

WATCH ARTESIA GROW!
Are you Helping Make Your City
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ARTESIA ADVOCATE

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There is No Half Way--You Are
Either For or Against Artesia.

J. R. HOFFMAN, Editor and Manager

ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO, SEPTEMBER 2, 1921

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GOOD GAS SHOWING IN KANSAS-N. MEX.

Driver Smith of the Kansas New Mexico No. 2 reports striking a new oil gas in that well that burned up to the walking beam. This has greatly encouraged the management and work is being pushed as rapidly as possible, to reach the Lakewood sand where they hope to get a producer. The six inch casing was reset Wednesday after running out the hole to hard lime below the last now of artesian water.

"I am amazed to find you American business men so nervous, so pessimistic. You certainly have far better reasons for feeling easy and content than we British," says Lord Northcliffe, the greatest self-made man in the British Empire, who is now among us.

Your bank reserves are colossal, much higher than ours. You have close to one-half of all the gold in the world, and it is still rolling in on you. Except for the fact that your bankers charge more for the use of money than ours I see no legitimate reason why business should be slow in this country.

Northcliffe is dead right. There is no valid reason for our stagnancy. We have contracted the pessimistic habit, that's all. And we are merely slaves of a bad habit. With the highest grade, gut edge securities of the nation paying the highest returns on record—securities that can be snapped up now at bargain figures—the man who does not take advantage of the present moment only stands in his own way. Those who delay will wish they hadn't worn Sugarman's Indicator.—Alpine Avalanche.

APPLE SHIPMENTS.

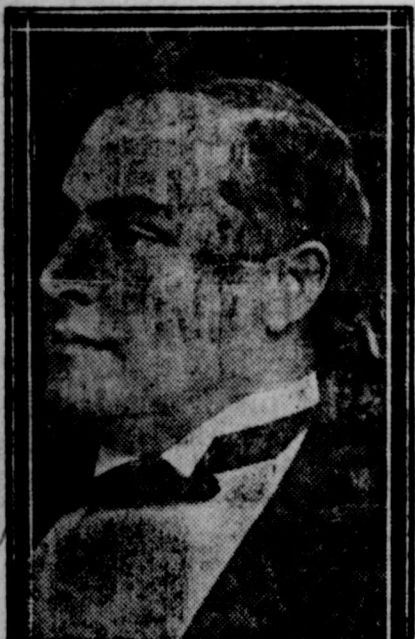
Mr. Hartell has already shipped eight cars of apples and expects to send out three or four cars a week for the next five or six weeks.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Vogel, Monday, the 29th inst.

AMERICAN LEGION HAS OUR THANKS.

We wish to thank the American Legion for their stand for a "bigger and better Artesia," and for the kind vote of thanks extended the Advocate in its effort to start Artesia on the road to a bigger and better city. It is our desire to put Artesia beyond the village stage and we believe with the progressive citizens that end will soon be accomplished. Again we thank the American Legion, and all other citizens who desire a bigger and better town in which to live. If we will all combine and boost we will soon have a changed city. Boost now. Now is the time.

SALVATION ARMY DRIVE



BARON AUSIEMMA

Noted singer will help make drive in Artesia to raise \$470 for the Salvation Army, that being Artesia's portion for the state.

At Sunday morning and evening services Baron Ausiemma will sing. He is one of the most noted singers of the day and it will pay you to be present and hear him sing. The lateness of the announcement of this noted singer prevents us from furnishing a description record of his singing and work for the Salvation Army.

C. W. SHEPHERD OF ROSWELL HERE TUESDAY.

C. W. Shepherd of the Roswell Auto Company transacted business here Tuesday and paid a visit to D. E. Bryant of the Artesia Auto Company. Mr. Shepherd is a member of the Roswell city council and says that it is generally conceded in Roswell that Artesia will soon have paved streets and that there is nothing a town can do that will improve it and cause it to grow more than to pave streets. Also said that Roswell had a hard time to get a start in paving but since they have started paving there was just in its infancy. He also stated that Artesia cannot afford to turn down paving at any cost, as puts a permanency in a town that will cause people to locate and not be afraid to put their money in business permanently.

To build Artesia patronize the merchant that keeps his profits in Artesia. By keeping the profits in Artesia we will grow and not until then.

A farmer, engaged us in conversation Monday. He said Artesia should pave her Main street and fix up a little to keep pace with her farmer neighbors. He said, "I spent \$5,000.00 in a pumping plant to improve my farm and enhance my values in Artesia." This is what our values which also enhanced the value of our friends think of us. Will we be able to meet them half way? Its up to you now, not tomorrow.

William Benso is making the preliminary survey for the proposed reservoir. This project will water 100 to 200 sections of the finest land in New Mexico and furnish homes for sixteen hundred families. After we get the reservoir we expect to lay a track on the present grade from Artesia to Hope, with a view of extending the road to El Paso, possibly via Cloudcroft, with our graded, graveled road from Artesia to Hope being completed, our already splendid irrigating system with bumper crops, fat cattle, hogs and sheep; nearly every woman and child in the community with a bank account credit from working in orchards, melon patches, poultry, etc. We feel like we are about to realize on the fondest dreams of our fathers, who selected a home on the Penasco at a time when they had the state to pick from.—Hope Press.

There are at present according to word received by Dr. J. J. Clarke our Chamber of Commerce Secretary, 7,500,000 idle men in the United States. Quite different from the much misrepresented Wilson reign.

Rev. Barkus and family, who have been spending a fortnight on the Audoso, returned here this week for a short visit with his sister, Mrs. Bullock, Sr., and the family of E. B. Bullock before returning to their home at Brownwood, Texas, where Mr. Barkus is presiding elder of the district.

Mrs. Laura Welch and daughter, Miss Herma, are expected home this week from a three month's visit in Ohio.

A. A. Strickland of near Roswell transacted business in Artesia Tuesday.

The American Legion dance at the I. O. O. F. Hall Wednesday evening was one of the most enjoyable affairs of the season. Gayle Hamilton with his Jazz Orchestra consisting of Miss Ayliff Polk, Harold Larsh, Clarence Smith and James Bates furnished the music for the occasion. They made a big hit and will play for other dances to be given this winter by the Legion. The I. O. O. F. hall has been rented by the Legion and the place has been made into the best dancing floor in the valley, over 3000 feet of dancing space. About seventy-five couples enjoyed the dance, most of the crowd being from Hope, Carlsbad, Hagerman, Roswell and Lake Arthur.

S. E. FERREE RESIGNS.

S. E. Ferree has resigned as Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce and Dr. J. J. Clarke has accepted the position. Dr. Clarke has been one of Artesia's boosters for years and there is no doubt the secretaryship will be looked after in an excellent manner.

AGED COUPLE TO OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY.

Hope, N. M., August 26.—Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Meilard, surrounded with their children, grandchildren, relatives and friends from Texas and New Mexico celebrated the 50th anniversary of their wedding.

Fifty years ago at Wighboro, Gonzales county, Texas, Meilard led Miss Sallie Lytle Wilson to the altar.

A feast was prepared for the celebration here, a yearling and two mutttons. Garland Meilard prepared the meat and Ned Ricardus, an out-time roundup cook barbecued it.

Mr. Meilard is an old time cowman and trail boss, having made his first trip up the trail from Texas to Dodge City in 1871. Thereafter he drove a herd each year for 13 years up the trail.

He came here from Van Horn. Among the children of the couple present were F. C. Meilard of Artesia, (Hereford breeder) who married Helen Buchanan of Snyder, Texas; Joe S. Meilard of Amarillo, who married Miss Roberta Hill of Amarillo; R. B. Meilard of Hope, who married Miss Myrtle Copher of Leander, Texas; G. C. Meilard of Hope, who married Miss Nan White, of Uvalde, Tex.; J. W. Meilard of Hope who married Miss Phyllis Stephens, of Van Horn, Texas; Mrs. G. W. Elliott of El Paso, Tex.; Miss Willie Mae and Miss Lytle Meilard of Hope.

Brothers and sisters of Mrs. Meilard present were W. A. Johnson, president of the First National bank of Snyder, Tex.; A. S. Johnson ranchman of Roton, Texas, Fisher county; Mrs. A. M. Avant, of Maria, Texas.

Mr. Meilard's sister, Mrs. Kate Wimberly, of Hope, was also present.

