as the saloon men of Artesia did last week.

Church services were held at five different places in Artesia last Sunday night. Who said Artesia was not getting to be a city?

Mrs. E. A. Clayton and daughters, Allie B. and Mary, returned Tuesday morning from a visit to Mineral Wells, Texas.

Little Mary Clayton has the cutest little Shetland pony in New Mexico, which came in by express from Texas this week. It is less than four feet high.

Mr. and Mrs. Sperry wish to thank the neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted them in their sad bereavement in the death of their little darling.

Allen McKenzie was drowned above the Tansill dam at Carlsbad this week while trying to tow a raft of rock across the Pecos river.

Mrs. W. W. Simmons, of Fairbery, Neb., mother of Mrs. L. R. Sperry, arrived in Artesia Wednesday to spend a few weeks.

A good rain is reported at Carlsbad and in the southeastern portion of the county.

WANTED—A woman or girl to do general housework. Apply to Mrs. Gayle Talbot.

Mrs. S. L. Sperry, of Moneto, Cal., is expected to arrive in Artesia this morning.

Read the statement of the First National Bank in this issue.

WILL BE BUILT OF STONE.

The Board of Directors of Hope District Let Contract for Fine Building.

The board of directors of Hope school district opened the bids Monday which had been submitted for the erection of a new school house at that place. Contractor C. E. Kowenhoven, of this place, was the successful bidder and will begin work immediately, with a view of getting it ready for occupancy by September. The house is to be two stories in height and built of artificial stone, the same to be manufactured near Hope. It is said that a fine quality of sand and gravel can be secured at a convenient point on the Pecos. The new school building will cost about four thousand dollars, bonds having been issued for the purpose some weeks ago.

Club Directors.

At a meeting of the Artesia Club held Monday night, the following directors were elected: Dr. Charles Thomas, H. W. Hamilton, and E. C. Higgins to serve three years; Olin Ragsdale and G. P. Cleveland, to serve two years; E. E. McNatt to serve one year. Edward Gessert was elected secretary. The board of directors will meet next Monday night to elect its executive officers. The gentlemen in charge of the affairs of the club are men of enterprise and it goes without saying that the organization will continue to be as successful as in the past.

FOURTH OF JULY RATES.

All agents—You are hereby authorized to sell round trip tickets between points on the Pecos System, between points on the Southern Kansas Railway of Texas, and between points on Pecos System and points on the Southern Kansas Railway of Texas, under the following conditions:

Rate: One fare for the round trip. Selling dates: July 3 and 4, 1906. Final limit: July 5, 1906.

C. O. Brown, Local Agent.

The Lost is Found.

J. B. Hancock of Artesia, N. M., has arrived and will make Alice his home. He purchased the Garrett land, near here.—Alice, Texas, Correspondent in San Antonio Express.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Merrill were circulating the petition this week that asks the town council to continue in force the ordinance prohibiting gambling. It is not necessary to ever inquire as to which side of a moral issue Mr. and Mrs. Merrill are on. There is but one right side to the gambling issue.

Judge D. J. Thomas arrived from Carlsbad Tuesday morning and is occupying his law offices in the Hardwick building, Main street.

Now is the time to screen. Full stock of doors, screen wire, and trimmings. Best assortment in town. John Schrock Lumber Co.

WANTED—Two helpers and a cook to work with well rig. Apply to this office.

Go to John Schrock Lumber Co. for White Lead, oil and painters supplies.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. McNatt visited relatives in Roswell last week.

D. R. Britt, of Roswell, arrived in the city Sunday.

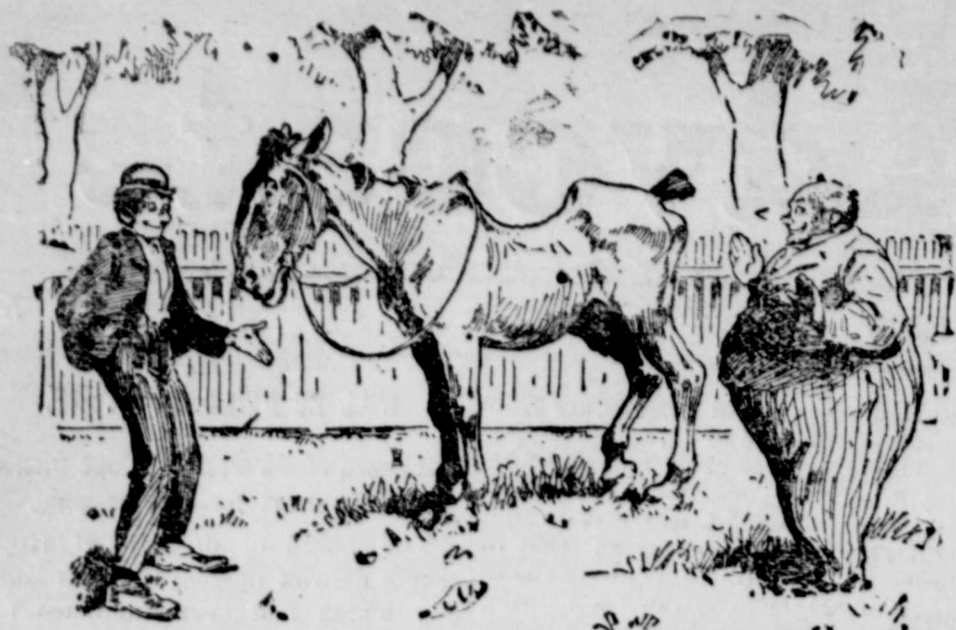
Don't forget to attend church tomorrow.

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A STRONG ARGUMENT.



The Owner (anxious to sell)—Ye won't git such a chance once in a lifetime. Why, that thar hoss was made a-purpose to fit a man o' your build.

CROWN OF GLORY.

Do Not Scent the Hair Until It Is Clean—Various Ways to Give Fragrance.

It is important to use the right kind of a brush. Most people brush too hard and too heavily and they use too stiff a brush. Take a brush whose bristles feel very soft to the hand. You might use one that has been soaked until it is soft or one whose bristles are half worn away.

The stiff bristles are not good and the wire ones are very hurtful when used for purposes of cleaning the hair. They tear the scalp and make the hairs bleed. Hair should not bleed. Each hair should be kept whole and the scalp should be clean and sweet and smooth. The scalp that is torn is sure to bring out a crop of hair that is weak



AN EVENING COIFFURE.

and poor. The scalp should be clean. If it is not a clean scalp it is not a healthy one. Make no mistake about that.

There are some new French recipes out this year for making the hair shine. There are oils which are hastily rubbed over the hair to give it a brilliant finish. If your hair is dry and you want to oil it so as to make it shine don't pour oil on the hand, but oil the brush.

Pour four drops of oil in the palm of the hand. Then rub the brush over your hand until it is oiled. Now brush the hair and you will see it begin to glow. That is the French recipe for oiling the hair. Most people are afraid to try it, but they need not be.

To scent the hair delicately, take a little of the oil of jasmine and pour it in the palm of the hand. It is deadly sweet, but delicious if you do not get too much of it. Try six drops in the palm. Pass the hair brush over your palm. Then brush your hair lightly but well until every hair has been touched by the brush. This will give your hair the most delightful odor.

It is a very simple thing to perfume the locks. If you want to do so you

can take a big piece of absorbent cotton, a big handful, and you can scent it with oil of bergamot. This is a very good hair scent. Hold it now upon the hair until it has very slightly dampened it. Move it along to the other side. Keep on until the hair is well scented, moving the absorbent cotton here and there.

Scenting the hair is usually considered a difficult thing. Truth to tell, it is very simple. Buy half an ounce of oil of jasmine and experiment for yourself. Pour a little in your hand, rub your hand over your hair brush and go over your hair. But you must be sure first that your hair is clean. You cannot scent dirty hair. It will clog and be very disagreeable. It must be absolutely clean and shining if you want the scent to cling to it.

Women try to scent dirty, musty hair, but it is a ghastly failure. Your hair must be clean and clear if you are going to do anything in the scent line to it. Then don't try to scent with alcohol—if you want it to shine—but use the pure oil perfume. Jasmine is sweet and delightful if you don't put on too much. Geranium is a little too heavy. Neroli, bergamot and lavender are all good. But use them lightly.

A pretty way to make you hair shine is to dress it for evening. Wave it throughout. Curl it, make it fluffy, complete the coiffure entirely. Then scent your hand with a few drops of oil and run your hand over your hair. Jasmine is best for this. Repeat until you have used about ten drops. Your hair will hold its odor all the evening and next day. If you do not wet it nor get it too musty it will hold its scent a full week.

Wedding Etiquette.

The father and mother of the bride, as hostess and host in their own home, welcome the guests before the ceremony; after that the bride first, then the groom, the maid of honor and the maids, then the men of the party; after them the parents of the bride and groom. However, the receiving line soon dwindles down to the interested couple; the others mingle with the guests, especially the men, whose duty it is to see that people are duly presented to the bride and groom and that the way of approach is kept clear. This is accomplished by seeing that the refreshment room is kept filled and that guests are introduced.

Lotion for Tired Eyes.

Lotion for weak, tired or inflamed eyes. Fifteen drops of spirits of camphor, one teaspoonful of powdered boric acid, two-thirds of a cup of boiling water. Cool, strain through muslin and apply several times a day with an eye-cup. Don't wear spotted veils and never read in a dim light. Bad eyes are usually the result of abuse or neglect.

DESIGN FOR A BLOUSE.

Of Soft White Satin with Trimmings of Chiffon, Lace and Turquoise Velvet Ribbon.

Here is a very dainty blouse suitable for dinner or theater wear; it is of white soft satin finely tucked on the shoulders and very slightly full at the waist. The deep V back and front is filled in with finely tucked white chiffon unlined. The trimming consists of wide lace insertion with holes in the center, through which turquoise ribbon velvet is threaded; the ends are passed under the waistband, which is of folded velvet mounted on a feather-bone foundation.

The puffed sleeves terminate just above the elbow; they are trimmed with insertion threaded with velvet and edged with a lace ruffle.

Materials required: 3 1/2 yards satin 22 inches wide, five yards velvet, two yards insertion, 1 1/2 yard lining.

Use Castor Oil.

Part off the hair and apply to the roots as much castor oil as will go to half a thimble.



BLOUSE OF WHITE SATIN.

Jealousy causes cancer.

FARM, ORCHARD & GARDEN



GOD BLESS THE FARM.

And may He bless the farmer's home,
Where peace and plenty reign.
No happier spot 'neath Heaven's dome
Doth this broad, beautiful earth contain,
Than where, secure from care and strife,
The farmer spends his peaceful life.

Unweaved by toil or tricks for gain,
He turns the fertile mold;
Then scatters 'round the golden grain,
And reaps reward an hundred fold.
He dwells where grace and beauty charm,
For God hath blessed his home and farm.

SWINE NOTES.

A pig that is stunted in growth may make a fine breeder, but in all probability the poor treatment received by the parent will crop out in the offspring.

While feeding the young growing pigs liberally, the sow should be fed all that she will eat of the food best calculated to make her give large quantities of milk.

Young pigs should be taught to eat before they are weaned. There should be an arrangement whereby the little pigs may be fed in a trough by themselves. This can be done by having a small opening into an annex to the main pen.

While suckling pigs the brood sow should be well fed, in order to maintain a liberal flow of milk. Remember that the young pigs are being fed through the sow, and if the mother is half starved the young litter will not thrive.

One writer declares that some breeders lay the cause of cholera to the feeding of green corn, when the blame properly belongs to filthy premises, dirty water, etc. This is a fact that is hard to get around. When the vigor of the herd has been debilitated by filth, and green corn is fed to overcome evil effects, the latter gets the blame if serious losses follow.

With the germs of hog cholera scattered so widely throughout the country, farmers can't be too careful about allowing their hogs to stray or of permitting indiscriminate patronage to boars they may be keeping. Where it can be done, it is much safer not to have the hog lots and pastures fronting on the public highways—roving stray hogs or droves being driven or hauled along the road may infect your stock before you are aware of it. Kill all the buzzards and look out for the run-about dogs. If there is running water in your hog pasture or lot, "keep an eye" up stream or cholera may float down onto you. These precautions mean trouble and expense—but after cholera has once cleaned you entirely out of hogs you will greatly regret having neglected them.

It is claimed by some authorities that broom corn seed makes a good food for swine. Its value for such a purpose will depend very largely in the first place upon the degree of the maturity of the seed at the time of cutting, and in the second place on the way in which the food is prepared and fed. Broom corn seed from brush cut short of maturity will certainly not make good food for swine. When cut at the proper stage and finely ground and fed along with some protein food, good results may be obtained from feeding it.

The small breeds of swine do not seem to be growing in favor. In some respects this is unfortunate. While they do not attain the weights of the middle or large breeds they fill a place in the economy of pork production. They produce a class of light pork which matures at an early age. There is considerable demand for such pork by a certain class of buyers. We are not of the number who think that we get too many pure breeds of swine.

Of all pests, the English sparrow "takes the cake." They drive off every other bird which would build in a box or near by trees and bushes. We are favorable to the shotgun method of eradication, and will push this war of extermination vigorously, for we must protect our martins, bluebirds and wrens, or they will be driven from the country by these foreign nabobs.

You will note that the progressive, up-to-date farmer makes his farm a producer of finished articles, consumes all that he has grown and turns off the product finished in the way of hogs, sheep, horses, cattle, fruits, etc.

Look well after the farm tools, and especially the steel tools. They should have a coating of either axle-grease, or a mixture made of one part rosin and three parts lard.

THE CODLING MOTH.

