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European Plan Newly Furnished

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Everything New and Clean Best of Everything to Eat

FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING
Artesia, New Mexico

HAGERMAN NEW DEPOT DEDICATED
Artesia Represented at the Banquet by Leading Citizens.

On Wednesday evening of this week Hagerman celebrated the completion of her new Santa Fe depot. Invited guests were present from all the towns in the valley from Roswell to Carlsbad. The Santa Fe officials were present as guests of honor. A very elaborate and well arranged program of music and oratory was enjoyed. An appetizing and inviting banquet was spread, about one hundred plates. Dr. Larabee, S. W. Gilbert, P. V. Pardon and J. D. H. Reed represented Artesia on the occasion and all report the affair one of the best stunts ever pulled off in the valley. Mr. Reed being on the program responded to the toast "The Pecos Valley, its Possibilities."

While our representatives were there they called the railroad officials' attention to the probability of Artesia dedicating her new depot in the near future and we are informed the railroad company representatives signified their pleasure in coming down and rejoicing with us on such an occasion. So it is squarely up to our people to get busy and maintain Artesia's reputation for pulling off successful feats.

We confidently look forward to the time when the Santa Fe can see their way clear to put on through Pecos Valley service to Pecos without delay. When such service is established we expect to see travel through the valley increased many fold, then Artesia will be the logical division point. This will call for a Harvey eating house we have been hoping to have located here.

The freight tonnage both in both in and out of Artesia has been increasing each year by

isaps and bounds, and we believe 1912 will far surpass any year in our history along this line.

A CONCRETE WAREHOUSE.

W. H. Beasley will build at the Red School House Spur.

Mr. Beasley, who has been engaged in buying alfalfa hay at Artesia for the past few years will erect a large warehouse and continue the handling of hay. The building will be 100x100 feet of concrete and will be situated at the Spur, five miles south of Artesia.

Will Benson went down one day last week and surveyed and located one acre of ground for the building site and it is understood that the work will be begun on Mr. Beasley's return from Arkansas, where he and family are now visiting at their old home.

Artesia people will be glad to learn that this desirable family will continue to make their home here and the farmers in the country about the Spur will be gratified to know that they are to have a commodious structure in which to store hay as fast as it is baled, and that the buyer will be Mr. Beasley.

Happy Hour Club.

The Happy Hour club in session enacted the following resolution: Whereas, God in his good providence has seen fit to remove from our midst our oldest and highly beloved member Mrs. Bishop, the club wishes to express our sorrow at her loss and resolved that we extend our heart felt sympathy to her son in this great loss, looking to God who doeth all things well, for comfort, in this sad hour.

MRS. I. V. WHITESIDE,
MRS. JAS. SHARP,
MRS. J. E. HOGUE.

A BIG WELL ON FOUR MILE.

R. S. Liggett of Roswell, Will Drill a 12 Inch Well.

An enterprising real estate man of Roswell, R. S. Liggett has a tract of land southwest of Dayton in the fertile Four Mile valley and will drill a big well and install a pumping plant for irrigating. A car of twelve inch casing has just been unloaded at the station at Dayton and everything is being made ready to put down the well and install a big pumping plant.

Banister-Boone.

Mr. Arthur E. Banister and Miss Millie Boone were married at Mrs. Stallcup's last Sunday evening by Rev. Geo. R. Ray. Mr. Banister is a young man who has lately arrived in Artesia and is engaged in the tailoring business. The bride has resided here for some time and has many friends and admirers. They will make their home in Artesia.

Notice to School Patrons

All parents are hereby notified that the Compulsory School Law requires that all children between the ages of seven and fifteen years must attend school regularly the entire term of school. All parents whose children are out next week will be prosecuted.

W. L. BISHOP, Supt.

High School Notes

The boys of the High School have been busy this week practicing for the coming base-ball season. There is some fine material for a winning team for Artesia. The boys are framing up a game for next week with some of the clerks to get some practice for the game with Carlsbad which will be pulled off soon.

The Glee Club will give a concert at the Majestic Theatre next Friday night, March 29th. They have learned some new songs and the people who went to Sylvia, the High School play, know that it will be a splendid entertainment.

Band Concert Program.

The following is the program for the concert to be given by the Artesia Concert Band, Tuesday March 26, 1912, at the Majestic Theatre:

March—Lieut Sautleman (By request).....Rosenkraus
Overture—Morning, Noon and Night in Vienna.....Von Suppe
Waltz—The Flower of Ilay.....De Stefano
Selection—Maritana [By request].....Wallace
Reverie—Tramueric.....Schumann
Cornet Solo, Austin Rice
Selection—The Goddess of Liberty.....Howard
Palka—Lucifer.....Snyder
Bass Solo, Ed. Sozmack
Waltz | Blice Durebe.....Strauss
March—Right Swing.....McFall

Cooley to Colorado.

Cooley, who has lived six miles northeast of Artesia for some time has traded his property for Oklahoma land. He leaves this week for Grand Junction, Colorado. Mrs. Cooley, who is now with the family at the Lawyer home south of Artesia will join her husband in a short time.

WANTED:—A woman to do general housework.

DR. RUSSELL.

ARTESIA CANNING FACTORY

Articles of Incorporation Drawn and Officers Elected.

The committee having in charge the drafting of articles of incorporation for the Artesia Canning Company completed their work and the papers are now in the hands of the Secretary of State at Santa Fe. The stockholders met on last Saturday night and elected directors for one year as follows: E. B. Kemp, S. W. Gilbert, P. V. Pardon, F. J. Lukins and J. D. H. Reed.

The directors met on Monday and permanently organized by electing the following officers: President, P. V. Pardon; Vice-President, F. J. Lukins; Treasurer, S. W. Gilbert; Secretary and Manager, J. D. H. Reed.

Seed has been ordered and will be ready for distribution by Saturday of this week. The Stone variety is the one desired and recommended by reason of its high color and good shipping qualities. Seed will be on sale at Reed & Cramers store. All who make contracts will be able to buy seed at cost, probably about one dollar per pound. It is recommended that seed be planted in the field where expected to grow and the land be marked off about four feet square and eight to ten seed be placed in each hill, after plants are well established thin to two in each

hill leaving of course the strongest plants. It is thought best to be ready for planting early in April as it is very important that crop ripens as early as possible so a long season of processing may be had.

Growers are slow about signing up for growing tomatoes. Fully one hundred acres yet needed by the directors to justify expense of putting in factory. It is thought at least \$100 can be cleared per acre, if properly handled. All nearby farmers and fruit growers should become gardeners to extent at least of growing from one to five acres of tomatoes. You will do yourself good and help a worthy enterprise by your efforts.

Mr. and Mr. H. C. Lawyer came in Monday from their home south of Artesia. Mr. Lawyer reports things moving along nicely down in his vicinity.

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Good clothes—if you know where to buy them—don't cost any more than the average kind.

You are cordially invited to prove this to your own satisfaction by a visit to our store.

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H. W. MOORE.

Artesia Advocate.

A. W. HENRY, Editor

ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO

Wrestlers may win in straight falls, but aeroplane racers, never.

Automobiles would be even more popular if they did not smoke.

A fireproof building is always fireproof as long as there is no fire in the vicinity.

The man who pays \$27,000 for a Bible does not expect to get \$27,000 worth of reading out of it.

A wealthy soap manufacturer addressed the hobo convention at Cincinnati and escaped without a scratch.

How fickle is humanity. In summer we kick about the high cost of ice, and in winter we trample it under foot.

A Baltimore man has been on the operating table 24 times. He must be the fellow who casts the scattering vote.

The cunning towers on the battle-ships outnumber and outrank the cupolas on the temple of peace at The Hague.

A doctor told a woman's club "how to make a child sick." His talk could be spread usefully for the benefit of grown-ups.

They call it the United States of China, but the states are about as firmly linked together as a mess of chop suey.

A Boston minister tells men to vote as they pray. With a good many of them that would be never until they are about to die.

Labouchere, the English editor of Truth, left ten million dollars. If that is the result of Truth, what is the use of so much lying?

The Denver man who traveled 9,000 miles to take unto himself a wife can hardly be said to be the victim of a leap year proposal.

Kitty Gordon tells us that it costs \$200 a week to be beautiful, and yet few women are complaining about the high cost of beauty.

A scientist has figured out that a bee travels 48,000 miles in collecting the material for a pound of honey. What a beautiful price basis for a new trust!

"There is no telling a woman's age after she passes 25," sagely enunciates a contemporary. On the contrary, every friend she has cheerfully tells it on her.

Who says the Filipinos have not attained a high degree of civilization? Manila is grief-stricken over the departure of the troops for China. The best baseball team in the city went with them.

One of Alaska's most popular volcanoes is in violent eruption. If it is assisting to temper the atmosphere in its vicinity it is likely to make itself dearer than ever to the hearts of the Alaskan people.

A child 5 years old in New York has had his income raised from \$3,000 per year to \$15,000, thus permitting him to support his guardians in the style to which they alleged that they have been accustomed.

The French government asks for an appropriation of \$4,400,000 for military aeroplanes. Those who imagined that the aerial navies would reduce the cost of "peace insurance" may have to revise their ideas.

Paris authorities have ordered Raymond Duncan to wear more clothes in public. Evidently Raymond labors under the impression that all the world's a bathing beach.

A California boy 22 years of age has married a lady of 63. We hope she will be good enough to refrain from spanking him in case she happens to catch him stealing jam.

Silk stockings are no longer considered fashionable in Washington. Has that any possible connection with the crusade the women of Washington are waging against high street car steps?

No man is a hero to his stenographer. So say the organized women stenographers of Chicago. For self-protection then, we shall have to hire male stenographers for whose opinion we don't give a hang.

A woman in Iowa laughed so long and so hard at a joke that they had to send for three doctors to chloroform her. This ought to be some encouragement to those mournful members of the community, the jokesmiths.

NEW YORK CALLED A GRAVEYARD OF REAL HUMAN CHARACTER

NOTED EDUCATOR CRITICISES METROPOLIS

So Busy Making Fortunes, Men
Have No Time to Learn
How to Spend Them.

President Charles F. Thwing of Western Reserve University Declares He Would Not Want to Live in the City Under Any Circumstances—"In the Smaller Places People Have Not Forgotten Their Good Manners"—Life in New York Too Fast; It Burns Up Men.

New York is a Graveyard of Real Human Character. Life in New York Is Too fast. It Burns Up Men. Not Many Men or Women Can Endure Such a Life for a Long Time. The New York Man Is So Busy Making His Fortune He Has No Time to Learn How to Spend It. In a Smaller City There Is Time for Thought, for Self-Development. In the Smaller Cities People Have Not Forgotten Their Good Manners.

NEW YORK.—Writing in the Sunday World, President Charles F. Thwing of Western Reserve university, thus voices his opinion of New Yorkers:

I have been in the habit of visiting New York at frequent intervals for a period of 30 years. With each succeeding visit I became more and more convinced that I should not want to live in New York under any circumstances.

Why? The question is at once a big one, complex and serious. It carries one beyond personal equations. It includes tendencies and movements in character and work of our people.

America is becoming the world, and its larger city is a microcosm. New York is one of the largest German, Italian, Irish cities in the whole world. Scores of other nationalities are here gathered and put into the melting pot.

Besides racial elements other elements abound. The most intellectual and the most stupid, the most distinguished and the most obscure, the most charming and the most uninteresting, the most philanthropic and the most selfish, the highest socially and the lowest socially, the noble morally and the unspeakable morally, are here mingled, and mingled not in quietness, but in surging forms and ways.

New York is dynamic, not at all static. New York spells strenuousness.

Now, this condition, at once forceful and fascinating, opens opportunities for educational, religious and social service such as human history has never offered. The condition is pregnant with celestial and terrestrial gravitation.

Servant Problem a Real Difficulty.

But this very condition creates a positive disadvantage. Not many men or women can endure such a life for a long time. The pace kills. New York is not simply a "graveyard of reputations," as it is often said to be; it is a graveyard of real human character, dead before prime.

Let me illustrate. A friend of mine, whom I will call Abbott, went to China in 1875. He served there in the customs service for more than 30 years, and became one of Sir Robert Hart's great men. Four years ago he retired. He wished to spend the rest of his life in writing a history of China. His familiarity with the authorities, historical and literary, would allow him, in doing this work, to be in any part of the world.

He was an American born and bred. His wife was American-born, though English-bred. Three years ago he



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came to America with the thought of possibly settling here, living his life and doing his work. After spending four months in New York, Mount Desert and elsewhere, he wrote me saying:

"We are leaving. We are leaving for two reasons. First, the difficulty of securing good domestic servants. Second, and more, the killing pace. We cannot stand the life."

Less Orderly Than Smaller Cities.

They returned to England and bought a place in beautiful Surrey, some fourteen miles from London. The case of the Abbotts is, I think, typical. Life in New York is too fast. It burns up men.