DOERING FARM ON THE COTTONWOOD.

The owner of this farm, Mr. N. C. Doering came to New Mexico sixteen years ago from Butler county, Kansas. Says he came here broke, taking up a homestead on the Cottonwood, hauling water for six years when he put down a well striking water at depth of 148 feet, an artesian flow that is a wonder at this depth. It will force water eleven feet high and he uses it to good advantage, if you do not think so go take a look at his garden, corn and water-melons, beans, tomatoes etc. He showed us corn that must have been twelve feet high with from two to four ears to the stalk. He has the water piped throughout his home, and the pipes in the yard to keep up the lawn, runs to the barn yard where all he has to do is to turn on the pure fresh water to supply the stock. He has 60 acres under the ditch from the Cottonwood dam, but does not need it on about 35 acres of this land as the natural water fall and the closeness to the creek supplies all the water needed. A workshop and garage combined furnishes a place to mend the auto as well as the farm implements etc. A fine granary, also a large storage shed for alfalfa storage that was filled almost full of the finest kind of alfalfa hay which he keeps full a greater part of the time by getting 50 to 60 tons at a cutting. This is one of the fine farms of the Cottonwood and as he says "\$400 per acre would hardly be an inducement to cause a change in ownership." The corn spoken of was planted June 10 and on August 22 the family had a mess of roasting ears.

We had the pleasure of visiting the farm in company with Atty. J. H. Jackson, who was appearing for a client before squire Doering, Mr. Doering having the distinction of being squire for the past ten years. The floods of the early spring washed out the big dam but arrangements have practically been made whereby the dam will be rebuilt this fall and a much stronger one constructed.

Further conversation revealed the fact that many a man who took up land in the same neighborhood gave up and departed for other pastures, but Mr. Doering remained faithful to his ideas, and faith in New Mexico so has come out on top prosperous and happy.

Mr and Mrs. E. J. Beck of Pecos, Texas are visiting at the home of Mrs. Beck's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jackson. They departed Saturday for Las Vegas where Prof. Beck will teach in the New Mexico Normal School.

A SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

Ayle Jones was thrown from his horse on Monday, the 22nd, and seriously injured. He was unconscious when found some two hours after the accident and has remained in practically the same condition ever since, only a very slight improvement being discernible. The eighty mile trip in from the mountains was undoubtedly hard on him and probably helped retard his recovery.

NEW ERA CLUB.

Conditions in Japan and Korea were the subjects studied at the meeting of last Thursday afternoon at the Presbyterian church and the relations existing between the two countries were well brought out. Mrs. Patrick handled the political conditions and Miss Ruth Russell the missionary phase. Mrs. Hewett conducted a Round Table upon conditions in Japan. It was altogether a very instructive as well as interesting meeting.

Last Wednesday P. M. the editor's family and Mrs. James and son, Paul, drove out to Mrs. McNeil's and supper was served on the lawn (prairie) after which water melons were served and everyone enjoyed the occasion, especially the children who spent the evening in playing games.

Prof. and Mrs. Clyde are attending institute at Portales this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker Brown returned the first of the week from their honeymoon trip.

Mrs. Willie Choate and son, Glenn, moved to Hope this week.

Miss Phillis Pugh who has been visiting relatives in Texas and Denver returned home Wednesday.

W. E. Ragsdale is in Carlsbad this week on business.

Miss Ora Bishop who has been visiting relatives and friends in Artesia for the past five weeks returned to her home in El Paso, Texas last Tuesday.

Mrs. McNeil spent last week on her ranch three miles southwest of town. She was accompanied by her brother B. A. Bishop and family, and her sister of El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reed of Hope were in town Wednesday enroute to Lakewood.

One of the largest department stores of New Orleans has placed the ban on all employees wearing bobbed hair, lace stockings, roll down stockings, lattice work sweaters, short skirts and "make-up." Those girls who insist upon the above will find themselves out of employment. It is stated other department stores of that city will make similar regulations at an early date. It's a measly snare that a girl in this day and time cannot hold a job until she has first obtained from her employer just what she shall wear and how she must fix up her hair. Certainly the women folk who have contributed no little in the matter of designating just what a man shall eat, drink and wear should be allowed to dress as they wish, whether it be with many or few clothes, for the reason that they should know just as well what is good for themselves as they know the needs of man. Is it possible that these New Orleans department store heads are trying to break even?—Pecos Times.

BISHOPS WILL BLESS NEW CATHOLIC PRINTING PLANT.

Santa Fe, N. M. Aug. 26.—Four bishops of the Roman Catholic church will be present and participate in the ceremonies to dedicate the new plant and building of the Catholic Publishing company of New Mexico Sunday, September 11. The bishops will be archbishop Albert T. Daeger, of Santa Fe, head of the province of the archdiocese of Santa Fe; bishop A. J. Schaler of El Paso; bishop Granjon of Tucson, and bishop Thien, of Denver, all of the province of the archdiocese of Santa Fe, largest in the world.

The archbishop will bless the new building and plant. This plant will be for commercial printing and from it will be issued the Southwest Catholic which will be the official publication of the church in this province. The publication will have a circulation of 5000 to 6000 to begin with.

SCHOOLS AND MONEY.

There has been much talk and objections to the new text books in the grade schools although the prices are high, yet in many cases they have been greatly exaggerated. The following estimate covers material for children entering the following grades:

First Grade	.....\$1.82
Second Grade	.....\$2.69
Third Grade	.....\$3.81
Fourth grade	.....\$4.14
Fifth Grade	.....\$6.39
Sixth Grade	.....\$6.73
Seventh Grade	.....\$7.62
Eighth Grade	.....\$8.69

Very few changes have been made in the texts for High School books. That the vocational departments may be kept upon a fee of one dollar per semester will be charged for breakage in the Manual Training, Home Economics, Typing and Science classes.

Following is a letter from County Superintendent Brinton which the public should read:

BRIDGE CLUB.

After a few weeks vacation the Bridge Club resumed its meetings on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. J. J. Clarke. Besides regular members there were present Mesdames S. D. Gates, V. D. Gates, M. H. Ferriman, Walter Ferriman, Phillips, Daniels, and Keinath Rowan. The club will meet next week with Mrs. George Weiton.

The Bursum press bureau is appealing to the astonished voter to elect Mr. Bursum United States senator to show his "confidence in the Harding administration." He is told to elect a man in whom he lacks confidence—as repeatedly shown at the polls—to show his confidence in somebody else.

"Even if Senator Bursum were a mediocre man," it is stated, "his defeat as the Republican candidate for the United States senate would be a vote of lack of confidence in the Harding administration."

Let us follow the reasoning to its ultimate conclusion. "Even if John Smith," the press bureau might say, "were a horse-thief, if nominated as the Republican candidate his defeat would be a vote of lack of confidence in the Harding administration."

Naturally, the Bursum press bureau would not follow the reasoning thus far. It would draw the line somewhere. In other words, it would admit that the character of the candidate had something to do with the matter. It would concede that the mere fact of a man's being a Republican candidate would not necessarily fit him to be the test of approval of the national administration.

Mr. Bursum is not regarded by the people of New Mexico as a qualified spokesman for the Harding administration. He was not elected to the United States senate as approval of the Harding administration or otherwise. He got himself into the United States senate. He was not nominated by the real Republicans of New Mexico for United States senator. He got himself the nomination through his power as boss of the organization. He is a self-styled and self-instituted would-be spokesman for state and national Republicanism. If the Harding administration endorses him as its representative the Harding administration may be prepared to take the consequences as far as New Mexico is concerned. If the Harding administration is attempting to force Bursum upon New Mexico, New Mexico Republicans are absolved from supporting it, and if the national Republican organization wants to measure New Mexico Republicanism with a Bursum yardstick it is its own lookout.

It is further argued that to send anybody but Bursum to the United States senate would "sidetrack New Mexico for the next three years." This is the species of coercion Mr. Bursum had in mind when he saw his way to get a temporary hold on the office. "You must elect Bursum or you get nothing."

Attempted use of this kind of a club of course will have merely the opposite effect on the voters in this state. They have never been driven by Mr. Bursum yet and are not apt to be driven by Mr. Bursum now. We believe New Mexico has enough enterprise and enough self-reliance to hoe her own row without selling her birthright for some of Mr. Bursum's promises. The first duty of this state is to maintain her own independence and self respect.

