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FOR DELEGATE

CAPT. E. P. BUJAC SPEAKS IN ARTESIA—ANNOUNCES HIS CANDIDACY FOR CONSTITUTIONAL DELEGATE.

The Advocate now feels at liberty to state without fear of successful contradiction that Eddy county has one candidate in the field for constitutional delegate, and also to state with the same degree of assurance that said candidate has no false modesty about making his wants and wishes known to the public. The gentleman is Captain E. P. Bujac, and he fired the first gun in his campaign at Artesia Tuesday morning. The occasion was the regular morning session of the Teachers' Institute. Captain Bujac was slated for a regulation set address on the subject of "A Constitution," which he dealt with in an entertaining and logical manner, but took occasion to deviate from the prescribed lines long enough to take a few falls out of another illustrious citizen of Carlsbad who has, apparently, been setting his traps to capture the same job so much desired by the Captain. In fact, so anxious was he to place his opponent before the public in a proper light, that the "deviation" monopolized most of the time allotted to the gentle art of constitution making. Captain Bujac is a striking character in appearance and in point of oratorical powers and is patriotic to the core. A soldier himself and the son of a soldier, his impetuous eloquence knows no bounds when he essays to tell of his beloved "Sunny Southland" and its people. It was thoughts along this line that impelled him to devote some thirty minutes to reviewing a speech made to this same body of teachers by Judge A. A. Freeman the week previous. Mr. Freeman's address had been a theoretical discussion on the subject of bravery, and in illustrating he had referred to the men who killed a negro rapist in North Carolina as "brutes" and that there were no men of courage among them. Coming from that land where womanhood has been in jeopardy ever since negro emancipation, Captain Bujac construed these remarks as a casual bell and unlimbered his batteries. To those who know the Captain best, it is not necessary to state that he found the range in a jiffy and hit the mark every shot. His remarks were lurid and highly entertaining. As an oration it was a success, and if Judge Freeman feels disposed to defend his position on this great social problem, the voters of Eddy county will not lack for entertainment on the next few weeks. Continuing on this line, Captain Bujac said he would favor a separate coach law provision in the constitution, also a law making it compulsory that white and negro children attend separate schools. He would favor a state railway commission and a law exempting homesteads from taxation. He didn't say what about taxing artesian wells.

Captain Bujac and Judge Freeman were both booked for speeches at Lakewood yesterday.

Messrs Haynes and Updike, of Lake Arthur, called on The Advocate Tuesday and informed us that owing to the great cost to be incurred that town had despaired of making a ford across the Pecos River near that point but a united effort would be made to secure a bridge instead. They said parties were ready to contract for a suspension bridge, and the cost would be about \$2500. They said the commissioners of Chaves county had expressed a willingness to assist in the building of the bridge to the extent of \$600 to \$700.

Mr. Kinchlow, of Itasca, Texas, and Mr. Murray, of Higginsville, Mo., were Artesia visitors Tuesday. They saw the wells gushing and the crops growing, and, as is usual in such cases expressed their admiration for what they saw. It is altogether likely that each will invest in some Valley lands. In fact we learn that Mr. Kinchlow has already invested near Lakewood.

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JUST GOOSE EGGS

THAT WAS ALL THE ROSWELL MEXICANS COULD GET FROM ARTESIA'S BALL TOSSERS YESTERDAY.

The long-anticipated series of games between the Roswell Mexicans and the Artesia Club began with a game Thursday. These were the only visitors who had ever been able to gain a victory from the Artesia champions and some folks were actually beginning to believe they had won it by meritorious playing. Those who believed this strong enough to back their judgment with their money, are now as short on cash as they were on patriotism. The Mexicans are the best players Artesia has been up against this season, but are simply outclassed when battling against Artesia's picked players.

Thursday's game was mostly a case of muscle and wind, very few remarkable plays being made. Through errors, the Mexicans were enabled to get a couple of head marks in the first inning and their friends really thought for a while that they were in the game. The game consumed most of the afternoon and results Artesia 13, Roswell 6. The features were some pretty playing by the Mexican on first and the pitching of Head for Artesia. Of course George Pound'emout Stoker and Ben Easley featured, as they always do. The former went to bat four times and pulled four scores out of the fire. Easley got three chances and two scores.

FRIDAY'S GAME.

Those backers who witnessed with what ease and success the Mexicans did not win the game Thursday, took courage behind a rumor that got into circulation to the effect that the visitors were not trying to win and that they had something up their sleeves for Artesia, to be delivered yesterday. They were apparently correct in this. The something were goose eggs, and they looked like this 000000000. For nine long, lonesome, heart rending innings the visitors fought against the fate that Artesia had decreed should be their portion. Only one of their number ever journeyed so far away from home as second base, and he hugged that as if he thought it might take wings and fly away. Osborne was in the box for Artesia and he guillotined with neatness and dispatch. Fifteen fell victim to his good right arm and not a single man was given passage. No one could show better control of balls than this. His support was excellent. The defeat of the visitors was due to one thing alone—the fact that Artesia played the best game ever. There was one error recorded against them in the entire game—a fumble by Morton on first. That gentleman's playing, however, was away above criticism. Out of six chances he accepted five and showed heavy hitting ability, putting one ball entirely out of the grounds. Artesia's batteries were in clover. Feemster led the list, and heaped coals of fire on the heads of those parties responsible for putting him on the bench a time or two lately for no reason apparent to the rooters. Out of six times up, he captured four scores. Graham, Stoker, Johnson, Osborne and Easley divided honors evenly. They got three chances each and each waggled off with two straight marks to their credit. Graham's head work and sliding kept the visitors dodging. While the Mexicans were kept busy providing victims for the sacrifice, Artesia was having fun with the ball and pulled out twenty-one plums.

The attendance of townspeople was all that could be expected and more. Artesia people are proud of their ball tossers and will not fail to patronize them as long as they provide the class of sport that is now being put up. The team is composed entirely of business and professional men of the town, who have no incentive in their work save that of providing first-class entertainment for the town—and to prove to all whom it may concern that Artesia can play ball just like she does everything else—just a little bit better than any other old town in the valley.

The third game of the series will be called this afternoon at 2:30 and the roll-call should not find an Artesia rooter absent from his respective station.

NEW GUSHERS!

IRRIGATION CAPACITY GREATLY AUGMENTED IN THE ARTESIA COUNTRY.

The development of the Artesia country proceeds. Not in a manner which could be called harum-scarum, nor rushing or booming, but in a regular, intelligent way, calculated to impress the observer that results are sought which are to be of real benefit to the country.

Last week three new wells of average capacity were brought in. All have splendid flows and are similar in every way to the other hundreds of wells already in operation in the Valley. These were brought in for L. Johnson, Dr. Yater and E. F. Hardwick and all are northwest from town from 9 to 12 miles and are in the vicinity of the Baskin well brought in some time ago.

Tuesday of this week Mr. Price Henry brought in another well on his land two miles southeast of town. This one is said to be a very fine well, above the average, and will probably furnish water sufficient to irrigate two hundred to three hundred acres of land and perhaps more.

Pecos Valley Exhibit Car.

Fruits and other farm products are now being collected to place in the Pecos Valley Exhibit Car, which is slated to leave Artesia September 6th, and the Commercial Club requests every farmer and horticulturist in the Artesia and Hope countries to bring or send the choicest specimens they can procure. The car this year will be the handsomest and most complete ever sent out, yet it will not do the valley justice unless this favored section send in a liberal quota. The largest apples ever produced, so far as history tells, were sent from off the Pecos last year, and we must not lose our reputation. If you have something meritorious, leave it at the Advocate office and we will guarantee that it gets into the car and that the grower and his postoffice address will be attached. This is a labor of love that every patriotic citizen can join in, regardless of place of residence so long as it is in the Pecos Valley and its tributaries. The exhibit goes all over the northern and central states and we want to show the folks back there that the Pecos Valley is indeed in truth the garden spot of the Union.

The second nine baseball club of Lake Arthur, will cross bats with the second nine of Artesia on Monday, August 27th, at Artesia ball grounds. Those who are craving for ball has not been satisfied this week may have opportunity to assuage that longing to some extent at least on that day.

Lee Glasscock, who has his cash invested in the best-paying proposition on earth—sheep—was in the city from Hope Thursday. Mr. Glasscock compliments the Advocate to the extent of saying that he thinks it the best weekly paper he ever saw.

C. B. King and wife, of Sherman Texas, are spending the week at Dayton, as guests of John B. King and others. Mr. King is much pleased with the valley, and says barring the dust, the country could not be improved upon.

Lowry & Talbot, proprietors of El Prado Ranch, north of town, this week purchased the G. P. Cleveland herd of Jersey cattle. From this strain has come some of the finest milkers ever known in the valley.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Artesia Library Association held Monday afternoon, Mrs. E. S. Johnson was elected Librarian, to succeed Miss Atterbury, resigned. The free use of the library was tendered the visiting teachers.

Mr. George P. Cleveland was showing some very fine apples on Tuesday, which were grown on the Day farm, six miles south of Artesia. Dr. Montgomery was also exhibiting a lot of fine, juicy pears.