Now to the comparative side of the question. A smaller city, like Cleveland, for instance, is a city of diverse populations. It is also a melting pot of Medes and Persians, and the dwellers in Mesopotamia. Its forces are active. It, too, has people who are the most distinguished and the most stupid, the most charming and the most uninteresting, the most philanthropic and the most selfish, the highest socially and the lowest socially, the noblest morally and the unspeakable morally.

But all these forces are not so congested, so crushed in together as they are in New York. In the smaller cities there is more orderliness. People have not forgotten their good manners, or at least many of them have not. They still have time to be considerate. The crush, both physical and intellectual, is not quite so crushing.

More Human Than New York.

People in smaller cities are more human than New York people. They are less inclined to weigh all things in the scale of the mint. If New York has more LIVING, smaller cities have more LIFE. What you see emerges readily in a smaller city. In New York one becomes so easily lost. In a smaller city not so easily. Cleveland, for instance, is large enough to give a field for one's forces. It is small enough to preserve and promote individuality.

In New York this pressure has become a very materialistic one. At least the materialistic side is the obvious one. Of course there are to be found in New York great men and greatest men in all fields of human interest. But their work are not so obvious to the passerby as are wealth, the desire for wealth and the seeker after wealth.

New York is too large for many people to know people of other types intimately.

Seek Only External Things.

The young man feverishly seeking a fortune does not know the inner life of the man who has learned that great wealth has little value except as a stepping stone to opportunities for a larger life. He sees only the external grandeur and display of living. He is so busy making his fortune he has no time to learn to spend it except in the obvious ways of the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eye and the pride of life.

In a smaller city where the pressure of living is not so great, time for thought, time for self-development, intercourse with men who have thoughts on other subjects than money are given. Such a life can be found in New York by the man who insists upon finding it. It is obscured by the external rush and dazzle unless he does insist and keeps on insisting with a strength and fervor which his obvious surroundings are all conspiring to stifle.

Both New York and smaller cities need, and in New York more, I think, the lesson of Walter Bagehot, if you have a mind, use it. It is the most interesting thing. The cities, like America itself, used to be taught that the things of the spirit are the real things, that what one sees will soon vanish, that the invisible is the eternal, "that the lust of the flesh and the lust of the eye and the pride of life are transient," and that the spirit of man deserves, and is really struggling after, the real truth of life.

DEFENSE OF THE CENTIPEDE

Frenchman Declares Insect Not Only Comparatively Harmless, but Really of Much Value.

The centipede—which really never has a hundred legs, in spite of his name—has always enjoyed a bad reputation. A Frenchman, M. J. Kunkie d'Herculis, recently came to the defense of this insect in a paper before the Academy of Sciences in Paris.

In the first place, the animal is not poisonous, as is commonly supposed. There is only one authentic case of poisoning by the centipede on record for this country. That was reported by Dr. Josiah Curtis of Washington. A woman was walking in her room at night in bare feet and was stung or bitten by a centipede between the toes. The bite was followed by inflammation and severe pain that lasted for thirty-six hours. Mr. d'Herculis questions even this case, because the symptoms were very much like those produced by the sting of a bee or hornet and also because experiments had been made with much larger species of centipedes and these were always harmless.

But he also finds the animal useful. On several occasions he came upon individuals of the species scutigera coleoptrata catching flies and other insects. The centipede grasps the fly with the front legs and quickly bites it in the thorax, injecting a juice that kills the fly instantly. When there are many flies about the centipede will kill several before beginning to feed. Instead of chewing at its prey, it sucks out the soft parts through a puncture, leaving the head, legs, wings and other hard parts.

Another argument for the harmlessness of the centipede is deduced by the author from the fact that when the animal is grasped it does not try to defend itself, but seeks rather to escape. It often escapes by "leaving its legs behind"—that is, the animal automatically throws off a number of legs that have been caught by the enemy and limps off on the remaining ones. It can easily spare a dozen or two of its thirty legs, for the lost members can be regenerated.

The centipede is found pretty well scattered in all parts of the world. The species common in the United States, scutigera forceps, was reported over twenty years ago as devoting the nights to killing house flies. And later an observer detected one in the act of capturing a butterfly much larger than itself. The insect hides during the daytime under doorsteps or window frames, or in any crevice large enough to conceal its numerous appendages. — Harper's Weekly.

Not a Flattering Opinion.

Blobbs—"Does young Dr. Squills know much about medicine?" Slobbs—"Well, I should say that what he doesn't know about medicine would fill a morgue."

\$3.50 Recipe Free, For Weak Kidneys.

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Stops Pain in the Bladder, Kidneys and Back.

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I have a recipe for these troubles that you can depend on, and if you want to make a quick recovery, you ought to write and get a copy of it. Many a doctor would charge you \$3.50 just for writing this prescription, but I have it and will be glad to send it to you entirely free. Just drop me a line like this: Dr. A. E. Robinson, K-299 Luck Building, Detroit, Mich., and I will send it by return mail in a plain envelope. As you will see when you get it, this recipe contains only pure, harmless remedies, but it has great healing and pain-conquering power.

It will quickly show its power once you use it, so I think you had better see what it is without delay. I will send you a copy free—you can use it and cure yourself at home.

HIS THOUGHT.



Henson—He said he could never forget his alma mater. I wonder what he meant?

Henpeck—His mother-in-law, I guess.

HANDS WOULD CRACK OPEN

"About two months ago my hands started to crack open and bleed, the skin would scale off, and the good flesh would burn and itch dreadfully. When my hands first started to get sore, there were small blisters like water blisters which formed. They itched dreadfully, it just seemed as though I could tear the skin all off. I would scratch them and the skin would peel off, and the flesh would be all red and crack open and bleed. It worried me very much, as I had never had anything the matter with my skin. I was so afraid I would have to give up my employment.

"My doctor said he didn't think it would amount to anything. But it kept getting worse. One day I saw a piece in one of the papers about a lady who had the same trouble with her hands. She had used Cuticura Soap and Ointment and was cured. I decided to try them, and my hands were all healed before I had used one cake of Cuticura Ointment. I am truly thankful for the good results from the Cuticura Soap and Ointment, for thanks to them I was cured, and did not have to lose a day from work. I have had no return of the skin trouble." (Signed) Mrs. Mary E. Breig, 2522 Brown Street, Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 12, 1911.

Although Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold everywhere, a sample of each, with 32-page book, will be mailed free on application to "Cuticura," Dept. L, Boston.

Natural Avoidance.

Mayor Gaynor of New York was defending his anti-suffrage views: "Woman has her place and man has his," he said, "and when I think of the confusion that would come from intermingling their places, I am reminded of an anecdote about Lady Holland. Lady Holland once said to Lord John Russell: 'Why hasn't Lord Holland got a post in the cabinet?' 'Well, if you must know,' Lord John answered, 'it is because nobody would work in a cabinet with a man whose wife opens all his letters.'"

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Occasionally we meet a man whose train of thought reminds us of a row of flat cars.

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A man feels as ill at ease in a dry goods store as a woman does in a tobacco shop.

IDEAS FOR HOME-BUILDERS

BY WM. A. RADFORD.

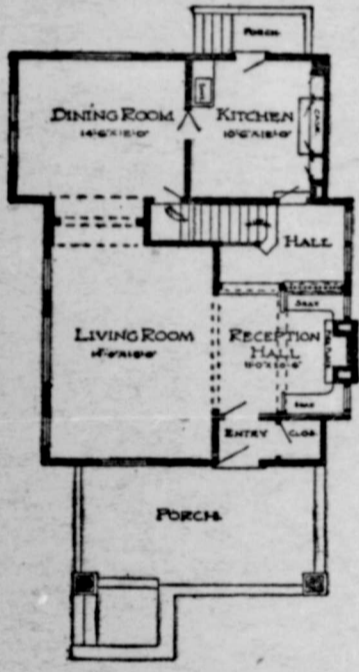
Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF COST on all subjects pertaining to the subject of building, for the readers of this paper. On account of his wide experience as Editor, Author and Manufacturer, he is, without doubt, the highest authority on all these subjects. Address all inquiries to William A. Radford, No. 178 West Jackson boulevard, Chicago, Ill., and only enclose two-cent stamp for reply.

A very neat and pretty five-room house is this.

I sometimes think there is more solid comfort than there is in a square yard of mansion. You have less work and more genuine satisfaction, because you can make it more homelike. Take a room like this fine, big living room, having a cozy corner walled in with high-backed seats on two sides of a good fireplace for cold evenings, and you have something to remember with great pleasure and satisfaction. Imagine a dog or a cat half asleep on the hearth rug, with the family gathered around, some engaged in reading, some, perhaps, in fancy work, and you have a picture fit for a master artist.

Between the porch and the living room there is a large vestibule big enough to contain a coat closet. There are double doors to shut out the cold, and, of course, the outer door is covered with a wire screen door in summer time.

The big living room is 14 feet by 18 feet 6 inches, which is extra large, even for a modern living room. The entrance from the living room to the dining room is a little out of the ordinary, and it gives a good opportunity to hang two pairs of curtains, and to secure an unusual effect if the work is nicely done. Placing the stairway in the center of the north side of the house leaves the front open with a clear view from the different windows.



First Floor Plan.

A center stairway works better than a front stairway on the second floor as well as on the first floor, for it leaves a fine, big bedroom in the front gable.

One reason why this house plan works up so well into large rooms is the fact that the stairway is very compact, just a short, straight flight of steps in the center of the house. Besides connecting the upper and lower floors, it makes an easy entrance to the cellar from the kitchen. There is a great deal in laying out a stairway so that it will give the greatest amount of convenience for the space

America's Castle.

The castle is a comparatively modern structure. It was erected at a cost of more than \$1,000,000 by the late Mitchell Henry, a wealthy merchant and one-time home rule member of parliament. His son in turn erected the \$100,000 memorial chapel situated a short distance from the castle. The estate was bought by Mr. Eugene Zimmerman, the American railroad man, who has presented it to his only daughter, the duchess of Manchester. The American buyer remains to this day the nominal master of this unique property, and he spends about half of each year at Kylemore developing the mountain domain. His revolutionary policy is as manifest within the castle as without, and a complete installation of bath rooms is one of the American comforts he has introduced at Kylemore—Harper's Bazar.

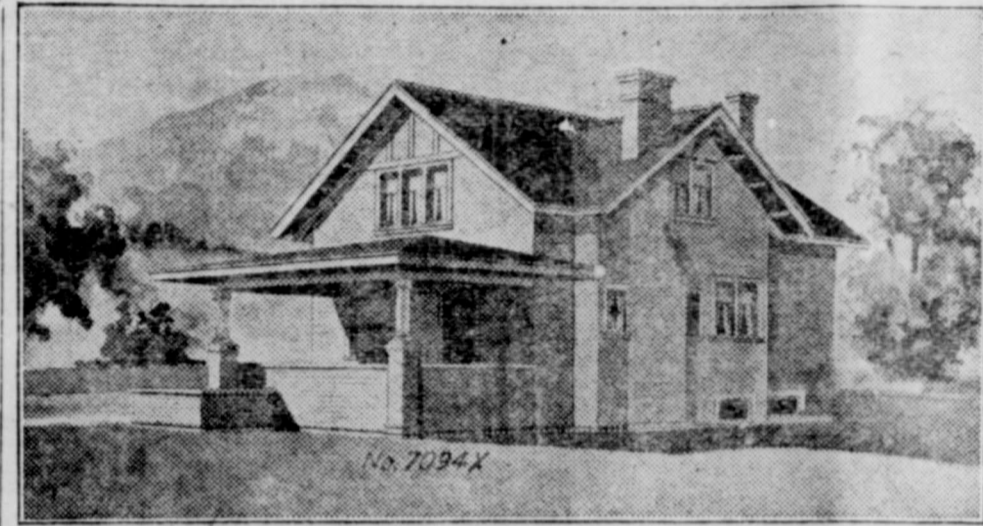
Surgeon's Peculiar Fee.

When Smith Fouch of Whitesburg, Ky., was shot in his left eye by a neighbor twenty-five years ago, he was attended by Dr. John Blair,

occupied. There is also an entrance from the hall to the kitchen, which is a great convenience at times.

Coming to the kitchen, we have rather an unusual plan, the kitchen answering the purpose of pantry and kitchen combined. This is a recent idea in house building, and it seems to be growing in favor. It takes less room and it requires less steps at meal time. Instead of a pantry, one side of the kitchen is made into cupboards with shelves.

These cupboards are deep enough, and the shelves are wide enough to provide a good deal of storage room. The front of this cupboard case, as it might be called, is made up of cupboard doors, so hinged as to open out



leaving the entire shelf surface exposed. The shelves themselves, instead of being built in solid, are supported by pegs, so they may be lifted out for cleaning. One objection to cupboards is the difficulty of keeping them clean, but this arrangement seems to solve that problem; still, the doors shut over them keep out the dust.

The building of smaller houses has made the economy of space necessary. Architects have got busy with new inventions and new ideas, some of which have taken with the public because they mean greater comfort and convenience for the amount of money expended.