PRICE OF SCHOOL BOOKS BY GRADES

(Furnished by C. E. Mann)

This is the list of new school books for the first eight grades with the exception of two or three more readers for each of the first four grades to be used sometime during the year.

FIRST GRADE.	
Beacon Primer	.....12
Beacon First Reader	.....69
Graded Tablet	.....99
Beginners French	.....19
Crayons	.....19
Package Drawing Paper	.....29
	\$1.00
SECOND GRADE.	
Beacon Second Reader	.....69
World Speller Book One	.....99
Modern Primary Arithmetic	.....38
Crayons	.....19
Copy Book No. 2	.....14
Package Drawing Paper	.....29
	\$2.69
THIRD GRADE.	
Beacon Third Reader	.....69
World Speller Book One	.....69
Modern Primary Arithmetic	.....89
Beginners Book in Language	.....69
Drawing Book No. 2	.....43
Copy Book No. 3	.....14
Crayons	.....19
Package Drawing Paper	.....29
	\$3.81
FOURTH GRADE.	
Beacon Fourth Reader	.....76
World Speller Book Two	.....69
Oral & Written English book 1	.....89
Modern Primary Arithmetic	.....89
Home Geography	.....76
Copy Book No. 4	.....14
Drawing Book No. 2	.....48
Crayons	.....19
Package Drawing Paper	.....29
	\$4.14
FIFTH GRADE.	
Elson Fifth Reader	.....89
New World Speller book 2	.....69
Modern Intermediate Arithmetic	.....92
Oral & Written English book 1	.....89
Mace's Beginners History	.....\$1.20
Essentials of Geography	.....1.40
Copy Book No. 5	.....14
Drawing Book No. 3	.....48
Crayons	.....19
Package Drawing paper	.....25
	\$6.73
SIXTH GRADE.	
Elson Sixth Reader	.....92
World Speller Book 2	.....69
Oral & Written English book 1	.....89
Modern Intermediate Arithmetic	.....92
Essentials of Geography book 1	1.40
Old World Bkgd. Am. History	1.20
Hygiene & Health Book 1	.....86
	\$6.73
SEVENTH GRADE.	
Elson Seventh Reader	.....96
World Speller book 3	.....69
Mod. Arith. Upper Grades	.....96
Oral & Written English book 2	1.00
First Book American History	1.20
Essentials of Geography book 2	1.96
Hygiene & Health book 1	.....86
	\$7.62
EIGHTH GRADE.	
Elson Eighth Reader	.....\$1.00
World Speller Book Three	.....68
Modern Arith. Upper Grades	.....96
Oral & Written English book 2	\$1.00
History of American People	.....\$1.69
Elements of Civics	.....\$1.20
Physiology & Hygiene book 2	.....\$1.02
Agriculture	.....\$1.20
	\$8.66

NEWPORT CAFE MOVES.

Proctor & Son have moved the Newport Cafe to the room just west of the Elrose Theatre. They have repainted and remodeled everything inside and when they get settled right they will have a fine place of business. These people are of the progressive type and believe in fixing things up in an up-to-date manner.

Grand Master Here.

Past Grand Master J. R. White-side, wife and two children from Albuquerque spent last week with C. Bert Smith and family. Mr. Walter-child was much impressed with the valley. He says it beats any country he ever saw, and he has traveled in every state in the union. He was highly elated over the prospects of paving main street and the public improvements now being agitated and further stated that any person opposed to these improvements was surely off his balance and suggested that said persons be forced to take a big dose of chocolate coated pills and get loosened up.



You've Struck it Right when you Light a CAMEL

Your taste will tell you that! For Camels have the flavor and fragrance of choicest tobaccos, perfectly blended. They're smooth and mellow-mild.

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Camel

ADMINISTRATION SCORE TO DATE.

It is now more than four months since President Harding called Congress into special session for the main purpose of passing a tariff bill and to revise the tax laws, through which two measures the Republican party usually pays its debts to the large contributors of its campaign fund. With an adjournment scheduled until the latter part of September, neither of these main purposes has been accomplished and nothing else has been done that even pretends to relieve the conditions which Congress was assembled to remedy.

True, the House has passed both a tariff bill and a tax bill, but in such form that both measures will have to be entirely rewritten in the Senate. Both measures as they left the House revealed the utter incapacity of the Ways and Means Committee to frame an economic measure. The Democratic members of the Ways and Means Committee were not permitted to have any part in the making of either bill, and both bills were rushed through the House under gag rules which limited debate and prevented amendments.

It will be late in the fall before the Tax Revision bill passes the Senate and the Tariff bill will probably not pass until after the winter holidays.

In the meantime, the country waits for promised relief to business, trade and industry, and it will continue to wait because neither business, trade or industry is accorded relief in either measure. The Tariff bill benefits no one except the manufacturers, and the proletering manufacturers most of all. The Tax bill gives relief only to the multi-millionaire class, and this, thanks to Democrats and Progressive Republicans is postponed for a year. The benefits to the smaller income tax payers who are heads of families is offset by the increase of their taxes on other things.

The net result to business, trade and industry of the extra session of Congress through the heat and swelter of summer amounts precisely to nothing.

On this record the legislative and the executive branches of the administration are tied.

DON'T fail to hear the September Victor Records. Watch our Victrola Department for their arrival. The Victor Company is offering some real treats in MUSIC the coming month, including the popular dance hits and records by their leading artists.

GALLI CURCHI, ALDA, SAMAROFF, HEIFTZ, McCORMICK, KRESLER, MURRY and BURR

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PALACE

Drugs
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DRUG STORE

Soda
Candies

The Rexall Store

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M., August 24th, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that Ernest C. McGonagill, of Lakewood, N. M., who on May 14th, 1921, made Additional Homestead Entry No. 046265, for NW 1/4; NE 1/4 SW 1/4; NW 1/4 SE 1/4; Section 1, Township 20-S., Range 25-E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final 3-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, N. M., on the 1st day of October, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses:

William J. Gushwa, of Lakewood, N. M., Isaac W. Floyd, of Dayton, N. M., Alvin V. Lindsay, of Lakewood, N. M., George E. McGonagill, of Lakewood, N. M.

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CLARA WEDS.

Clara Smith, who shot and killed her paramour, Jake Hamon, a few months ago, is married. In a telegram to an Aramora friend, Clara described her new man as "Wonderful man and good." Thus she varies by a little the formula by which President Harding described the drunken politician whom she killed in a brawl in a second-rate hotel. Mr. Harding said Jake was "a great and good man." What he meant was that Jake had a good check book for campaign purposes. So we wonder what Clara means by "Wonderful man and good." Mr. Gorman is a man otherwise unknown to fame, but he has married Clara, and we are willing to concede that he is a brave man. In your charity, wish him well, and pray for him.—Wichita Eagle.

Notice for Publication.

046816

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. Mex. July 30, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that John J. Butler of Lakewood, N. M. who, on February 27, 1920, made Homestead Entry No. 046816, for N 1/2 SW 1/4; SW 1/4 SW 1/4 Section 21, NW 1/4 NW 1/4 Section 28, Township 19-S, Range 25E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, N. M. on the 6th day of September, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Dennis E. Webb, Miles R. Chote, Harry E. Garver, Louis Howell, all of Lakewood, N. M.

Emmett Patton,

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Notice for Publication.

047159

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M., July 30, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that William H. Hill of Lake Arthur, N. M. who, on April 10, 1920, made Homestead Entry No. 047159, for Lots 1, 2, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, Section 5, Township 16-S, Range 27-E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final 3-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register or Receiver, U. S. Land Office, at Roswell, N. M. on the 7th day of September, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Arthur A. Smith, Atlas V. Flowers, Merlin W. Evans, William R. Foster, all of Lake Arthur, N. M.

Emmett Patton

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Notice for Publication.

041545

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M.

NOTICE is hereby given that Bruce M. Wallace of Dayton, N. M. who, on September 4, 1917, made Homestead Entry No. 045545, for Lot 2, SE 1/4 NW 1/4; SW 1/4 NE 1/4; NW 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 31, Township 18-S, Range 26-E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation Proof, to establish claim to the above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, N. M., on the 6th day of September, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Ernest L. Humphreys, Dayton, N. M. William J. Gushwa, Lakewood, N. M. George Perry, Issac W. J. Floyd, Dayton, N. M.