The codling moth makes apples wormy, and often destroys from 25 to 75 per cent. of the apple crop where nothing is done to prevent it. A little moth deposits eggs on the young apples soon after the blossoms have fallen, and from these worms hatch out which gnaw their way into the apple through the calyx. These worms spend 20 to 30 days burrowing in the apple and then leave the fruit for the crevices and rough bark of the trunks of the apple trees to spin their cocoons, some by crawling down the limbs, others by dropping to the ground and then finding their way to the trunks. From these cocoons moths develop in a few days, which lay eggs for a second brood of worms which are often more destructive than the first. Spray with paris green or arsenate of lead immediately after blossoms have fallen, and repeat ten days later. Band trees in June and examine them about every ten days, destroying all worms and chrysalides.

If you have neglected it until now there is still time to set trees if proper care is used in handling them. They should be dug with as much roots as possible, and set immediately after digging. If any leaves have formed they should be stripped off. Among shade trees the American elm will bear transplanting perhaps better than any other, and it is one of the most graceful of trees. Shrubs that propagate by suckers may be safely transplanted late in the spring. Among these are the lilac, snowball, Japan quince, the flowering almond and currant, and roses in endless variety.

HOW TREES ARE DWARFED.

The dwarf trees of Japan have been a never ending source of wonder to Europeans ever since the opening of the hermit kingdom to inspection by the rest of the world. A single pine, perfect in foliage, has recently been sold for \$1,200. It is six feet high and alleged to be 850 years old. It has long been supposed that the process by which Japanese gardeners succeed in dwarfing forest trees was a long and costly one. It is now said that it is a simple process and that anyone can do the trick. The following directions are given for producing a miniature oak tree.

Take an orange and scoop out the pulp. Fill the interior with a rich mold and plant an acorn in the center of it, leaving the hole in the rind for it to sprout through. Put it in a sunny place and water it frequently. Soon after the first shoots have appeared the roots begin to break through the orange skin. Take a sharp knife and shave these off carefully and keep them shaved. The tree will grow about five or six inches high and then stop. In a year it will be a perfect miniature oak. When the roots cease to grow the orange skin should be varnished over and imbedded in a flower pot.

SWEET CORN IN SUCCESSION.

Everyone having sufficient garden space to grow table corn wishes an unbroken succession throughout the season of this particularly agreeable esculent. This may be approximated by repeated plantings of favorite varieties at 10 to 14-day intervals, but this trouble may be much lessened by planting at the same time a selection of early and mid-season kinds known to succeed in the neighborhood. When these have made a growth of five or six inches it is time to put in additional breadths of main-crop and late varieties. For the latest of all, if one is willing to take the chances of frost, such kinds as Mammoth Evergreen or the delicious Eight-rowed kind above mentioned may be started, not later than July 20 in this latitude (Iowa). Dates are usually uncertain guides in corn culture, as seasons vary widely, but it seems safe to defer succession plantings, if a wise choice of varieties is made, until the preceding sowing comes up and makes a few inches of growth.

NO OVERSUPPLY OF EGGS.

The supplying of eggs is an industry that we may be assured will never grow less than it is at the present time. Farmers and professional men have been increasing their flocks and fowls and yet the price of eggs has been going up from year to year. The cold storage houses used to carry some stock till late winter, but it is reported now that they are sold out every winter before the season is half gone. Let us push the production of eggs.

PLANTING TREES.

The soil in which trees are to be planted should be given as thorough preparation as for any other crop. It should be plowed to a depth of at least eight inches and firmed down by repeated harrowings. Where the trees are to be planted for shade the holes should be dug large and deep, three feet each way is not too large, and filled in with surface soil to the depth at which the trees are to be set. This work should be done as long as possible before the time for planting the trees, and if now, the soil that is filled into the holes should be saturated with water before setting the trees. Trees that do not have good roots should not be set where they will be exposed to the direct force of the wind. When transplanting set the roots at about the same depth as that at which they grew naturally, and press the soil firmly about the roots. This is a very important point and frequently neglected.

Trees should be pruned when set. The broken and crushed roots should be cut back to sound wood; they usually are cut short enough in digging. The tops should be cut back so as to properly balance them with the roots; one-year-old trees may be cut back to the ground, two-year-old trees should have about half of last year's growth removed, and older trees should be pruned quite severely. No set of rules can be followed in all cases, and individual judgment must determine what is to be done with each tree. In planting for a grove, the trees may be set three or four feet apart in rows seven or eight feet apart, or in check rows of five feet apart each way. The first method will admit of cultivation for a longer time than the second and thinning will not be necessary for a longer time. Trees one year old are suitable for group planting and may be set in furrows plowed for the purpose after the soil has been put in good condition. In every case the trees should be set thicker than they are expected to stand when grown. It is easy to remove a tree. Trees set in isolated positions are especially exposed to the hot sun, and attacks of borers. In such places, the trunks of trees that are taken from the native forests should be protected during the summer by standing a board on the southwest side of the trees.

PLANTING EVERGREENS.

Evergreen differ from deciduous trees in the fact that there is no time of year when they are not evaporating a considerable amount of water through their foliage. But this evaporation is greater at some times than at others, the largest amount being from the new growth in early spring and summer. As a consequence of this evaporation there is unusual call upon the roots for moisture. If the soil is warm and moist new roots put out rapidly. At the beginning of the new growth, or a little before, is, therefore, the best time to plant evergreens. We notice that some leading nurserymen advise planting evergreens late in summer or early fall. Their argument is that the soil is then warmer and in better condition to stimulate growth than it is earlier. We do not doubt that with care evergreens may be successfully planted in August or September, but there is then considerable new growth of leaves which must be checked by transplanting. It would seem to be much like planting deciduous trees in midsummer. It may be done, but there must be more chances of failure than if the experiment be tried in late spring before any new growth has been made.

CORN FOR SOILING.

The most common soiling crop is corn. It has taken us a good many years to learn how to sow it to get the best result from it. When we first began to grow it, we used to sow it so thick that it grew up almost like grass. We began to cut it when it got two feet high, at which time it was very succulent. As we had more experience with it, however, we came to the conclusion that the cows did best if corn was larger and more mature, so we began drilling it in drills about two feet apart. By sowing quite thickly we prevented the appearance of ears, but got a good development of stalk. We try to get the stalk as large as possible, but do not pass the limit where the cows will eat all of it. The two extremes must be avoided, for if the stalk is too coarse and near maturity the cows will leave much of it, and what is left is of no value for bedding or anything else.

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Northbound, daily..... 9:25 a. m.
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DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

- For Probate Judge,
ANANIAS GREEN.
- For Probate Clerk,
W. R. OWEN.
- For Sheriff,
J. D. CHRISTOPHER.
- For Collector and Treasurer,
W. H. MERCHANT.
- For Tax Assessor,
JOHN O. MCKEEN.
- For Superintendent of Education,
M. P. KERR.
- For County Commissioners,
A. C. HEARD,
GEORGE WILCOX.
- For County Surveyor,
JOE CUNNINGHAM.

At the primary election held June 25, 1904, there were 127 votes polled at Artesia. On May 19, 1906,—less than two years later—there were 456.

The entire press of the Territory of New Mexico is united in the fight for statehood, so far as we have been able to see. Even the New Mexican, that has ever fought the idea of jointure, allows its better judgment to prevail at the critical time and proposes to make a full hand in the fight for statehood.

If the Board of Equalization of Eddy county was in doubt as to whether artesian wells should be taxed, why was the tax payer not given the benefit of the doubt, instead of the tax assessor? Who were the gentleman elected to serve, the tax payers as a whole, or the tax assessor? These pertinent questions have evidently not occurred to the commissioners.

There is no question about New Mexico voting for statehood. The real fight is to be made in Arizona. Why would it not be a good idea to send a campaign committee to our neighbor and let them put in a few weeks working for the cause? We can soon prove that we are not a race of savages over this way, as some of the politicians of Arizona would make the world believe.

While authority has not been granted the Advocate to make the announcement, it is a conceded fact that Sheriff Cicero Stewart of this county will be a candidate for legislator from this representative district. The delegates named to go from this county to the convention are his solid friends and it is safe to say that they will fight for him first, last, and all the time. There is no denying the fact that Cicero will make a live man in the place if he succeeds in getting there. Nobody (except Jim Christopher) ever caught him napping.

They Don't Need the Money.

Thus far, the honorable board of commissioners of Eddy county has not been able to find the statute allowing a fifty-dollar tax per year against artesian wells (in addition to the inspector's fee of five dollars) and no application has been made for the twenty-five plunks which the Advocate very liberally offers. The delay may be caused by the fact that the reward holds good until next January and the county officials do not need the money until next winter's coal bills become due.

The Pecos Valley has some of the most cheerful optimists in the world, and with the same regard for truth we can safely say that it has some of the most cheerful liars in the world. There are a few individuals so extremely pusillanimous that the only trait of character they have ever been able to develop is that of prevarication. They possess this qualification to a remarkable degree. The most startling precocity in this line that has come to our notice of late is that of a certain well known citizen who was industriously circulating the report in Carlsbad this week that eighty of the artesian wells around Artesia had gone dry and ceased to flow. It is hard to tell whether it was this fellow's imagination or his natural depravity that got the upper hand of his horse sense. While all such false reports hurt the country a little, it still remains a fact that new wells are being brought in every week and new farms are being born and Artesia continues to wax strong and healthy and the superior in any way of any rival town that would try to outstrip her by such rabid talk.

From Artesia comes a cherry tree story that beat the George Washington tale. According to the Artesia Advocate, and the Advocate is above all things truthful, Dr. R. M. Ross, cashier of the First National Bank of Artesia, this spring planted a young cherry tree just from a nursery, and fifty-five days thereafter he presented the editor of the Advocate with a bunch of fine cherries from the same tree. The story sounds tall but the evidence and witnesses cannot be impeached and Artesia might as well prepare for another boom the moment the story gets beyond New Mexico's boundaries.—Santa Fe New Mexican.

Ellis Davidson, a man ripe with age and a seasoned warrior in Democratic ranks, says he cannot stretch his party fealty far enough to allow himself to vote for county commissioners who will tax the people without authority of law. He believes in equal rights to all and special privileges to more and unjust treatment from a democrat is just as bad as from anyone else. And there are a whole lot of folks entertaining the same idea as Mr. Davidson about this time in Eddy county.

The farmers of Eddy county are reaping their oat harvest and the New Mexican's exchanges report that home grown apricots are in the market. Evidently, the Pecos Valley farmer gets his work done early in the season and can spend the late summer and fall fishing. Blessed is the lot of the farmer in the southeastern corner of the Sunshine Territory.—Santa Fe New Mexican.

Another oil company has been organized at Roswell this week, which proposes to put down a well one and three-quarter miles from the experimental hole now about completed.



Gents . . . Furnishings

Why not be cool and comfortable during these hot months? What you need is the proper attire for the season. No place will you find such an assortment as we are showing. If you want merchandise with style and quality combined at the correct prices, we have it.

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The objections of the Arizonians to an alliance with New Mexico would banish instantly, if we could only get the natives to come over and take a look at the gushing fountains, green alfalfa fields and ripening orchards of the Pecos Valley. Surely this portion of New Mexico is comely and good to look upon, and at the sight of its beauty, Arizona must perform be consumed with covetousness.

Unknown Friends.

There are many people who have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with splendid results, but who are unknown because they have hesitated about giving a testimonial of their experience for publication. These people, however, are none the less friends of this remedy. They have done much toward making it a household word by their personal recommendations to friends and neighbors. It is a good medicine to have in the home and is widely known for its cures of diarrhoea and all forms of bowel trouble. For sale by Fatherree & Robertson.

Through an oversight, the Advocate failed to note the fact a week or so ago that Dr. J. L. Davis had moved with his family to Texico, where he will engage in the practice of his profession. Texico is a growing young town and the Doctor sees an opportunity to build up a lucrative practice. He is the kind of a gentleman that Artesia can ill afford to lose. He is a splendid physician and Texico will find in him a valuable citizen.

The Very Remedy for Bowel Trouble.

Mr. M. F. Borroughs, an old and well known resident of Bluffton, Ind., says: "I regard Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as the very best remedy for bowel trouble. I make this statement after having used the remedy in my family for several years. I am never without it." This remedy is almost sure to be needed before the summer is over. Why not buy it now and be prepared for such an emergency. For sale by Fatherree & Robertson.

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Do You Know Where the Pecos Valley of New Mexico Is?

Do you know of the many advantages the Pecos Valley holds out to Homeseekers? If you don't and want to know all about the Pecos Valley write me for descriptive literature.

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THE LEADING DRUGGISTS

Spain's bull-fighting season lasts six or seven months out of each year. In that time between 2,500 and 3,500 Castilian bulls are killed.

Prince Chun, the brother of the emperor of China, has a son, who is the nearest relative in the succeeding generation and may eventually be emperor.

The adverse vote of Bath, Eng., on Carnegie's offer of \$65,000 for a public library was taken by means of postal cards sent out by the city council.

The new British parliament drinks half as much wine as its predecessor, but eats twice as much, and the kitchen committee is losing money on its restaurant.

Consul Bergh, of Gotherburg, reports that several of the old railway systems of Sweden are planning to substitute electricity for steam as motive power, and that plans are being considered to apply electricity to a canal recently purchased by the government.

When five Chinamen are charged in Liverpool with playing fan-tan in an alleged gaming house, the magistrate said that they were just as much entitled to play a quiet game that was allowed in their own country as Englishmen were to play billiards in a hotel.

All Neapolitan babies wear tied around their necks a charm against the evil eye called "Cimaruta," which means "a sprig of rice." When complete it consists of nine emblems, all of which have magical power. These emblems are the sprig of rice, serpent, half moon, keys, heart, hand and horn, birds, shamrock and silver.

Anent the discussion of the marriage and divorce question, it is interesting to note that prominent among the world's great men Newton, Whittier, Walt Whitman, Washington Irving, Hume, Cooper, Watts, Drake, Beethoven, Gibbon, Voltaire, Kant, Michael Angelo, Spinoza, Descartes and others were all old bachelors.