The front porch with the little boxed-in steps at the corner gives the house an artistic appearance to an unusual degree. There is something about the pitch of the porch roof, its size in proportion to the house, and the neat corners and pillars that stamps the whole house with an air of refinement. It is seldom you see a porch that so thoroughly fits the house as this one.

The size of this little house is 29 feet 6 inches in width by 35 feet 6 inches in length, exclusive of porches, which is rather large on the ground, as houses are built nowadays, but not large when you consider that it is only a cottage in height.

Such a house is easily heated with a hot air furnace, which is the most sensible way to heat a small house, because you get both heat and ventilation. But you must take the cold air from outdoors and not from some room in the house or from the cellar.

Outside air contains a good deal of moisture. It loses a portion of the moisture in passing through the furnace. If you pass it through several times it loses practically all of its moisture, and the effect on your breathing apparatus is very noticeable if you are a little out of condition.

All air is germ laden. Most germs are beneficial, but unfortunately the air also contains germs that are detrimental and some that are positively dangerous. If our vitality is what it should be, the worst germs cannot injure us seriously.

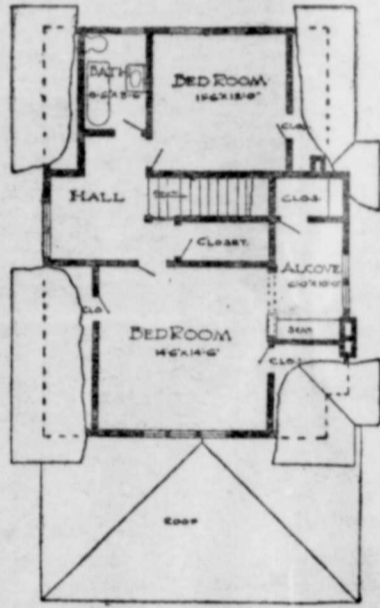
Cold will not kill disease germs; heat will not kill them until you get well up toward the temperature of boiling water. The warmth of the human lungs seems to be about right to encourage their most rapid development, and unless they are expelled in large quantities, they are likely to increase in numbers sufficient to make trouble.

Pneumonia and consumption are cured, if cured at all, by sleeping outdoors, or in the house with a window wide open. When a man feels economical enough to take the air from the inside of the house to pass it through the furnace, he is also careful enough to keep all the doors and windows closed. That is one of the strongest reasons why a furnace should not be fed with interior air.

Steam heating and hot water heating plants should always have in connection a ventilating system. New houses usually have flues for the purpose.

Some people will kill themselves in any kind of a house with any sort of a heating system; others will have fresh air in spite of difficulties.

This house will cost, complete,



Second Floor Plan.

about \$2,000, possibly a trifle more. It will be found a very satisfactory design, both as to outward appearance and interior arrangement.

Beware Germ of Discontent.

Just as soon as the germ of discontent begins to work in our mind, everything begins to look gloomy. Life takes on a pessimistic tinge. Nothing is right or goes right. The body catches the cue. We grow irritable. We scold the children or reprimand our business associates. This means that wires are crossed in the nerve region. Next, the stomach sulks. We don't want anything to eat, and what we do eat disagrees with us. Then, our head begins to ache. The world looks bluer and bluer. Our spirits sag. It is like an endless chain. The mind affects the body, and the body in turn lowers the tone of the mind. And so it goes; and, unless we put a stop to it, the last date of the discontented man or woman calls for a medical board and a sanatorium.

No Need to Worry.

"The widow promised to give me her answer tomorrow. I don't see how I can sleep tonight."

"Go to sleep and don't worry, old chap; she told me when I introduced you to her that she was going to marry you."

A Hopeful Sign.

"Do you think equal suffrage is any nearer than it was five years ago?"

"Yes, much nearer. I have just heard of a man of character and intelligence who has decided to become a candidate for the legislature."

BEST OF ALL SHORTCAKES

How Luscious Dessert Should Be Prepared for the Table to Be at Its Best.

Best served warm and do not fill until ready to serve. Split cake, lay top inverted on a plate, fill with fresh or canned sliced peaches, well seasoned apple sauce, or best of all, with crushed or sliced strawberries. Fruit should be liberally sugared.

When center is well filled place the top layer on, cover with fruit and serve with cream.

Ingredients: Two cups of sifted pastry flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, three tablespoonfuls of butter, two tablespoonfuls of sugar, one egg and three-quarters cupful of milk.

Method: Sift salt and baking powder into flour after it has been sifted once and measured. Cream, butter, sugar and egg until light. Into this gently stir the milk and flour, alternating (do not beat, just stir lightly), then pour into greased layer cake tin. Bake in brisk oven, then split and prepare with the fruit as directed in foregoing recipe.

THINGS WORTH KNOWING

Cocoanut matting may be cleaned with a large coarse cloth dipped in salt and water and then rubbed dry.

Knives which have been used for onions and smell of them can be cleaned by drawing them through a piece of carrot two or three times.

To remove hot water marks from japanned trays use sweet oil. Rub it in well till all marks disappear, then polish the tray with dry flour and a soft cloth.

When gilt frames or molding of rooms have specks of dirt from flies and other causes upon them they may be cleaned with white of egg applied with a camel's hair brush.

To clean dust stained alabaster ornaments, make a paste of whiting, soap and milk. The paste must be left to dry on and then washed away, the surface being then dried with a cloth and then with a flannel, when the ornaments will be found clean and unharmed.

To Remove Tea Stains From Linen.

To remove the obstinate tea stain from your fine linen tablecloth, spread the stained part over a basin, and pour (from a height) clean soft boiling water through it. If the stain has been allowed to dry it will be the harder to remove, but where this method is applied at once while the stain is fresh and moist, the marks will disappear like magic. Where the stains are long set, rub in a little powdered borax and pour on more boiling water; then place the articles to soak in a basin, later washing it in the ordinary way and the stains will be effectually removed. When any article has had either coffee or tea spilled on it, be careful not to allow any soap to touch it, as the alkali of the soap will make the coloring matter into a fast dye, which can hardly be bleached out.

Using Coverless Roaster.

The tendencies and savor of roasted meat depends upon the slow, permeating influence of a slightly moist heat properly applied. This should be vapor—not steam under pressure. The water well of this roaster provides just enough vapor to surround the outer surface of the roast and help it retain its appetizing, nutritive qualities. The raised concave center on which the roast lies catches in its depression all the rich juices that make delicious the gravy we like so well. Thicken the gravy with flour and place the roaster over the open cover hole or gas flame. Thus gravy can be finished right in the roaster.

To Remove a Paint Stain.

To remove the paint stain from the new felt hat, touch the stain lightly with spirits of turpentine, or benzine. Keep the spot moist by repeated applications and after a time the paint will be found quite soft, so that it may easily be lifted with a knife. Take off the surface part thus and apply more of the cleanser to a soft cloth dipped in the cleanser. If any trace of the injury still remains treat with alcohol, giving the whole hat a rub with a cloth moistened in it, as this treatment will freshen the appearance.

Cheese Balls.

Take one and one-half cups of grated American cheese and the whites of three eggs beaten to a stiff froth. Season with paprika and a little salt. Cut rounds of bread which have been cut thin and spread with the cheese mixture. Brown in a hot oven. Good with salads or afternoon tea.

Revised Edition.

"Know thyself," is advice frequently given, but if you want to maintain your self-respect know as little of thyself as possible.

WHERE DOCTORS FAILED TO HELP

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Mrs. Green's Health—Her Own Statement.

Covington, Mo.—"Your medicine has done me more good than all the doctor's medicines. At every monthly period I had to stay in bed four days because of hemorrhages, and my back was so weak I could hardly walk. I have been taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and now I can stay up and do my work. I think it is the best medicine on earth for women."

—Mrs. JENNIE GREEN, Covington, Mo.

How Mrs. Cline Avoided Operation.

Brownsville, Ind.—"I can say that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done me more good than anything else. One doctor said I must be operated upon for a serious female trouble and that nothing could help me but an operation."

"I had hemorrhages and at times could not get any medicine to stop them. I got in such a weak condition that I would have died if I had not got relief soon."

"Several women who had taken your Compound, told me to try it and I did and found it to be the right medicine to build up the system and overcome female troubles."

"I am now in great deal better health than I ever expected to be, so I think I ought to thank you for it."

—Mrs. O. M. CLINE, S. Main St., Brownsville, Ind.

Puzzle of Living.

Religionists chided about their inability to agree on points of faith might point out that they differ only in incidentals and not essentials, whereas the scientists differ on everything. Take the science of living. A week ago you would have "died if you drank water with your meals." Now they say it doesn't do any harm at all. One variety says: "Eat meat, lots of it, to build good, rich blood." Another says meat is poison; that vegetables are the only food. A third declares meat and vegetables both increase debility, and that you will live twice as long on raw fruits and nuts. Some say "Talk with your meals, laugh; it makes the food digest." Others insist silence is never so golden as at the table.

When Your Eyes Need Care

Try Urine Eye Remedy. No Smarting—Feels Fine—Acts Quickly. Try it for Red, Weak, Watery Eyes and Granulated Eyelids. Illustrated Book in each Package. Murine is compounded by our Oculists—not a "Patent Medicine"—but used in successful Physicians' Practices for many years. Now dedicated to the Public and sold by Druggists at 25c and 50c per Bottle. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

Out of Date.

"Every time he opens his mouth he puts his foot in it."

"That's a great pity. Contortionists are no longer in demand as vaudeville attractions."

Use Allen's Foot-Ease

The antiseptic powder to be shaken into the shoes for tired, tender, smarting, aching, swollen feet. It makes your feet feel easy and makes walking a Delight. Sold everywhere, 25c. For free trial package, address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Cheerfulness keeps up a kind of sunshine in the soul, and fills it with a steady and perpetual serenity.—Addison.

Garfield Tea will keep the whole system in perfect condition.

Some men don't know very much, but they don't know it.

FREE

I want every person who is bilious, constipated or has any stomach or liver ailment to send for a free package of my Paw-Paw Pills. I want to prove that they positively cure indigestion, Sour Stomach, Belching, Wind, Headache, Nervousness, Sleeplessness and are an infallible cure for Constipation. To do this I am willing to give millions of free packages. I take all the risk. Sold by druggists for 25 cents a box. For free package address, Prof. Munyon, 53rd & Jefferson Sts., Philadelphia, Pa.

Brown's Bronchial Troches

Unexcelled for relieving Throat Troubles. No opiates. Sample free. J. C. BROWN & SONS, Boston, Mass.

WILL SACRIFICE: 170 A. IN OKFUSKEE CO., Okla.; 115 a. cult.; 2 barns, stock, mach.; well located. Schannon, Box 319, Chicago.

FOR SALE—160 AC. IN NOBLE, OK.; 140 ac. cult.; granary, etc. Rented now. Will sacrifice. WOOD, Box 319, Chicago.

W. N. U., Oklahoma City, No. 10-1912.

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St. Patrick's Day.

One of the most enjoyable affairs of the season was the reception given at the home of Mrs. E. B. Kemp on last Saturday afternoon when Mesdames Atkeson, Williams and Kemp entertained about fifty of their friends.

It was an Irish affair and the lovely home was very much bedecked in Irish colors.

The ladies were greeted at the door by Mrs. Atkeson's son Lloyd and at the head of the stairs by Mrs. Kemp's nephew, Robert, the boys wearing Irish costumes.

A very excellent musical program was arranged and presided over by Mrs. Williams' son, Rex.

Partners were selected by matching famous Irish quotations, and each spalpeen wrote a love letter to his colleen, after they had kissed the blarney stone. Mrs. Sloane won the prize, a very handsome white velvet pin cushion bearing on its face the coat and arms of Ireland.

Readings in Irish dialect were given by Mrs. Robertson and Mrs. Skeen, and were very fine indeed. The ladies were then given an opportunity to prove their efficiency in Irish history by answering questions which were pinned about on curtains, pictures and walls. This prize was won by Mrs. Dean and was a beautiful pin of shamrock design. One feature of the decorations was the Lakes of Kilarney placed in a conspicuous place in the dining room, being large mirrors surrounded by evergreen and very beautiful they looked.

An elegant three course was then served. The Irish color scheme being carried out in this. During refreshments the ladies were requested to give Irish jokes. They were all good and enjoyed by everyone. Mrs. Robertson so far excelled that she was requested to stand and give it to the entire crowd.

NOW, right now is when your watch needs cleaning. We need some work. Ed. Stone.

3000 feet of moving pictures at the Majestic Saturday night. Admission 10 cents.

E. E. AYLESWORTH SUICIDES

Harnessmaker Takes Strychnine and Expires in Short Time.

Mr. E. E. Aylesworth, better known in Artesia by the name of Bert, who has been employed by the firm of Brainard-Corbin Hardware Co. for the past year as harness and saddlemaker, took strychnine last Tuesday evening from the effects of which he died in two hours. After taking the poison he went out and secluded himself in the Star barn, which is not now occupied, and it was some time before he was discovered, and when found the poison had taken effect and nothing could save him. Physicians succeeded in emptying his stomach, but the poison had been taken up by the system and he expired in a short time.