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We deliver parcels and light freight and collect and deliver laundry. Trunks and baggage called for and delivered.

B. D. WILSON. Phone 207.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M., August 24th, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that George R. Long, of Artesia, N. M., who on May 21st, 1920, made Orig. Hd. entry No. 047539 for S 1/2 Section 5., and who on July 16th, 1921, made additional homestead entry No. 047872, for Lots 11; 12; 13; 14; Section 5. Lots 9; 10; 15; and 16, Sec. 6, T. 16-S, R. 23-E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final 3-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, N. M., on the 1st day of October, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses:

John F. Runyan, Russell G. Knoedler, Bruce P. Williams, L. Roy Crockett, all of Artesia, N. M.

EMMETT PATTON,

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047538

Notice for Publication.

U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M. August 24, 1921

NOTICE is hereby given that Wade C. Cunningham, of Artesia, N. M. who, on May 20th, 1920, made Original Homestead entry No. 047537 for S 1/2 Section 11, and who on July 16, 1921, made additional Homestead entry No. 047538, for NE 1/4 Section 10 NW 1/4 Section 11, Township 16-S Range 21 E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final 3-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner at Artesia, N. M., on the 1st day of October, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Joseph O. Richards, George R. Long, John Runyan, Harvie D. Klopfenstine, all of Artesia, N. M.

Emmett Patton, Register

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M., August 24th, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that Alex G. McGonagill, of Lakewood, N. M., who on May 16th, 1921, made Additional Homestead entry No. 046266, for NE 1/4 SW 1/4; NW 1/4 SE 1/4; SE 1/4 NE 1/4 Section 2. NW 1/4 SW 1/4; Section 1, Township 20-S., Range 25-E., New Mexico Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final 3-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, N. M., on the 1st day of October, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Dwight M. Lee, George M. McGonagill, Dennis E. Webb, Ernest C. McGonagill, all of Lakewood, N. M.

EMMETT PATTON,

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M., August 24th, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that Ruby Ringo Cook, formerly Ruby M. Ringo, of Artesia, N. M., who, on May 14th, 1921, made Additional Homestead entry No. 032089, for SW 1/4 SE 1/4; SE 1/4 SW 1/4 Section 23. NE 1/4 NW 1/4; NW 1/4 NE 1/4; Sec. 26, T. 17-S, R. 25-E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final 3-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, N. M., on the 31st day of August, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Arthur H. Horner, Homer P. Larsh, Wilber C. Doss, Ernest Horber, all of Artesia, N. M.

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Homer and Henry Ray, who have been visiting Geo. Shepherd, returned this week to Electra, Texas.

Tom Whitted left Monday for Denver to take his old position with the United States Wool Co.

Messrs. Corbin and Phillips with their families are on a fishing trip to the Flying H ranch this week.

Mr. and Mrs. McGonigle (Ruby Ray) are here from Breckinridge, Texas, visiting the family of Geo. Shepherd. The ladies are sisters.

Mrs. G. R. Brainard, Mrs. Geo. Welton, Mrs. Alf Call and family and Mrs. R. L. Paris and children all returned from the Ruidoso the first of the week.

We are asked to be good and swallow Bursum and Bursumism or we shall be cut off from all participation in the national welfare.

The proposition is about as ludicrous as Mr. Bursum's Barnum advertising—and it will get about as far with the people of New Mexico—Santa Fe New Mexican.

Joe Anderson and son, Wallace, returned Monday from a visit at the Washington ranch on Black river.

Miss Idalia Cowan leaves today for Carrizozo where she has a position in the schools.

Mrs. Bessie Hewitt and children return this week to their farm home in Michigan.

HARDING TO FREE DEBS IS BELIEF IN WASHINGTON.

But Action Will Await Ratification Of the Peace Treaty.

Washington, Aug. 27.—Belief that President Harding intends to pardon Eugene V. Debs after peace with Germany has been ratified, prevailed here tonight, despite the heavy veil of mystery which officials maintained regarding the case. Definite announcement was made today that the president will hold up his decision on the Debs case until after normal peace has been established. This announcement leads to the belief that the president is preparing to release the veteran socialist from Atlanta prison as soon as there is technical peace with Germany.

There is no one in official position, however, who would give any intimation regarding the ultimate fate of Debs. Attorney General Daugherty has his recommendations prepared ready to submit to the president on call, but he intimated that this recommendation is still subject to change.

PORTRAITS MARK THE PASSING YEARS.

You have the children's pictures taken, of course, but what about your own?

In after years the children will prize nothing more than the photographs of Father and Mother, in their youth and prime.

And of Grandfather's and Grandmother's faces, with the full record of life's experience written there.

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Dr. Loucks Says:

The chemical formula for battery acid is H₂SO₄ but if one gets a splash in the eye the formula changes and becomes HEL

However he is still able to take care of your battery and electrical work.

FORCED BY LAW.

Carlsbad, New Mex. Aug. 29, 1921. To the Teachers and Directors of Rural Schools, Eddy County, N. M. You are, no doubt, informed of the action of the State Board of Education in the adoption of a new series of text books for the first eight grades of the public schools of New Mexico for the next six years beginning with the present school term.

The School Laws of New Mexico, Section 4816 of the Code of 1915, reads as follows: "If the State Board of Education, the Superintendent of Public Instruction, any county superintendent, or any board of school directors, or board of education in this State shall knowingly permit, in any of the first eight grades of the public schools of this state, the use of any text book or books other than such as are adopted by the State Board of Education, upon conviction thereof, the person or persons convicted shall be punished by a fine of not less than ten (\$10.00) dollars nor more than one hundred (\$100.00) dollars."

At this time, when financial conditions are at such a critical condition in Eddy County, the purchase of new text books imposes a heavy burden upon school patrons, and I regret that a change of books was made, yet, under the law, teachers and school officers have no other alternative than to enforce the law or pay the fines imposed. It, therefore, in compliance with the law in relation to the use of text books, becomes my duty, as a sworn public official, to enforce the adoption of the State Board of Education, and I am asking you, and urging you, as teachers and directors of Eddy county, to comply with the law in the matter of the use of text books in so far as it may be in your power so to do.

Very respectfully yours,
GEO. M. BRINTON,
Co. Supt. of Schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Terry are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter, Sunday, the 21st inst.

Miss Dora Rodoy is here visiting home folks. She will teach at Koehler in the northern part of the state again this year.

The Tigner family moved to Roswell this week.

W. P. Bowman returned last week from Clovis.

Miss Mary Doss leaves today for her school at Cooper, Lea county.

Mrs. Bessie Knowles leaves today to assume her duties as teacher of the school at Stillworth, near Mayhill.

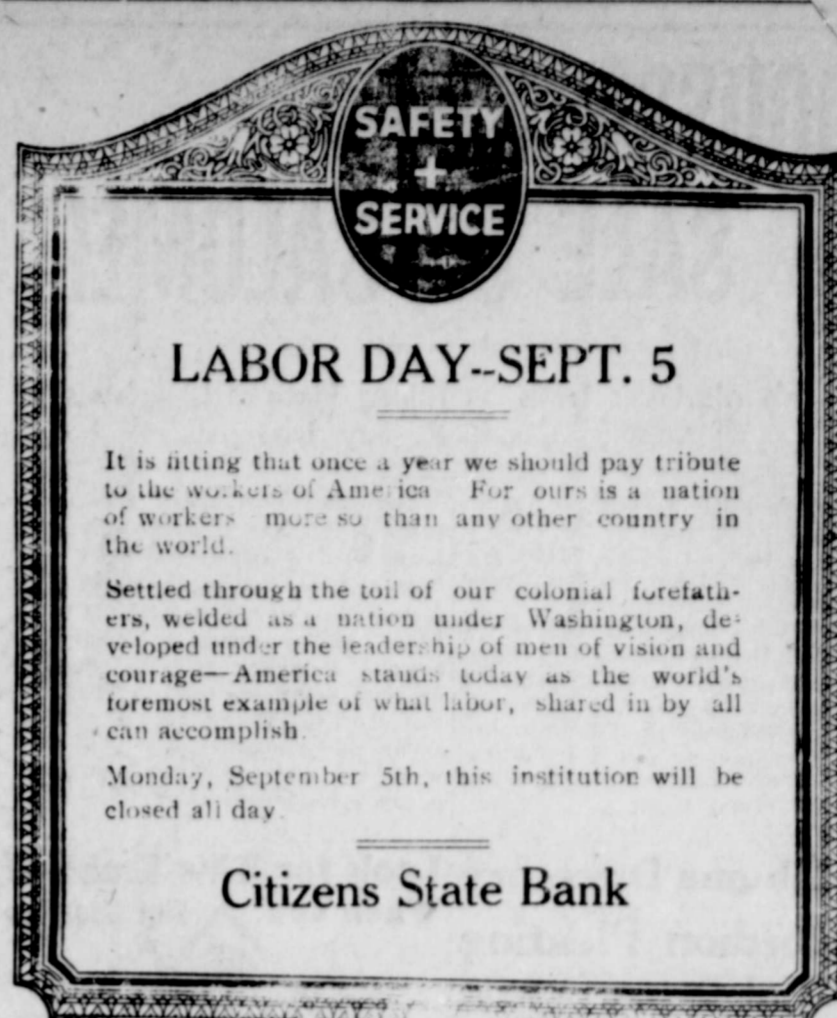
D. E. Brownlie was over from Hope Monday.