John B. King, manager of the Chisholm nursery near Dayton, was in the city Tuesday, accompanied by his friend, Mr. Smith, of Sherman, Texas.

RAPID PROGRESS.

AN IDEA OF THE QUICK RESULTS ATTAINED IN THE ARTESIA COUNTRY.

The development of a new country must of necessity depend upon the several conditions involved in the locality which it is the purpose to develop. And that country which is susceptible to the quickest development, and which, also, produces the maximum quantity of the finest quality and at a minimum expense compared with the results attained, is the best country. No one can deny this.

Be it understood at the outset, however, that it is not the purpose of The Advocate to discuss in this brief article the actual development of the Artesia country, now three years old, except to show what can be accomplished through a rapid though intelligent effort, directed along plain and practical lines, and such results as are accomplished here continually, and which may again and again be accomplished by anyone possessing the capital, (and not so very much capital is required) and the inclination to do so.

What can be done in the Artesia country in one year in an agricultural way? What can be done in year-and-a-half? In two years? It is a fact that in this country one can actually begin with raw land, drill a well, build a fence and house, plow the land, plant the seed and gather a crop, all, in the short space of one year. In eighteen months, of course, much more can be accomplished, and in two to three years he has realized an amount equal, or nearly so, to the entire amount previously expended, and then independence is reached.

The actual results, the tried and true experience, as can be shown in numerous instances are astounding to the uninitiated. And, there is no doubt about it—not in the least. The results are here and anybody will show you, no matter what state you hail from.

Let us take a few examples of actual experience in the Artesia country, and they are not exceptional cases by any means. Others are having similar experiences and there is nothing strange about it to the man who has lived here two years or more. For the reason that alfalfa is the money crop yielding the earliest large returns, we shall give some results in alfalfa growing. There's more money in raising fruit but a longer time is required to realize on the crop.

D. H. Wenger, formerly of Peabody, Kansas, says he will get five cuttings of alfalfa the first season and the cuttings will average one-and-a-half tons per cutting, per acre, or 7½ tons per acre for the season. At \$8 per ton Mr. Wenger realizes \$60 per acre and at \$10 per ton, \$75 per acre. Alfalfa otener sells at the latter figure and sometimes reaches \$15 per ton. This ground was sown last fall and these are the first cuttings.

H. Crouch says he will average two tons per cutting per acre over his entire field and 2½ tons per acre from a 10-acre patch, one cutting.

Dr. Wm. Meeks, from Kirksville, Mo., who bought the Hall ranch east of town, got 135 tons from 72 acres, first cutting and two tons per acre on other cuttings, and will mow five crops this year from the same land. He also says he expects his land to net him \$25 per acre above all expenses this year.

The above will suffice for the purposes of this article, though we intend in our special edition to be issued in October, to give data covering more fully the agricultural and horticultural adaptability of this country, its resources and possibilities.

At present wells are still being drilled, the rotaries continue to rotate and well casing is still being hauled out and put in. Fences are being built and improvements of the solid kind are being put in by the older as well as the later comers. Everything cannot be done in a day but the work continues as time goes on and its "steady grind" that makes the big showing in the end.

BUYS LARGE TRACT

SECRETARY OF U. S. TREASURY, LESLIE M. SHAW, INVESTS IN PECOS VALLEY DIRT.

Roswell Record.

Leslie M. Shaw, Secretary of the Treasury, yesterday telegraphed his acceptance of a proposition to buy 2,800 acres of land in the Pecos Valley. The land is in one body near Lakewood, sixteen miles south of Artesia. It was selected by Dr. C. L. Parsons, of Roswell, and the selection approved by George W. Nicholson, of Grand Junction, Ia., and J. H. Bower, formerly of Iowa, but now making his headquarters at St. Paul, as general land agent for the Northern Pacific Railroad. These men were here two weeks ago, as agents for Secretary Shaw, and made a trip to Lakewood with Dr. Parsons.

Secretary Shaw asked his friend, Dr. Parsons, to look for a good investment for him when the doctor first came to the Pecos Valley some months ago. This purchase is the result. Secretary Shaw will sell the land out in small tracts to a party of Hollanders, who are already preparing to move on it. They will make good citizens and valuable additions to the population of the Pecos Valley.

Presbyterian Church.

9:45 a. m., Sunday school. 11:00, Preaching service; Subject, "The Gospel Not to be Ashamed of," Rom. 1-16. 7:00 p. m., Y. P. S. C. E. 8:00 p. m., song service and sermon; Topic, "The Faithful Saying," 1st Tim., 1-15. A cordial invitation to all. Strangers and visitors always welcome. Those without a regular church home especially invited.

E. E. Mathes, Pastor.

"Out In the Streets" was played in the auditorium of the public school building Thursday night to an appreciative audience, though the attendance was not so large as was desired or expected. The players acquitted themselves with credit, and as amateurs made a good impression. The young ladies and gentlemen knew their parts well, there being few promptings, and deserve credit for their rendition and interpretations, as well as their patriotic motives. The play, as previously announced, was given for the benefit of the High School Library and really deserved a better patronage. Several pungent local hits were greatly enjoyed. Receipts \$21.

J. T. Edwards, who was the first settler of the Pecos Valley, (excepting, of course, Jake Owen, whom he met down about Malaga, living on locusts and wild honey and electioneering with the Indians) called on the Advocate this week. He was here thirty years ago and tells of a fight he and his comrades had with red skins a few miles east of where Artesia now stands.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowles and children and Miss Myrtle Callison, of Ames, Oklahoma, arrived Thursday evening and will make their future home in the Artesia country. Miss Callison is a sister of Mrs. Bowles. They had a car load of household goods and implements to arrive Friday.

ROOM FOR RENT.—A pleasant south room for rent, with or without board, two blocks north of First National Bank. MRS. F. G. POMEROY.

Mrs. Ella Davidson, formerly proprietress of the Hotel Gibson at this place, has taken charge of the new brick hotel at Hagerman.

Strayed—One bay horse, branded J—X on left hip. Reward will be paid for him by J. K. Walling, Artesia, N. M.

Messrs. E. B. Kemp and J. E. Swepston went to Hope Wednesday on business bent.

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E. C. Higgins has been spending the week in the Panhandle country.

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THREE YEARS OLD.

With this issue, the Advocate completes the third year of its life, and as the editor looks around and sees the change that has taken place since the little print shop was moved out to the blank space in the prairie where the metropolis of the valley was destined to be, he feels somewhat like Rip Van Winkle did upon opening his eyes after the twenty-years sleep. Even to one who has been here all the while and felt every pulse-beat of the town's life, it is hard to believe that the compact and bustling city of today can be the three-year-old product of the hopeful chrysalis of thirty-six months ago. The transformation has been nothing short of marvelous, and the recent comers who rest beneath the shade of the trees and walk upon the graded and sprinkled streets can not appreciate properly what pioneering meant here in 1903. This editor's temerity in presuming to publish a newspaper in the desert was not so apparent in those days of wild anticipations as it is now when we look back and see just how very little there really was here to inspire a tenderfoot's effort—one or two residences and three stores. Main street was delineated by a couple of parallel furrows running west toward the Sacramento mountains and which were in constant danger of being eliminated entirely by the constant driving back and forth of real estate promoters and prospectors eager to get the free government land that lay out in all directions. The first man we met in the town was E. A. Clayton, who was every whit as enthusiastic about the "city" thea as he is now. The Artesian water had been found the week previous and in the ensuing celebration Clayton had jumped off the well derrick and was consequently hobbling around on crutches. The name of the town had just been changed from Miller to Artesia, in honor of the biggest gusher then in the valley. Mrs. R. M. Ross was postmaster and the town had a "Commercial Club" of about a dozen members (all the men in town) with A. V. Logan as president. When these enterprising pioneers heard there was a chance to get a newspaper to help in the good work of booming the new-found Eden, a meeting was held in the only hall in the town—up stairs in what is now Mrs. Hyatt's hotel. More enterprise was exhibited than could have been reasonably expected, and within three weeks The Advocate appeared. We believe the paper was all that anyone

could have expected at that time, and now, three years later, we are arrogant enough to assert that at no time has it been wanting in the qualities that go to make up a creditable journal. We had faith in Artesia in August, 1903 and showed that faith by our works, which is good Methodist doctrine in any country. Not a week has past in the interim but what the Advocate has appeared with some reliable data to convince home-seekers that this part of the Pecos Valley offered superior inducements to them. These items, appearing with persistent regularity, may have seemed like rank exaggeration to people at a distance, but we now and here challenge any man to point out a single instance where we have overstated facts or painted the picture in too roseate colors. Developments have proven that the fertile imagination could not have depicted the actual results that came. Artesia is today a better town than the most sanguine promoter looked for so early. One day a wind-swept, dust-begrimmed desert—three years later a model little home city with graded streets, waterworks, telephones, cement sidewalks, a ten-thousand-dollar public school building, handsome college in course of erection, five church buildings, two banks, a splendid municipal government and every thing else that is necessary to make a good town. Can any town beat this? And another very remarkable thing! Artesia is the only town of this size ever built in the west that has never known a homicide within its bounds. Lawlessness is unknown. No citizen of the town has ever been convicted of a felony. It was the first town in New Mexico to prohibit gambling, and there are other things that go to prove that Artesia is the liveliest proposition on the map and the model town of the Pecos Valley—but we digress. What we started out to say was that the Advocate has a birthday this week and we are proud of the fact. We also believe that its friends are proud of the fact. Very few, if any, of the original subscribers enrolled three years ago, have been removed from the list, and that fact is gratifying to the management. The paper goes into almost every home in this community, and we intend to continue to make it such a paper that every man, woman and child will be glad to welcome it every Saturday. The editor loves all these people for the patronage extended and the many, many kind words of encouragement, and it is unnecessary to add that Artesia cannot call on us for anything without receiving it if in our power to bestow.

