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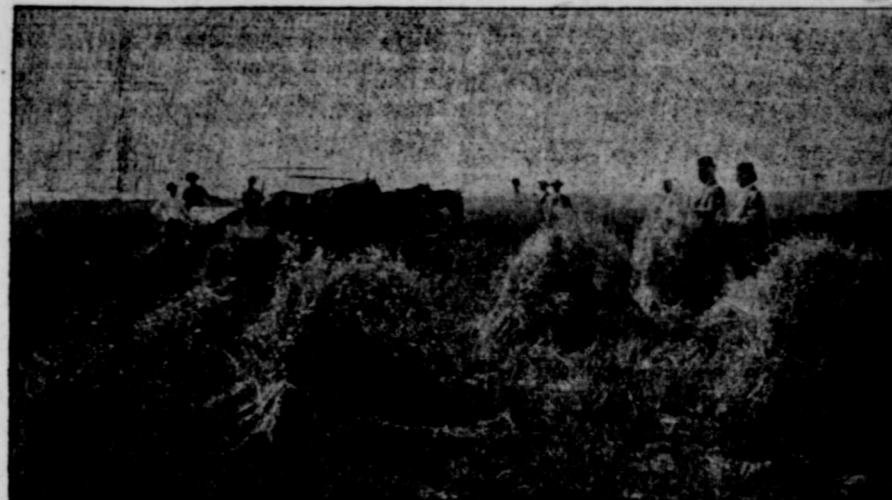
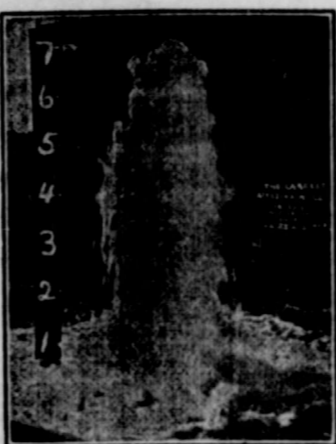
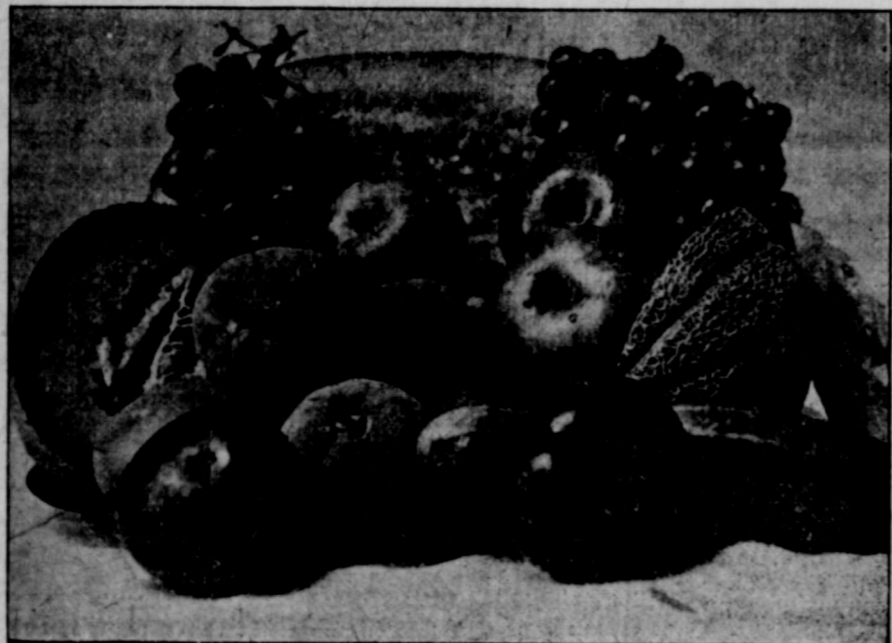
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ARTESIA SECTION EXCELS IN THESE THINGS



: We Will Have a Railroad Center and Build a City---And That Beats Politics :

RAILROAD BY JAN. 1

Work will now be Rapidly Pushed on the San Diego, El Paso & St. Louis.

Contractors Mahoney and Hurd are pushing the work on the railroad west. More than fourteen miles have been graded and half as much or more of it surfaced, ready for the ties and rails. The other part of the grading to Hope will soon be completed and it is expected to have the road in operation by the first of the year.

A loan has been effected for \$300,000.00 to complete the road to Hope and provide rolling stock, and the latter may be in most any time when steel will be commenced being laid.

There is going to be great activity in this work now, since all preliminaries have been completed.

Murdered With Fence Paling.