Mrs. Hart Crouch and Miss Ella Bauslin visited friends in Carlsbad Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brownlie and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Douglas spent Sunday in Carlsbad. Miss May Middleton came back with them and was the guest of the Brownlies until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Whitesides and children of Albuquerque, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Bert Smith last week.

Miss Jessie Glenn BBullock leaves this week for Alva, Oklahoma, where she will be instructor in English in the high school.



LABOR DAY-SEPT. 5

It is fitting that once a year we should pay tribute to the workers of America. For ours is a nation of workers more so than any other country in the world.

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Elrose Program

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April Folly, is not as foolish as the title would indicate, but will transport you with breathless splendor through the many stirring episodes of a runaway heiress seeking adventure, and believe me she is not wholly disappointed, she is entrusted with a famous jewel to be delivered to an aunt in Africa, a butler overhearing the instructions delivers his message to a band of international crooks, and believe me business begins to pick up immediately, and you'll say so too when you witness this snappy photoplay as portrayed by one of the most beautiful women in pictures, Marion Davies, and it's Saturday night, don't forget it.

Watch for our next weeks program, we will have a show every night during the entire week, featuring Clara Kimball Young in "Mid-Channel", Charles Ray in "Paris Green", Wallace Reid in "The Dancin' Fool", Kathryn McDonald in "Passions Playground", and last but not least Marguerite Clark in "Easy to get". There is no better line up of pictures to be had than the foregoing.

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"No; I stopped you to inquire whether you could take my son into your office as an apprentice. With training I believe he would some day prove a magnificent architect."

"He has shown some talent, has he?" asked the architect, glumly, for he was disappointed at not getting another contract.

"Talent! Genius, sir; positive genius!"

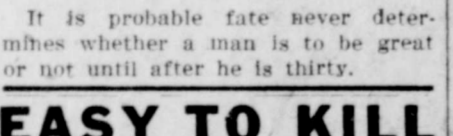
"What has he done?"

"He designed a garden for our Christmas tree."

"Well, what is there so remarkable about that?"

"Why," answered the father, "he designed that garden for \$8 and it cost \$32!"—Philadelphia Ledger.

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A rather green looking chap went into one of our department stores the other day and, sauntering up to the counter, where dozens of men's caps were displayed, he looked carefully through the stock, but seemed unable to find what he wanted.

"Just what kind of a cap are you looking for?" asked the salesman at length.

"Well, said the youth, 'I bought me a motorcycle the other day, and I thought I'd like one of those caps with a peak at the back.'—Boston Transcript.

W. N. U., Oklahoma City, No. 34-1921.

GOOD HIGHWAYS

ONE-MAN ROAD GRADER PAYS

Profitable Plan for Farmers in Community to Get Together and Purchase Implement.

Once two teams of horses and at least two men used to be required to level and grade roads. Now we have the one-man machine, which does the job in half the time and never gets tired. Like all modern devices of this nature, it is, of course, driven by gasoline.

The single operator manipulates all the levers that control the cutting blades and also takes care of the engine. All the controls are placed at his elbow.

If you live in a community where it is the custom for each man to con-



Gasoline-Driven Device Saves Time and Labor.

tribute his share of labor toward keeping the roads in condition, it will pay the men of the neighborhood to get together and purchase a one-man road grader and reduce the time and labor ordinarily necessary for this task.—Popular Science Monthly.

BETTER ROADS HELP BABIES

Farm is Made More Accessible to Doctor and Nurse—Danger in Travel is Reduced.

It may seem a long way from good roads to better babies, and yet the two are closely connected.

America has a great rural population, throughout which babies are being born every day.

These babies and their mothers need care, the visit of the nurse, the services of the physician, often of the surgeon, and how are they to have it if between lie miles of road impassable alike to automobile or buggy?

Of what use is the little hospital at the county seat if the woman whose life depends upon its care cannot be taken there swiftly and comfortably?

What difference does it make that the town physician may be a very wizard at treating diphtheria, if long before he can arrive at the farm the little throat has been closed by the deadly film, or the little heart stopped by the depressant poison?

Medical and surgical honors are generally claimed for the city—when as a matter of fact the country doctor is often possessed of a skill as complete as his heart is big.

Make the farm accessible to the doctor and nurse, make the hospital and the health center accessible to the farm. Nature and skill will do the rest.—Concord Monitor.

THIN ROADS ARE EXPENSIVE

Ordinary Rock Surface Under Motor Traffic Coming in Next Few Years.

MacAdam was years ahead of his age and years behind this one. The builders of the Applan Way knew more about building a road for a motor-truck than MacAdam, strange as it may appear. It is the general opinion among road builders—an opinion greatly quickened and altered by the war—that the light stone road, be it surfaced or oil treated in what way you will, is not the road to build in the face of an avalanche of motor-trucks that is coming in the next few years. The motorcar brought oil to the road as a necessity. The water bond, which worked so well with iron tires and iron shod hoofs, is useless against the suction of the pneumatic tire. But the oiled stone road that holds the 3,000-pound car with ease will not carry the five-ton truck—and last.

The railroad builders have found that for heavy traffic it pays to use the heaviest steel rails, the finest wood for ties and the best broken stone, and plenty of it, for ballast.

Vegetables in Fall Garden.

It should be remembered that practically all vegetables grown in the spring garden can be grown also in the fall garden, and such vegetables seeds as were left over from spring plantings may be used in the fall.

No Doubt of Need.

There isn't any doubt about the need for more and better roads when automobiles and trucks are the only means of bringing food to your city or town.

Home Town Helps

COURT SETS VALUE ON TREES

Decision That Will Be of Interest to Many Communities Throughout the Country.

In Salem, Mass., a resident sued the town gas light company for damages caused by the killing of five shade trees through the escape of gas from a leaky main. A verdict for \$1,000 against the company was rendered—\$200 a tree. The decision is said to have been awaited with a good deal of interest by surrounding towns, for tree killing from this cause is a common thing. It has happened many times in Indianapolis, according to report, though complaints have not been heard lately with the frequency that characterized them back in the days when natural gas was piped through the streets, hastily and no doubt often carelessly.

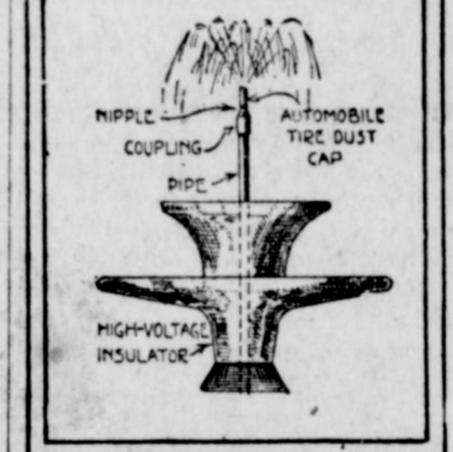
The killing of a thrifty, well-grown shade tree is usually a distinct loss to any property, commonly lowering its value. In view of the time required for the growth of such trees \$200 is a moderate sum in the way of damages, and no amount of money, when it comes to that, can really recompense the owner of the trees. They have to be replaced, and the cost of the new trees, especially if he planted and cared for them, a sentimental value that dollars cannot measure. They have added beauty to his home and he has counted them among his treasures. To a real tree lover, a beautiful tree, whether his own or not, seems almost to possess a personality of its own and to see it struggle for life and gradually die, brings real sorrow. It is to view a calamity.—Indianapolis Star.