A Special Edition.

The Advocate has begun the preparation of data to be used in a huge Special Edition of the paper which is to be issued some time during the fall—probably in October. To get out an edition of the paper that could be used as an immigration issue has long been our desire, and this we propose to do now. It will not be a limited and premature catch-penny affair, but one that will demand a great deal of labor and care. The great Artesia country has never had just what it needed in this line. In this, every public and private enterprise of any moment will be treated exhaustively and the effort will be to make of this a text-book of the valley, so to speak. Ten thousand copies of the paper will be issued, which will be profusely illustrated, and the people back in the old states will be shown the attractions of this favored vale without the trouble of a visit before bringing their household goods—which, as you know, always results when the country has been seen. The individuals or business men who desire to get before the public in proper shape will find it to their advantage to wait for this edition. It will be a credit to Artesia and you will take a pleasure in sending it back to your friends at a distance.

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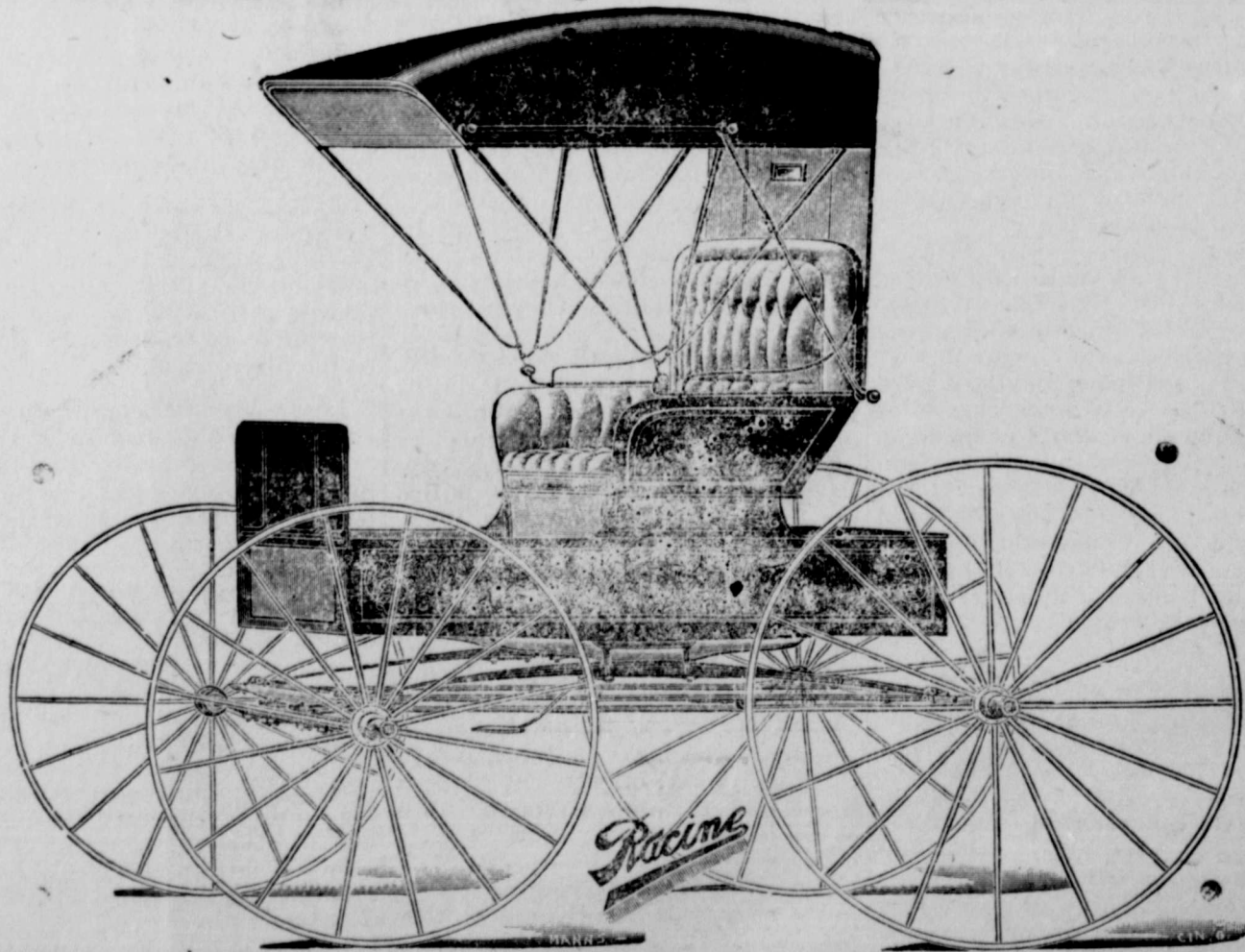
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Mr. McBride has also coming an alfalfa huller that threshes, hulls and cleans alfalfa seed. This is the first machine of its kind in this locality and probably the first in the Valley. It is likely that quite a lot of seed will be shipped from the Artesia country early in the winter, to say nothing of the seed demanded for home consumption. Last year there was a brisk demand for all we could furnish at the rate of 16 cents per pound, and a good yield of seed will bring about \$75 per acre gross.

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A jolly party of Artesians spent a day this week catfishing and eating fish at the big lake below Lakewood. The members of the party were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. H. Reed, Miss Lillian Major, Miss Katherine Patrick, Mrs. Pitts and Messrs. Jesse Williams and Wilbur Kemp.

Summer Diarrhoea in Children.

During the hot weather of the summer months the first unnatural looseness of a child's bowels should have immediate attention, so as to check the disease before it becomes serious. All that is necessary is a few doses of Chamberlain's colic cholera and diarrhoea remedy followed by a dose of castor oil to cleanse out the system. Rev. M. O. Stockland, Pastor of the first M. E. Church Little Falls, Minn., writes: "We have used Chamberlain's colic, cholera and diarrhoea remedy for several years and find it a very valuable remedy, especially for summer disorders in children." Sold by Fatherree & Robertson.

To Buyers of Trees.

I am coming to Artesia August 21, 1906 to introduce my Great Keeper Apple, the apple for the planter. No cold storage needed. Do not buy until I have shown its merits. I have a fine line of trees second to none, my own growing. You can save money by waiting until I see you. No agents commission. Plant the Keeper, the coming apple for New Mexico. It has been well tested in the southwest.

Aulne Nursery,
A. T. Remer.

R. C. Noel, of the firm of Baker & Noel, of Hope, and H. M. Gage, of the firm of Whittaker & Gage, also of Hope were in Artesia Wednesday, the former on his way to Texas points and the latter to make a trip to Carlsbad, from which place he returned Friday morning.

D. R. Britt, of Roswell, was looking after his land interests in the Artesia country several days this week. He renews his Advocate subscription on the plea that he couldn't get along without it. Britt is an optimist anywhere you find him and his principal text is the Pecos Valley.

There was turned out this week from The Advocate's job-printing department an excellent piece of work for Artesia College. It was a stock certificate and should be seen to be appreciated. We are turning out splendid work and would be pleased to do yours.

Dr. Reese, of Hope, was an Artesia visitor Wednesday, returning Thursday.

TEACHERS' RECEPTION.

On Tuesday evening there was given at the Christian Church a reception to the teachers, composing the Teachers' Institute which has recently been in session in Artesia. The affair was not intended to be unique, but it was entertaining as well as edifying. It was enjoyable and thoroughly enjoyed. It was a social gathering given as a mark of appreciation to the teachers by the hospitable and enterprising citizens of Artesia—admitting, of course, our fairer and most charming citizens were invariably in the lead, as usual, and to whom belongs most of the credit for the success of the entertainment.

The Artesia Orchestra furnished delightful music, the choice and appropriate selections rendered by them being much appreciated by the large audience, the entertainment being interspersed throughout with harmonious strains.

The divine blessing was asked by Rev. C. E. Mathes.

Following the invocation Dr. Marshall McIlhany made the address of the evening, being introduced by Prof. B. F. Brown. Dr. McIlhany's address was on the subject of education and well did he maintain that the body, mind and soul of the child should be educated at one and the same time, and was, in fact, so educated, though not in every instance were the proper and correct thoughts and ideas inculcated. The doctor regaled the audience with an anecdote or two, and gave his hearers a few examples of incorrect grammar, challenging all to point out the grammatical error as he made it. These errors were quickly caught much to the surprise of many. Dr. McIlhany made a good impression, and the truths he uttered were well received.