The library of congress now contains 1,344,618 books, 410,352 pieces of music, 183,724 prints and 82,744 maps and charts, according to the annual report of the librarian, Herbert Putnam. The library gained 68,951 books and about 50,000 pictures and pieces of music during the last year. There were bought 22,998 books, 16,348 were received by gift, 11,763 by copyright and 6,474 gained by exchange with foreign governments.

The samurai were the feudal warriors of Japan, who, previous to the revolution of 1867-68, comprised about one-sixteenth of the population, there being about 400,000 families. Indomitable courage, fervent patriotism and intense loyalty were their most striking characteristics, and they corresponded to the knights of mediaeval times. They were a class apart and intermarried among themselves and had the right to wear two swords.

The longest of the new railroad systems which will be built under the supervision of the Insular government of the Philippines will be a line which leads from Manila northeast to the interior of Luzon and thence to Aparri, the most northern part of the islands. This road will be the "transcontinental system," as it were, of Luzon, and will open up the richest and most healthful sections of the Philippine Islands. The government survey calls for a line 336 miles long, but the horse trail is 426 miles long.

By turning the handle of an organ the Italian in England obtains nearly eight times as much per week as he can earn in Italy, more than four times as much as the English farm laborer and nearly three times the pay of the policeman who moves him on when requested. Thousands of skilled artisans who have served apprenticeship as carpenters, painters and joiners get only half the organ grinder's pay, for the Italian reckons it a very poor week indeed if he makes less than \$15, and his income is often \$17.50 to \$20 or more.

The demand for American goods in Leeds, Eng., shows no falling off, and needs only careful attention to quality and to attractive methods of advertising to show a rapid increase. Being a busy and prosperous place, much more might be done with American small wares and notions than is at present the case, and there is always an eager demand for the better varieties of sound, well-packed fruits, canned meats, and fruits and cereals in small packets, and food supplies generally. Most dealers now carry American-made boots and shoes.

Jane Jeremy.

BY L. O'CONNELL.

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Winter afternoon darkened in a dusty auction-room of Boston, where sparsely-set electric bulbs glimmered upon a group of men before the auctioneer's desk. The sale was of choice books and autographs, yet the mechanical drawl of the auctioneer fell amid a listless audience for awhile. Then came a rustle of roused attention.

"Five remarkably interesting letters of John Noworth, the popular magazine writer, who died six months ago of heart failure. This storiette-master is, up-to-date, the greatest analyst of women's hearts!"

Ten dollars to start the bidding for private letters of the expert in the tender passion! Ten dollars! Only two dollars apiece for valuable models for you, gentlemen, you, who have all been, are, or will be, conjurators of the verb—To Love! Only ten dollars! Absurd! Raise it, gentlemen, raise it! Ten dollars—ten—"

"Let me look at the letters." A tall, slender man, whose iron-grey hair, clear-cut features, and keen grey eyes, gave his face distinction, stretched a hand over the ink-spotted desk, and opened the top envelope of the letters. As he glanced at the written page, he laid a detaining grasp upon the other envelopes.

"Don't let this bargain escape, gentlemen! John Noworth's stories are to be issued in book form, he's already an American classic. Ten dollars—I can't consider such a petty bid. Why, Noworth got one hundred dollars apiece for his stories. Every letter here may be worth a hundred dollars—five hundred!—well, say four hundred for the lot, as it's an auction bargain! Going! Going—How much do you say, sir? Haven't had a look at the letters yet?"

"Pass the bundle round!"

"That gentleman keeps them to himself!"

"Send some of them along here!"

The auctioneer leaned forward. "Please circulate the other letters while you read the one you hold. Ten dollars, gentlemen! You'll raise it twenty per cent, as soon as you've glanced—"

The grey-haired man, without lifting his eyes from his perusal, muttered:

"Four hundred; cash down."

A dozen hands reached for the letters; some piquant gossip, some society secret, must lie within those creased envelopes, to so abruptly raise the bidding. But the hammer fell, and the purchaser, Mr. Martin Jeremy, quickly gathered up the letters, paid his bid, and departed.

Martin Jeremy began life with a distinguished family name, a university training, some influential relatives, and no money. Although he had a genius for stock-broking, seven years of it convinced Jeremy that the essential of success was to possess capital. He saw the quickest way to gain that would be to marry money.

The girls of his own "set" had names good as his own; poor as himself, to them he could represent no "value received" of social recognition. But eventually, one of them, in return for some hints as to "the market," introduced Jeremy to a former school-mate, a girl from the Middle West.

Given a steam-plough builder, whose machines have turned him up dollars by the millions, and who has inhaled the microbe of social aspiration, and an ambitious young stock-broker, wearing the button of the Sons of the American Revolution, and a bargain is soon struck over a passive girl of twenty.

Martin found himself married to Jane West, a girl of whom he scarce knew more than that she was silently inoffensive, and, with more flesh on her gaunt arms and shoulders, together with a good dressmaker, might in time be a presentable mistress of the mansion which was the steam-plough builder's gift to the young couple.

Martin, then little more than a human "stock-ticker," soon went to South Africa, to investigate certain mining interests.

After two years' absence he returned to a revelation of possibilities. The awkward, sallow, green-eyed, prairie product he had left, met him with smiling aplomb. The tawny hair (which indicates a passionate heart), with underwaves of gold, as if sunshine had got entangled in it, was beautifully dressed. Jane's complexion was perfect, she knew how to wear her charming gowns; she spoke fluently in a low voice, she thrilled her nerves with her pretty musical laugh. Her eyes shone like the waters of sunlit seas. Most of all was Martin fascinated by those laughing, searching, haunting, promising eyes, half-veiled beneath soft white lids.

His first evening had been promised to a reunion at his club, where gay spirits waited to exchange experiences during the past two years. But Jeremy telephoned postponement, and

sat instead in his wife's boudoir, striving to beguile her with strange tales, that she might "love him for the dangers he had passed." She listened with interest, gave him glance for glance, and at midnight rose, smiling, kindly, still, as she remarked:

"I should tell you that your absence has given me time for much reflection." A tiny flame of pride burned in her emerald eyes. "Our marriage was simply a business transaction between you and my father. You needed capital; he was ambitious for me. As you and I are, fortunately, excellent friends, don't let us spoil the situation by any of love's exactions. We will remain simply friends; that's settled, isn't it? Good night!"

She was gone; the bedroom bolt had clicked before Martin could find words.

For five years Jane Jeremy remained her husband's sincere friend, and judicious advisor, her brain was clear, her judgment acute, and her personal charms a factor in his success. But she remained, also, always his friend, never his wife; apparently she could not understand the word love. Meanwhile Martin experienced the hot fits of passion, the cold fits of repelled love, settling at last into hopeless adoration of this fascinating woman, whose cool temperament seemed to eliminate the word heart from her dictionary of life.

Jeremy's latest fad was to collect rare prints, and choice autographs, wherein his clever wife gave him her intelligent sympathy.

And now Martin sat in his club writing-room, reading the story of his wife's treachery, written by "the Master of Women's Hearts," for the entertainment of a friend, who (realizing the future value of the famous author's scrap of genuine autobiography) had dated and docketed the letters, and after Noworth's death, sent them to auction. Martin read his wife's name on every page, as the story-writer's practiced pen traced the whole course of sensations, up to the invariable ending:

"Jane wearies me; she is too decent; love has died its usual death. I'm done!"

The affair had lasted two years. Jeremy considered the dates of the letters. It was during those years that Jane's personality had intensified in charm, her eyes had been star-like, her manners, magnetic!

Drops of perspiration beaded her husband's forehead, as he stared at the letters.

Yes! he remembered. John Noworth had often visited them, but he had felt for him merely the same irritable impatience he felt for all the other men who amused or interested Jane.

Never would he have doubted, even in thought, this cool, self-poised woman. Yet this very woman was cynically, brutally, analyzed, through the phases of her passion for another man, in these letters that he had bought at a public auction!

Noworth had died; Martin saw now why during the past summer his wife's eyes had been shadowed, her face lined, her nights sleepless. The doctors named it neurasthenia; Martin knew it now for sorrow. She had known what love was, after all!

Leaving the club, Jeremy sought his wife's sitting-room. It was in semi-darkness, but she sat there, leaning her head on her hands on a small table, staring into the shadows, with an air of patient endurance. As he entered, she shivered slightly, but held out her hand, with a movement of kindly indifference. Martin handed her the bundle of letters, saying calmly:

"I bought these this afternoon; they will interest you—I think." Jane glanced at the envelopes. A hot flush suffused her face. She stared at her husband, who looked at her icily. She opened her lips—then—silently turned her head slightly, and began to read.

And until she had read every line, her husband stood, pitilessly watching the face of the woman he had loved so long, quiver in an agony of grief and shame!

Yet while she read, Martin's mental attitude slowly changed. Gradually in his mind grew a vague pity for his own past sufferings, and his wife's present torture; his bitterness faded, as he watched the wrecking of her self-respect; in some odd way, she seemed to be closer to him than ever before.

When his wife had finished the last letter, she rose, wan but calm.

"You know what you wish to arrange. I agree to whatever you decide upon," she said coldly.

As she was leaving the room, he detained her with a gesture. "Don't leave me. Why do you go?" he said so gently that he surprised himself.

Her voice was tense and strained; into her clouded eyes there darted the same flame of pride which had gleamed there on the night she had declared to Jeremy the parting of their ways. "I don't want to cry before you," she replied.

He answered gently:

"I have mourned for you so long, that it may well earn me the right now to mourn with you!"

Seriously, caressingly, he drew her

to him. Glancing at the tears in his eyes, she yielded to his touch. Bending over her, he whispered:

"He did not know how to love you! He was not worthy the love of such a woman! Janie?"

The sympathy in Martin's voice broke his wife's proud heart; bursting into sobs, she made an involuntary movement toward him. As he clasped her fervently in his arms, he murmured tenderly:

"We will both forgive and forget!"

WAS TAKING HIS CHANCES.

Agriculturist Held His Potatoes at Stiff Price for the Salad Market.

I was driving along the highway as a Long Island farmer was digging potatoes and stopped to ask how much he expected to get a bushel for them, relates a writer in the Washington Post. He said he would tell me if I would wait for a few minutes, and he dropped his hoe and went to the house. He was inside a good 20 minutes, and when he reappeared his wife came to the door with him.

"Say, mister," said the old man, as he got back to the fence, "do you know anything about them articles on 'Frenzied Finance?'"

"You mean those written by Lawson, of Boston?"

"Yes, he's the feller. I have been trying to find that last article of his, but it has been mislaid. I can't remember whether he advises us farmers to go long or short on 'taters, but I'm willin' to take chances on it."

"Well, what figure will you put on five bushels of potatoes?"

"I guess about four dollars a bushel as they run!"

I tried to convince him that he was \$2.50 above the market price, but he said that potato salad was going to be all the go in fashionable society, and would lead to a sharp advance in the price of tubers, and he went to whistling and digging again as I drove off.

THE INDIAN PRODIGAL.

He, Instead of the Fatted Calf, Was the Object of Paternal Severity.

Solomon Homer, the brilliant Choctaw Indian, said at his home in Caddo that he needed to be a very intelligent and industrious Indian who would go out into the world and make a name, relates the Kansas City Journal.

"Many Indians," he said, "go out into the world and some of them, of course, succeed. Those who fail return home; and that is a sad returning, for every one sneers at the young man whom the world has conquered and driven back."

"There was Black Eagle, a Choctaw. He went to Chicago, failed and came back home. But he was afraid to go to his father's house till an old man said: 'Are you going to your father's, Black Eagle?'"

"I don't know," answered the youth.

"Go there," said the old man, "for you will be very welcome. There is no doubt of it."

"Heartened a little, Black Eagle did go to his father's, and the next day he met the old man again.

"The old man smiled kindly.

"So the prodigal returned," he said. "And did your father kill the fatted calf?"

"No," Black Eagle answered, "he didn't kill the fatted calf, but he nearly killed the prodigal."

CAUSING IRON TO GROW.

New Process Which Is Said to Accomplish This Singular Feat.

According to a paragraph in Knowledge, the Franklin Institute has awarded a gold medal for a new process by which iron can be made to "grow." The process is said to consist in several times heating the iron to a certain critical temperature and cooling it between times, whereby the astonishing result is obtained of increasing the iron to nearly half as large again. It is reported that two identical castings were made, and one reserved for comparison, while the other was subjected to this new treatment. One side of each was machined and polished so that examination of the grain and structure might be made, but little difference could be discerned except in point of size, which was very marked. The weight of the swelled casting was identical with that of the one with which it was compared, but in all other respects the metal appeared to be of similar character. After this, one is not surprised to learn that important practical applications have already been found for the remarkable discovery; indeed, new uses suggest themselves instantly to the mind. The story is so extraordinary, however, that it may be accepted with some hesitation until confirmation is afforded.

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If physicians dared to be frank and open, hundreds of them would acknowledge that they constantly prescribe Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in severe cases of female ills, as they know by experience it can be relied upon to effect a cure. The following letter proves it.

Dr. S. C. Brigham, of 4 Brigham Park, Fitchburg, Mass., writes:

"It gives me great pleasure to say that I have found Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound very efficacious, and often prescribe it in my practice for female difficulties. My oldest daughter found it very beneficial for a female trouble some time ago, and my youngest daughter is now taking it for a female weakness, and is surely gaining in health and strength."

"I freely advocate it as a most reliable specific in all diseases to which women are subject, and give it honest endorsement."