Mrs. M. Newcomb of Artesia, received an extended newspaper account from a daily of Vicksburg, Miss., about the murder of her father there recently, mention of which was made in the Advocate. It seems that Mr. Beaucamp was preparing to close his store that Saturday night after his clerk had left, and was attacked by some one, presumably a negro, with a fence paling and beat over the head until he was rendered unconscious. As he did not arrive home from the store at the usual time, his two daughters went there and found their father behind the counter unconscious from which he did not rally, but died in a few hours.

A negro has been arrested on suspicion. Mr. Beaucamp is spoken of very highly by the Vicksburg papers and he was one of the oldest citizens of that place.

CHINA REVOLUTION

Winning Throughout That Empire and People will Have a Voice in Their Government.

Shanghai, China, Nov. 6.—Three Chinese gunboats forming a part of Admiral Sah Chen Ping's fleet, which put in here yesterday for provisions, went over to the rebels this morning.

Ching Kiang, in the province of Kiang Su, fell at three o'clock this afternoon. All is quiet there. The city is a treaty port second in importance.

Kai Feng, China, Nov. 6.—The Imperialists have recaptured Tung Kwan near the eastern border of Sheng Si province. The rebels lost heavily and retreated towards Sian Fu.

Pedin, Nov. 3.—The action of Prince Ching, the regent of the Chinese empire, in accepting today on behalf of the

throne the draft of a new constitution for China, is considered to show his willingness to grant any demand of the people which is supported by arms.

An edict issued today by the throne accepts a preliminary constitution drawn up at a single sitting of an assembly which refused to permit its membership—those appointed by the throne—to participate in the debate.

Two days ago a train brought to Peking an officer named Lu, as the emissary of General Chang Shao Thong, who commands five thousand modern troops at Lanchou. Lu was accompanied by an escort of 200 cavalymen. The government at first, considered opposing by force the memorial conveyed by Lu, which peremptorily stated that twelve demands should be granted. One of these demands provided that the army should participate in the immediate establishment of a constitutional government.

Both the assembly and throne complied, and Lu and colleagues remained in Peking, forming a military league to which already the various garrisons adhere.

CHAMP CLARK SAYS

That he Could Defeat President Taft on Question of Canada Annexation.

Omaha, Neb.—Champ Clark, speaker of the National House of Representatives, in spending the day making speeches in twenty-one towns in the Third Nebraska District in the interest of Dan V. Stevens, who is the Democratic candidate for Congress to succeed the late Representative Latta, reiterated his belief in Canadian annexation.

"Nine-tenths of the people of this country favor the annexation of Canada," declared Mr. Clark, "and I don't care who hears me say it."

"I am willing to make this proposition: You let me run for President on a platform calling for annexation of Canada, in so far as this country can accomplish that end, and let President Taft run against me opposing annexation." Why, I would carry every state in the Nation."

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For a Greater Artesia.

By the time you read this, the election will have passed into history. The selection of candidates will have been made for the next five years. Whether we are satisfied or not, makes no difference now—we will have to abide by the verdict rendered by the people. It is the aim of the Advocate to now turn its attention "For a Greater Artesia." That is something worth our efforts all the time.

We are on the threshold of the greatest development in Pecos Valley that has ever been witnessed in this section.

There is every reason why Artesia should reap the greater part of this development. This immediate section has demonstrated beyond cavil or question that it can produce the finest alfalfa, the best fruit, the largest and most of cereals and everything else that can be grown in this climate.

In addition to this, the new railroad is an absolute certainty now, since the filing of a mortgage in this county for \$300,000.00 to finish the first portion of it between here and Hope.

The Santa Fe is going to construct a fine depot and make other improvements here commensurate with the demands and the importance of Artesia as a shipping point.

These two advantages in the way of railroad development will put Artesia in a more commanding position for the man seeking profitable investment than any other town in Pecos Valley.

Then we have Western College, that under the capable guidance of President Edward C. Morgan, will soon take front rank with the educational institutions of the West.

And we have a public school system that is the pride of the town and is favorably commented on in every part of New Mexico. Superintendent Bishop and his corps of teachers cannot be excelled anywhere.

Then we have a high class of citizenship; a moral and religious community; an energetic and capable people. Their high per cent of intelligence to population cannot be equaled anywhere.

Our business men and bankers are among the foremost in New Mexico for ability, enterprise and probity of character.

These natural advantages and the character of population will put Artesia in the lead in Pecos Valley, so get down to business and let politics and everything else go to the shade of obscurity.

Artesia's prosperity and success depends upon material things and not political chicanery. Regardless of your po-

litics or previous predilections, let it all go, and work for those things that count.