Prof. E. J. Feemster delivered three recitations, displaying rare elocutionary powers and attainments, which were pleasing in the extreme. Especially so was his portrayal of the various emotions experienced by the Vermont farmer who heard Reuben Stein, the great German musician and composer, upon the visit of the farmer to New York City many years ago.

After the recitals by Prof. Feemster the good ladies having the matter in charge, busied themselves with serving delicious refreshments, and the balance of the evening was given to social intercourse and music by the orchestra.

This was certainly an enjoyable occasion and was appreciated by all participants.

Make Hay While the Sun Shines.

There is a lesson in the work of the thrifty farmer. He knows that the bright sunshine may last but a day and he prepares for the showers which are so liable to follow. So it should be with every household. Dysentery, diarrhoea and cholera morbus may attack some member of the home without warning. Chamberlain's colic, cholera and diarrhoea remedy, which is the best known medicine for these diseases, should always be kept at hand, as immediate treatment is necessary and delay may prove fatal. For sale by Fatherree & Robertson.

Special Rates

For Confederate Veterans Reunion and West Texas "Cowboys Association and Randall County Fine Stock Show at Canyon City, Texas, August 28-30, 1906

For above occasion round trip tickets will be on sale Aug. 27, 28, 29 and 30, 1906. Final return limit 15 days from date of sale, at a rate of \$10.14. C. O. Brown, Agent.

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makes life now as safe in that city as on the higher uplands. E. W. Goodle, who resides on Dutton St., in Waco, Tex., needs no sea wall for safety. He writes: "I have used Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption the past five years and it keeps me well and safe. Before that time I had a cough which for years had been growing worse. Now it's gone." Cures chronic coughs, la grippe, croup, whooping cough and prevents pneumonia. Pleasant to take. Every bottle guaranteed at Fatherree & Robertson's drug store. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free

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Have in stock a large supply of The American Well Works. Engines, Steam and Power Pumps, Rotaries, Hoisters, all kinds of Rotary tools, well supplies, wrought iron line pipe and casing.

Another sign of age is when you like the old furniture in your house so well you don't want any that is new.

While Mr. Rockefeller says he has nothing to do with Standard Oil, he has not made the statement under oath.

Every time an unmarried man says he is lonesome, the women regard it as equivalent to an admission that he is looking for a wife.

Castro beats a Pennsylvania railway clerk in a walk. Out of a salary of \$35,000 per annum he has saved \$3,500,000 in five years.

Even the fact that she is queen of Norway does not relieve the wife of Haakon VII. of the terrible responsibility for that name Maud!

Paderewski is to return to this country in the near future. As if the American barbers did not have enough work on their hands already!

A new dairy combination is to have a capitalization of \$20,000,000. There will be something very creamy about it, and possibly a good deal of water.

It is a great bit of testimony to human consistency that a respectable citizen has come forward with the claim that he is Dowle's father at the present low ebb of the "prophet's" fortunes.

Can it be that a complete set of European coronation ceremonies has been pulled off without some individual of anarchistic tendencies butting in in time to play a prominent part in the festivities?

The old idea of charity was to relieve suffering and distress, no matter where you found it. The new one is to record impressions in a note-book and then call a sociologist.

If the czar keeps up his stunt of moving from Peterhof and back again to elude the bomb thrower, he is liable to get a reputation as a sprinter that may be valuable to him some day.

It is exceedingly cruel and very badly misplaced finance for United States Treasurer Treat constantly to be harping on the fact that we need more ones and twos. Just as if everybody didn't know it!

The country should not be ashamed to go to Toledo for the lesson that anti-monopoly laws, with provisions for imprisonment, were not made merely to scare people. They are for practical application, and they can not have it till somebody is really hurt.

There are still a few benighted individuals who believe that charity should spring from the heart and not the head, and that there can be no such thing as a scientific charity if we want to relieve not alone the physical but the spiritual wants of our fellows in distress.

"Yes," said the plutocrat, "we only work them eight hours a day. We find that's plenty. We find it's all they can stand and keep in perfect health." A shabby individual leaned forward from a rear seat and interrupted excitedly. "You old liar," he said, "I know some of your men what's worked 12 and 13 hours a day." "Pooh," sneered the plutocrat, "I was talking about the horses."

We are now to be confronted with the sociological man. Oh, it is real nice to think of ourselves being ticketed appropriately and filed away in a drawer. But we will draw the line on having a pin run through us, like the butterfly collectors treat their specimens.

If a New Yorker couldn't have his fling at Hoboken, life would lose half its charms. The little Jersey city is just across the river, and therefore an ever-present mark for mirth. The latest story is that of a little boy, whose parents had determined for reasons of economy to move to Hoboken. That night he knelt at his bedside to say his usual prayer. "Bless papa and mamma, and Sister Mary," he asked, and then he paused. Finally he resumed, his voice charged with sorrow: "Good-bye, God," he said. "Tomorrow we move to Hoboken."

During the latter portion of his life, declares a writer in Everybody's Magazine, Emerson seemed to live much in the world of souls, and came back with difficulty to take cognizance of physical affairs. One very hot day Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes was standing at the corner of Tremont and School streets, mopping his brow, holding his hat in one hand, with the mouth up, Emerson coming along, and seeing a venerable man with his hat thus outstretched, dropped a quarter in it, and walked on, without recognizing the autocrat of the breakfast table.

Gossip of Washington

Interstate Commerce Commission Assumes Importance of High United States Court—Members No Longer a Laughing Stock—Mr. Roosevelt Hopes Republican House Will Be Elected—Some Campaign Speakers—The Jamestown Exposition.



The commission under the new law will have two more members than at present. The old commission consists of five which, strangely enough under a Republican administration, consists of three Democrats and two Republicans. Under the new law there are to be seven commissioners, no more than four of them to be of any one political party. The two new members will therefore be Republican in order to bring the majority of the new commission into political alignment with the administration.

The new members of the commission have been selected and are J. S. Harlan, of Chicago, a brilliant young attorney and son of the distinguished Associate Justice of the Supreme Court John M. Harlan, is one of them. E. E. Clarke, of Iowa, the head of the Railway Conductors' association, has been selected as the second new member. These two men will probably be appointed upon the law going into effect on August 28.

MEN OF HIGHEST ABILITY AND INTEGRITY.

There is no doubt that the new law raises the standard of the commission and in the future men selected for it will have to be of the highest ability and integrity. In the past this commission has at times been regarded as a very convenient place in which to land some "lame duck" or political "has been" who had failed of reelection to some other public office. For some years it had been considered as a convenient harbor of refuge for politicians and was regarded as the legitimate patronage of the big political leaders.

This has changed now and with the added responsibility provided for by the new law men of the highest grade will have to be selected. It is fortunate that the members of the old commission of five men are not disturbed, but will go right along serving out their terms. These five gentlemen, or at least four of them, are men of tried ability and their work during the past few months under specific authority of congress in the investigation of big railroad and coal companies demonstrates their fitness for the new duties under the new law. Messrs. Knapp, Prouty and Clements all have had long experience on the commission and Mr. Cockrell, although a member of but a little over a year's standing, has brought to the commission the painstaking habits of a generation in the senate. Mr. Lane has just been added to the original commission and has his reputation to make.

There is some talk of making young Mr. Harlan president of the commission, and it is understood that President Roosevelt favors that proposition. The election of a president lies with the commission itself, and unless Mr. Knapp, who has been president for some time, should voluntarily retire from the contest, there may be a pretty hot fight over this position. Mr. Knapp has been active and was one of the most industrious advocates of the new railway rate law and feels that he is entitled to a continuation in the position of president of the commission.

MR. ROOSEVELT A GOOD PARTY MAN.

This will be a busy season for the "spellbinders" of Mr. Roosevelt's cabinet. No secret is made of the intention of three or four of the cabinet members actively to engage in this year's congressional campaign. The president feels in a way that his administration is on trial and he looks to the people to indorse it and particularly to indorse the policies which congress enacted into law on his recommendation. The president despite all that has been said and written about his reform ideas, is a pretty good party man and is honest enough to express the hope that a Republican house of representatives will be reelected. He does not object to his cabinet officers going into the campaign, and it is not improbable that he himself will make one or two speeches of a somewhat political character.

Secretary Shaw of the treasury is the best campaign speaker in the cabinet. There are few men on the stump who can get closer to an audience than he can. He has the old Lincoln faculty of illustrating his points with humorous stories, the application of which is instantaneously recognized. He expects to be right busy and the congressional campaign committee will use him in several states where there are doubtful districts. The old farmer of the administration, Secretary of Agriculture Wilson, has a mighty effective way of talking to voters and his services will be utilized very freely.

The orator in whom President Roosevelt apparently places the greatest confidence is his secretary of war, William H. Taft. The number of engagements the latter has already made indicates that he will be able to keep his avoirdupois down to its present 250 pounds by the arduous traveling he has in view. Attorney General Moody will have a few speeches to make in which he will recount the achievements of the administration in its prosecution of the Octopi.