Women who are troubled with painful or irregular periods, bloating (or flatulency), weakness of organs, displacements, inflammation or ulceration, can be restored to perfect health and strength by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. If advice is needed write to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. She is daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham and for twenty-five years has been advising sick women free of charge. No other living person has had the benefit of a wider experience in treating female ills. She has guided thousands to health. Every suffering woman should ask for and follow her advice if she wants to be strong and well.

Brussels Girl's Invention.

A Brussels girl, daughter of a titled Belgian and not yet 15 years old, has patented a remarkable invention consisting of a turntable for reversing the direction of motor cars. The apparatus is fixed on the chassis, which has a driving wheel at each end and is worked by an electric motor. The invention was the outcome of watching the difficulty of maneuvering heavy motor wagons in the Antwerp streets. After watching the motor wagons for some time one day the girl went home and by the next morning had a complete scheme for the turntable. Two motorists who were visiting her father fetched a designer and the plans were at once drawn up at the child's directions. The patent for the invention has been secured in the name of Esther de Susi, daughter of the Comtesse de Susi. Mile. de Susi is a tall, well built girl, with a bright face, fair hair and brown eyes. Experts declare that the new turntable will be of enormous value, and a fortune is in prospect for the girl and her mother.

When a woman loses at cards she feels that some one has been cheating.

Men who dislike to be joked with forget how often they put others on the rack.

FOUND OUT.

A Trained Nurse Discovered Its Effect.

No one is in better position to know the value of food and drink than a trained nurse.

Speaking of coffee a nurse of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., writes: "I used to drink strong coffee myself and suffered greatly from headaches and indigestion. While on a visit to my brothers I had a good chance to try Postum Food Coffee, for they drank it altogether in place of ordinary coffee. In two weeks, after using Postum, I found I was much benefited and finally my headaches disappeared and also the indigestion."

"Naturally I have since used Postum among my patients, and have noticed a marked benefit where coffee has been left off and Postum used."

"I observe a curious fact about Postum used among mothers. It greatly helps the flow of milk in cases where coffee is inclined to dry it up, and where tea causes nervousness."

"I find trouble in getting servants to make Postum properly. They most always serve it before it has been boiled long enough. It should be boiled 15 or 20 minutes and served with cream, when it is certainly a delicious beverage."

"There's a reason" for Postum.

Cold Storage Meat In Summer.

Government reports say "Beef that is kept directly upon or next to ice, in warm weather is unhealthy as well as unpalatable," also that "meat killed one day and used the next is not suitable food in such weather."

We have installed one of the best "Cold Storage Rooms" upon the market to enable us to furnish our customers meat free from the above objections.

A ton of ice can be put in the top at once. Every part of the room is air tight, but it is so constructed that a continuous circulation of cold, dry air is obtained.

With this Cold Storage Room we can assure our trade Swift's "Government Inspected Beef," properly cooked, and free from taint or sourness.

You can't afford to use any other kind, any more than we can afford to sell it.

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Christian Endeavor.

Remember that the Christian Endeavors meet at the Christian church tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock. Miss Rossa Temple, leader. Everyone invited.

Also remember that there is to be a business meeting of the Endeavors next Friday evening, June 30, at 8 o'clock.

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It may be a surprise to many to learn that a severe cold can be completely broken up in one or two days' time. The first symptoms of a cold are a dry, hoarse cough, a profuse watery discharge from the nose, and a thin, white coating on the tongue. When Chamberlain's cough remedy is taken every hour on the first appearance of these symptoms, it counteracts the effect of the cold and restores the system to a healthy condition within a day or two. For sale by Fatherree & Robertson.

Presbyterian Church.

There will be preaching services at the Presbyterian church tomorrow, both morning and evening by Rev. Russell of Dayton and Lakewood.

Rev. Mathes expects to return in time to preach the first Sunday in June.

Abstracts of title furnished on short notice. Office over Bank of Artesia.

Successful well men and farmers have their work done at the Artesia Machine Shop.

Deadly Serpent Bites.

are as common in India as are stomach and liver disorders with us. For the latter however there is a remedy: Electric Bitters; the great restorative medicine, of which S. A. Brown, of Bennettsville, S. C., says: "They restored my wife to perfect health, after years of suffering with dyspepsia and chronically torpid liver." Electric Bitters cure chills and fever, malaria, biliousness, lame back, kidney troubles and bladder disorders. Sold on guarantee by Fatherree & Robertson, druggists. Price 50c.

Old wagons, hacks and buggies bought by W. H. Watkins, blacksmith.

Abstract of title Artesia office over Bank of Artesia.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Robertson and Miss Pattie Estes, of Herford, Texas, arrived Thursday to visit the family of N. E. Cannon, on West Main street. Miss Estes received a message Friday telling of the serious illness of her grandmother and she will return home immediately.

And Alarming situation

frequently follows from neglect of clogged bowels and torpid liver, until constipation becomes chronic. This condition is unknown to those who use Dr. King's New Life Pills; the best and gentlest regulators of Stomach and Bowels. Guaranteed by Fatherree & Robertson, druggists. Price 25c.

A man named Priest, who came to Artesia for his health, some time ago, was taken very ill a few days ago and at this writing is violently insane. The town authorities have him in charge, until his relatives in Illinois can reach him.

Geo. Newton, Real Estate Agent and Surveyor. Office at Artesia Feed & Fuel Co.

Abstracts of title to all lands in Edly county. Artesia office over Bank of Artesia.

Rev. W. O. Harless, of Roswell, preached at the Presbyterian church last Sunday morning and night to good audiences. He is a talented minister.

For second hand goods see Geo. Patton between Mansion Hotel and Bakery shop.

8-room house in Roswell to trade for Artesia property, either city or country. See L. W. Martin.

Full stock Sherwin-Williams Paint and Varnishes. John Schrock Lumber Co.

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Will make the season at my residence on Texas avenue, Artesia. Also two finely bred Jersey Bulls. Terms reasonable. The public is invited to come and see this stock, as no better has ever been brought to the Pecos Valley.

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lection Agency, Loan Agency, Real Estate, Life
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In Memory of Baby Beulah.

Hark the Angels voice has called,
From our home one of our charms,
She was just a little rose-bud,
Placed into the Saviour's arms.
Little Baby gone forever,
From this toilsome world of pain,
Closed her little eyes forever,
Ne'er to open wide again.
Father, mother, all beloved,
Cease to weep for her no more;
Tho' her eyes may not meet yours,
They will meet on yonder shore.
Weep not, mother, keep up courage,
She has gone to her bright home,
Where she joined the holy angels,
Never from that land to roam.
—A Friend.

Notice Water Users.

All persons using water from the
Company are hereby notified that
they will be expected to pay water
rent quarterly in advance beginning
July 1, 1906. Pay at office across
street from Artesia Hotel.
Artesia Water/Power & Light Co.

Attention Mule Raisers.

Gray Eagle, the large mammoth
black warrior jack is now standing at
the Club stable, Artesia, N. M. It
will pay you to see him.
J. R. Creath, Owner.

Methodist Church South.

At 11 a. m. "The Shumanite Wo-
man." 3:30 p. m. Children's Mass
Meeting. 8 p. m. "The Churl."
J. H. Messer, Pastor.

To the Public.

I will be in Hope, N. M. until
July 20. Anyone wishing stone for
foundations or buildings call at the
feed mill near depot or communicate
with me.
I. R. Daniel.

Beulah Simmons Sperry, the baby
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Sperry,
died at the family home in this
city last Saturday morning, and was
interred the following day. Services
were conducted at the Presbyterian
church at 9:30 by Rev. W. O. Har-
less, of Roswell. Their host of friends
in Artesia sympathize deeply with
Mr. and Mrs. Sperry in their afflic-
tion. The little girl was their first
born and its life was entwined about
their heartstrings to that extent that
only a parent can know.

Rev. R. H. H. Burnett, a noted
Texas evangelist of the Methodist
church, arrived in the city last Sat-
urday night and has been continuing
the revival meeting at the Methodist
church, Rev. Brooks having been
compelled to return to his work at
Hagerman. There have been a num-
ber of conversions and additions to
the church and the interest is un-
ceasing.

Magistrate Baird has been a busy
man of late. He has this week dis-
posed of the case of R. L. Speck vs.
J. W. Coleman, a suit on account;
Town of Artesia vs. J. W. Martin on
a charge of fighting, verdict acquit-
tal; W. V. Roberts vs. D. D. Temple,
suit for possession of property.

Call on Geo. Batton to buy or sell
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Notice for Publication.

(Desert Land—Final Proof.)
United States Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
June 6, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that Sarah K. White
of Hope, New Mexico has filed notice of inten-
tion to make proof on her desert-land claim
No. 925, for the NE 1/4 of Sec. 8, T. 17 S., R. 25
E., before the Register or Receiver at Roswell,
New Mexico on Wednesday, the 15th day of
July, 1906.
She names the following witnesses to prove
the complete irrigation and reclamation of said
land:
William L. Lightfoot, Joseph T. Fanning,
George A. Beckett, Jesse C. Richards, all of
Hope, New Mexico.
Howard Leland, Register.

Notice for Publication.

(Desert Land—Final Proof.)
United States Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
June 11, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that William E. Bas-
kin, of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, has
filed notice of intention to make proof on his
desert-land claim No. 1651, for the lots 13, 14,
15 and 16 Sec. 1, T. 16 S., R. 24 E., before the
Register or Receiver at Roswell, New Mexico
on Tuesday, the 30th day of July, 1906.
He names the following witnesses to prove
the complete irrigation and reclamation of said
land:
James H. Beckham, Jr., of Artesia, N. M.,
John W. Price, of Artesia, N. M., Jonce
Coyne, of Artesia, N. M., Williams Morgan,
of Roswell, N. M.
Howard Leland, Register.

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico,
April 3, 1906.
A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed
in this office by Peter C. Getzweiler, contest-
ant, against Homestead entry No. 2857, made
July 10, 1902, for the NE 1/4 of Section 13 Town-
ship 17 S., Range 23 E., by W. A. Ballard con-
testant, in which it is alleged that said W. A.
Ballard has never established his residence on
said land, and has abandoned it for more
than six months last past and that said al-
leged absence from said land was not due to
his employment in the Army, Navy or Marine
Corps of the United States as a private soldier,
officer, seaman or marine during the war with
Spain or during any other war in which the
United States may be engaged; said parties are
hereby notified to appear, respond and offer
evidence touching said allegation at 2 o'clock
p. m. on July 25, 1906, before the Register and
Receiver at the United States Land Office in
Roswell, N. M.
The said contestant having, in a proper affi-
davit, filed July 1, 1906, set forth facts
which show that after due diligence personal
service of this notice cannot be made, it is
hereby ordered and directed that such notice be
given by due and proper publication.
Howard Leland, Register.
David L. Geyer, Receiver.

Contest Notice.

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico,
March 27, 1906.
A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed
in this office by Samuel W. Eakin, contestant,
against Homestead entry No. 3659, made
April 2, 1903, for the SW 1/4 of Section 33, T. 17
S., R. 25 E., by James W. Sisk, con-
testant, in which it is alleged that said James W.
Sisk has wholly abandoned said tract and has
not resided upon and cultivated same for more
than six months last past, and that said
alleged absence from the said land was not due
to his employment in the Army, Navy or Marine
Corps of the United States as a private soldier,
officer, seaman or marine during the war with
Spain or during any other war in which the
United States may be engaged; said parties are
hereby notified to appear, respond and offer
evidence touching said allegation at 2 o'clock
p. m. on July 16, 1906, before the
Register and Receiver at the United States
Land Office in Roswell, New Mexico.
The said contestant having, in a proper affi-
davit, filed June 9, 1906, set forth facts
which show that after due diligence personal
service of this notice cannot be made, it is
hereby ordered and directed that such notice
be given by due and proper publication.
Howard Leland, Register.
David L. Geyer, Receiver.

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Send us the names of your
Old Friends Back East.
Some of them may want to change
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A little help from you will assist us
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LES, or MONEY BACK.

Notice for Publication.

(Desert Land—Final Proof)
United States Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
May 26, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that John
W. Skaer of Eddy County, New Mexi-
co, has filed notice of intention to
make proof on his desert-land claim
No. 2005, for the NE 1/4 Sec. 32 and
SE 1/4 Sec. 29, T. 17 S. R. 26 E. be-
fore Albert Blake, U. S. Court Com-
missioner at his office in Artesia, N.
M., on the 11th day of July, 1906.
He names the following witnesses
to prove the complete irrigation and
reclamation of said land:
George U. McCrary, Felix M. Duck-
worth, Clarence H. Wilson, Everett
N. Skaer, all of Artesia, New Mexico.
Howard Leland, Register.

Notice for Publication.

(Desert Land, Final Proof, No. 985,
United States Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
June 14, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that Eugenia C. Clay-
ton, of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico,
has filed notice of intention to make proof on
her desert-land claim No. 985, for the SE 1/4
SW 1/4, Sec. 20 and NE 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 29, T. 17
S., R. 26 E. before the Register or Receiver at
Roswell, New Mexico on Wednesday, the 25th
day of July 1906.
She names the following witnesses to prove
the complete irrigation and reclamation of
said land:
Gayle Talbot, of Artesia, N. M., John Price,
of Artesia, N. M., Jack Porter, of Artesia, N.
M., T. F. Blackburn, of Artesia, N. M.
Howard Leland, Register.

Notice for Publication.

HOMESTEAD APPLICATION NO. 2982.
Department of the Interior,
Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico,
July 26, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that the follow-
ing named settler has filed notice of his intention
to make final proof in support of his claim, and
that said proof will be made before Albert
Blake, U. S. Court Commissioner at his office in
Artesia, New Mexico, on July 11, 1906, viz:
James A. Barnes, of Artesia, New Mexico,
for the W 1/2 SW 1/4, SW 1/4 NW 1/4 and NE 1/4
SW 1/4 Sec. 25, T. 17 S., R. 25 E.
He names the following witnesses to prove his
continuous residence upon and cultivation of
said land, viz:
John T. Boyles of Artesia, N. M., E. A.
Clayton of Artesia, N. M., Norman Owens of
Artesia, N. M., Sallie L. Roberts of Artesia,
N. M.
Howard Leland, Register.