LOST \$10,000 AND HER SACHEL

A Kind Stranger Carried a Minnesota Woman's Traveling Bank Too Fast.

Winona, Minn.—Mrs. W. F. Jahn of Rollingstone told the police that she was robbed of \$10,000, which she carried in a suitcase. The money was taken as she was about to board a street car. She carried it with her because she had no faith in banks. According to her story a stranger who got off the train from Rollingstone offered to carry her grip to the street car. When she turned around she saw the man disappearing up a hill with it. The empty grip was found later among bushes.

We Don't Sleep Right.

[From the Detroit Free Press.]

Doctor Fischer, a physician of Paris, has turned his attention to the matter of sleeping reform. After a series of experiments he has come to the conclusion that the orthodox way of sleeping is wrong and advocates a complete reversal of the existing order of things.

You must have your head on a level with or lower than your feet. If pillows are to be used they must be under the feet instead of the head. The result, he claims, will be amazing, being a sure cure for insomnia as well as a preventive of the nightmare. To prevent any inconvenience by too sudden a change the pillows should be gradually reduced and finally placed under the feet.

ELOPES AT 48 WITH A BOY

The Angry Father Pursued the 17-Year-Old Son in a Motor Car.

Sterling, Ill.—Pursued by the angry father of the boy, Miss Jennie Wilson and Frank Spencer, both of Manlius, Ill., started for Chicago. Miss Wilson is 48 years old and Spencer 17.

John W. Spencer, father of the boy, arrived in a motor car thirty minutes after the train departed and boarded the next train for Chicago, where he believes an attempt will be made to obtain a marriage license.

Miss Wilson, Spencer asserts, is a distant relative of his. A month ago she arrived from Brookings, S. D., for a visit and at once became attached to the boy. Her admiration was returned, Spencer says, and her influence over the lad became so strong she was ordered from the house.

She found a place to board in the neighborhood, however, and Spencer believes they had several clandestine meetings. He says, she obtained a motor car and the boy slid down a rope from the upstairs window after throwing his clothing out of the window. The father says he was aroused by the noise of the departing motor car and after a hasty investigation found the couple had gone. He got another machine and pursued, but a breakdown caused him to reach here too late to stop his son. Spencer believes the couple will stop in Chicago, in an effort to throw him off the track, after which they will double back to South Dakota.

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For Tweed Cloth



GRAY and black tweed would look exceedingly smart made up in this style. It has the skirt made with a wide box plait down center of front and trimmed below knees by a band of material cut on the cross and edged with black velvet ribbon.

The Russian coat has slight fullness in front, also on basque; a braided band is worn round waist, and tabs to match trim the fronts, while a strap to

correspond with skirt is taken down edges of fronts.

Hat of felt is turned up at the sides and trimmed with two quills, kept in position by a buckle. Velvet ribbon encircles the crown. The whole producing a very chic appearance.

Materials required: Six and one-half yards tweed 46 inches wide, nine yards ribbon velvet, four yards braided, twenty buttons, seven yards silk or satin for lining coat.

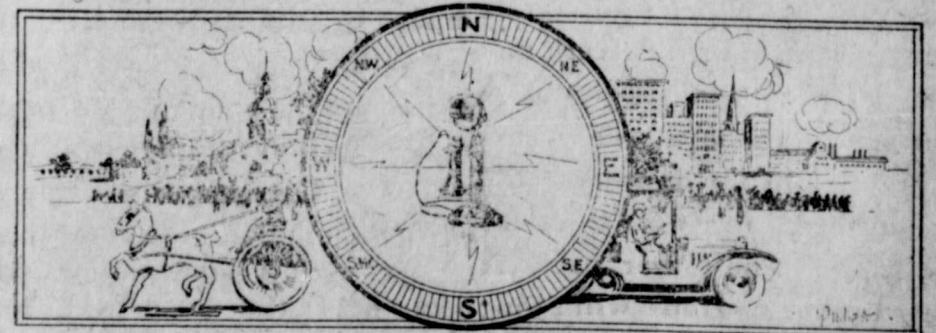
Handsome Costumes



LEFT, white mousseline broderie Anglaise with a wide entrecœur of filet lace. The same lace is used on the corsage of embroidered mousseline. The neck is cut to form points on the shoulders. The sash of purple mousseline de soie develops into large butterfly bows at the back and falls in long ends. Black satin is

used as a finish to the skirt. Right, tailored suit of bleu de saxe serge de soie, braided with black soutache. The skirt is arranged to drop like a tunic, over a hem of black satin. Large collar is of black and white surah, edged with embroidered linen. Belt of black patent leather completes this charming costume.