CHOICE FOR NOMINATION TWO YEARS HENCE.

It is somewhat amusing to note the jealousy that exists in the little group of statesmen who have their political lightning rods elevated to catch the presidential bolt in 1908. These men who aspire to the presidency are thoroughly human and they are watching each other like hawks. While for public consumption their words and acts are altogether disinterested, in private conversation they indulge in some pretty severe criticisms of each other. There has been great anxiety among these candidates to find out on whom the administration favor would rest. The developments of the past few weeks seem to have settled that point and now it appears to be the field against Secretary Taft, for the latter is looked on here in Washington as President Roosevelt's choice for the Republican nomination two years hence.

There are Vice President Fairbanks, Secretary of the Treasury Shaw, Senator Foraker, Speaker Cannon, Gov. Cummins of Iowa, Postmaster General Cortelyou and one or two others who cannot help gazing on the Taft boom with considerable envy. The idea that Mr. Taft will accept an appointment as associate justice on the supreme bench seems to have been abandoned. His opponents in the presidential race declare that his actions and his public speeches demonstrate beyond all question that he is an active and aggressive candidate for the presidential nomination.

President Roosevelt recently in discussing the outlook for 1908 was quoted as saying that Secretary Taft in his opinion was the only man who could defeat William J. Bryan, and it looked as though the latter would be the Democratic candidate. The other aspirants for the Republican nomination are not disposed to accept this estimate of the president.



WOMAN AND HOME

Convenient Temporary Closet

Not Infrequently Temporary Closet Would Come In Well—Here Is One Described.

We will give an illustration of a capital contrivance that may be constructed in the corner of any bedroom, and forms an excellent substitute for a wardrobe. Very little outlay will purchase the materials to make it with, and it is easily removed and taken down when not required.

A convenient height for the roof of the "cupboard" is about seven feet from the floor, and for the length of the supports of the roof (A and B in



A CORNER CUPBOARD.

the small sketch), about two feet, but it can, of course, be made in any dimensions to suit our requirements. The roof is constructed of a triangle of wood cut to fit the corner, and this is supported by means of two pieces of wood about 1 1/2 inch in thickness, nailed to the wall, and running along either side underneath. An ornamental edging is shown in the sketch, and though not necessary, greatly improves the appearance of the cup-

board, and adds very little to its cost. After the roof has been placed in position, one or two long thin sharp nails should be driven through it into the supports to hold it firmly in its place.

Between the two outer ends of the supports a brass rail is fixed for the curtain, which, by the way, may be made of one piece of material large enough to pull right across, or two pieces divided in the middle to draw back on either side, and it will be found well worth while to spend a little extra trouble in making the two curtains, as they look better than the one, and are also of greater service for keeping the dust out of the interior. The curtains are attached to the brass rod in the ordinary way with brass rings, and if a small flounce is nailed to the edge of the roof at the point marked "D," and allowed to hang down a few inches it will prevent the dust entering at the top of curtains, and at the same time in no way interfere with them from pulling backwards and forwards freely.

The interior is fitted up with two rows of four pegs fixed to the wall two or three inches below the roof, in order that they can be used for hanging clothes on as well as hats. The pegs may be put up in two different ways; either by nailing a board to the wall and then screwing on the pegs, or the board may have the pegs screwed into it, and then be suspended from the wall by means of two rings (similar to those used for hanging pictures), and strong nails driven through them. This, perhaps, is the better way if we contemplate removing the cupboard from time to time, as the board with the pegs then merely requires lifting from the nails.

All the woodwork can be painted or stained, and if a pretty piece of material is chosen for the curtains to match, perhaps, the color of the wall paper, it will make a both ornamental and useful addition to a room.

On the top of the cupboard plenty of space will be found for a pot with a pretty fern in it, and other ornaments such as vases or plaques.

To Possess An Agreeable Voice.

New Fad Corrects the Voice by a Diet of Fruits—Certain Ones Especially Good.

The cultivation of a pretty speaking voice is a practice growing among women in this country. One physician in New York who makes a specialty of treating the voice is putting his patients who have this end in view on a diet of fruits which have a very soothing effect upon the throat and vocal chords. Much of the unpleasant quality noted in women's voices in and about New York is due to the effect of the dampness of the climate.

One of the most valuable of fruits for this purpose is the pineapple, now

in its most perfect condition. For tonsillitis and quincy the fresh fruit or even the canned variety is prescribed.

Tomatoes are thought to help in giving a smooth, mellow voice. One or two a day should be eaten raw. Oranges, limes and lemons are also effective in rendering a hoarse, piping voice soft and flexible.

At Ease.

Every woman knows that the consciousness of being ill dressed has a distinct effect on her expression and manner. On the other hand, the feeling that one is well and tastefully dressed imparts a cheerfulness to the spirits that finds clear expression in the looks.

Regard The Color Of Your Eyes

The Color of Your Eyes Heightened or Weakened According to Color in Dress.

Blue-eyed women should wear something blue at the throat; and women whose eyes are not quite blue enough should make them bluer by turquoise earrings and all things turquoise next the face and eyes, declared a lecturer addressing an audience of women on the subject of eyes.

"If your eyes don't show up, just put a little blue in juxtaposition to them," he said in one of his lectures, "and note how big and how blue they will look."

"He taught the brown-eyed women to bring out the red lights in the eyes. He made them dress in golden brown and wear jewels that were on the golden order or that showed the dull browns that can be found in the semi-precious gems. He made them wear Indian trinkets and he kept at them

until there was a melting light in each brown eye.