Notice for Publication.

(Desert Land—Final Proof.)
United States Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
June 5, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that Joseph H. C.
White, of Hope, Eddy County New Mexico, has
filed notice of intention to make proof on his
desert-land claim, No. 927, for the SE 1/4 of sec.
17, T. 17 S., R. 25 E., before the Register or
Receiver at Roswell, New Mexico on Tuesday,
the 17th day of July, 1906.
He names the following witnesses to prove
the complete irrigation and reclamation of said
land:
William L. Lightfoot, Joseph T. Fanning,
George A. Beckett, Jesse C. Richards, all of
Hope, New Mexico.
Howard Leland, Register.

Notice for Publication.

(Desert Land—Final Proof)
United States Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
June 5, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that Simpson N.
White, of Hope, Eddy County, New Mexico, has
filed notice of intention to make proof on his
desert-land claim No. 926, for the NE 1/4 of
sec. 17, T. 17 S., R. 25 E., before the Register
or Receiver at Roswell, New Mexico on Wednes-
day, the 8th day of July, 1906.
He names the following witnesses to prove
the complete irrigation and reclamation of said
land:
William L. Lightfoot, Joseph T. Fanning,
George A. Beckett, Jesse C. Richards, all of
Hope, New Mexico.
Howard Leland, Register.

Notice for Publication.

HOMESTEAD APPLICATION NO. 2290.
Department of the Interior,
Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico,
May 3, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that the follow-
ing named settler has filed a notice of his inten-
tion to make final proof in support of his claim, and
that said proof will be made before Albert
Blake, U. S. Court Commissioner at his office in
Artesia, N. M., on July 11, 1906, viz: Jesse
F. VanWinkle, of Artesia, N. M., for the NW 1/4
NW 1/4 Sec. 24, NE 1/4 NE 1/4 and NE 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec.
23, T. 17 S., R. 25 E.
He names the following witnesses to prove his
continuous residence upon and cultivation of
said land, viz:
W. W. Bennett, of Artesia, N. M., J. L. Sut-
ton, of Artesia, N. M., Tom Welby, of Artesia,
N. M., John B. Cecil, of Artesia, N. M.
Howard Leland, Register.

Notice for Publication.

(Desert Land—Final Proof)
United States Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
May 26, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that Felix M. Duck-
worth, assignee of Henry Robertson of Artesia
Eddy County, N. M., has filed notice of his in-
tention to make proof on his desert-land claim No.
671, for the SW 1/4 NE 1/4 and SE 1/4 NW 1/4
Sec. 35, T. 17 S., R. 25 E., before Albert Blake,
U. S. Court Commissioner at his office in Artesia,
N. M., on Wednesday, the 11th day of July, 1906.
He names the following witnesses to prove the
complete irrigation and reclamation of said
land:
John W. Skaer, George U. McCrary, John
W. Watkins, Robert B. Kishbaugh, all of Ar-
tesia, N. M.
Howard Leland, Register.

Notice for Publication.

(Desert Land—Final Proof)
United States Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
June 5, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that Olive M. White
of Hope, New Mexico, has filed notice of inten-
tion to make proof on her desert-land claim No.
924, for the SE 1/4 of sec. 8, and SW 1/4 of sec.
9, T. 17 S., R. 25 E., before the Register or Re-
ceiver at Roswell, New Mexico on Tuesday,
the 10th day of July, 1906.
She names the following witnesses to prove
the complete irrigation and reclamation of
said land:
William L. Lightfoot, Joseph T. Fanning,
George A. Beckett, Jesse C. Richards, all of
Hope, N. M.
Howard Leland, Register.

For Sale—A one-half interest in a
first-class rotary well machine. Ap-
ply to J. C. Elliot.

Notice for Publication.

(Desert Land—Final Proof)
United States Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
May 26, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that Sarah
F. Woodworth of Artesia, New Mexi-
co, has filed notice of intention to
make proof on her desert-land claim
No. 1684, for the NE 1/4 Sec. 13, T. 17
S., R. 25 E., before Albert Blake, U.
S. Court Commissioner at his office in
Artesia, N. M., on Thursday, the
12th day of July, 1906.
She names the following witnesses
to prove the complete irrigation and
reclamation of said land:
Hugh J. Alison, Thomas R. Chis-
holm, Thomas A. Merrill, Thos.
Whitted, all of Artesia, New Mexico.
Howard Leland, Register.

Notice for Publication.

(Desert Land—Final Proof)
United States Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
May 26, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that Mattie Geese, as-
signee of George V. Tatum of Hope, Eddy
County, New Mexico has filed notice of inten-
tion to make proof on her desert-land claim No.
923, for the SE 1/4, NE 1/4 SW 1/4, SW 1/4 SW 1/4
Sec. 34, T. 17 S., and NE 1/4 Sec. 5, T. 15 S., R.
23 E., before Albert Blake, U. S. Court Com-
missioner at his office in Artesia, N. M., on
Thursday, the 12th day of July 1906.
She names the following witnesses to prove
the complete irrigation and reclamation of said
land:
Frank Wickoff, Richard M. Bell, Samuel W.
Eakin, David T. Reese, all of Hope, N. M.
Howard Leland, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

(Final Proof)
United States Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico, May 16, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that Felix
M. Duckworth, assignee of Barnard
Pos, assignee of James F. Rhodes, of
Artesia, Eddy county, New Mexico,
has filed notice of his intention to
make proof on his desert-land claim
No. 1277 for the NW 1/4 NE 1/4 and NE 1/4
NW 1/4 Sec. 33, T. 17 S., R. 26 E., before
Albert Blake, U. S. Court Comr. at
his office in Artesia, New Mexico, on
Wednesday, the 11th day of July
1906.
He names the following witnesses
to prove the complete irrigation and
reclamation of said land:
John W. Skaer, George U. Mc-
Crary, John W. Watkins and Robert
B. Kishbaugh all of Artesia, N. M.
Howard Leland, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

(Homestead Application No. 4396.)
Department of the Interior, Land
Office at Roswell, New Mexico, May
26, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that the
following named settler has filed
notice of his intention to make final
proof in support of his claim, and
that said proof will be made before
Albert Blake, U. S. Court Commis-
sioner at his office in Artesia, N. M.,
on July 12th, 1906, viz: David M.
Low, of Hope, New Mexico, for the
South East Quarter of Section 14,
T. 17 S., R. 21 E.
He names the following witnesses
to prove his continuous residence
upon and cultivation of said land,
viz: Hugh M. Gage, John Bloom,
Ben Miller, William O. Gray, all of
Hope, New Mexico.
Howard Leland, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

HOMESTEAD APPLICATION NO. 4463.
Department of the Interior,
Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico,
May 26, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that the fol-
lowing named settler has filed notice
of his intention to make final proof
in support of his claim, and that said
proof will be made before Albert
Blake, U. S. Court Commissioner at
his office in Artesia, New Mexico, on
July 12, 1906, viz, Felix Z. Stanfield,
of Artesia, N. M., for the SW 1/4 of
Sec. 23, T. 16 S., R. 25 E.
He names the following witnesses
to prove his continuous residence up-
on and cultivation of said land:
James H. Beckham, Jr., Ethelbert
A. Clayton, Charles S. Buck, Charles
S. Davis, all of Artesia, N. M.
Howard Leland, Register.

Notice for Publication.

(Desert Land, Final Proof.)
United States Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
May 26, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that Alfred H. Hubbs,
assignee of Walter M. Waskom assignee of
Sarah D. Bryson, of Artesia, Eddy County,
New Mexico, has filed notice of intention
to make proof on his desert-land claim No. 1063,
for the SE 1/4 of Section 8, T. 18 S., R. 25 E.,
before Albert Blake U. S. Court Commissioner,
at his office in Artesia New Mexico on Thurs-
day the 12th day of July, 1906.
He names the following witnesses to prove
the complete irrigation and reclamation of said
land:
George A. Davison of Hazerman, N. M.,
Eugene F. Walker, Edward B. Walker, Car-
lton R. Flook, all of Artesia, N. M.,
Howard Leland Register.

Notice for Publication.

(Desert Land, Final Proof.)
United States Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
May 26, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that Mattie Geese, as-
signee of George V. Tatum of Hope, Eddy
County, New Mexico has filed notice of inten-
tion to make proof on her desert-land claim No.
923, for the SE 1/4, NE 1/4 SW 1/4, SW 1/4 SW 1/4
Sec. 34, T. 17 S., and NE 1/4 Sec. 5, T. 15 S., R.
23 E., before Albert Blake, U. S. Court Com-
missioner at his office in Artesia, N. M., on
Thursday, the 12th day of July 1906.
She names the following witnesses to prove
the complete irrigation and reclamation of said
land:
Frank Wickoff, Richard M. Bell, Samuel W.
Eakin, David T. Reese, all of Hope, N. M.
Howard Leland, Register.

Notice for Publication.

(Desert Land—Final Proof)
United States Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
June 5, 1906.
Notice is hereby given that the follow-
ing named settler has filed a notice of his inten-
tion to make final proof in support of his claim, and
that said proof will be made before Albert
Blake, U. S. Court Commissioner at his office in
Artesia, N. M., on July 11, 1906, viz: Jesse
F. VanWinkle, of Artesia, N. M., for the NW 1/4
NW 1/4 Sec. 24, NE 1/4 NE 1/4 and NE 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec.
23, T. 17 S., R. 25 E.
He names the following witnesses to prove his
continuous residence upon and cultivation of
said land, viz:
W. W. Bennett, of Artesia, N. M., J. L. Sut-
ton, of Artesia, N. M., Tom Welby, of Artesia,
N. M., John B. Cecil, of Artesia, N. M.
Howard Leland, Register.

For Sale—A one-half interest in a
first-class rotary well machine. Ap-
ply to J. C. Elliot.

Auto Fedon Self Feeding Hay Press.



The only absolutely two horse pow-
er self feed press on the market.
Has a record of baling 3 tons of
alfalfa in one hour.
Leave your orders with
J. R. Blair,
Local agent.
W. B. Ross, Gen. agent,
Roswell, N. M.

ROSE LAWN

Suburban Tracts: Ideal for
Homes and Small
Orchards.
If you are looking for small orchard tract,
that in a few years, will make an ideal sub-
urban home, you should look into the Rose
Lawn proposition. I have a limited number
of these beautiful five to seven acre lots to sell
to actual home builders. These lots are under
a nice artesian well irrigation system with a
reasonable annual water rental. A small water
main for domestic use will be supplied as soon
as possible. 800 avenue trees are planted, and
arrangements are being made for the planting,
next season, of two continuous constant-bloom-
ing rose hedges along Rose Ave. This avenue
begins at a point one-half mile south of Main
street, of Artesia, New Mexico, and runs
south one-half mile. The land is patented.
The title is perfect. If you think this is about
what you want, write at once, or come and I
will take pleasure in explaining the terms and
conditions.
Address,
R. M. LOVE, Proprietor,
Rose Lawn Suburban Tracts, Artesia, N. M.

For First-Class

Blacksmithing
and Wood-work,
Wagon and Buggy
and Farm Implement-
work, Horseshoeing, see
W. H.
WATKINS,
ON
Cor. Second and Texas Sts.,
At the
Big Red Shop.
All Work Guaranteed.

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Almost every family has need
of a reliable remedy for colic or
diarrhea at some time during the
year.
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by dealers who have sold it for
many years and know its value.
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testimonials from grateful people.
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results.
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medicine could have been sent for
or a physician summoned.
It only costs a quarter. Can
you afford to risk so much for so
little? BUY IT NOW.

For Sale.

The cobble stone house on Rich-
ardson avenue. The price is less
than the cost of the house alone,
\$4400.00 and will take half on time.
This place is actually worth more
than \$5200.00. See J. C. Gage,
Artesia, who will show the house.

READ AND YOU WILL LEARN

That the leading medical writers and teachers of all the several schools of practice endorse and recommend, in the strongest terms possible, each and every ingredient entering into the composition of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for the cure of weak stomach, dyspepsia, catarrh of stomach, "liver complaint," torpid liver, or biliousness, chronic bowel affections, and all catarrhal diseases of whatever region, name or nature. It is also a specific remedy for all such chronic or long standing cases of catarrhal affections and their resultants, as bronchial, throat and lung diseases (except consumption) accompanied with severe cough. It is not so good for acute colds and coughs, but for lingering, or chronic cases it is especially efficacious in producing perfect cures. It contains Black Cherrybark, Golden Seal root, Bloodroot, Stone root, Mandrake root and Queen's root—all of which are highly praised as remedies for all the above mentioned affections by such eminent medical writers and teachers as Prof. Bartholow, of Jefferson Med. College; Prof. Hare, of the Univ. of Pa.; Prof. Finley Ellingwood, M. D., of Bennett Med. College, Chicago; Prof. John King, M. D., late of Cincinnati; Prof. John M. Scudder, M. D., late of Cincinnati; Prof. Edwin M. Hale, M. D., of Hahnemann Med. College, Chicago, and scores of others equally eminent in their several schools of practice.

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The man who boasts of making many enemies wonders why he has so few friends.

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*
In Use For Over 30 Years.
The Kind You Have Always Bought.

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They Should.

"My honest conviction, based upon my own experience and that of my friends, is that 'Hunt's Cure' will cure a larger per cent. of skin trouble, especially of an itching variety, than any other remedy. Certainly those afflicted with any form of itch should try it."

J. O. Monroe,
Atchison, Kas.

Men who make many mistakes make many more in trying to correct them.