He came here from Illinois about six years ago, and had lived in Colorado. He had worked in the sugar beet belt of that state and was a great booster for the industry for the valley here. It is said that he had sustained a severe attack of typhoid fever some years ago and that at times he suffered temporary attacks which affected his mental condition.

He leaves a wife and child in Artesia. He was a W. O. W. and carried a life insurance policy of two thousand dollars. The remains were interred in Woodbine cemetery.

Don't neglect your eyes consult Edward Stone and let him fit you with glasses.

Mr. Lukins called the attention of the editor of the Advocate to a clipping from the Dallas news in regard to Mr. K. D. Yoakum's recent visit to Artesia and regards it a very great injustice to Mr. Yoakum to have cheap real estate boomers make capital out of such visits as they have all been for entirely different and personal business connected with the firm of Sperry & Lukins, however, the Advocate has not indulged in such write-ups as they came from other parts of the valley.

NEW BOARDING HOUSE.

Mrs Stallcup Opens New Boarding House Two Blocks South of Old Stand.

Mrs. M. E. Stallcup will open a new boarding house two blocks south of Joyce Fruit Co.'s store next Monday. She has operated the Pecos Valley Hotel for past three years and during that time has enjoyed a good patronage. Rates at the new house will be \$5.00 per week for meals; room and meals \$6.50 per week.

If in need for a suit don't fail to give us a look our styles are new and our prices are right. Joyce Fruit Co.

Notice to Democrats.

Notice is hereby given that a democratic primary for the purpose of nominating five candidates for Town Trustees and one candidate for Town Treasurer will be held in Artesia on Monday, March 25, 1912, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 5 p. m.

All democratic voters of the town of Artesia will be qualified to vote in said primary.

The name of any democrat in Artesia will be placed on the ticket if handed in to the undersigned on or before Friday, March 22, 1912, provided a fee of \$1.00 be paid to aid in defraying the expenses of said primary.

JAMES J. SULLIVAN,
Chair. Dem. Prec. Com.

Ordinance No. 131.

Ordinance in relation to the construction of sidewalks along certain streets in the Town of Artesia, New Mexico.

Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Artesia, New Mexico:

Sec. 1. That a permanent sidewalk, to be 5 feet wide and the inner edge thereof to be 2 feet out from the lot line shall be built along the following streets in the Town of Artesia, New Mexico.

Beginning at the N. W. corner of lot 12, Block 16, Original Town of Artesia, New Mexico, along the east side of lot 13 in Block 16 and lot 13 in Block 17, Original Town of Artesia, New Mexico to the S. W. corner of lot 12, Block 17 Original Town of Artesia, New Mexico.

The above mentioned lots 13 in Blocks 16 and 17 have been deeded to the Town of Artesia, for street purposes.

Sec. 2. That a permanent sidewalk, to be 5 feet wide and the inner edge thereof to be 2 feet out from the lot line, shall be built along the following street in the Town of Artesia, New Mexico.

Beginning at the Southwest corner of lot 14, Block 17 Original Town of Artesia, New Mexico, thence west along the North side Main street to the Southwest corner of lot 16 Block 17 Original Town of Artesia, New Mexico.

Sec. 3. All of such sidewalks as mentioned in Sections one and two hereof shall be laid and constructed in accordance with the plans and specifications now on file in the office of the town clerk, of the town of Artesia.

Sec. 4. That in the event of the failure of the owners of said abutting property referred to in Sections one and two of this Ordinance, to comply with the provisions of this Ordinance, the same shall be done by authority of the Town of Artesia and the cost thereof will be assessed and collected,

Go To The New Feed and Coal Store Number One Main St.

Preparing to Handle

All kinds of Feed, Flour, Mal and Coal

Have not put in full stock yet. Now in stock first-class Flour, Meal, mill run Bran, Shorts, Corn Chops, Kaffir and Maize, grain. Good Coal in stock.

The Name of the New Firm is

BULLOCK BROTHERS,

E. B. BULLOCK, in Charge

together with the cost of any action that may be brought against any one or more of said owners as in such cases by law made and provided.

Sec. 5. That the owners of lots abutting said proposed sidewalks as herein-above specified and set out, are hereby given ninety days from and after five day after the last publication of this ordinance in which to complete the laying and construction of the sidewalks specified in Section one and two hereof in accordance with the plans and specifications set out in Section three of this ordinance.

Sec. 6. That this ordinance shall have been published one week in the Artesia Advocate, a weekly newspaper of general circulation, published in said town, and shall be published twice in said newspaper after its passage, and shall have full force and effect from after five days after its last publication.

Declared passed and approved this 12th day of March, 1912.

E. C. HIGGINS,
Chairman.

Attest

NON A. WALDEN,
Clerk.

Election Proclamation.

Notice is hereby given:

That pursuant to the laws of the Territory of New Mexico, as in such cases made and provided, there will be an election held in the Town of Artesia, New Mexico, on the first Tuesday in April, the same being the 2nd day of April, 1912, for the purpose of electing five trustees and one treasurer for the said Town of Artesia.

The place of holding the said election shall be at Foster & Hall's real-estate office, and the time of holding the election shall be between the hours of 9 a. m. and 5 p. m. of the 2nd day of April, 1912; and the board of trustees of the said town hereby appoint Neil Schuster, Albert Blake and P. V. Pardon to act as judges of said election, and does hereby appoint Will Daugherty and B. Stephenson to act as clerks of said election.

Notice is hereby given: That the said Board of Trustees of said Town does hereby appoint C. F.

Erb, J. W. Foster and L. C. Hall as a board of Registration to register the names of all qualified electors of the said Town of Artesia, and order and designate place of registration shall be at Foster & Hall's real-estate office in the Town of Artesia, that said board of Registration shall sit from 9 a. m. until 5 p. m. beginning with the 13th day of March and ending on the 23rd day of March.

Now Therefore be it Resolved:

By the Board of Trustees of the Town of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, that a copy of the foregoing proclamation be published in at least four issues of the Artesia Advocate, a newspaper of general circulation published in the Town of Artesia aforesaid, prior to the date of said election.

Passed and approved February 29th, 1912.

Wm. Dooley, Chair. Pro Tem.
3-2-4t Non A. Walden, Clerk.

Special Notice to Tax Payer.

It is incumbent upon all tax payers to return their property for assessment each year, and in order to expedite the work you will please meet me in Artesia between dates of April 1st to 20th at which time I will take renditions in your precinct for the year 1912.

Have your real estate descriptions in readiness, Copying Same From Deed, otherwise an error in your description will necessitate an order from the District Court to adjust, causing delay and much trouble to the tax payer.

It will be necessary for me to close my assessments in your precinct on date herein stated, and all properties not returned for assessment will be assessed at full value together with twenty five per cent (25 per cent) penalty as ordered by Board of County Commissioners. Yours very truly,

JOHN W. PRICE,
Assessor, Eddy County, N. M.

When you want anything in Job Work call at this office.

HIGH GRADE "BOOTS AND SHOES" REPAIRING

HANDMADE
To Order and Measure

DONE
While You Wait

WHEN YOU WANT THESE GOODS,

Upper leather, Sole leather, insoles for ladies and men's shoes, Viscol Oil, Shoe Polish—Black, Tan, Ox blood and White color, Shoe Laces for low cuts and high top—black and tan color, Nails and Finding of all kinds for Boot and Shoe Maker Tools and Machinery, etc. We have all goods needed in the Boot and Shoe line and have more ordered, and if you need any of the above mentioned goods we will be glad to fill your order. Write today for Price List and Catalog.

"Mail orders given careful attention."

George Roklizer

Boot and Shoe Maker

Artesia, - - - - New Mexico

In Estimating the Cost

Of a building a wise selection of LUMBER means SOMETHING to the ONE who pays the BILL. Take a look at OUR stock. You will see that it is carefully selected, and agree that it is the best salesman in town. We want YOU to buy from US because a well pleased customer is our best advertisement.



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Kemp Lumber Co

Democratic Candidates.

The following names have been handed to the Democratic committee to be placed on the ticket for the primary to be held Monday March 25th. The Democrats of Artesia favor a continuance and strict enforcement of our present prohibition anti-gambling and sanitary ordinance; also economic administration of town affairs, better facilities for fighting fire and all movements having for their purpose maintaining Artesia's present high moral standard.

For town Trustees.
M. L. SKEEN
C. W. WILLIAMS
J. J. CLARK
D. W. RUNYAN
JOE CLAYTON
W. M. DAUGHERITY
A. L. TAYLOR
H. L. MUNCY
M. M. DAVIS
Wm. CRANDALL
JOE RICHARDS
J. H. MCCRARY
JOHN McILHANY
EARL JONES
H. P. LARSH
E. E. HANGER
For Town Treasure.
J. H. JACKSON

Mrs. M. A. Corbin and Mrs. G. R. Brainard returned from New Orleans last week.

FOR SALE:—As I am going to leave the 1st week in April I will sell one span of bay mares, 4 years old, sound and gentle, draft stock.

A. L. STOFFER,
Lakewood, N. M.

THE PACIFIC MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF CALIFORNIA.

December 31st, 1911.
Assets and Liabilities \$23,363,286.91
F. B. SCHWENTKER, General Agent,
Albuquerque, N. M.

EGGS AND BABY CHICKS.

Eggs for hatching, Baby chicks, Brown Leghorns, Wyndottes, White Plymouth Rocks, light Brahmas, Eggs \$1.00 for 15; \$5.00 per 100; baby chicks \$1.50 per dozen.

E. C. SLOCUMB.

The Red Building,

West of the State National Bank, you will find

J. M. MILLHUFF

with a full line of Furniture, New and Second Hand, cheaper than the cheapest.

"I Suffered Years With My Back."

Backache resulting from weak kidneys, a bad cold or other cause, usually renders the sufferer unfit for work and often results in permanent disability.

"I suffered for years with my back, or kidney trouble, and have tried a number of remedies from different physicians. More than a year ago, one of our local druggists induced me to try

Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills and after using them some three months I found a decided improvement in my kidneys, and I am glad to say that I hope soon to be fully restored to health." J. P. ALLEN, Ex-Judge City Court, Glasgow, Ky.

As long as pain is present in any part of the body rest is impossible and the system becoming weakened is exposed to any form of disease to which the sufferer may be inclined.

Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills by steadying the irritated nerve centers, make refreshing sleep possible, thereby enabling the body to recover lost strength. A remedy for pain of any description Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills are unsurpassed.

Sold by all druggists under a guarantee assuring the return of the price of the first box if no benefit results. MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

Two Delightful Parties

Mesdames J. P. Lowery and Gayle Talbot were the charming hostesses at two delightful parties—Tuesday and Thursday afternoons of this week, at the home of Mrs. Lowery. The affair Tuesday afternoon, was a "Mother Goose" party, and was very unique. Two lines of a "Mother Goose" rhyme were given each guest and they were to finish it out with original verse, and then illustrate on a blackboard. This was enjoyable and many of the famous "Mother Goose" rhymes, were artistically portrayed. Later in the afternoon a two course luncheon was served. The affair Thursday was another enjoyable afternoon in the form of a "Thimble" party, in

the earlier hours each one was busy with the needle work, after which a most delightful "Art" guessing contest was enjoyed; about thirty-five ladies were present and a delicious two course luncheon was served.

C. R. Blocker, a printer, of Carlsbad, is now with the Advocate. He has spent several years with the Argus of that town.

FOR SALE:—A few five and ten acre tracts of land east of Dayton, also one 40 acre tract. A. W. Henry, Advocate office.

FOR SALE:—A good 8 horsepower Gasoline Engine and No. 3 Gould Centrifugal pump. One good Jersey Cow. Inquire at Advocate office.

Membership Contest

Three months ago the men's class number fourteen of the Methodist Sunday School issued a challenge to the women's class number fifteen to a membership campaign covering a period of ninety days the losing class to give a dinner to the winning one.

C. A. Sipple managed the campaign for class fourteen and Mrs. M. H. Rigdon for Class fifteen. Each started with a membership of nineteen, and fourteen ended with 28 and fifteen with 40. The whole Sunday School, however, increased its membership 25 per cent during that time and the collections increased 75 per cent. While Bro. Sipple managed a losing campaign for membership he made up for it in his management of the dinner arrangements and is now the lion of the hour at the Sunday School.

The program as carried out at Hotel Ad the evening of the banquet with list of members of the two classes appear below:

: BANQUET :

Given by

Class Number Fourteen

to

Class Number Fifteen

of the

Methodist Sunday School
ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO

Hotel Ad, Thursday, March 14th, 1912

Programme

Invocation.....Rev. E. C. Morgan
Response for the Sunday School.....J. E. Swebston
Response for the Church.....Rev. P. T. Ramsey
How We Did It.....Mrs. M. H. Rigdon
The Way It Happened.....C. A. Sipple
Did Class Number Fourteen Do Its Part
as per Agreement.....Mrs. G. M. Brown
Where Are We At.....W. E. Dunlap
What Other People Are Doing.....Rev. J. B. Cochran
Benediction.....
Music furnished by Prof. Webster's Orchestra.