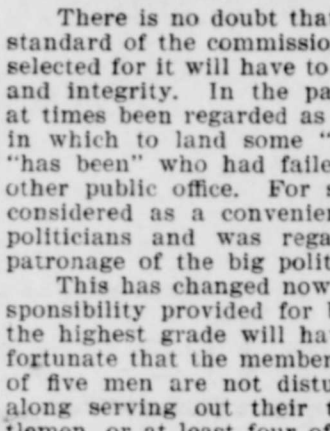
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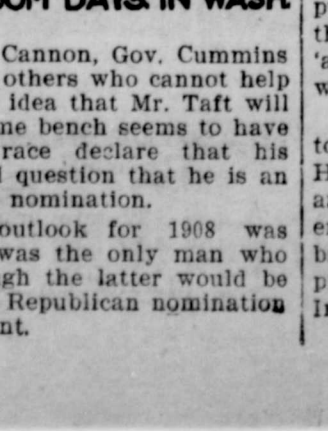
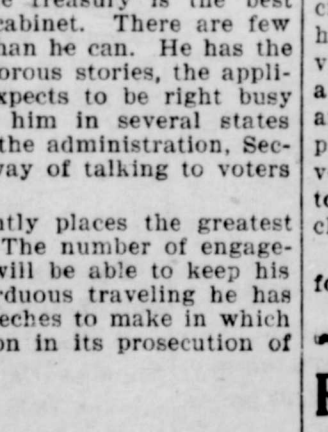
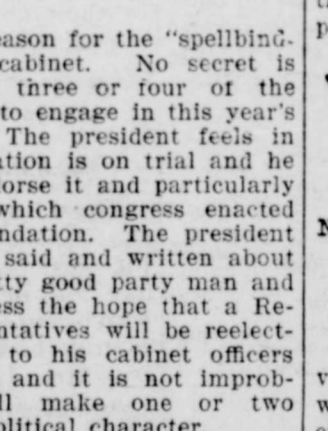
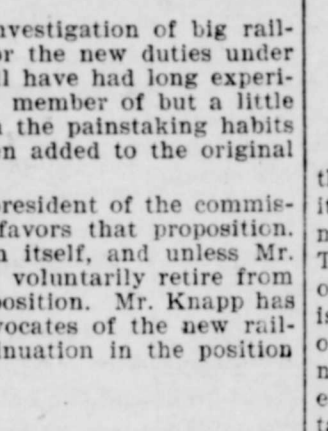
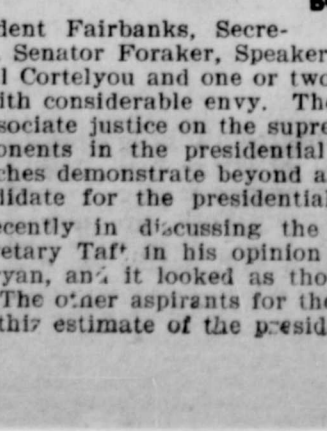
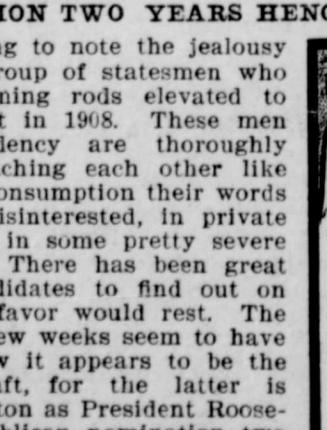
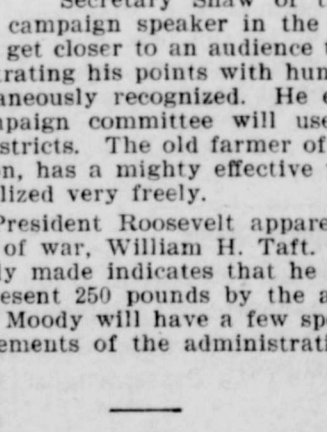
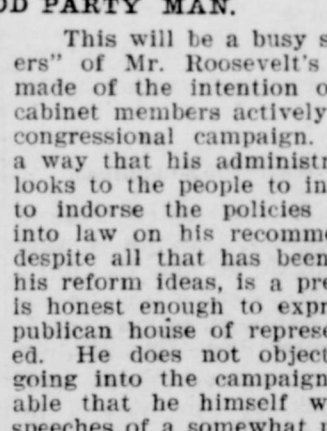
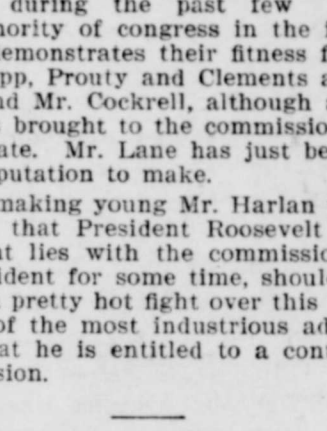
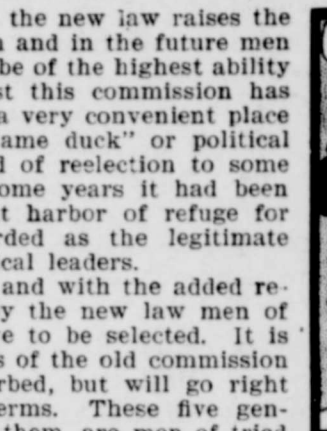
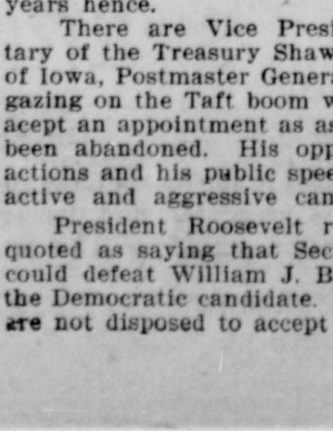
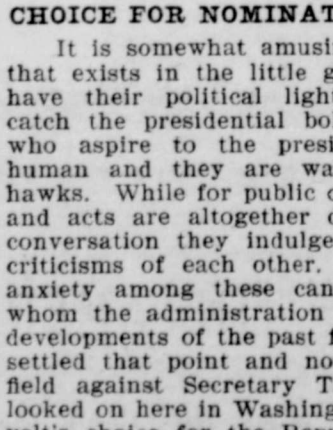
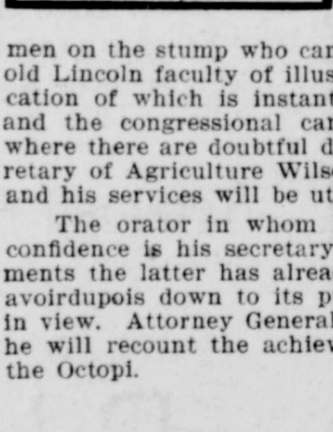
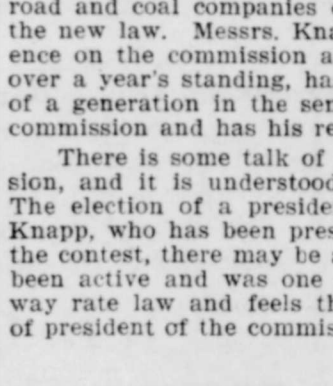
THE GIRL WITH LONG EYES.

dressed them in deep blue with grand results.

"The big, black-eyed, gypsy-looking woman in deep vivid blue is something to conjure with. She outshines all her sisterhood and she takes the beauty palm at a beauty show. She catches your eye and holds it, though you cannot tell why.



AND HE USED TO BE SUCH A HARMLESS PUPPY.



SPRING HOUSECLEANING.

Go at the Task in a Methodical Manner and Save Unnecessary Hard Labor.

In spring cleaning, as in many other things, forethought is the mother of success, and the careful housewife will think and plan methodically long before the actual work begins.

As a preliminary to spring cleaning it is necessary to have a thorough turn-out of all the drawers, cupboards and storage places. In a modern house these may not be as many or as ample as you would like, but still it is wonderful how much you do store up, so much so that it is quite necessary to have a turn-out twice a year.

Some people hoard much more than others. They hate to get rid of anything, saying as soon as they do give this or that away they find a use for it themselves. But you cannot keep everything, so out with them all, see what can be used, and make away with the rest.

After the drawers have been emptied they need a good clean, a wash, or maybe a dust out will do, and then reline with paper. Use white or cream paper, but better newspaper than anything that looks soiled or creased.

If your wardrobe is open in the joinings and so lets the dust in, it is well to line it throughout with glazed calico, lightly tacked to the wood at the top and bottom.

This will save all that hangs therein. The walls of cupboards should be brushed down and whitewashed if necessary, and when the shelves have been cleaned put back everything that has not been condemned as rubbish.

Soap and washing soda are necessities that should always be bought in large quantities for the sake of economy; and of these you must have a plentiful supply; but there are other things that must be thought of such as ammonia, turpentine, whitening and furniture polish.

Provide plenty of flannel washing cloths, and silks, linen and cotton dusters. It is not necessary to use new material for these; old woolen dresses, flannel petticoats, silk handkerchiefs, linen aprons and print dresses can be utilized.

When the actual work begins it should be done in as methodical a manner as possible. Begin with the highest rooms in the house, descend in order, take halls and staircases next, and finish off with cellars and outhouses. All hangings and curtains must be well-shaken when they are taken down to free them from dust. The most delicate fabrics can be successfully washed at home by using soap jelly with a little ammonia and soft water.

Colored articles must be dried in the shade to prevent fading. It will generally be found advisable to remove trimmings, and treat them separately. The great improvement in appearance will amply repay the extra labor.

When cleaning paint use warm water and a little ammonia. Take a clean, soft flannel and wet as much as the arm can reach. Wash and wring the flannel, and rub the paint till quite clean. Dry the surface thoroughly and polish with a soft cloth.

If the paint is left damp it shows the marks of the washing and loses its polish. For very light colored paint wring a cloth out of hot water, dip it in whitening and rub the paint till quite clean. Then wash it with clean water and polish with a wash leather.

The use of ammonia at cleaning time is a great saving of labor.—Marion Harris Neil.

The Pope's Accent.

When the pope received the French bishops recently, they could not understand his discourse, so strong is his Venetian accent. But it is the thing now in the Vatican to speak with a little of that accent. Venetian dishes are in vogue, and in the houses of rich Romans Venetian antiquities are made prominent.

Not a Large Armhole.

Don't in order to avoid a tight blouse cut a large armhole so as to give more play to the arm. A far better plan is to ease the side seam. A wide armhole causes the blouse to be pulled out of place at the waist when the arm is lifted.

Aluminum Utensils.

Aluminum cooking utensils can be kept as bright as new by rubbing with a polish made by dissolving 20 grams of borax in water to which one-third the quantity of ammonia has been added. Shake the mixture well before using.

Got His Dates Mixed.

At a christening in the wilds of Missouri, while the minister was recording the event, he happened to say: "Let me see—isn't this the 27th?" "I should say not," retorted the indignant mother, "it's only the ninth."—Chicago Daily News.

The Orange Crop.

Last year's production of oranges in this country was 10,000,000 boxes, or probably 1,600,000,000 oranges. That is an allowance of 20 to each inhabitant.

The Things We Eat.

Too much meat is absolutely hurtful to the body. Sailors on board of ships get scurvy when their supply of vegetable food is exhausted. The digestive organs of the human body demand vegetable food, and if we don't eat enough vegetables we pay for it dearly.

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Abstract of title Artesia office over Bank of Artesia.

TEACHERS' RESOLUTIONS.

Artesia, N. M., Aug. 23, 1906.
We, the teachers of Eddy county, believing this summer institute to have been of unusual value to us, and superior to any institute ever held in Eddy county, desire to express our appreciation of the efforts of our worthy county superintendent in furnishing this opportunity of normal training, do hereby adopt the following resolutions:

Be it resolved by the Eddy county teachers that a vote of thanks be tendered to the citizens, hotels and boarding houses for their hospitality and courteous treatment of the teachers while in the city, and to the Board of Education for the use of the new and beautiful school building.

That we tender a vote of thanks to Mrs. McCrary, and Misses Brown, McIlhany and Rodkey, and Mr. Lacey Boon for the soul inspiring instrumental and vocal solos, and for the rare treat the teachers enjoyed in listening to the piano and violin solos by the gifted Norfleet sisters and Master Leeper Norfleet.