Garfield Tea, the herb laxative, is mild, effective, health-giving—a faultless preparation. It cures constipation.

Money talks, but so many of us break it right off in the middle of a sentence.

AWFUL SUFFERING.

From Dreadful Pains from Wound on Foot—System All Run Down—Miraculous Cure by Cuticura.

"Words cannot speak highly enough for the Cuticura Remedies. I am now seventy-two years of age. My system had been all run down. My blood was so bad that blood poisoning had set in. I had several doctors attending me, so finally I went to the hospital where I was laid up for two months. My foot and ankle were almost beyond recognition. Dark blood flowed out of wounds in many places and I was so disheartened that I thought surely my last chance was slowly leaving me. As the foot did not improve, you can readily imagine how I felt. I was simply disgusted and tired of life. I stood this pain, which was dreadful, for six months, and during this time I was not able to wear a shoe and not able to work. Some one spoke to me about Cuticura. The consequences were I bought a set of the Cuticura Remedies of one of my friends who was a druggist, and the praise that I gave after the second application is beyond description; it seemed a miracle for the Cuticura Remedies took effect immediately. I washed the foot with the Cuticura Soap before applying the Ointment and I took the Resolvent at the same time. After two weeks' treatment my foot was healed completely. People who had seen my foot during my illness and who have seen it since the cure, can hardly believe their own eyes. Robert Schoenhauer, Newburg, N. Y. August 21, 1905."

Women only are able to fully enjoy the things they get for nothing.

Garfield Tea is Nature's remedy for liver and kidney diseases.

A man works for his own profit, but labors for the profit of others.

Blood is not much thicker than water when money is at stake.

Garfield Tea purifies the blood. Garfield Tea cures sick headaches.

Your average school board is the unconscious cause of great laughter.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Many men stoop to conquer and some of them stoop low.

Lewis' Single Binder straight 5c cigar is good quality all the time. Your dealer or Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

There is great power in beauty, and greater power in love.

"It's a Fact." When depressed and out of spirits the chances are that your liver is to blame. Try that greatest of all liver remedies, Simmons Liver Purifier. Put up in tin boxes, price 25c per box.

Education does not consist in knowing a lot of unnecessary things.

In a Pinch, Use ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE. A powder. It cures painful, smarting, nervous feet and ingrowing nails. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Makes new shoes easy. A certain cure for sweating feet. Sold by all druggists, 25c. Trial package, FREE. Address A. S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

In rare families, as in rare books, the editions are limited.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Some men borrow money with an air that makes it seem as a right.

Never Disappoints. "Many extensively advertised remedies are failures when put to the test. Hunt's Lightning Oil is an exception. Confidence in it is never misplaced—disappointment never follows its use. It is surely the grandest emergency remedy now obtainable. For cuts, burns, sprains, aches and pains, I know no equal."

Geo. E. Padlock,
Doniphan, Mo.

To read without reflecting is like eating without digesting.—Burke.

SEVEN YEARS OF SUFFERING

Ended at Last Through Using Doan's Kidney Pills.

Mrs. Selma Jones, of 200 Main St., Ansonia, Conn., says: "If it had not been for Doan's Kidney Pills I would not be alive to-day. Seven years ago I was so bad with pain in the back, and so weak that I had to keep to my room, and was in bed sometimes six weeks at a spell. Beginning with Doan's Kidney Pills, the kidney weakness was soon corrected, and inside a week all the pain was gone. I was also relieved of all headaches, dizzy spells, soreness and feelings of languor. I strongly recommend Doan's Kidney Pills."



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makes laundry work a pleasure. 16 oz. pkg. 10c.

50% MORE CREAM FROM SAME COWS.

Don't accuse your cows of being unprofitable. Give them a square deal and they will pay you well. If you are not using a centrifugal cream separator from 20 per cent. to 50 per cent. of your cream is thrown away with the skim milk—just wasted—and the cows accused of not earning their feed. In addition your own time and labor are being wasted. Why not get a DE LAVAL cream separator, stop these leaks, and double your profits. A DE LAVAL machine may be bought upon such liberal terms that it will more than earn its cost while you are paying for it and still be good for 20 years more of clear profit use. As compared with other separators the superiority of the DE LAVAL is seen in the fact that over 700,000 DE LAVAL machines, ten times the number of all others combined, have been sold to date. You may have ample trial of a DE LAVAL free of all cost. Now is the time to get a DE LAVAL while cows are making the largest product, and savings count biggest. Write to-day for free catalogue and full particulars.

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Captain Alexander Simpson, an English master mariner, recently completed his seventy-first voyage from London to Australia and back, having been in that trade for over forty years. Altogether he has covered 2,000,000 mile without serious mishap.

A Temptation, Indeed.

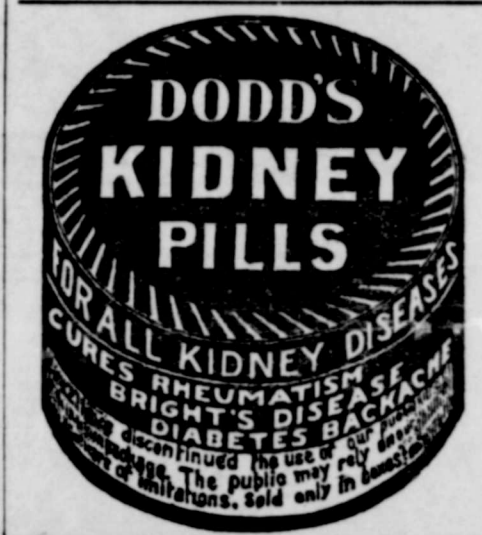
A novel excuse for stealing was given in Bucharest the other day. A woman was charged with the larceny of twelve cases of silver. Said the judge: "Come, tell us the truth." Said the woman: "The truth, my good judge, is that I have not been able to resist the temptation. Consider, your honor—they all bore my initials!"

Knox an Omniverous Reader.

Philander C. Knox, senator from Pennsylvania, is an inveterate reader, devoting all his time from legislative or legal duties to reading. He purchases all the best books and all the rare editions of old works which come his way. He reads in his carriage going to the capitol, on trains and every place where he must spend some moments waiting.

An "Official Kisser."

The Queen of the Hellenes probably dispenses more of what may be described as "official kisses" than anyone else on earth. Every lady presented to her with whom she is on intimate terms she kisses on the cheek; others who have the honor of knowing her well she kisses on the forehead.



WAS WEAK AND DIZZY

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Restored the Patient to Perfect Health and Strength.

Mrs. Mary Gagner, of No. 576 South Summer street, Holyoke, Mass., has passed through an experience which proves that some of the greatest blessings of life may lie within easy reach and yet be found only by mere chance. A few years ago while she was employed in the mills she was suddenly seized with dizziness and great weakness. "I was so weak at times," she says, "that I could hardly stand, and my head became so dizzy that it seemed as if the floor was moving around."

"My condition at last became so bad that I was obliged to give up work in the mill, and later still I became so feebly that I could not even attend to me household duties. After the slightest exertion I had to lie down and rest until I regained strength."

"A friend who had used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People urged me to try them. I bought a box and began to take them. The benefit was so positive and so quickly evident that I continued to use the pills until I had taken altogether six boxes. By that time I was entirely cured, and for two years I have had no return of my trouble. I am now in the best of health and able to attend to all my duties. I am glad to acknowledge the benefit I received and I hope that my statement may be the means of inducing others who may suffer in this way to try this wonderful medicine."

"The secret of the power of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in cases of debility, such as Mrs. Gagner's lies in the fact that they make new blood, and every organ and even every tiny nerve in the body feels the stir of a new tide of strength."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists or will be sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for \$2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

M. Jusserand, the Orator.

M. Jusserand, French ambassador, will be principal orator at the final burial of the body of John Paul Jones in Annapolis next Tuesday. Since his residence in Washington M. Jusserand has largely added to his reputation as an orator. He has always been known rather as a profound scholar and student, but in the speeches he has made in this country he has shown originality of research and a high degree of forensic ability, and it is expected that upon this occasion of international importance he will deliver an unusually able address.

That Constant Misery

When to Shoot in France.

There set out together to shoot rabbits, two Frenchman and an Englishman. All were eager, anxious, active. Suddenly they beheld a rabbit. The Englishman elevated his gun. "No, no, do not shoot!" cried his companions. "That is Mimi. We never shoot at Mimi!" The Englishman wondering, disgusted—desisted. Another rabbit. Again the gun of the Englishman was elevated, but it was not permitted of him to fire. "That is the adorable Lulu," they cried. "C'est un vrai bijou! We never shoot at Lulu." When a third rabbit appeared the Englishman was tired, but his companions cried out: "Shoot, shoot! That is Alfonso! We always shoot at Alfonso."

Railroad Building in Canada.

Railroad building is so active in Canada that the local steel mills are unable to supply the demand for rails, and large orders are accordingly being turned to the United States. But the present Canadian duty on steel rail is high enough to make importations expensive, and so the Grand Trunk Pacific company has petitioned the government to remit the duty on the ground that it was imposed purely as a protective measure and the local mills cannot meet the demand.

When women decide they want a favor nothing is allowed to interfere with the pursuit thereof.

A woman knows how to use everything that comes within her reach.

HOLD UP! and consider



There is hardly anything so dear as cheapness.

Lewis' Single Binder cigar—richest, most satisfying smoke on the market. Your dealer or Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

Some men take to scheming as naturally as a duck to water.

Saved Him.

"It did not kill me, but I think it would if it had not been for Hunt's Cure. I was tired, miserable and well nigh used up when I commenced using it for an old and severe case of Eczema. One application relieved and one box cured me."

"I believe Hunt's Cure will cure any form of itching known to mankind."
Clifton Lawrence,
Helena, O. T.

It is a great shock to a woman to find that the weather prediction of her husband comes out right.

Life-Weary Women

brought to despair through the suffering caused by female diseases, should take heart. There IS a cure for all your pain and misery. Mrs. John A. Keeton, of Cephas, Va., writes: "Life was a burden to me for years. All that my dear doctor did, brought no relief. Cardui helped me more than all the medicines I ever took. Now I am well and happy, and have all the pleasures of life before me." It relieves pain and regulates the functions.

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must fully protect an invention. Booklet and Desk Calendar FREE. Highest references. Communications confidential. Established 1861. Mason, Fenwick & Lawrence, Washington, D. C.

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Paxtine

Toilet Antiseptic
Whitens the teeth—purifies mouth and breath—cures nasal catarrh, sore throat, sore eyes, and by direct application cures all inflamed, ulcerated and catarrhal conditions caused by feminine ills. Paxtine possesses extraordinary cleansing, healing and germicidal qualities unlike anything else. At all druggists. 50 cents
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W. L. Douglas \$4.00 Gilt Edge Line CANNOT be equalled at any price.



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\$10,000 REWARD to anyone who can improve this statement. If I could take you into my three large factories at Brockton, Mass., and show you the infinite care with which every pair of shoes is made, you would realize why W. L. Douglas \$3.50 shoes cost more to make, why they hold their shape, fit better, wear longer, and are of greater intrinsic value than any other \$3.50 shoe. **W. L. Douglas Strong Made Shoes for Men, \$2.50, \$2.00, Boys' School & Dress Shoes, \$2.50, \$2.00, \$1.75, \$1.50** CAUTION.—Insist upon having W. L. Douglas shoes. Take no substitute. None genuine without his name and price stamped on bottom. *Fast Color Eyelets used: they will not wear brass.* Write for Illustrated Catalog. **W. L. DOUGLAS, Brockton, Mass.**

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W. N. U. DALLAS, NO. — 18 — 1906.

"La Creole" Will Restore those Gray Hairs

"La Creole Hair Restorer is a Perfect Dressing and Restorer. Price \$1.00

Are You Going

To want a new dress for the 4th, or maybe its a pretty pair of slippers you need to make your outfit complete. Then perchance its only just a nice sunshade or parasol you will want, or probably a belt, pretty purse, or a little fancy collar.

MAKES NO DIFFERENCE

to us what your want list calls for, if its in the dry goods line we believe we can please you in style, satisfy you in quality and save you money on your purchase.

AT PRESENT WE ARE SHOWING

A particularly strong line of all white goods that are quite popular now and in such big demand. If you have a longing for anything in the white goods line, either for shirt waist, skirt, suit or full dress, we believe (and believe it strong to) that its to your interest to come in and look over these popular cloths and note the prices at which we offer them.

India Linon Lawns special values at 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ c, 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ c, 15c, 20c and 25c.
 Persian Lawns, pretty and sheer, just the thing for a midsummer dress, in white and cream at popular prices, 20c, 25c, 35c, 40c and 45c.
 Lingerie, a very pretty dull finished cloth, light weight, but very serviceable, 38 inches wide, only 25c
 Wash Chiffon, a very dainty fabric, just the thing for a nice evening dress, 50 inches wide, only 50c.
 Soisette. One of this seasons most popular weaves, ask to see Soisette, we believe you'll like it—and the price, 32 inches wide 30c.
 Pique. Always popular for skirts, nothing more serviceable, good values at 16 $\frac{3}{4}$ and 25c.
 Oxfords. A full line in nobby, neat effects, make pretty waists or full suits 17 $\frac{1}{2}$ c to 45c.
 We have a big assortment of woolen goods in white, and can show you quite a variety of all the popular cloths in vogue for this summers wear.

GIVE US A CALL. NO TROUBLE TO SHOW GOODS.

IT PAYS
OTHERS.
IT WILL
PAY YOU
GET THE
HABIT GO
TO THE

Grand Leader
ONE PRICE - SPOT CASH

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Higgins
Building

Notice to the Public.

I have taken the contract to erect the school house at Hope, and I am alone authorized to make contracts for material or labor in said work. I will not be responsible for any material purchased or debts contracted by other parties.

C. K. Kouenhoven.

FLAGS, all sizes | Pecos Valley Drug Co.