CLASS ROLL

Class Number Fourteen

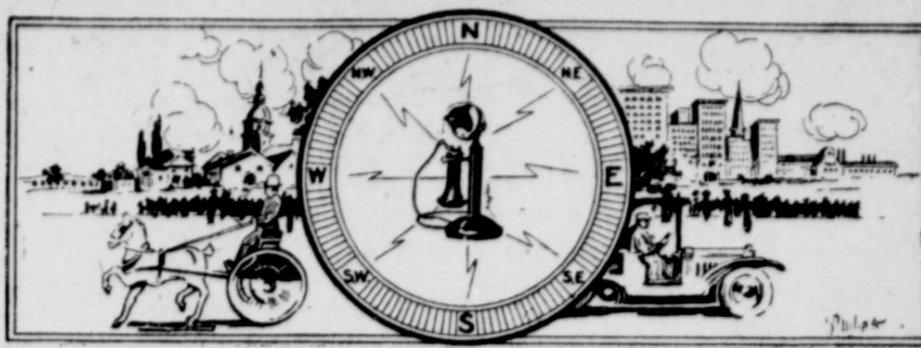
C. A. SIPPLE, Teacher

T. M. Bradshaw,	B. F. Brown,	I. N. Corrington,
Rev. W. E. Dunlap,	Allen Hayes,	W. C. Haney,
A. R. Gable,	H. N. Hannah,	W. F. Holloman,
Dr. M. M. Inman,	J. M. Jackson,	A. C. Koelling,
Mariin F. Koelling,	W. F. Kruse,	A. S. Matteson,
G. C. Moss,	W. B. Overholt,	H. W. Moore,
Wm. B. Pistole,	F. E. Turner,	A. L. Terpening,
W. T. Stockett,	S. G. White,	A. D. Wornock,
G. M. Brown,	E. Ivey,	J. R. Ham,
John Zook	E. B. Bullock,	A. L. Eaton.

Class Number Fifteen

MRS. M. H. RIGDON, Teacher

Mrs. G. M. Brown,	Mrs. Will Benson,	Mrs. Hornell,
Mrs. C. B. Cronkhite,	Mrs. J. B. Cochran,	Mrs. T. M. Bradshaw,
Mrs. M. Dudgeon,	Mrs. W. E. Dunlap,	Mrs. D. S. Donnell,
Mrs. E. Ivey,	Mrs. Ella Hewett,	Mrs. Sadie Elder,
Mrs. J. H. McCreary,	Mrs. M. F. Koelling,	Miss Kirby,
Miss Effie Salmon,	Mrs. John P. Lowry,	Mrs. A. C. Koelling,
Mrs. G. R. Ray,	Mrs. M. Newcomb,	Mrs. J. M. McIlhany,
Mrs. Ed Robins,	Mrs. E. Sipple,	Mrs. W. B. Overholt,
Mrs. W. F. Kruse,	Mrs. F. Patrick,	Mrs. W. B. Pistole,
Mrs. I. N. Corrington,	Mrs. Emma Strauss,	Mrs. J. D. H. Reed,
Mrs. J. M. Krausa,	Mrs. Frazer,	Mrs. S. G. White,
Mrs. H. M. Blakeslee,	Mrs. Williams,	Mrs. J. R. Ham,
Mrs. W. C. Haney,	Mrs. H. W. Moore,	Mrs. M. M. Inman.



TO THE EAST, THE WEST, NORTH AND SOUTH
THE POSSIBILITIES FOR A CONVERSATION
WITH FRIENDS AND BUSINESS ASSOCIATES AT
A DISTANCE ARE ENDLESS IF YOU HAVE A
BELL TELEPHONE

The Mountain States Tel. & Telegraph Co.



Mr. Wilhelm and family have arrived in Artesia from Colorado.

Have you seen those new embroidery flouncing at Joyce Fruit Co.

Notice to Land and Property Owners.

Do you want to exchange your property in the Pecos Valley for land, property or merchandise elsewhere? If so list with me. Through advertisements and co-operation with other Real Estate firms in different States. I have secured several hundred propositions and can do business quick and doubtless, very satisfactory. My charges for selling or exchanging are 5 per cent when deal is made. I am in a position to do business for you right now.

Do not delay, but send me description of your holdings at once. Phone, call on or write

H. B. Parks.
Sure Shot Real Estate Man.
Lake Arthur, N. M.
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Cream Separator.

The McWhorter Candy Company now have in stock and for sale one of the best cream separators on the market today. Farmers are invited to call and inspect them, one being on display in the window of their store. It is a machine that has no superior and one which they can recommend as reliable and durable and a money maker for the user. Made by the Sharples Separator Company. Call and see them and get a 1912 calendar.

Walter M. Daugherty, Fire Insurance. Losses paid to date \$13,000.00.

The Advocate has been delayed this week owing to a long town ordinance coming in for publication at a late hour. Several items of interest that should be mentioned this week will go over to next issue. The Mikado, the Knights of Pythias banquet and other happenings failing to get due mention in this issue.

Subscribe for the Artesia Advocate only \$1.50 per year. Send it to your friends back East.

Take it to Echols.



Excursion

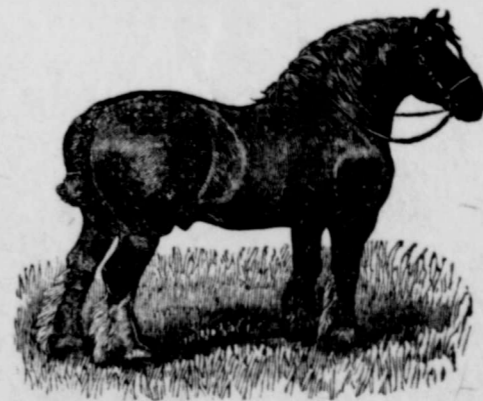
Roswell and return \$2.30
March 27th and 28th 1912.
Account Federation of Women's Clubs.

Fort Worth, Texas and return \$22.95 account Annual Fat Stock Show. On sale March 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st and 22nd, 1912. Limit March 26th, 1912.

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BLACK PERCHEON

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that is well seasoned and clear is the kind you will get if we receive your order. We have plenty of

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either hard or soft, in quantities large enough for all builders' requirements; or small enough to complete some odd job. Our prices you will find right.

Pardon--Sipple Lumber Co.

Have you seen those new embroidery flouncing at Joyce Fruit Co.

J. B. Childers was in Artesia this week from his home near Hope, purchasing supplies for his home and sheep ranch. He reports sheep doing well this spring.

One of the features of the band concert which is to occur on March 26, is a Tuba solo by Ed. Sczmock.

Furnished rooms at Mansion.

The Smith & Hanger people are making some improvements in the way of buildings for their men, J. M. Garrett this week went over to begin work on the buildings.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Gossett were in town yesterday from their home on the Day ranch.

The Mikado, by the McDowell club was a big success and the people will look anxiously for another entertainment that may be given by the club.

Large variety of misses and children's dresses at Joyce Fruit Co.

A. C. Keinath will erect an elegant residence on his property just north of the J. D. H. Reed residence, to cost about \$4,000. C. D. Wornock has the contract for the house and work is now progressing nicely.

Echols can fix it.

ICE!ICE!!

Artesia Crystal ICE CO.

Has It

IRA A. MORGAN, Prop.

Joe McMahan Will Look after your wants

PHOOE 193

Citizens Attention.

A Mass Meeting of the citizens of Artesia is called to meet at the Commercial Club room on Saturday, March 23rd, 1912 at the hour of 2 p. m. for the purpose of nominating five candidates for Town Treasurer.

All qualified voters of the town of Artesia are cordially invited to participate in this meeting.

By Order of Committee.

Your watch is what you make it. Let us fix it and you will have a timepeace that keeps time.

ED. STONE.

C. A. Sipple will have a concrete residence built on his farm on Cottonwood, northwest of Artesia, and has given the contract for the structure to Roy Williamson.

Public stenographer, Mrs. Imo Millhuff at Mansion, phone 131.

Grandma Johnson, a well known and estimable old lady, living at Hope, is reported to be seriously ill this week. Her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Gage, of Roswell came down this week and is with her.

Ira Morgan is now supplying Crystal ice. See his ad in this issue of the Advocate.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Sloane have gone to their old home in Kentucky. The Advocate regrets to lose Mr. Sloane. He is a very desirable man in the mechanical department. We hope his usual good health will soon be regained. Their many friends will regret to learn of their departure and will extend a warm welcome should they at any time return to Artesia.

How about those new pumps for Easter in our 57 styles all leather, all widths A to E, price \$1.50 to \$4.00. Joyce Fruit Co.

P. M. Stromberg, who has been here for the past ten days looking after his farm at the Spur, returned to Galesburg, Illinois this week. He has a splendid tract of 240 acres of land, about 100 in alfalfa, and three artesian wells. Several acres have just been set out in orchard. He is so well pleased with the outlook for the future in the valley that he has withdrawn his land from the market. The ranch is in charge of W. T. Gissler, a very enterprising citizen, and who has resided on the farm for the past two years.

New spring goods arriving every day at Joyce Fruit Co.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, Mrs. L. M. Terrell. tf

For Sale—A good homestead shack. C. F. Erb, Artesia.

If you want a good fresh cow call at Day ranch or address Wilson Gossett, Dayton.

FOR SALE—A few shoats, weight about 100 pounds.

J. H. CRAVENS.

FOR SALE—A McCormick mower, rake, lister and other machinery. IRA MORGAN, Dayton, N. M.

For Sale Cheap—or trade for live stock, 40 acres deeded land near Lake Arthur. C. F. Erb, Arteia.

For Sale—Pair good five year old mules. Bullock Bros. at the Feed Store. Phone 86.

Wanted—To buy a pure bred Pole or Durham bull. Address Wilson Gossett, Dayton, or call Day ranch on Penasco.

FOR SALE—My house and lot in Tyler addition for \$250.00 cash. See Foster & Hall, or write Floyd R. Lowe, Box 1283 Bartlesville, Okla. tf.

Artesia Steam Laundry—Phone 203.

Onion Sets, Seed Potatoes

(Irish and Sweet)

Our stock is in, can fill your orders promptly. Ask us about SWIFT'S FERTILIZER.

Roswell Seed Co. Roswell, N. M.

Large variety of misses and children's dresses at Joyce Fruit Co.

There was plenty of ice yesterday morning and it is feared that fruit has been damaged.

Moving picture matinee Saturday afternoon for the children. Admission 5 cents.

New shipment of men's suits for spring at Joyce Fruit Co.

Tom J. McCree will leave this week for Palisade, Colorado, where he will take up employment.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Lamb spent Saturday night in Artesia and attended the Mikado.

The Commercial Club is arranging to issue a good piece of advertising on "Fruit Growing at Artesia" by R. M. Love.

Mr. Friend, the harnessmaker for the Joyce Fruit company at this place, has let the contract for a residence to be built just across the street from the Presbyterian church. Gus Hoagland has the contract.

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Watch for the Methodist Ladies Easter Sale to be held April 6th. Everything useful and ornamental for sale. Lunch will be served during the day.

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Those who are at all inclined toward the better class of music will be pleased to hear Schumann's Reverie, as a cornet solo, by Austin Rice, at the Majestic Theatre.

G. W. Snyder will go to Oklahoma this week. He has lived here for the past three years and owns a tract of land three miles north of town. He goes to Alva Okla. and will be gone a month or more.

Wm. Schneider was a pleasant visitor at the Advocate office last Saturday. He has lately removed to the valley with his family, having purchased the Peterson farm, just east of the Spur, and will cultivate and improve his new holdings this year. He has a good tract of land consisting of 120 acres, mostly alfalfa, and a good artesian well. He is an experienced farmer and will no doubt be pleased with his new home.

If in need for a suit don't fail to give us a look our styles are new and our prices are right. Joyce Fruit Co.

J. S. Miller, a citizen of Artesia, and who resided on the Peterson farm south of Artesia last year, is now one of the Advocate regular readers. He was for many years manager for a large sheep man and is well known in the valley.

L. P. Jessen left Wednesday for Molson, Washington, where he will make home in future. He has traded for a tract of land and about forty-five head of horses. He gave in exchange a good forty acre tract of land east of the Spur south of Artesia and some land south of Dayton. Mr. W. P. Stewart the party who gets his land here has arrived with his family and is building an addition to the Jessen house. Mr. Jessen is a good citizen and the Advocate regrets to see him leave the valley. The Advocate extends a welcome to Mr. Stewart and family.

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Typewriter Desks Arm Chairs

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GLOBE-WERNICKE BOOKCASES.

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Artesia Feed & Fuel Co.