And further, be it resolved that we tender our most hearty thanks for the excellent lectures by the following: Mr. McLenathen, Judge Freeman, and Capt. Bujac, of Carlsbad; Dr. E. L. Spurlock, of the Kid-Key College; Prof. Hoblit, of the Agricultural College; Dr. McIlhany, of the Industrial College and the splendid talks by Revs. Gage, Messer, Mathes, Ward, French and Messrs. Newkirk, Talbot, Edwards and Dr. Inman, also Mr. Feemster for readings.

That we tender a vote of thanks to Mr. Christopher and Rev. Mr. Ward for the pleasant drive through the Artesia country; the citizens and teachers of the Artesia Public School for the reception tendered the teachers of the county at the Christian Church Tuesday night.

Having received more valuable instruction during the past two weeks than from any previous institute held in Eddy county, we desire to express our sincere thanks to our most efficient and worthy conductor, Prof. B. F. Brown, for his valuable instructions and arrangement of model lessons; also to the instructor, Miss Edith Rodkey, for her helpful and inspiring lessons in literature, English and music.

We again wish to thank our Hon. Supt., M. P. Kerr, for procuring such talented instructors, and heartily endorse his management of our schools, and we have but one thought and desire, that our schools will continue under his guidance.

We, as teachers, recommend that the course of study adopted by the Territorial Board, be closely followed by various schools, and we urge that a course of Manual Training and Elementary Agriculture be introduced in our schools.

And that we heartily endorse the administration of Hon. Hiram Hadley, believing that he has done more for our public schools than any of his predecessors.

Be it resolved, That we unanimously endorse the decided stand of County Superintendent M. P. Kerr in refusing to grant any special permit.

Be it resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to every paper in the county.

C. L. Daily, Chairman.
Carrie Childress, Secretary.
Susannah Hakes.
Alice Attebery.
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Flora Clark.
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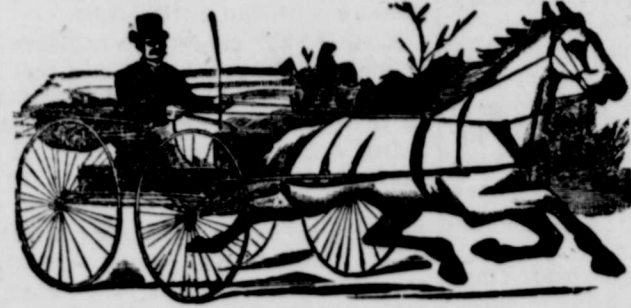
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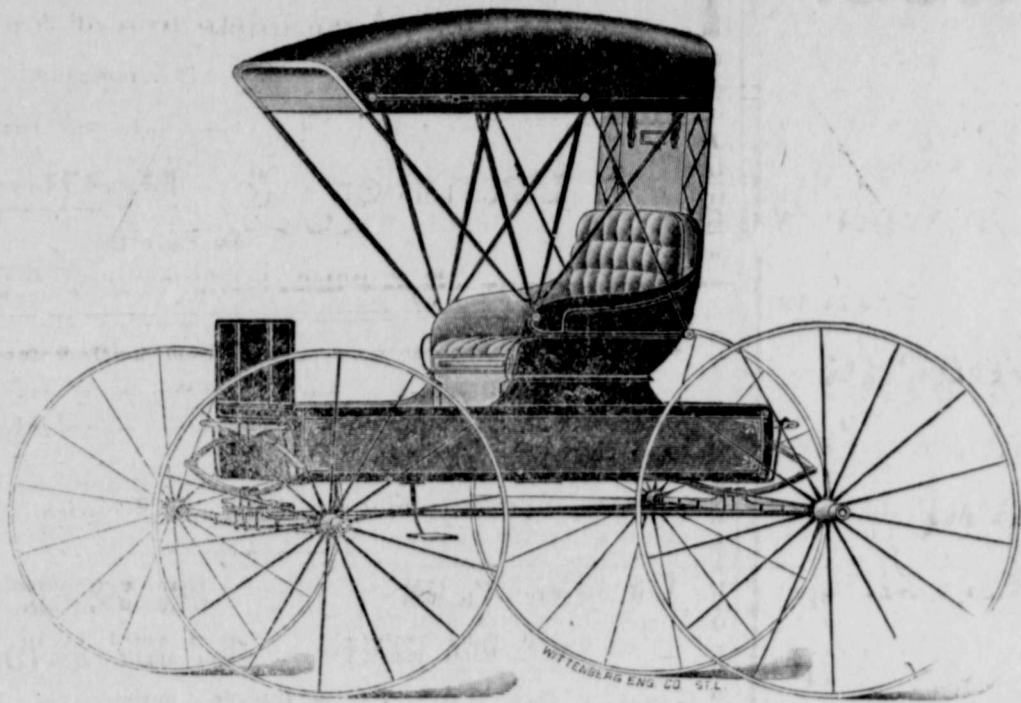
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Artesia Driving Park.

Lucius Dills, of Roswell, came down to Artesia Monday and made the surveys, ascertained the grades, driving the stakes, etc., necessary to the laying off of the race track on the ground that is to be the Artesia Driving Park, and work was soon after begun on the track. Mr. Dills actively assisted his father, J. H. Dills, ex-journalist and horse fancier of Sherman, Texas, in the surveying and laying off the fast track at the Dallas State Fair Grounds, and the former surveyed and laid off the Roswell track, thereby acquiring considerable experience along this line. The younger Mr. Dills now assures the public that the Artesia grounds are admirably adapted to the purpose in every way and that in all likelihood Artesia will be as well equipped in this line as any town in the Territory and better than many.

The grounds are immediately west of town, adjoining the present ball park and is the property of E. A. Clayton, who will endeavor at once to organize a Driving Park Association, selling such an amount of stock in same to insure the putting of the organization on a sound, financial basis. It is the intention to fence the grounds with a high board fence and erect a grand stand, and also arrange an up-to-date ball ground inside.

It is contemplated to open this driving park to the public late this fall or in mid-winter, and to hold a street carnival with suitable attractions at the same time. If this is done, no effort will be spared in securing fast roadsters and speed-famed horses and there will doubtless be an array of equine beauties which will be a feast to the eye.

The carrying out of the entire program as outlined would be very beneficial to Artesia.

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Mrs. J. B. Heck and daughters, Mrs. G. Pinnell and Miss Wave Heck of Dayton, were visiting and shopping in Artesia Tuesday.

Call For Democratic Convention Ninth Council District.

Roswell, N. M., Aug. 8, 1906

Pursuant to instruction of the Democratic Committee for the 9th Council District of New Mexico, a delegate convention from the counties composing said district is hereby called to meet in the City of Santa Fe, on the same date as the Territorial Democratic Convention, that is September 12th, 1906, at 12 o'clock p. m. The various counties of said Council District are entitled to representation as follows:

- Chaves, 10 delegates.
- Dona Ana, 8 delegates.
- Eddy, 4 delegates.
- Grant, 10 delegates.
- Lincoln, 6 delegates.
- Luna, 3 delegates.
- Otero, 7 delegates.
- Roosevelt, 5 delegates.

TOTAL, 53 delegates.

J. F. HINKLE, Chairman.

Attest: W. B. WALTON, Secretary.

Notice for Publication.

Homestead Application No. 5611. Department of the Interior, Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, August 1, 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 Commissioner at his office in Artesia, N. M., on September 11, 1906. viz: James W. Foster, of Artesia, N. M., for the SE 1/4 of Sec. 30, T. 16 S., R. 26 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: George P. Cleveland, Lewis C. Robertson, Gayle Talbot, James E. Sweptson, all of Artesia, N. M. Howard Leland, Register.

Lewis Ayres has this week been circulating a subscription list for the purpose of building a school house about eight miles west of Artesia, in the Hope district. The money is about subscribed, and we are told that there are thirty-five pupils of scholastic age in that community.

The Advocate has for sale a scholarship in the Woolverton Practical Business College at Roswell, for the session beginning September 1. It is a bargain for some young lady or gentleman who desires an education in either a literary or business line.

R. P. Head, cashier of the First National Bank of Valley View, Texas, has been the guest this week of his friend and old college chum, Dr. Geo. P. Stoker.

Odd Fellows' Celebration.

Carlsbad, N. M., Sept. 9, 1906.

For above occasion, tickets will be on sale Sept. 8 and 9, 1906 at rate of \$1.75 for round trip; final limit Sept. 10, 1906. Rates for children between 5 and 12 years of age, one half of rate for adults. C. O. BROWN, Agt.

Notice for Publication.

Desert Land—Final Proof United States Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, July 18, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that Hugh M. Gage, of Hope, Eddy County, New Mexico, assignee of Joseph L. Davis, has filed notice of intention to make proof on his desert-land claim No. 2074, for the S 1/2 SE 1/4 Sec. 19 and N 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec. 30, T. 17 S., R. 23 E., before the Register or Receiver at Roswell, New Mexico on Tuesday, the 28th day of August, 1906.

He names the following witnesses to prove the complete irrigation and reclamation of said land:

Wm. I. Schrier, Stephen P. Blain, Joseph T. Fanning, Wm. H. Graham, all of Hope, N. M. Howard Leland, Register.