Haying Outfit

for sale or lease for the summer.
John R. Hodges.

Get Linell & Morton's prices on wall paper before buying.

The Pecos Valley trains have changed schedules again. The north-bound now goes north at 8:55 and returns at 5:52 in the afternoon.

Fourth of July Paper Hats a Pecos Valley Drug Co.

KILL THE COUGH AND CURE THE LUNGS
WITH **Dr. King's New Discovery**
FOR CONSUMPTION Price 50c & \$1.00
COUGHS and Free Trial.
COLDS
Surest and Quickest Cure for all THROAT and LUNG TROUBLES, or MONEY BACK.

FOR SALE—I have two haying outfits will sell one at a bargain. Mower, Rake and Baler. W. E. Rogers, 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles southwest of Lake Arthur, New Mexico.

Fireworks at Pecos Valley Drug Co.

Have you seen it? The new gas engine at the Artesia Machine Shop.

ARTESIA LODGE No. 28, A. F. & A. M. Stated communications first Saturday night of each month. J. B. Cecill, W. M. E. B. Kemp, Sec.

WALNUT CAMP No. 26 Meets on first, third and fifth Tuesday nights of each month. Chas. R. Echols, C. C. J. E. Swebston, Clerk.

I. O. O. F. ARTESIA LODGE No. 11 Meets every Thursday night at 7:30. J. D. H. Reed, N. G. T. R. Logan, Sec.

RED MEN, CHEROKEE TRIBE No. 25 Meets every Friday night in each month. J. D. Christopher, Sachem. Nob Walden, Chief of Records.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS ARTESIA LODGE No. 27 Meets on second and fourth Saturday nights in each month. Jay C. Idler, C. C. Lee McIntosh, K. of R. & S.

Toy Cannons and blank cartridge pistols in the large assortment of Fireworks at Pecos Valley Drug Co.

Mr. George Kline, formerly of Kansas, who recently bought the Duncan farm, one and a half miles south of the city, called around to subscribe for the Advocate yesterday. He says he likes the Pecos Valley much better than when he came and is delighted with the way alfalfa grows.

Newest Novelties in Fireworks at Pecos Valley Drug Co.

NO. 7043. REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK, OF ARTESIA

At Artesia., in the Territory of New Mexico, at the close of business, June 18th, 1906.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$101,810 91
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	229 62
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	6,250 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	312 50
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	6,923 47
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	20,409 01
Due from State Banks and Bankers	3,785 49
Due from approved reserve agents	23,223 89
Checks and other cash items	991 25
Notes of other National Banks	85 00
Fractional paper currency, 'nickels' and cents	22 07
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:	
Specie	\$7,609 60
Legal-tender notes	1,000 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, (5 per cent of circulation)	312 50
Total	\$172,965 31

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$25,000 00
Surplus fund	5,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	2,817 27
National Bank notes outstanding	6,250 00
Due to other National Banks	4,908 86
Individual deposits subject to check	118,759 18
Cashier's checks outstanding	10,230 00
Total	\$172,965 31

TERRITORY OF NEW MEXICO, COUNTY OF EDDY, ss:
I, R. M. ROSS, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

R. M. ROSS, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before this 21st day of June, 1906.
Daisy Fessenden Ross, Notary Public.

CORRECT ATTEST:
L. R. GAIDRY,
HARRY W. HAMILTON,
OLIN H. RAGSDALE, Directors.

Get your Flags for the Fourth at Pecos Valley Drug Co.

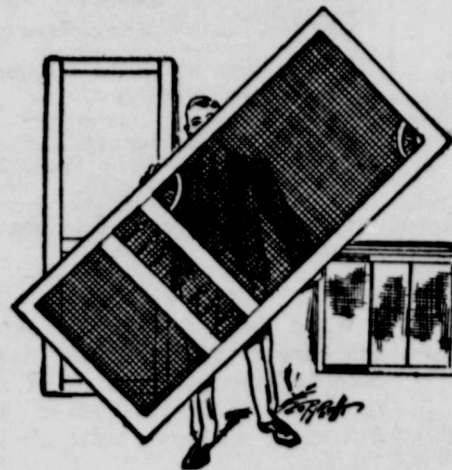
When you want your horse lots or yards cleaned and the trash hauled off telephone Lee Turknott. He is now running two teams and guarantees to do you good service and "do it now."

All kind of Fireworks at Pecos Valley Drug Co.

Latest styles of picture frame mouldings at Linell & Morton.

Screen Yourself

against the attacks of obnoxious insects. Shut out the germ-carrying housefly and malarial mosquito. Put up



Screen Doors

now. Don't wait until the buzzers have staked out claims on the walls and ceilings.

We carry a full line of plain and fancy doors.

Kemp Lumber Co.

Wall Paper, Wall Paper LINELL & MORTON

Wish to announce that they have just received a complete line of the latest novelties in Wall Paper. Also a LARGE LINE OF PICTURE MOULDINGS, PAINTS, OILS, GLASS, VARNISHES, ETC. Estimates cheerfully furnished on all in and out of town work. All work and material guaranteed to be first class. SIGN WRITING DONE ON SHORT NOTICE.

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Call and see us. Opposite Ullery Furniture Co.

The Best In The City.

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Jenny Carr of Boston.

BY CHARLES MICHAEL WIL-
LIAMS.

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This is a tale about a girl in Boston. Her name was Jenny Carr and I met her when I worked in a small department store. I got nine dollars a week, and worked ten hours a day; and I certainly did earn the money. I had been sleeping on a couch in Dick Allen's studio, on Boylston street, and he had been buying my meals, but now I got a room of my own in the West End, and a meal ticket. Allen was an old friend of mine—the oddest, shyest, and most lovable chap I ever knew—an artist who was always drawing women's faces, and dreaming (although you had to know him very well to be aware of it) of love, and who, nevertheless, lived a lonely, companionless life. He did not want me to leave his rooms. But my rough and ready ways and habits consorted ill with Dick's refined manner of life, and, besides, I had been sponging on him too long.

Jenny sold things from the tinware counter, in the kitchen-ware department, near the basement where I unpacked the goods. I hate to have to try to make you see a pretty girl in the murky medium of my words; but here goes for a try. Well! her eyes were blue, and her hair was black, her lips were red and her cheeks were white. Oho! Such a catalogue, doesn't form a magic mirror and evoke Jenny's face for you, I know.

Jenny was 18 years old; and would still have been going to high school had not her father, a little groceryman, died just as he failed in business—leaving five children behind him. The family had come from Maine and had few friends and no relatives in Boston; and it was a case of all those in it able to work to get out and do so.

In that store there were about 50 girls—ranging in age from about 15 years to 60—and four floorwalkers looked after them. There were no men behind the counters; only in the basement, packing and unpacking, and in the shipping room. The manager of the store had eyes in his head, and his eyes were on intimate terms with his brain; that is, what his eyes saw his brain made use of; the millionaires who owned the store, together with some 50 others like it all over the country, could not have had a better manager than Mr. Benbow.

I worked hard, everywhere; and Benbow saw I was a hustler. He spoke to me several times when I was toting things around the store; and by and by he came to me and said that the young fellow who had been floor-walking in the kitchen-ware department was going, as head floorwalker, to a town in another state where a new store was to be opened, and how would I like to tackle his job?

There would be ten dollars a week in it, and easier work. It was all one to me where I worked; I intended soon to quit Boston, anyhow, and make for the south for the winter, and I took the job. To tell the whole truth, it was because Jenny worked in that department that I really cared to accept.

But this girl, Jenny Carr, was in my head, together with thoughts of her that bothered me. She seemed to me as a flower in a patch of weeds, bound to be lost amid them. There was a something in her eyes, in the way she carried her head—which was poised on her shoulders as lightly as is that of a bird—that told me she was pining, grieving, wasting—and not, perhaps, knowing why. She was a creature made for sunshine, and thrust into shadow; a being made for free flight—and cribbed, caged and confined. Life called to her; her heart stirred, strained toward the call; but her limbs were bound.

And if there is any one thing that more than any other has come home to me in my loafings and roving through the streets, it is the fact that these streets are full of gins and traps and pitfalls set for the feet of poor

girls. As I walked through this store, among the 50 girls, bending over their counters, mostly frail and plain and pale and wasted girls, I could count several whom the snares had snared. Oho! My head is full of stories—yes, but I can not tell them all; but I made up my mind that if it could be helped, the tale of Jenny Carr should not be numbered with those darker tales.

For already the setter of snares had marked her down.

Jenny was frightened when I approached her after work hours one evening, as she got off her car in Roxbury to walk to her home; poor girl, some of the dark tales were already becoming familiar to her.

But her fright did not last long. We became friends. Friends—and that was all. But I came to see that no friendship was going to serve this girl; and I could be no more than a friend.

And I began to see that the man of snares was coming more often to her counter. One night Mrs. Carr, happily smiling, told me that Jenny was going to a little party with a girl from the store, on the next night; and she was so glad of it—the poor girl had so little amusement.

I said to myself: "Oho, I guess I'll do a little gum shoe work to-morrow night."

I did. The man of snares was a kinsman of the men of millions who owned our store; a fat, baldheaded young fellow, with a foolish goatee which he was always caressing with a plump hand, on which a big diamond shone. He was working under our manager, who was trying to lick him into useful commercial shape; but he was a dub all through. He took Jenny to a pretty loud kind of musical comedy that next night; and I wasn't far behind at any of the time. Coming out, he stopped after a time before a restaurant. A mongrel aggregation of fakirs from the West End were rigged up as a Bohemian band, and the violins were scraping and jingling inside. I saw the girl's flushed face; but—thank the Lord!—she shook her head; and the fat boy took her home.

As I walked home that night, thinking of Jenny, pining for life and fluttering like a little bird around the lured tree of a poisonous life, I asked myself why it was that I didn't fall in love with her myself; hanged if I didn't try to persuade myself to do so; but I knew all the while I could not; and then I asked myself: "What sort of man would fall in love with Jenny?" And the answer came in this way: "I'd bet a million that Dick Allen would!" And I went to see him.

I said to Jenny the next day: "Will you be at home to-night?"

She turned her sad, perplexed, deep eyes upon me, and said: "Yes." And a flush crept under her white cheeks as she remembered, I guess, how she was not at home the night before.

I said: "All right, then; I guess I am going to bring a friend with me. He is an artist, and I am going to have him make a picture of you."

You see, I had simply forced Dick Allen to promise me that he would make a portrait of a girl I knew, for me.

Jenny looked at me in a startled manner, as if I were taking strange liberties; but I could see that under this emotion there was one of pleasure. She had something to think about.

One day the fat youth, kinsman of the millionaires, came rubbering around. He had all the other floorwalkers on a string. Knowing who he was and what he was, they just fairly licked his shiny patent-leather shoes. Dixon was the fat youth's name.

Said Dixon: "Well, Mr. Neville, you have quite a bunch of girls down here. The pick of the shop."

I said: "Do you think so?"

"Sure," said he; he was in one of his jovial moods, and I could smell vermouth on his breath. He put a fat hand on my ribs and facetiously tickled me.

"They are all right—especially one of them; and look here, Neville, just be as easy as you can with that particular one; don't put up a kick if she takes an extra half hour at lunch, you know; and as I have taken over the job of overseeing the payroll, I'll slip an ex-

tra fiver in your envelope on Saturday's for a while."

Yes—just like that he tried to buy me; as you would buy a pair of boots. "Dixon," said I, "you run along up stairs and don't bother me—or anybody else down here, do you see?—or else I'll spread your nose all over your face. Now, you git."

And he went. I said to myself: "I can see my finish here."

That evening I went home in the car with Jenny. I could see that she was curious and pleased and excited about the picture-making; so I told her that this artist was going to be a great man, one of these days, and I was helping him to get pictures.

I went off to fetch Dick Allen. When we got to the flat—which was simply and neatly furnished, bespeaking the fine, simple taste of Jenny—I found that Mrs. Carr had cleared the family away from the front room; and I asked no questions. Jenny was dressed in a white shirt-waist, and plain dark skirt; and I noticed the eyes of the artist light up as he saw the blue of her eyes, the curve of her clear red lips against the clear white skin; so I came out in my mule-headed, obstinate way, with: "Well, now, Dick, you see the job you have. I have got to go out for awhile; you go ahead with the picture, and I'll be back by and by."

I went down town and played pool for an hour. Then I went back and took Dick away. "What do you think of her, Dick?" said I.

Allen said: "Paddy, you are a lucky dog. I congratulate you."

Oho—I could spin this yarn out; for I like to think of it; but you see its finish for yourself. The trouble grew in Dick Allen's eyes day by day, and spread to Jenny's. Why, if I had really earned my salary as floorwalker, I should have berated her soundly many times each day. For a dream was in her heart; a dream that lighted up the shop of cheapness and ugliness, where the fat youth prowled with his diamonds shining. He still prowled around Jenny; but I guess I had cut his claws.

But I wanted more than that—I wanted to punch his nose, just for my own satisfaction. And it looked to me as if a punching was coming his way; for he extended his prowling to Roxbury. That night when I went for Dick, he was sulky. "Here's your picture," he said: "I needn't waste any more time over you. It's done. Take it along and show it to the girl."

"Dick, I'm glad to have this picture," I answered earnestly, "for I like that girl; it will remind me of her. I'm off again, to-morrow."

He jumped about three feet. "What?" he cried. Then he threw himself into a chair: "Oh, I see. The marriage is to-morrow; I see."

"No," said I, "you don't see—you are blind as a bat—you chump. Jenny Carr is eating her heart out for love of you—and I'm not in love with Jenny; no sir; I hit the trail to-morrow, for the south. I got fired to-day."