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THE TURKS WHIP ITALIANS

Turkey Officially Declares She has Captured Derna, in Tripoli.

London, Nov. 6.—A news agency despatch from Constantinople said it was officially announced at the Turkish capital today that the Turks have recaptured Derna in Tripoli and that 500 Italians were killed and the remainder of the defending force were taken prisoners.

Malta, Nov. 6.—Advics from Tripoli today state that the sanitary situation there is growing worse. The bodies of fifty Arabs, who died from cholera or hunger, were found in the streets. The palm groves are filled with corpses and fifty cases of cholera are reported in the Italian army.

Madero is Now Mexico's Head.

Mexico City, Nov. 7.—Francisco I. Madero was today inaugurated president of Mexico, succeeding President De La Barra, who filled in the gap after the executive now sworn in had ended the rule of Porfirio Diaz. The ceremony took place before the members of congress in the chamber of deputies. The inauguration of Vice President Jose Pinto Suarez has been postponed to a date not announced.

CARLSBAD.

[Current, 3rd inst.]

Mr. Charles A. Tanner and Miss Pearl Lawrence both of Artesin were married at the court house by Rev. A. A. Davis Wednesday afternoon.

W. H. Lige and John Merchant and Mrs. Ed. Seay were called to Abilene, Texas, last Saturday, to the bedside of their sister, Mrs. Medaris, who died Saturday and was buried Sunday. The family has the sympathy of all.

[Argus, 3rd inst.]

A baby girl was born last Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Trueman Marquess, at their home in La Huerta. Mrs. Marquess and the little daughter are doing nicely.

Several cotton pickers have reported in Carlsbad, during the past few days, but even yet there remains a scarcity of pickers and the cotton crop stands a ready victim to the threatening elements which may break loose at any time and greatly damage, if not destroy it entirely.

Miss Mattie Atterberry of Artesia and L. D. McCarley of Bowling Green, Ky., were married in this city last week by Rev. Mr. Reese, pastor of the Baptist church. Miss Atter-

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berry was the teacher of the Otis school, five miles south of Carlsbad, two years ago and has many friends in the Otis district who join in extending congratulations.

One of the largest mortgages to be filed in the office of the County Recorder O'Quinn since his incumbancy to office was the mortgage which was placed on record this week by the San Diego, El Paso and St. Louis railroad which is now in course of construction between Artesia and Hope. The mortgagees are the Continental Commercial Trust and Saving Bank and Frank H. Jones, of Chicago. The amount of the mortgage is for \$300,000 bearing interest at the rate of five per cent, payable semi-annually and running for a period of thirty years. The property specified as being covered by the instrument includes all of the right of way, the rolling stock, rails, ties, franchises, terminals and in fact all property of the company used in the construction of the new road. The filing fee for this one instrument was \$15.30.

--Carlsbad Argus.

Sash at Side of Skirt.

A strong feature in many of the models is the use of the sash suspended in oriental fashion at one side of the skirt. This appears on many of the simple dresses and tailored costumes. It is also seen on tailored suits.

The idea is continued from last season, as there were two or more models shown then holding this idea, notably a navy blue serge dress with a sash made from mauve and cardinal silk.

High School Department

BOYS LITERARY SOCIETY.

The boys literary society met for its fourth time last Friday afternoon. The meeting opened with roll call and a few members were present. A motion was made and adopted that those absent at next meeting should be fined the sum of ten cents and those tardy to roll call five cents. A motion was made and adopted that society should use the Roberts Rules of Order.

PROGRAM.

Glen Laing had a paper on the Turkey and Italy war.

A talk on the political campaign in New Mexico, by Ralph Hadley.

A debate on the Blue Ballot between Frank Daniels and George Threlkeld.

THE ESTRELLA LITERARY SOCIETY

The Estrella literary society met last Friday for the third time and one of the most interesting programs of the season was rendered, which consisted of recitations, jokes and musical numbers. Each girl answered roll call with a current event and some of which were very instructive. We received two rare treats—that of a duet between Grace Talbot and Dorothy Owens, and a recitation by Margaret Mathes. The question box, a new feature of our programs proved very interesting and amusing. Mrs. Bigler presided over the meeting in the absence of Mrs. Wood.

GOOD SCHOOL WORK.

Last week was a week of bad

weather but the attendance was very good. It was too wet and cold for athletic work so the time was spent on the studies.

Railroad Time Table.

South bound passenger, arrives at 6:49 p. m., local time.

North bound passenger, arrives at 6:32 a. m. local time.

South bound local, departs at 1:40 p. m. local time, daily.

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