SIMPLE FOUNTAIN FOR LAWN

Easily Constructed of Cheap Materials, and Adds Greatly to Attractiveness of Grounds.

This fountain has a double bowl or basin formed by placing a high-voltage insulator about 18 inches in diameter over a 1/4-inch pipe that is connected with the water-line.

On the end of the pipe is a coupling having a small nipple and over this is



Although Made of Simple Material, This Fountain is Attractive.

attached an automobile-tire dust cap, which is pierced with many holes about as small as the point of a pin. This cap fits down to the shoulder of the coupling.—Popular Science Monthly.

Advancement Everywhere.

The national agencies engaged in rural social work are reported as beginning to co-operate in their programs. The rural church is grappling with its peculiar problem in a dynamic manner. The rural home is being reconstructed in a new and encouraging way as a center of all social organization. Rural government and legislation are undergoing a far-reaching change. Country communities are thinking about country planning and art as integral parts of community life. Road building in country districts is proceeding with unprecedented rapidity, and the country life movement is on the verge of an international understanding.—Exchange.

Untactful.

Brown was the possessor of very large feet and a very bad cough. He entered a boot shop and the young assistant turned the shop upside down to find something to fit him. Brown had just tried on the fortieth pair when he started coughing.

"Nasty cough," said the assistant. "Yes," gasped Brown. "Doctor says I've got one foot in the grave."

"I shouldn't worry," said the assistant. "You'll never get the other in; it's too big!"

Solved.

Uncle Eli had just passed his first night in a hotel and was still curious. "Son," he inquired of a bellhop, "what's that funny contraption out the window?"

"That's the fire escape," replied the youth.

"By hickory! I wondered what made it so dad-blamed cold in here last night."—American Legion Weekly.

Too Much to Expect.

Jud Tunkins says he doesn't hope for a general drop in prices to equal the one that takes place when you come to sell a brand-new flivver that you have run a couple of days.

LONGER SKIRTS AND COATS FEATURE OF FALL STYLES



IF IT WERE not that apparel is always interesting and that there is so much diversity in the interpretation of the styles, the discussion of fall suits in August would be premature. But suits are the main stay in the wardrobe of most women and, therefore, they like to give them considerable thought, before making a choice.

For several years style tendencies have turned away from severely plain suits to go in the direction of elaboration in trimmings. So far no reaction has started; the new suits are nearly all embellished with some sort of trimming. There is nothing startlingly new in their lines which are almost straight or follow vaguely those of the natural figure. The main points of difference between them and the suits of last season lies in the length of coats and skirts and in the shape of sleeves and collars. As a rule, skirts are longer and coats vary from finger tip to knee length, although there are

some that are shorter. Skirts continue plain and straight, but are wide enough for freedom in walking.

Of these two suits the one at the left may be regarded as typical of fall styles. It is made of one of those suitings with a suede-like finish, and the model pictured is in a warm brown color. The coat is uneven in length and decorated with silk embroidery in self color. Its collar and tuxedo lapels are made of taupe-colored natria fur, and there are cuffs of the same fur.

In the suit at the right the designer has experimented with a wider skirt, having a flare toward the bottom and decorative panels of embroidery. These panels on suits and one-piece dresses are often in more than one color. The coat is shorter and ornamented with an embroidered panel at each side like those on the skirt. Mole skin fur makes the pockets, collar and band of fur on this coat.

KNITTED CLOTHES POPULAR FOR SCHOOL AND PLAY



FROM the day of her arrival to the end of her childhood the little girl is made "comfy" in knitted clothes. If she is a winter baby, soft and fleecy under and outerwear of knitted wool defend her against the cold. As she grows she romps through little girlhood in sturdy knitted garments, along with small brothers similarly clad; the knitted middie and sweater see her through the flapper stage, with scarfs and caps always lending their aid, and finally she graduates into the realm of knitted things for grown-ups.

Little coat is simple and pretty, with plain body, plaited skirt, and stripes knitted in as a finish to collar and cuffs.

Besides these knitted coats there are many new models in wool velour, polo cloth, broadcloth and bolivia, and the two-faced coatings work out effectively in coats for little and larger girls. Most of the cloth coats reveal the favor with which manufacturers regard the styles in which the skirt portion flares more or less; it is prettier than the straight line, for child Browns, tans and blues promise to be the most popular colors; they are dependable. The dressier coats often have fur collars, and sometimes both collars and cuffs, in the less expensive furs.

The number and variety of knitted garments for children make it possible to clothe them from head to foot. One can easily picture the little girl in the illustration with cap, leggings, mittens and a scarf perhaps in the depth of winter, scampering schoolward or tumbling in the snow. Just now she is having her picture made in a new knitted coat which will make her comfortable throughout the fall without the aid of heavier clothes. This

Julia Bottomley

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BABE IS SHOT.

Synopsis.—Young Carlyle Wilburton Dale, or "Bill Dale," as he elects to be known, son of a wealthy coal operator, John K. Dale, arrives at the Halfway Switch, in eastern Tennessee, abandoning a life of idle ease—and incidentally a bride, Patricia Clavering, at the altar—determined to make his own way in life. He meets "Babe" Littleford, typical mountaineer girl. "By" Heck, a character of the hills, takes him to John Moreland's home. Moreland is chief of his "clan," which has an old feud with the Littlefords. He tells Dale of the killing of his brother, David Moreland, years ago, owner of rich coal deposits, by a man named Carlyle. Moreland's description of "Carlyle" causes Dale to believe the man was his father. Dale arranges to make his home with the Moreland family. Talking with "Babe" Littleford next day, Dale is ordered by "Black Adam" Ball, bully of the district, to leave "his girl" alone. Dale replies spiritedly, and they fight. Dale whips the bully, though badly used up. He arranges with John Moreland to develop David's coal deposits. Ben Littleford sends a challenge to John Moreland to meet him with his followers next day, in battle. Moreland agrees. During the night all the guns belonging to the Littlefords and the Morelands mysteriously disappear. Dale arranges to go to Cincinnati to secure money for the mining of the coal. The two clans find their weapons, which the women had hidden, and line up for battle. A Littleford fires the first shot.

CHAPTER V—Continued.

Then came a puff of white smoke and a report from one of the Moreland rifles, then shots from both sides—and the battle was on. Dale heard the nasty whine of a bullet in full flight; he heard the coarse "zizz" of a half-spent ricochet. He knew that he was in some danger now, and he was surprised to find that he was not frightened.

When he halted again it was on his knees behind the big white sycamore that sheltered John Moreland.

"Back, are ye?" frowned the mountaineer. And with the grimmest humor, "I reckon ye had a fine, large time in Cincinnati. Yore friend Harris was well, I hope. Git that money from him?"

"Cut that out," said Bill Dale. "It doesn't get us anywhere—"

A bullet threw particles of sycamore bark to his face, interrupting. John Moreland pointed to a green furrow in the side of the tree.

"Ben Littleford himself," said Moreland. "He's ahnd o' that water oak across thar. Don't stick yore head out!"

The mountaineer turned his gaze over Dale's shoulder, and his countenance seemed to freeze. Dale looked around quickly and saw Babe Littleford, less than ten feet behind him! She had crept up through the tall grasses and weeds. In one hand she carried a white flag made of a man's handkerchief and a willow switch. She halted and sat up.

"Babe!" Dale cried out. "What are you doing here?"

Babe gave him a pale smile. "Ef pap'd shoot me, a-thinkin' I was a Moreland, mebber it'd stop the everlastin' fightin'," she said.

John Moreland stared, and Bill Dale stared. They were in a Presence, and they knew it. Babe went on:

"I've come to save all o' yore lives; but ef I do it, ye'll haf to make yore men quit a-fightin' right now—jest order 'em to stop a-shootin', and hold up this here—and I promise ye on a Littleford's word 'at pap'll call ye a better man 'an him 'cause ye done it—"

She tossed the white flag to him. "The ain't no time to lose, John Moreland; hold up the flag! Ef ye don't, ye'll every one be killed, 'cause ye're every one in a trap!"

"I don't believe ye, Babe!" snapped the Moreland chief. "Yore people can hold up a white rag jest as well as we can!"