I can meet your wants in long time loans, 10 per cent interest with prepayment privileges. L. W. Martin.

To the patrons of the Public School: If Tom Logan has failed to get names of your children within scholastic age please notify some member of the school board. C. L. Heath.

Milton Brown, Jr., brother of Mrs. Gayle Talbot, was married to Miss Agnes Parton, of Texico, Wednesday. Miss Parton is a cousin of Mrs. C. O. Brown, of this city.

Fire and cyclone insurance. L. W. Martin.

Anson citizens got together the other day and signed a contract with the proposed Pecos Valley & Northern Texas railway for the right-of-way through Jones county. The road in question is to be built from Texico, N. M., to either Brownwood or Coleman City and the proposition called for a bona fide guarantee from Anson for the right-of-way through Jones county and the depot and terminal grounds in the towns of Anson and Hamlin which the citizens of those towns proceeded to make good in short order.

On Tuesday a telegraph envelope marked on the outside "rush" was handed Manager Burt, who immediately had various quick and exciting visions, imagining that a bosom friend had possibly perished in the South American earthquake, or that his great-great grandmother had died, frierziedly tore open the envelope and read: "Send bag of tobacco at once, I am dying for a smoke. Miller."

We have heard several compliments on The Advocate's 16-page issue of last week. Well, thanks—it is our intention to get out a newsy and readable sheet as often as possible.

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Alfalfa Pasture.

Horses taken at \$2.50 per month, each head. Fine pasture and plenty of water. Rent payable in advance or when horses are taken from pasture. This rule will be strictly adhered to. Pasture 1-2 mile south of town. C. S. Hoffman.

Notice For Publication
DESERT LAND, FINAL PROOF, NO. 2036,
United States Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
July 21, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that Arthur C. Keimath of Artesia, Eddy County, N. M., assignee of Charles M. Davis, has filed notice of intention to make proof on his desert-land claim No. 2036, for the W1-2 NE1-4, E1-2 SW1-4, SW1-4 NW1-4 NE1-2 SW1-4 and NW1-4 SE1-4 Section 8, T. 16S., R. 26E before the Register or Receiver at Roswell, New Mexico on Thursday, the 6th day of September 1906.

He names the following witnesses to prove the complete irrigation and reclamation of said land:
Chris Totten, Enos P. McCormick, M. O. Tuttle, W. Rogers, all of Artesia, N. M.
Howard Leland, Register.

Bulls for Sale.

I have two Galloway bulls for sale. They are subject to registration and fine individuals.

Paul Howes,

Three miles west of Dayton.

Mar Weinn and family, of Russellville, Ark., has moved to Hope and settled on his claim. Welcome to them.

The horse belonging to J. K. Walling & Son, which was badly cut on barbed wire this side of Hagerman on last Saturday evening, and which escaped from its driver at the time, was found Wednesday morning and returned.

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

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

If you have anything for sale or trade, see L. W. Martin.

We sell School Books at rock bottom prices and take your old books in exchange.

PECOS VALLEY DRUG CO.

School Tablets at Pecos Valley Drug Co.

Lunch Baskets for school children at Pecos Valley Drug Co.

INSURANCE—Have your house, hay, grain, etc., insured with J. E. Swepston against Fire and Storm.

Mr. Silas Hogg, of Lakewood, spent Wednesday in the Best Town.

Miss Helen Norfleet is visiting friends at Roswell for a week.

Mr. Robert Wheeler, of Hagerman, was in Artesia a short time Tuesday.

Mr. John Price is up this week, recuperating from his recent attack of fever.

School Books at Pecos Valley Drug Co.

County Superintendent Kerr and J. W. Armstrong, Democratic nominee for Probate Judge of Eddy county, both of Carlsbad, made this office a pleasant call Thursday. They were in Artesia for the purpose of attending the examination at the Teachers' Institute.

Mrs. John R. Hodges came up from Artesia this morning to attend a party at the home of Mrs. Jas. Garrard.—Roswell Record.

By buying School Books for three large stores we got the lowest price and goods delivered. The patrons of the school will get the benefit of this. PECOS VALLEY DRUG CO.

Bring your old School Books and exchange for new ones at Pecos Valley Drug Co.

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

Haying Outfit

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

BUJAC IN ERUPTION.

Captain of Carlsbad Militia Company
Wires the Mayor of Brownsville
Offering Assistance.

Carlsbad, N. M., Aug. 21.—E. P. Bujac, commandant of the "Carlsbad Cowboys" cavalry troop and late captain in the United States volunteers in China and the Philippines, wired the Mayor of Brownsville, Texas: "We deplore your awful situation and think the government should protect you. We have a hundred cowboys at your command, armed and ready to help kill every nigger in Fort Brown. The white people must be protected."
(Signed.) E. P. Bujac,
Dr. Harkey
J. S. Crozier.

In self Defense

Major Hamm, editor and manager of the Constitutionalist, Eminence, Ky., when he was fiercely attacked four years ago, by piles, bought a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, of which he says: "It cured me in ten days and no trouble since." Quickest healer of burns, sores, cuts and wounds. 25c at Pecos Valley Drug Co's. store.

Secretary Heath informs us that there are 300 children of scholastic age in Artesia and more than 400 in this district, and this too, in the face of the fact that a part of the district has been cut off and put into another district. This country grows, and, as is shown by this scholastic enumeration, the future of our country is safe as we are not short in members of a rising generation who are receiving a generous education.

Fine Pasture—The best salt and buffalo grass pasture in the valley, with plenty of water. Horses taken at \$1 per month. Maner Brown, eight miles north of Artesia.

See J. D. H. Reed & Son for finest fruits and vegetables grown in the valley.

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

Where did you get those fine peaches? At J. D. H. Reed & Son.

Wm. Idler and E. F. Phillips visited Hope Wednesday.

Miss Kathryn Patrick, of Paris, Texas, is the guest this week of Mrs. Annie L. Pitts.

For Sale.

A good milk cow. For further particulars see C. L. Heath.

Try Imboden's flour. J. D. H. Reed & Son.

For Sherwin-Williams paint and all painters supplies, see John Schrock Lumber Co.

School Books at Eastern prices at Pecos Valley Drug Co.

We give a nice present to every school boy or girl in Artesia.

PECOS VALLEY DRUG CO.

Adjournment of Teachers Institute.

The labors of the Teachers Institute, which has been in session in Artesia for the past two weeks, came to a end Friday evening. Thursday and Friday were consumed in the examinations which were conducted by J. W. Armstrong and Miss S. A. Kennell, both of Carlsbad. Twenty-nine teachers were examined—twenty-one young ladies and eight gentlemen.

It is conceded by the teachers that this has been the most instructive and valuable Institute ever held in Eddy county, and the teachers have profited accordingly.

The Advocate is firm in the conviction that a more earnest and intelligent, and gentlemanly and lady-like body of teachers has never been assembled, and we wish them God-speed as they depart for their several fields of labor. Read their resolutions elsewhere in this paper.

Notice For Publication.

Desert Land—Final proof.
United States Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
August 22, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that Olive M. White of Hope, Eddy county, New Mexico, has filed notice of intention to make proof on her desert-land claim No. 924, for the SE1/4 of Section 8 and SW1/4 of Section 9, T. 17 S., R. 23 E., before the Register or Receiver at Roswell, New Mexico, on Friday, the 5th day of October, 1906.

She names the following witnesses to prove the complete irrigation and reclamation of said land:

Joseph T. Fanning, Lum Richards, Hugh Gage and M. M. Davis, all of Hope, New Mexico.

Howard Leland, Register.

The Pecos Valley Drug Co. has made a hit that will be appreciated by all who buy school books. By buying for all three of their stores at one time they got the lowest price and the books delivered. In each town where they have stores located they will sell books at exactly the same price as paid in the cities. This will be a novelty in New Mexico, and their sales will be enormous.

J. F. Lockney, of Hope, was transacting business in Artesia Tuesday, and enrolled his name on the Advocate's list of elect.

Roswell has a business man who shines shoes and deals in railroad tickets and his name is Rastus Washington Johnson.

WANTED

by the Artesia Milling Company. Kaffir, maize, and Indian corn. Top prices.

For Sale.

Team of horses for \$65. Snap. C. S. Hoffman.

INSURANCE—Have your house, hay, grain, etc., insured with J. E. Swepston against Fire and Storm.

Cow and horse feed at Artesia Feed & Fuel Co's.

TWO RESIDENCES for rent; apply to J. E. Swepston.

Our Buyer Just Home From Market

NEW GOODS will be coming in most every day for the next two weeks, and we will be more than pleased to have you call in and look them over, see the styles, note the quality--then compare prices. Some people don't like to show you through when you are not ready to buy--not that way here. We are always ready, in fact anxious to tell you about our merchandise. Wish to call your attention to the fact that we will open a skirt, suit, and cloak department for the ladies, and as this is our first season, every number we show will be brand new, strictly up to date, and the best values in the Pecos Valley.

IT PAYS OTHERS,

IT WILL PAY YOU,

GET THE HABIT,

GO TO THE

Grand Leader

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