Have Good Stock of

FLOUR, GRAIN AND FEED

And Genuine

Colorado Canon City COAL.

Same old Stand.

Artesia, N. M.

J. F. Phillips, who has lived here for some years leaves this week for Mayfield, Ky., where he goes to visit his mother, who is getting old and in poor health. He owns some property in Artesia and will return here after a few months.

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Methodist Church.

The sermons on "Paul's Thorn in the Flesh" are having a large hearing. The fourth of the series will be given next Sunday morning and the final the Sunday following.

Grand music and plain gospel preaching always is our aim. Our choir is making preparation to render some fine Easter music.

P. T. RAMSEY, Pastor.

When you want job work call at the Advocate office.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all real estate dealers that the undersigned has disposed of all his real estate in the Pecos Valley. L. P. JESSEN.

Missionary Society Meeting.

March 29th, 2:30 to 10 p. m. at the residence of Mrs. Geo. R. Ray. The ladies of the Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will receive. An interesting program has been prepared. Refreshments will be served. Silver offering.

Nazarene Church.

We enjoyed another Sunday's study on Jesus work of healing the body, a work which so generally accompanied Christ's ministry. We had another splendid prayer meeting, Thursday night and a fair attendance. The time for our Young's People's Meeting Sunday night is 6:30. Some of our young folks have evidently been confused as to the time. Subject for Young People's Meeting: The Quality of God's Forgiveness. Hosea 14: 4-9; Rom. 5: 1-11. The regular services next Sunday. Sunday School at 10:00; preaching at 11:00 and evening services as above mentioned; prayer meeting Thursday night 7:30; Teachers' Meeting Wednesday night. Should you come will try to do you good. R. E. DUNHAM, Pastor.

TIME TO PAINT

Sherwin-Williams

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Big Jo Lumber Co

WOMAN'S INTERESTS

LITTLE ONE'S STYLES

SIMPLICITY CONTINUES TO BE KEYNOTE OF FASHION.

Tailored Plainness Universal, No Matter What the Make of the Frock—White Trimming on Every Species of Tub Material.

Spring fashions for little maids still preserve the childish simplicity admired this long while. Whether washable or non-washable fabrics are used, there is a tailored plainness about most of the little gowns, these depending upon novel yokes or handsome collars for dressiness, or on the use of two contrasting materials.

In point of style, the frock with long-waisted bodice and short, plaited or gored skirt still holds place for children from six up to twelve. In the plainer instances these have solid yokes of silk or of the contrasting material, but the dressier frock almost invariably shows a thin white guimpe, provision being made for this in the cut of the bodice neck. Numbers of gowns in the more solid wash fabrics have shields and collars of white pique or plain linen, and frequent use is made of white for trimming every species of tub material.

The little Sunday-go-to-meeting or afternoon frocks, while preserving the tailored stamp yet permit, of course, considerably more trimming than do the wash frocks, although the garnitures are all on a flat order. The surplice bodice with shawl collar reaching to the belt, the deep armhole cut or its simulations and the peasant or kimono sleeve are all phases of the little girl's best frock, although sleeves may be both long and short and necks high or collarless. A frock in one piece is a smart exaction for all the smaller girls, who would, of course, look absurd in anything like a shirt-waist get-up. The bodice, too, is made loose enough for the utmost comfort, and, unless a longer cut is more becoming to her, the hem of the dress reaches just to the child's knee caps.

The girl at the left in our picture wears a frock of blue and white and



black lawn, the patterning in rings and spots, trimmed with pipings of plain blue. The bodice has the yoke and vest in one, this device permitting much smartness with a contrasting material, and the skirt is side plaited

RINGS CROWDING OFF GLOVES

Present Styles in Jewelry Responsible for the Change in Fashion in London.

Gloves are no longer considered an indispensable adjunct of the evening toilette in London. This is partly due to the fact that the latest fashion in jewelry is large rings heavily gemmed. With several of these on her fingers a woman's hand under a glove looks deformed.

Then the new evening muffs are exquisite creations and do away with any necessity for further hand coverings. With the muff there is a scarf to match and even an old gown looks fresh and pretty with these accessories.

Ostrich plumes, fluffy marabou and soft swansdown are mingled with chiffon laces and flowers so that beautiful effects are obtained. At the London opera house recently the wearer of a filmy black chiffon gown had added to her toilette a muff and scarf of emerald green chiffon bordered with sable and lined with black chiffon

from a box-plaited front. The second frock is of robin's-egg blue linen, with a very narrow soutache in the same color used on the neckband, belt and sleeves. The frilling finishing the neck and sleeves is of white lawn with a scalloped edge. The extreme plainness of this frock makes it a useful style for a school dress in some practical fabric, and if wanted it can be made much smarter with a skirt tucked at the hips and the neck cut square.

MARY DEAN.

CROCHET HANDBAG IS PRETTY

In Gold or Silver, as Preferred—May Be Made With or Without the Metal Clasp.

Crochet in gold or silver thread has become popular of late. Handbags made of this material, over a silk lining are very dainty and lovely. The



bag is then sewn to the mount through little holes for that purpose.

To do the crochet commence with a line of chain stitches at the lower end, the length of which must correspond with the width of the top of the metal clasp. This clasp should be of oxidized silver for silver thread, and gilt metal for the gold thread, of course. Into every third ch. put i tr., 2 ch., and work at both sides of the foundation ch., so joining the filet crochet, and working round and round up to the lower corners of the clasp, then work each half separately up to the top of the clasp. The handle is a crochet cord one-half yard in length. For this cord join 4 ch. in a ring, and work round and round on these four stitches, putting a d. c. into each stitch for the required length. Fasten the ends securely with a few single stitches worked into the beginning of the cord and conceal the end of the thread in the center of the cord.

If a handbag is preferred without the metal clasp, crochet in the same manner as above, finishing the top with a scallop just below which the cord is run. Very dainty bags of this description are seen in the shops this season.

sprinkled with black diamond trimming.

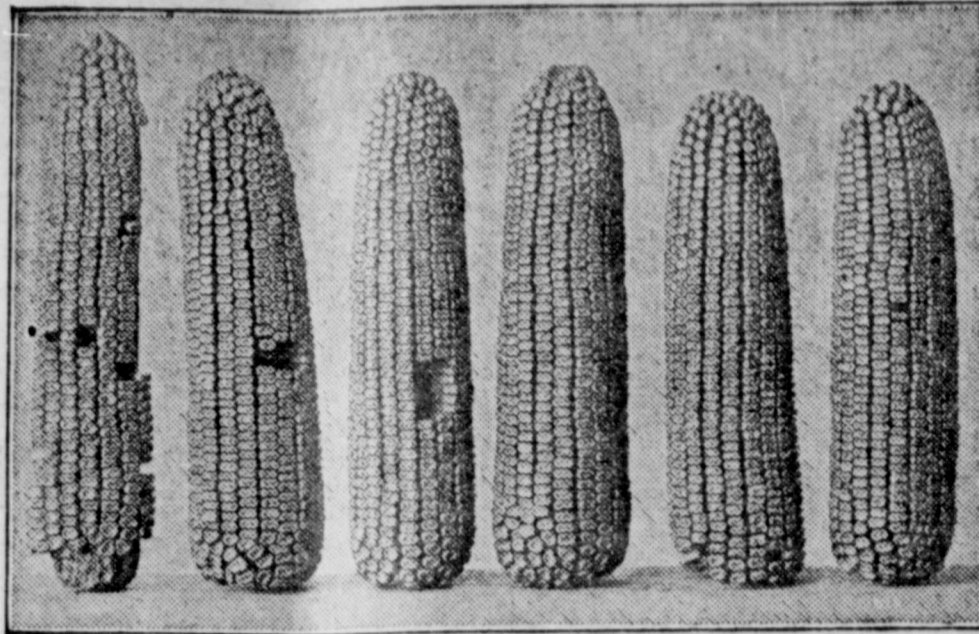
With an elephant gray gown that same evening a muff and a scarf of old rose chiffon over shot gold and silver tissue were worn.

Some of the new muffs have arrangements in their linings where toilet accessories in the way of powder and such things are concealed, and others have on one side a spray of flowers which when lifted discloses a looking glass large enough to be of use.

The Rembrandt Shape in Hats.

The Rembrandt shape continues to be prominently featured. Much skill is required in the graceful formation of the Tam o'Shanter crown, and many of the newest models are variously modified so as to insure soft, becoming lines. Some of them have the effect of hovering over the head and are particularly attractive. A feather or a flower wreath is the favored trimming. A large tan Milan model with a single wreath of pink roses extending across the crown from side to side was among the importations.

CORN IS THE GREAT SOILING CROP



Excellent Seed Corn Ears.

(By PROF. THOMAS SHAW.)
Corn is a great soiling crop, but the same objections obtain to using it for soiling food purposes as obtain to sorghum. The nutriment in it is less prior to maturity than after maturity.

When fed in the form of ensilage it is fed virtually as soiling food, as it is then fed slightly short of maturity and in the succulent form.

For this use no plant in America will equal corn, and this is unquestionably the most economical way of feeding it when it is to be fed for a number of years.

Under such conditions it will abundantly pay to build a silo, relatively narrow and deep, that it may be adapted to summer feeding.

The advantage of a narrow silo over a wide one for such feeding arises from the fact that less surface is exposed from day to day during the summer when small quantities are fed.

The sowing of corn for soiling on the broadcast plan has but few advocates. It has been condemned chiefly on the ground of the small food value possessed by corn so sown as compared with corn grown in rows so far

apart as to freely admit the sunlight. It is possible, however, that too much has been made of this objection, as the experience of many has shown that much milk may be obtained by feeding corn grown thus on a given area of land.

It is a very convenient way of growing it, but it is costly of seed and does not check weed growth so completely as when grown in rows.

For purely soiling food uses, when corn is grown in rows the atm should be to obtain from it as much bulk as is consistent with the free and ample opportunity to cultivate the crop in the usual way.

This means that while the rows should not be closer than three feet, the corn may be grown thickly in the row. To accomplish this the drill may be made to sow seed twice or three times virtually in the same place.

The cutting may begin as soon as the crop is in full tassel, and may be continued until the crop is nearly, if not quite, ripe. The season of feeding may be prolonged by planting at least two varieties which mature at different times during a season.

COWPEAS FOR HUMUS

Crop Also Furnishes Nitrogen When Plowed Under.

They Are Deep-Rooted and Can, Therefore, Use and Make Available Plant Food Other Crops Are Unable to Produce.

For green manuring purposes, no plant is better than cowpeas, crop experts at the Kansas Agricultural college say. One year of this crop will improve the soil for ten years. They are deep-rooted and can, therefore, use and make available plant food which other crops are unable to get. Nitrogen is the fertilizing element usually lacking in the soil. Cowpeas take this element from the air and make it available.

Cowpeas grow best in warm climates, but many varieties will grow in cooler regions. The Whippoorwill, Wonderful, Clay, and Red Ripper varieties are well adapted for green manure.

When corn is to be planted on wheat ground, cowpeas should be sown in fall at 50 cents to \$2 a pound. The grain is harvested. One and one-half bushels to the acre, sown broadcast or drilled in with an ordinary grain drill, will give the best results. If a drill is used, it should follow the binder between the dropped bundles and the standing grain. Where the field is trashy or weedy and can be cleared of the grain before July 1, it should be cleared and disked. In no case should the planting be delayed long

after this date, but disking will make the sowing of the peas an easier matter. A thoroughly warm seed bed is necessary for success with this crop.

Cowpeas, seeded in July and grown through August and a part of September, may be plowed under late in September or early in October without any danger to the succeeding crop or to the soil. On light soils a part of the crop should be removed. On heavy clay soils plowing under the whole crop is best. The ground should then



Cowpeas.

lie fallow until spring. Where it is possible the peas may be pastured before being turned under with little loss in fertilizing value and a considerable additional gain in feed for farm animals.

The expense of growing the peas will be about \$4 an acre. The ground will raise almost enough more corn the next year to pay this expense, and then there will be a diminishing gain for a period of nine years longer.

simply gulp it down which may mean indigestion or constipation. But it is a mistake to put it in with the milk feed. Let them have it dry.

Size, vigor and activity of both cockerels and pullets are essential to good breeding of fowls.

Why not clean out the poultry buildings as often and as thoroughly as you do the barns?

There is no excuse for keeping cows that do not pay market price for the feed that they consume.

Saving the Fenceposts.

For making fenceposts more durable, a new process is being used in Europe. Instead of applying preservatives to the posts, ties or telephone posts, the earth which surrounds the post is treated with a sterilizing liquid to destroy all insect, germ and fungus life. The plan has not been in practice long enough to test it thoroughly, but experiments in a small way have convinced the inventor that the durability of wood in the soil can be very much increased in comparison with the old methods of protection.

TURNED BLIND ALMOST FELL

Mrs. Hansen Says At First Her Case Seemed Hopeless, but She Finally Won Out.