Babe went paler. There was a sudden burst of firing from the Moreland rifles, and she crept a little nearer to John Moreland in order that he might hear plainly that which she had to tell him next.

"I'm a-goin' to tell ye o' this danger," she said, "and trust ye to be a-bein' man enough to do what I axed ye to. Black Adam Ball, he's got a new-fashioned rifle and smokeless cartridges and steel bullets; and in a few minutes he'll be hid in a clum o' sassafras back thar in yore meadow, whar he means to set and pick off you Morelands one by one—and you and Bill Dale fust, 'count o' the beatin's you two put on him! But pap had nothin' to do with it, and rickollect that! Now I've saved all o' yore lives, 'cause ye couldn't ha' heard the sound o' his rifle all o' this noise; and ye couldn't see the smoke o' his gun, 'cause it don't make no smoke. Hold up the white flag, John Moreland—hurry!"

Babe thoughtlessly arose to her feet, and one side of her brown head appeared before the sights of her father's rifle—her father fired quickly, too quickly for a perfect aim—the bullet burned its way across her temple and

through her hair, and she crumpled at Bill Dale's knees, totally unconscious. Dale gave a hoarse cry and gathered her limp figure into his arms. John Moreland waved aloft the white handkerchief and bellowed to his kinsmen to stop firing. Then silence came.

"Come over here, Ben Littleford!" shouted John Moreland. "Ye've shot yore own gyru!"

And to his brother Abner, whose right forearm was wrapped in a blood-stained blue bandana:

"Black Adam is hid som'eres in this meadow; go and ketch him, and don't take no chansst with him. Shoot him like a dawg ef he tries to trick ye!"

A dozen men ran to look for the would-be sniper. The Littlefords, still armed, came dashing across the river. Ben Littleford threw down his rifle and knelt beside his daughter; he wrung his big hands and cursed the day that had seen him born.

Dale held her close. His face was as white as hers, and his eyes were flaming.

"Why don't you shoot all your womenfolk?" he said to the Littleford chief, and every word cut like a knife. "It's by far the simplest way; it's merciful, y'know. See, she isn't breaking her heart over your murderous fighting now. No, keep your hands away—you're not fit to touch her!"

They brought water and wet the young woman's face, and bathed the red streak across her temples. They



"Hold Up the White Flag, John Moreland—Hurry!"

did all they knew how to do to bring her back to consciousness, but, except for her beating pulse and her breathing, she remained as one dead. Hours passed, leaden hours, and her condition was unchanged.

Dale beckoned to John Moreland, who had just returned from having seen Adam Ball caught, disarmed, and imprisoned in an old tobacco barn. Moreland hastened to Dale, the new master.

"When does the next south-bound train pass the Halfway switch?" Dale wanted to know.

Moreland looked toward the sun. "We could make it, all right, but it's a fast train, and it don't never stop at the switch."

"Then we'll hold it up," declared the new master in a voice of iron. "This is a case for a surgeon. Get a blanket and two poles and make a litter."

John Moreland hastened away obediently. Dale turned to Ben Littleford, who sat in a motionless heap beside the still figure of his daughter.

"It was only a few hours ago," he said accusingly, "that this poor girl told me she'd be glad to give her life to stop your fighting, and now, perhaps, she's done it! You're a brute, Littleford. I like to fight, myself, but not when it costs women anything."

The conscience-stricken hillman gave no sign that he had heard. There was silence save for the low murmur of the river and the tragic song of a bird somewhere in the branches of the big white sycamore.

CHAPTER VI.

Back Home.

Every mother's son of the feudists was numbered in the party that fled across David Moreland's mountain to intercept the next south-bound train. The old enmity was for the time being forgotten. Members of one clan rubbed elbows with members of the other clan, and thought nothing of it. John Moreland himself carried one end of the crude litter that held the limp form of Babe Littleford; Bill Dale carried the other end.

Close behind the litter walked Babe's father, seeming old and broken with remorse for the thing he had done. The grief of Ben Littleford was touching now, and Dale was a little sorry

that he had spoken so bitterly to him. They reached the Halfway switch ten minutes before the arrival of the fast mail. A short passenger train was on the long siding, waiting for the south-bound to pass. Dale gave his end of the litter to Caleb Moreland, and strode up to the locomotive. The engineer sat quietly smoking in his cab.

Dale wanted the fast mail stopped, and gave his reasons.

The engineer smoked and considered. It was against rules. Dale swore at rules. The engineer said he would see the conductor. He did, and the conductor stepped to the ground and began to consider.

"Better put her on my train," he said finally, "and take her to Barton's station. There's a good doctor at Barton's—"

"But this is a case for a surgeon!" impatiently interrupted Bill Dale.

They disagreed. The old trainman was a close friend of the doctor at Barton's station. What was the difference between a doctor and a surgeon, anyway?

Dale became angry.

"You'll stop the fast mail for us," he snapped, "or we'll take your d—d red flag and hold her up long enough to put the girl aboard, and you've got only half a second to decide which!"

The conductor was obstinate. The mountain men were too hot-headed to bear with him longer. The positions of a dozen rifles underwent a sudden change. The conductor immediately went pale and mentioned the law—but he agreed to stop the south-bound.

As he ordered his flagman up the tracks, the sound of the fast train's whistle came to their ears.

The fiercer came to a screeching halt with sparks streaming from its wheels. Bill Dale and John Moreland passed the litter and its burden into the baggage car and followed it hastily, and Ben Littleford climbed in after them. John Moreland leaned out of the doorway and ordered his son Luke to pass him his rifle, and Luke obeyed promptly.

There was a shriek from the whistle, and the brakes were released; the train began to gather momentum. A baggageman approached John Moreland and asked why the rifle. Moreland half closed one keen grey eye and patted the walnut stock of his repeater.

"Oh, I jest brought it along to see 'at everybody has a straight deal," he drawled—"go on about yore business, mister."

The baggageman went about his business.

The conductor of the fast train was very unlike the conductor of the north-bound. When he had learned something of the circumstances, he insinuated that Dale had done exactly the right thing. He would see whether there was a doctor aboard.

Within five more minutes he returned in company with an elderly man wearing a pointed beard and nose glasses.

"Doctor McKenzie," he said politely; "Mr. —"

"Dale."

The two nodded, and the physician knelt beside the litter, which had been placed with its ends on boxes to allow the center to swing free. He made as though an examination was possible under the conditions, then arose and stood looking down upon the young woman with something like admiration in his sober, professional eyes.

"Perfect physique," he said as though to himself. "She will have to undergo an operation," he told Dale. "The bone there is broken in slightly, making a compression; she will doubtless be unconscious until the pressure is relieved. But she has fine chances for a quick and entire recovery, with a good surgeon on the job. So there's not much ground for worry."

Dale was glad. They were all glad. Ben Littleford laughed nervously in his sudden joy. He went down to his knees beside his daughter, took up one of her limp hands and stroked it in a way that was pitiful.

When he arose he spoke cordially to Moreland. But Moreland didn't reply. He still looked upon his old enemy with contempt.

Doctor McKenzie was leaving the train at the next town of importance, and he would wire Doctor Braemer to meet them with an ambulance, it Dale wished.

"If you please," said Dale. They reached the city shortly before midnight, and were promptly met by the surgeon. Braemer took charge of the patient, put her into his ambulance and hurried her to his private hospital. Bill Dale and the two clan chiefs followed in an automobile. The hillmen had never before seen an automobile; but they asked no questions about it, and the only word of comment was this, from John Moreland:

"I don't like the smell."

Everything had been made ready for the operation, and Babe received surgical aid without delay.

The two mountaineers and Dale waited in another room. Dale had induced John Moreland to unload his rifle, both chamber and magazine. Babe's father paced the floor anxiously now and then. Moreland sat like

a stone, with his empty rifle between his knees, and watched his old enemy quietly.

It seemed a long time before Braemer came to them and told them smilingly that it was all over and that the girl was then coming from under the effects of the ether. She would be all right soon, he was reasonably certain. No, they'd better not see her just then. But perhaps they could see her at some time during the afternoon of the following day.

Dale escorted his two companions to a modest hotel and then put them in a room that had but one bed; by thus throwing them together in a strange land, he hoped to do something toward making them friends.

Then Dale went to another room, undressed and went to bed.