Dick jumped up, nearly squeezed the bones of my hand into slivers, and then hustled out the door. I took up Jenny's picture and followed. When I got into the street before the flat, looking up I saw a shadow come upon the blind. It paused, another swiftly advanced; and the two of them joined into one. And just then I saw the fat youth, Dixon, getting off a car, with a big bunch of flowers in his hands. Things had come out as I wanted them to do, just according to my book—but, do you know?—I felt suddenly sore and sorry, and lonely as a lost dog, when I saw those two shadows so swiftly join.

I stepped before Dixon. His fat face paled when he saw me. "Where are you going?" I demanded.

"It is none of your infernal business," he replied. "Get out of my way."

"But here's a stroke of my business!" I yelled, and I gave him that punch on the nose. It was a good one. He yelped and went down hard, and tucking my picture of Jenny under my arm, I walked on; cheerful, now; my soreness all gone away. I left it with the fat boy.

Reward Dwindling.

The Nobel awards are constantly becoming smaller. At the first distribution they amounted to 150,782 kronen (\$40,711), but this year they have been reduced to 138,089 kronen. The income from the Nobel endowments, according to the latest reports, was 1,378,000 kronen (\$372,060), but the expense of management has been so great that less than one-half of this sum has been distributed in prizes.

Era of Doing.

Louisville children were given a holiday and 300,000 packages of flower seeds to plant. That is an idea for a city beautiful much more substantial than several thousand yards of talk.—Chicago Daily News.

Drugged to Death.

Excessive use of drugs is the cause of death of 20 per cent. of the population of Austria, according to official statistics, while 44 per cent. of the medical profession in that country die of heart disease.



On the Funny Side.

"Had to laugh the other day," said the landlord of the Pettyville tavern. "The Mastodon Minstrels' car was turned over by a switch engine, just as it was to be hooked onto the train for Allegash. Says I: 'By heck! That's the first time I ever seen a show ever before it got started!'"

"That's just the way I said it, and the editor of the Plaindealer thought it was so youmerous that he wrote a piece about it for the paper!"—Puck.

Looking the Part.

Miss Tartun—At the next meeting of the club we are to have amateur theatrical. You are to have a thinking part.

Mr. Simpleton—But is there no other—

Miss Tartun—Oh, you're not really expected to think, you know! You will only need to look as if you were doing it!—Answers.

A Smart Child.

"Mamma," said six-year-old Harry, "when I have any sweets I always like to share them with you."

"I'm glad to know you are not selfish, Harry," replied his mother. "But why do you like to share them with me instead of with anyone else?"

"Cause," answered the little diplomat, "you always take them, thank me, and then give them back."—Royal.

True to His Principles.

Clerk (to his employer just leaving the office)—Oh, Mr. System, haven't you forgotten your umbrella? It's raining.

Mr. System—Can't help it. I've made a resolution to have one here and one at home, to provide for all emergencies. Now, if I take this they'll both be at home.—Royal Magazine.

The Era of Investigation.

Troubles daily seem to thicken,
Life's a melancholy song.
Half the world is always kickin'
'Cause the other half does wrong.
—Washington Star.

NOT JOKING THEN.



Helen—I never know when your friend Gluet is joking and when he is in earnest.

Henry—He's in earnest when he tries to borrow money.—Chicago Chronicle.

Pomological.

Bridal pears are different, far,
From other fruits you've seen;
Plucked from the parent stem, they are
Softest when they're green.
—Puck.

Works Both Ways.

Dibbles—What are you doing now?
Scribbles—Running a society paper.
Dibbles—Well, that ought to be a winning proposition. Lots of people are willing to pay well to see their names in print.
Scribbles—Yes; but I get more out of those who don't want to see their names in print.—Chicago Daily News.

Might Come Handy.

"I love thee!" vowed the sentimentalist. "I swear it by yon blue sky—by the purple seas—by the green forest—by the yellow moon—by—"
"Say," interrupted the Practical Girl, "it would suit me a heap better if you'd put all that in black and white."
—Cleveland Leader.

He Was No Mastodon.

"Every cigarette you smoke, young man, is another nail in your coffin."
"Gwan! I've been smokin' about 30 a day for the last ten years. What kind of a coffin would hold that many nails?"—Cleveland Leader.

The Only Way.

Jess—Why on earth did Gladys marry Charley Dumley?
Tess—Oh, she took the greatest fancy to Charley's Boston bull, and he wouldn't give her the dog.—Puck.

The Shadow of the Past.

She laid her face against her mother's breast and sobbed.

"My poor child, what is it?" the elder lady asked. "Has Reginald been cruel to you?"

"No, mamma," the bride replied, "it is not that. It is all on account of a terrible discovery. I—"

"Ah," the fond mother exclaimed, "then he did not tell you before it was too late! Oh, my poor child! Oh, the monster! There's a dark page in his life! Ah, how can a man be so base? How—"

"He found the photograph of me sitting in a basin, the stricken one interrupted, "that you had taken for a baby food advertisement!"

Then they sat there dumb with grief.—Royal Magazine.

LEGAL REPARTEE.



Lawyer—I say, doctor, why are you always running us lawyers down?
Doctor (dryly)—Well, your profession doesn't make angels of men, does it?

Lawyer—Why, no; you certainly have the advantage of us there, doctor.—Illustrated Bits.

One of the Horrors of Spring.

Birds are singing 'midst the roses,
Children wiping of their noses,
And spring is not
By a whole lot
Joy unalloyed as one supposes.
—Houston Post.

Proper Definition.

The old man came into the parlor just in time to catch the young man kissing his daughter.

"Sir," said the stern parent, "what do you mean by that kind of business?"

"Pardon me," replied the young man, calmly, "but it isn't business at all; it's the pleasantest kind of pleasure."—Chicago Daily News.

Controverted.

They say she is a heartless flirt
Of most approved design.
And yet I know this isn't true—
For she possesses mine.
—Puck.

Quite a Feat.

"I have here," began the poet, "a short poem which I wrote on 'Niagara Falls.' My friends think it quite remarkable."

"I should imagine it was," replied the editor, sarcastically; "how did you manage to keep your paper from getting wet?"—Philadelphia Press.

Six Short.

The actress who got one bouquet
Was mad as a hatter, they sует,
For it seems she had given
Her order for seven
And the florist had gotten his puet.
—Philadelphia Press.

HELPS BUSINESS.



"Mr. Block certainly has an eye to business when he allows the football team to practice on his grounds."

"How's that?"
"Well, he's a doctor."—Chicago Journal.

The Editorial Opinion.

"Don't you think that a school for the purpose of teaching people to write poetry would fill a long-felt want?"

"I think a school for the purpose of teaching them not to write poetry would fill a longer felt want."—Houston Post.

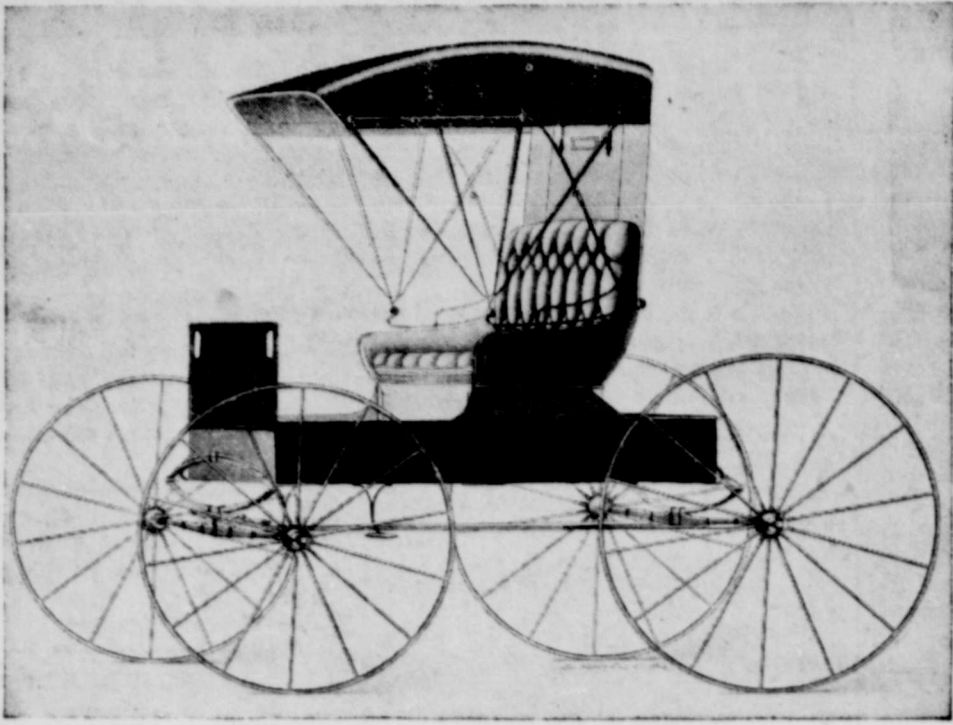
Joy in Work Depends on Conditions

By HON. DANIEL D. MAHONEY,
of Joint Legislative Committee of Labor of Mass.

The conditions under which practically all men could experience the joy of work are not hard to describe or impossible of realization. Most men who labor with their hands at least find themselves generally adapted to the work in which they are engaged. This work may be of a routine nature, it may not at first glance require any effort of intelligent discrimination, it may indeed be what is commonly called drudgery. Yet if the worker is, as we might say, in sympathy with his surroundings, if he is inspired with a spirit of helpfulness, he cannot fail to find joy in his work.

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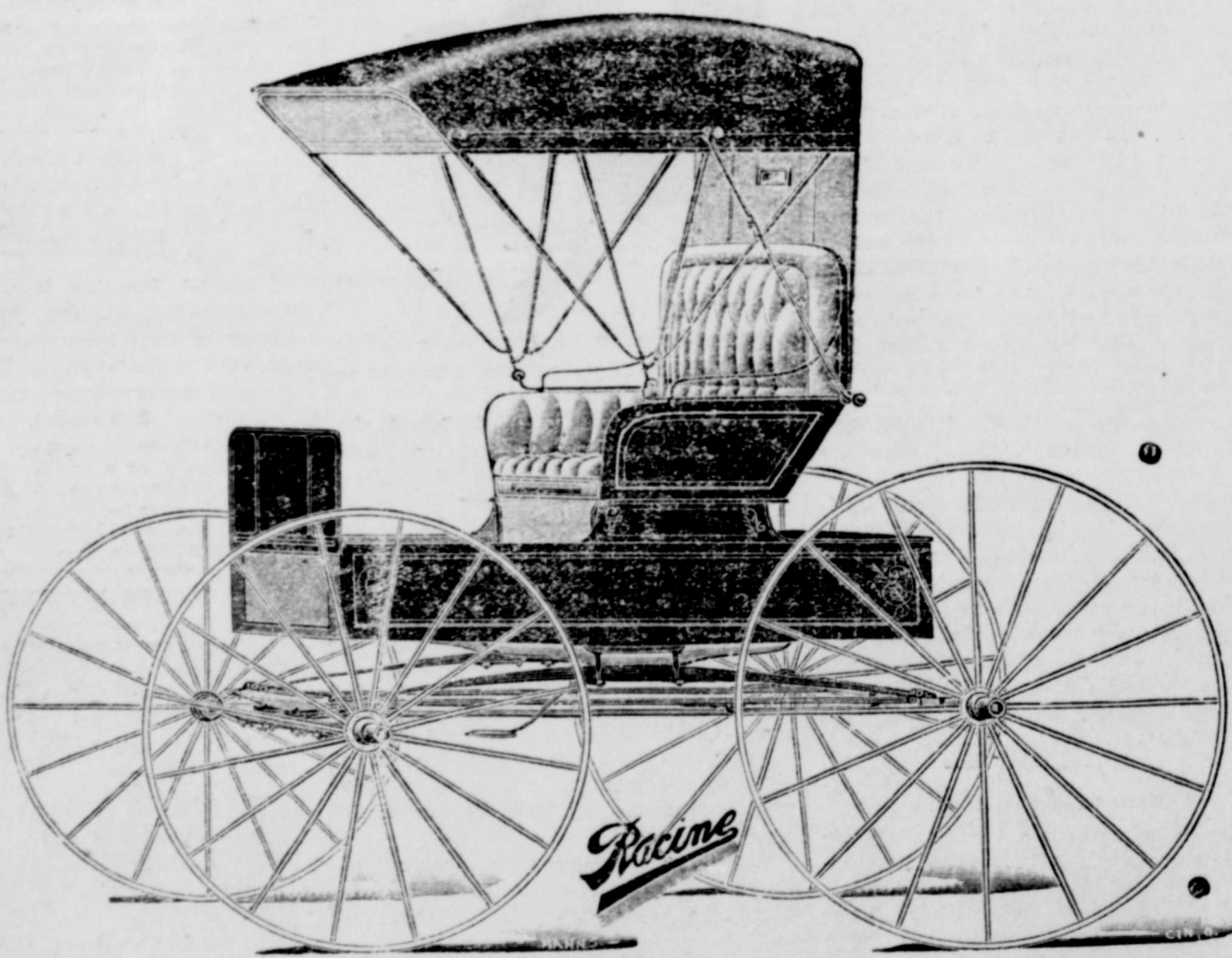
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Ernest Cox joined the Old-Home-Week-in-Kentucky crowd and is spending the time at Madisonville. He writes that the wind and dust is so bad there that he can hardly stand it at all, and he misses the cool nights of New Mexico to refresh him after an all day siege.

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FOLLOW THE FLAG.

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Bill Whitaker says it is getting about time that the name of Hope (Artesia's thrifty neighbor on the west) was changed to something more appropriate. The burg was founded originally on hope, and has been hoping along ever since. Now that she is to have a new four-thousand-dollar school house and the population is increasing every day, it is safe to say that Hope has "arrived." Which will you call it, "Hope Realized" or "Happy Consumption?"

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