Mobile, Ala.—"For seven years," says Mrs. Sigurd Hansen, of this city, "I suffered with womanly troubles, and, at last, was operated on.

I felt better for a time, but soon I had the same trouble as before.

I had dizzy spells, and would turn blind and almost fall over. I had pains in my back and side, and was not able to work.

Half the time I could not eat any breakfast, and I always felt weak and had a headache.

One day, my husband got me a bottle of Cardui, and I tried it. I felt better, so I took some more.

Now, I am well and feel fine. My doctor says I am looking better than ever. I have a good appetite and sleep well.

It is all due to Cardui. I only wish every suffering woman would try it. They would soon feel as good as I do."

You may be sure, when Cardui will relieve and cure such a serious case as that of Mrs. Hansen, that it will, much more quickly and certainly, help those women who have no serious symptoms, but are just weak and ailing.

Are you?

Try it.

N. B.—Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

Work Begets Work.

George W. Perkins, the New York financier, was talking about the scarcity of the \$10,000 a year man—the man actually worth a \$10,000 salary.

"The advantage of the \$10,000 a year man," he said, "is not alone that he works splendidly—it is also that under him everybody else works splendidly. There's a Chinese proverb," he said, "that expresses exactly what I mean:

"If a farmer is diligent the soil will not be lazy."

A Poor Guesser.

Wedmore—Before I married, I learned to live on half my income.

Singleton—And found that it was a wise step, eh?

Wedmore—Yes, only a half was the wrong proportion—I should have made it an eighth.

The Paxton Toilet Co. of Boston, Mass., will send a large trial box of Paxline Antiseptic, a delightful cleansing and germicidal toilet preparation, to any woman, free, upon request.

The longing of the moment always seems the great essential. We are apt to forget the long eternity of regret.—Corelli.

For liver and kidney troubles, nothing is quite so mild, pleasant and effective as Garfield Tea.

Two heads are better than one—in a cabbage patch.

A WEAK STOMACH

Can be quickly strengthened—your liver can be made active—your bowels will be regular if you will but take

HOSTETTER'S Stomach Bitters

It has a proven reputation in cases of poor appetite, heartburn, headache, indigestion, costiveness, colds, grippe, malaria, fever and ague.

IF YOU HAVE

no appetite, indigestion, flatulence, Sick Headache, "all run down" or losing flesh, you will find

Tutt's Pills

Just what you need. They tone up the weak stomach and build up the flagging energies.

PISO'S REMEDY
Best Cough Syrup. Tastes Good. Use in time. Sold by Druggists.
FOR COUGHS AND COLDS

GENERAL FARM NOTES

There is no such thing as an all purpose horse.

Horses are the most uneven grazers among our animals.

Give the orchard a goodly share of time, thought and care.

Calves will learn to eat hay early when it is kept within reach.

The wise farmer keeps all the fertility that he can on the farm.

It is well known that some bees are more inclined to swarm than others.

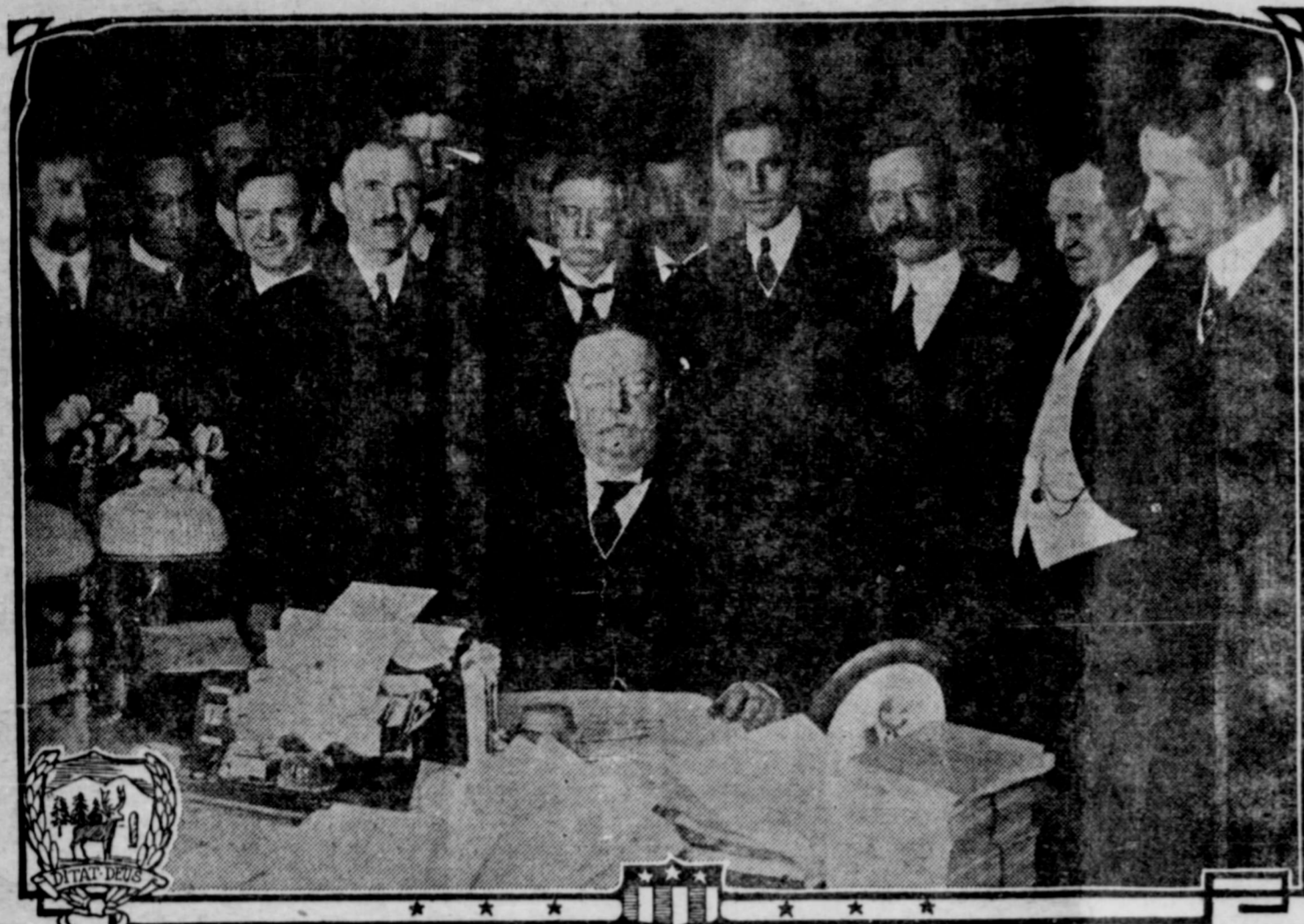
The skimmilk differs from whole milk in being deficient in butter-fat.

It is very necessary to teach the calf to eat grain early, when raised on skimmilk.

Whatever breed of sheep meets your requirements it is the one for you to land on.

When put in the milk the calves

MAKING THE FORTY-EIGHTH STATE



PRESIDENT TAFT signing the bill that made Arizona the forty-eighth state in the Union. Left to right in the picture standing back of the president are: Gen. E. S. Godfrey, W. A. Dupuy, M. R. Loring, Delegate Ralph Cameron, S. P. L. Hubbell, James T. Williams, Special Messenger and new Secretary of State of Arizona, Roland B. Kirk, Charles Wilde and Charles D. Hilles, the president's secretary.

SAVE THEIR WAGES

Thrifty Convicts of Minnesota Prison Hoarding Earnings.

Some of the Long Term Prisoners at Stillwater Have Balances Ranging From \$1,000 to \$1,500 to Their Credit.

St. Paul, Minn.—While the capitalists of the country have patronizingly advised young persons to "save their pennies and be rich some day," the prisoners at Stillwater penitentiary have been biding their time, hoarding their small earnings until many of them have sums ranging from \$1,000 to \$1,500 to their individual credit, according to the report of a visit to the institution made by J. R. Swann, a member, and J. C. Matchitt, secretary of the state board of visitors. The report was submitted to Governor Eberhart.

The report does not say how long these particular prisoners have been confined in the penitentiary, but some light is thrown on their saving ability by the following paragraph from the report:

"In December, 1911, the 56 men employed in the farm machinery division received an average pay of \$4.85 a man; the 205 men in the shoe factory received an average for the month of \$4.03 a man; the 114 men in the support division (cooks, waiters, barbers, etc.) received an average of \$4.63 each."

Taking up the suggestion of Governor Eberhart that some means be provided for state aid to families left in

need by prisoners committed to workhouses and the state prison, the report, referring only to the latter, says that "but five per cent. of the men in state prison have families they have left in need of state aid."

"This is because the prisoners as a whole are men of roving characters, who have no settled home and who, accordingly, have no one dependent upon them."

"In this connection," the report continues, "a law enacted in 1909 is of special interest. It provides for state aid for dependent families of men in the state prison. Families are now being paid as high as \$15 a month under this humane 1909 law."

Commenting on the recently established prison for the criminal insane at St. Peter, the report says there are ten prisoners at Stillwater so advanced in insanity they are unable to do work, while there are thirty others who are able to work part of the time. Then it adds:

"It is doubtless true that there are a sufficient number of criminal insane at Stillwater and other state institutions to fill completely another such building as now houses this class of unfortunates at St. Peter."

Conditions, from a sanitary and cleanly standpoint, are excellent at the institution, the report says, adding:

"In spite of the fact that the buildings and general plant are old and out of date, the best is made of every disadvantage—a fact that has given Warden Wolfert for many years the reputation of being unexcelled."

PICKS MONEY FROM A TREE

Kansas Lad Turned 644 Crow Heads Into \$32.20 Bounty—Used Rabbits as Lure.

Cottonwood Falls, Kan.—A farmer boy of Matfield, near here, knows how to pick money from an elm shade tree. He made several big trees near his home yield him a golden harvest in one week.

The trees have long been a favorite haunt for scores of crows. Each evening their limbs were black with birds. The county pays a bounty of five cents on every crow killed. George Golden had an idea come to him and he walked out of the county clerk's office with a check for \$32.20, the bounty for 644 crows' heads.

Golden had shot some of the birds and when that became too slow he put strychnine in the carcasses of rabbits he had killed.

FOUND HIM COASTING AT 83

Church Members on Way Home From Services Amazed Because Veteran Was Engaged in Sport.

Rochester, N. Y.—Members of the Ogden Center Presbyterian church were amazed when they went to the home of George H. Comstock, five miles south of Spencerport, to congratulate him on attaining his eighty-third birthday and found him coasting down hill with Miss Mary Harvey, nineteen, a teacher in the Sunday school of the church.

Comstock and Miss Harvey used a toboggan from Toronto, and he is said to have handled it like a man fifty years his junior.

TOY WITH GUN AT PERIL

English Judge Rules That Hotel Maid Who Was Hurt Cannot Get Damages.

London.—If servants toy with revolvers and accidentally shoot themselves, the employer is not liable for compensation according to a decision given by the West London county court. Gwendolen Vaughn, a chambermaid at the South Kensington hotel, found a revolver sticking out of a trunk belonging to one of the guests, and being frightened of firearms suspended dusting operations to summon two more servants. One of them began playing with the weapon, and it was discharged, shooting Gwendolen in the back. The British employers' liability act being fairly comprehensive, Gwendolen sued for compensation, but the judge held that toying with revolvers did not come within the scope of her employment.

Strikes Rich Ore.

Cripple Creek, Colo.—After working his claim for seven years and spending \$10,000 in its development, Fred Johnson, a lessee on the Pride of Cripple Creek mine on Ironclad hill, has struck it rich. He has uncovered gold ore running \$500 to the ton.

To Bar Dances at Ball.

New York.—Having received a tip from Mrs. E. H. Harriman and other wealthy patronesses the Junior "prom" committee at Columbia has barred the "Turkey Trot" and the "Grizzly Bear" from the annual ball.

HOSPITAL TO COST MILLIONS

Great Institution Is Projected by Methodist Church for Dallas, Tex.

Dallas, Tex.—Dr. John O. McReynolds, dean of the Southwestern Medical college, says that it is the intention to raise \$1,000,000 for the building of a new Methodist hospital in Dallas.

The hospital will be a part of the co-related educational system and a branch of the Southern Methodist university, and will be in connection with the Medical College of the Southern Methodist university.

The plan has the hearty approval of Dr. R. S. Hyer, president of Southwestern Methodist university, and of the Dallas members of the Texas Methodist Educational commission. Other members of the board are expected to be favorable to the proposition, and it is hoped to have the ground broken for the actual building well within the calendar year.

The first new building of the sanitarium or the group of buildings, if a cottage plan shall be determined, is to cost from \$300,000 to \$500,000. The \$1,000,000 fund is to be the endowment. It is planned to have each bed of the establishment endowed, so that whether the patient in that bed is wealthy or on charity, the work will go on without impediment. If the patient is able to pay, then the money so received will be for adding to the endowment fund or for improvement of the establishment.

The announcement is that the big

undertaking will be for a sanitarium whose system will cover at least one block, will be centrally located, so as to be within easy access to the bulk of the emergency demands and so equipped as to be a drawing place for all the southwest, a hospital establishment as complete as may be found anywhere in the world.

The matter of site, except that it is to be in Dallas, is to be left to the educational commission.

LAD IS BURIED UNDER SNOW

Men of Two Villages Unite in Digging Out Boy and Finally Rescue Him.

Elko, Cal.—Although he was buried for several hours beneath tons of snow, the small son of Dan Ward of Jarbridge, was rescued alive after hours of digging by the entire populace of Jarbridge and Pavlak villages.

The avalanche of snow came down the canyon between the two towns without warning. The little fellow was playing on the hillside and heard the roar of the snow as it started far above him. Instinct told him to conceal himself and he dropped down beneath a huge boulder. The snow passed over him, filling the canyon and completely burying him.

A small aperture was left on the rock and this enabled the lad to get air and he was located by his cries. He was uninjured.

Fortissimo.

When a certain Baltimore matron returned home one afternoon not so long ago the first sight her eyes beheld was a badly damaged youngster of hers. Little Bobby's forehead bore a bump almost the size of a doorknob. "Heavens!" exclaimed the mother. "What has happened to Bobby?" "Nuthin' much, mum," explained the new nurse. "You told me, mum, he might play on the planner if he wanted to. Well, mum, wanst while he was sliding on the top, he slid a bit too far, mum; an' that accounts for the bump ye see, mum."

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Loveliness of character is nothing but steady love of good and steady scorn of evil.—Froude.

If love is really blind how is it that love can always find a way?



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Notice.

Notice is hereby given that on the 26th day of March, 1912, at a regular meeting of the Town Board of Trustees of the Town of Artesia, N. M., to be held in the town office the following ordinance will be proposed for passage: All persons having any reason why such ordinance should not be passed are hereby notified to present such reasons at time and place mentioned. Non A. Walden, Town Clerk of the town of Artesia, New Mexico.

ORDINANCE NO. 132.

An Ordinance in relation to Special Frontage water tax for the year 1912.

Be it Ordained by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Artesia, New Mexico:

Section 1.—That there is hereby levied an annual Frontage tax for the year 1912, of \$3.00 per lot for water works purposes, to be collected as other taxes are collected upon the following lots to-wit:

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, in Block 1; and lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, in block 2; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 3; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 4; and lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, in block 5; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 6; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, in block 7; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 8; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 9; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 10; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, in block 11; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 12; and lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, in block 13. All of said lots situated, lying and being in the Original Town of Artesia, Eddy county, New Mexico, as the same appear on the official plat thereof on file in the office of the Probate Clerk and ex-officio Recorder within and for said Eddy county; also lot 16, in block 3; lot 12, in block 4; lots 1 and 12, in block 7; lot 5, in block 8; lots 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, in block 13; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 14; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 15; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 16; and lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 17. All the above lots and blocks are situated in the Blair Addition to the said Town of Artesia; also lots 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, in block 5; lots 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, in block 6; lots 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, in block 7; lots 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, in block 8; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, in block 9; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, in block 10; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, in block 11; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 12. All the above lots and blocks are situated in the Clayton and Stegman Addition to the said Town of Artesia:

Section 2.—That there is hereby levied an annual Frontage tax for the year 1912, of six dollars per lot, for water works purposes, to be collected as other taxes are collected upon the following lots, to-wit:

The west half of the north half of lot 1.
The west half of the north half of lot 2.
The west half of the north half of lot 3.
The west half of the north half of lot 4.
The west half of the north half of lot 5.
The west half of the north half of lot 6.
The west half of the north half of lot 7.
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The west half of the north half of lot 14.
The west half of the north half of lot 15.
The west half of the north half of lot 16.
The east half of the north half of lot 1.
The east half of the north half of lot 2.
The east half of the north half of lot 3.
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The east half of the north half of lot 12.
The east half of the north half of lot 13.
The east half of the north half of lot 14.
The east half of the north half of lot 15.
The east half of the north half of lot 16.

All of the last mentioned lots are situated in block 17, of said Original Town of Artesia; — Also lots 3 and 4, in block 2; lots 1, 2, 4, in block 3; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, in block 6; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, in block 8; lots 3, 4, in block 9; lots 2, 3, 4, in block 12; lots 1, 2, 4, in block 13; lots 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, in block 15; lots 1, 3, in block 18; lots 1 and 3, in block 19; All of the last mentioned lots are situated in the Blair Addition of the Town of

Artesia, Eddy county, New Mexico, as the same appear on the official plat thereof on file in the office of the Probate Clerk and ex-officio Recorder within and for said Eddy county; also lot 16, in block 3; lot 12, in block 4; lots 1 and 12, in block 7; lot 5, in block 8; lots 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, in block 13; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 14; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 15; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 16; and lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 17. All the above lots and blocks are situated in the Blair Addition to the said Town of Artesia; also lots 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, in block 5; lots 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, in block 6; lots 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, in block 7; lots 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, in block 8; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, in block 9; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, in block 10; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, in block 11; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 12. All the above lots and blocks are situated in the Clayton and Stegman Addition to the said Town of Artesia:

Section 3.—That there is hereby levied an annual Frontage tax for the year 1912, of \$4.50, per lot for water works purposes, to be collected as other taxes are collected upon the following lots, to-wit:

Lots 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, in block 54; lots 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, in block 55; lots 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, in block 56; lots 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, in block 57; lots 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, in block 58; lots 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, in block 59; lots 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, in block 60; all of the last mentioned lots and blocks are situated in the Forest Hill Addition to the said Town of Artesia, Eddy county New Mexico.

lot 11.
The east half of the north half of lot 12.
The east half of the north half of lot 14.
The east half of the north half of lot 15.
The east half of the north half of lot 16.

The west half of the south half of lot 1.
The west half of the south half of lot 2.
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The east half of the south half of lot 13.
The east half of the south half of lot 14.
The east half of the south half of lot 15.
The east half of the south half of lot 16.

All of the above lots are situated in block 16, in the Original Town of Artesia, as the same appear on the official plat thereof on file in the office of the Probate Clerk and ex-officio Recorder within and for said Eddy county, and

The west half of the north half of lot 1.
The west half of the north half of lot 2.
The west half of the north half of lot 3.
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The east half of the north half of lot 14.
The east half of the north half of lot 15.
The east half of the north half of lot 16.

All of the last mentioned lots are situated in block 17, of said Original Town of Artesia; — Also lots 3 and 4, in block 2; lots 1, 2, 4, in block 3; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, in block 6; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, in block 8; lots 3, 4, in block 9; lots 2, 3, 4, in block 12; lots 1, 2, 4, in block 13; lots 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, in block 15; lots 1, 3, in block 18; lots 1 and 3, in block 19; All of the last mentioned lots are situated in the Blair Addition of the Town of

Artesia, Eddy county, New Mexico, as the same appear on the official plat thereof on file in the office of the Probate Clerk and ex-officio Recorder within and for said Eddy county, also lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, in block 13; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 14; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 15; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 16; lots 1, 3, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 17; lots 1, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 18; lots 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 19; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, in block 20;

All of said lots are situated in the Clayton and Stegman Addition to the said town of Artesia, also lots 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, in block 21; lots 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, in block 22; lots 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, in block 23; lots 2, 4, 6, in block 25; lots 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, in block 12; lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 13; lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 20; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 24; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 25; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, in block 26; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 27; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 28; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 30; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 31; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 32; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 33; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 34; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 11, 12, in block 35; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 36; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 38; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 39; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 40; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 41; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 42; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 43; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 44; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 45; lots 5, 7, 9, 11, in block 46; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, in block 47; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 48; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 49; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 50; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 51; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 52; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 53; All of the last mentioned lots and blocks are situated in the Artesia Improvement Company Addition to the said Town of Artesia; also lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, in block 1; lots 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, in block 2; lots 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, in block 3; lots 2, 4, 6, in block 4; lots 1, 3, 5, in block 5; lots 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, in block 6; lots 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, in block 7; lots 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, in block 8; lots 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, in block 12; lots 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, in block 13; lots 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, in block 14; lots 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, in block 15; lots 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, in block 16; all of the last mentioned lots and blocks are situated in the Roberts Addition to the Town of Artesia; also lots 2, 4, 6, in block 9; lots 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, in block 10; lot 2, in block 11; lot 1, in block 14; lots 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, in block 15; lots 1, 3, 5, in block 16; all of the last mentioned lots and blocks are situated in the Chisum Addition to the said town of Artesia; also lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, in block 1; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, in block 2; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, in block 3; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, in block 4; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, in block 5; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, in block 6; all of the last mentioned lots and blocks are situated in the Tyler Addition to the said Town of Artesia, Eddy county, New Mexico, as the same appear on the official plat thereof on file in the office of the Probate Clerk and ex-officio Recorder within and for said Eddy county.

Section 4.—That there is hereby levied an annual Frontage tax of \$48.00 upon the south half of block 5, Forest Hill Addition to said Town of Artesia for water works purposes, to be collected as other taxes are collected for the year 1912.

Section 5.—That there is hereby levied an annual Frontage tax for the year 1912, of \$24.00, upon the south half of block 5, Blair Addition to the said Town of Artesia, for water works purposes, to be collected as other taxes are collected.

Section 6.—That there is hereby levied an annual Frontage tax for the year 1912, of \$24.00, upon the north half of block 5, Blair Addition to the said Town of Artesia, for water works purposes, to be collected as other taxes are collected.

Section 7.—That there is hereby levied an annual Frontage tax for the year 1912, of \$27.00, upon block 16, of the Blair Addition to the said Town of Artesia, for water works purposes, to be collected as other taxes are collected.

above mentioned lots and blocks are situated in the Forest Hill Addition to the said Town of Artesia, Eddy county New Mexico.

Section 3.—That there is hereby levied an annual Frontage tax for the year 1912, of \$4.50, per lot for water works purposes, to be collected as other taxes are collected upon the following lots, to-wit:

Lots 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, in block 54; lots 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, in block 55; lots 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, in block 56; lots 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, in block 57; lots 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, in block 58; lots 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, in block 59; lots 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, in block 60; all of the last mentioned lots and blocks are situated in the Artesia Improvement Company Addition to the said Town of Artesia, Eddy county, New Mexico.

Section 4.—That there is hereby levied an annual Frontage tax of \$48.00 upon the south half of block 5, Forest Hill Addition to said Town of Artesia for water works purposes, to be collected as other taxes are collected for the year 1912.

Section 5.—That there is hereby levied an annual Frontage tax for the year 1912, of \$24.00, upon the south half of block 5, Blair Addition to the said Town of Artesia, for water works purposes, to be collected as other taxes are collected.

Section 6.—That there is hereby levied an annual Frontage tax for the year 1912, of \$24.00, upon the north half of block 5, Blair Addition to the said Town of Artesia, for water works purposes, to be collected as other taxes are collected.

Section 7.—That there is hereby levied an annual Frontage tax for the year 1912, of \$27.00, upon block 16, of the Blair Addition to the said Town of Artesia, for water works purposes, to be collected as other taxes are collected.

Section 8.—That there is hereby levied an annual Frontage tax for the year 1912, of \$6.00, upon a lot or parcel of land situated in the north half of block 25, in the Original town of Artesia, fronting on Rose Lawn Avenue, and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the northwest corner of said block 25; thence south 50 feet to a point in the west line of said block 25; thence east 140 feet; thence north 50 feet; to the north line of said block 25; thence west 140 feet to the place of beginning, also a lot or parcel of land situated in the north half of block 25, in the Original Town of Artesia, fronting on Rose Lawn Avenue, and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the southwest corner of the north half of said block 25; thence east 140 feet to a point in the south line of the north half of said block 25; thence north 50 feet; thence west 140 feet to the west line of said block 25; thence south 50 feet to the place of beginning.

Section 9.—That there is hereby levied an annual Frontage tax for the year 1912, of \$6.00 per lot for water works purposes, to be collected as other taxes are collected upon the following lots, to-wit:

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, in block 1; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, in block 2; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, in block 4; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, in block 5; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, in block 6; all of said last mentioned lots and blocks are situated in the Tyler Addition to the said Town of Artesia, Eddy county, New Mexico, as the same appear on the official plat thereof on file in the office of the Probate Clerk and ex-officio Recorder within and for said Eddy county.

Section 10.—That the county tax collector of the County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, is

hereby authorized and empowered to collect the foregoing taxes mentioned in Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, of this ordinance as by Statute in such cases made and provided.

Section 11.—This Ordinance shall have been published one week prior to its passage, in the Artesia Advocate, a weekly newspaper of general circulation, published in the town of Artesia, New Mexico, there being no daily newspaper published in said town, and shall be published twice in said newspaper after its passage, and shall have full force and effect from and after said last publication.

E. C. HIGGINS,
Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the town of Artesia, New Mexico.

Attest:
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