It may be noted, parenthetically as it were, that John Moreland and Ben Littleford quickly reached a wordless agreement not to sleep together—they divided the pillows and linens evenly, tore the odd coverlet exactly in half, and slept on the floor.

When Dale went down to the lobby the following morning an alert-eyed young fellow sprang from a chair and hastened up to him.

"By George, Bobby!" Dale exclaimed, as they began to shake hands. "How did you know I was here, anyway? Your boasted nose for news, eh?"

"Guiltily," smiled McLaurin. "I got word last night that a mountain girl had been brought to Braemer's, accidentally shot, and I smelled a feud; so I hurried over to get the story. You had just left, and Braemer's didn't know much about it. It was too soon after the operation, they said, for her to see me; then one of the nurses whispered to me that you had brought her, and said that I would find you here. So here I am, Bill, and I want the story. I'll phone it in, and then I'll give you some news."

"The story mustn't be published," Bobby, Dale replied. "For one reason, there is a feud; and if the law knew, it might take a hand—you see, I think there is a better way to take care of that feud. And I am of the opinion that the girl wouldn't like the publicity. Suppose you forget all about it, Bobby."

If McLaurin was disappointed, he kept it well to himself.

"They said she was handsome, a sort of primitive Venus," he winked. "Is there a romance connected, Bill?"

"Not yet," smiled Dale. "But soon?"

"Who can tell?" Dale shrugged a little. "Tell me the news."

"All right," McLaurin drew his friend toward a pair of empty chairs. "I married Patricia Clavering the day before yesterday. We—"

"Bully! Go on."

"We were married in an automobile, with her father and 'poor dear Harry' chasing us like wildfire in another car. Yesterday we went to housekeeping in a cute little suburban bungalow, furniture on the installment plan. Her

feet, and you can go to sleep at the table. Don't fail us. Pat wants to thank you for 'resting her aside' at the altar."

Dale laughed boyishly. McLaurin went on:

"There's more news. Your father has been trying hard to find you. He sent a man to Atlanta to look for you. He told me he'd give me a house and lot if I'd find you—and if there was a little more of the highway robber in me, I'd call his hand!"

"And mother—have you seen her?" Dale muttered.

"I've seen her twice since the near-wedding."

"Did she have anything to say about me? Tell me the whole truth, Bobby. I can take it, old man. I'm big enough."

McLaurin frowned. "Since you've asked me, Bill, your mother—I overheard her telling your father that she would never forgive you for the 'utterly shameless, disgraceful scene' you made in church."

"I see," said Dale. He brightened and went on, "As soon as I can get my two friends down to the dining room, Bobby, you're going with me to father. We're going to claim that house and lot for you."

"For Patricia's sake, I've a thundering big notion to take you up," laughed McLaurin. "Your dad would never miss it."

"That's it—take me up for Pat's sake," said Dale, rising. "You'd be foolish if you didn't. You should be willing to do anything, almost, for Pat. She's a jewel, Bobby."

Half an hour later they caught a passing car that soon carried them to a palace of granite and stone and cream-colored brick—the home of the old coal king, John K. Dale.

At the wide front gateway young Dale drew back.

"Bring father out here," he said in a low voice. "From what you told me, I guess mother wouldn't want me to come in. But you can find out about that—"

He hoped his mother would want to see him. While she had never seemed to care for him as other mothers cared for their boys; while she hadn't been quite so dear to him as she might have been—

"And if she wants to see me, Bobby, let me know."

McLaurin smiled a somewhat worried smile, and went up to the front door. A moment later he was shown in. Yet another moment, and John K. Dale, his florid face beaming with gladness, hastened out to the gateway. Young Dale was instantly touched by his father's new attitude toward him; then he remembered the long night of David Moreland's people, and he stiffened a little and drew back a pace.

"You've come home to stay, haven't you, Carlyle?" said the older man, and his voice was filled with pleading. "What you did is all right; we'll never mention it again. You'll stay, won't you, Carlyle, my boy?"

"No," answered the son, a trifle coldly in spite of himself. "I've spent all the idle, useless years I'll ever spend. I'm getting ready to develop the coal in David Moreland's mountain."

"David—Moreland's—mountain!" The retired coal magnate breathed the three words in a husky tone. He put forth a hand and rested it against one of the huge stone gateposts, as though to steady himself, and some of the color went from his face.

"You say David Moreland's mountain, Carlyle?" jerkily.

"Yes."

"And you—you learned about David Moreland?"

"Yes," Bill Dale folded his arms and stood there looking at his father with eyes that accused.

"You know who killed him?" old Dale muttered.

"I do, and it was a shame—a black shame."

"Yes, it was a shame. Nobody knows that half so well as I know it," said John K. Dale. His mouth quivered. He looked downward, looked up again. "Son, you can never say or think worse things about me than I have said and thought about myself—because of that."

Dale the younger glanced toward the house. Robert McLaurin was coming slowly down the veranda steps. Mrs. Dale was nowhere in sight. She didn't want to see her son; she didn't even want him in the house. Bill Dale read it all in his friend's downcast countenance, and it was somehow a great disappointment.

"You'll need money if you're going to develop that coal property," Dale the elder was saying. "You haven't any money, and those mountain folk haven't any. I'll give you all that's needed. I'll send you mining machinery, and expert mining men; I'll—"

She turned her face the other way. "I was so lonesome, Bill Dale."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

International Literature.

Literature tends more and more to become a vast commonwealth, with no dividing lines of nationality.—James Russell Lowell.

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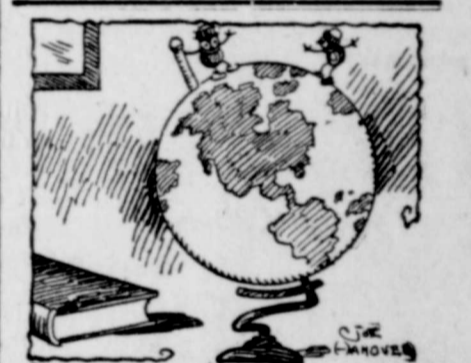
"Dyspeptics," he went on, "are all alike. I heard a typical dyspeptic giving an order in a loop restaurant after the opera the other night. The man is a millionaire and he said:

"Oh, dear, dear, when I was young I could eat anything and pay for nothing, but now that I am able to pay for anything I can eat nothing. Bring me, waiter, a broiled lobster, a Welsh rarebit, a piece of cherry pie with Roquefort cheese and a plate of banana ice cream to top off with."

Telephones.

Up until 1896 telephones were more or less of an experiment. The demand was small, particularly from residences. In a large number of homes, the telephones were placed in kitchens, it taking several years' time to educate subscribers to believe that parlors were more suited for them than a location alongside the kitchen range.

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FORDNEY'S FALSE FIGURES.
 Joseph W. Fordney, Republican
 of Michigan, is Chairman of the
 Ways and Means Committee which
 framed the tariff and the fat
 revision bills. His statement concern-
 ing these bills is generally accepted
 by Republicans throughout the coun-
 try as gospel truth. The average
 man has neither the time nor the
 means of checking them up, there-
 fore, Mr. Fordney's statement ought
 to be approximately accurate.

But what kind of statistics does
 Chairman Fordney hand out? Here
 are two samples:
 In his Tax bill speech Mr. Fordney
 said the railroads have already cost
 us \$4,000,000,000. According to the
 official statistics, they have cost
 us just \$2,600,000,000, as Represen-
 tative Garner (Dem. Texas) pointed
 out a difference only of \$1,400,000,
 000 between Chairman Fordney's
 statement and the fact.

In the public prints Chairman
 Fordney was quoted as estimating
 that the Tariff bill will yield a reve-
 nue of \$700,000,000.

Statistics show that the largest re-
 venue ever yielded by a tariff bill in
 any one year since the beginning of
 the Government was \$333,683,445.
 In 1910 when trade was good and
 foreign exchanges normal, Chairman
 Fordney's reported estimate would
 more than double the tariff revenue
 in a year when trade is steadily de-
 clining, when foreign exchange
 makes it impossible to make ex-
 changes in money and when the
 "American valuation" clause in his
 bill makes it impossible for exporters
 to know what rate they will have to
 pay.

Chairman Fordney either is igno-
 rant of the facts or he is delib-
 erately trying to fool the people when
 he makes such statements. In either
 any statement he makes?

SAVING MONEY.
 It was recently heralded in the
 press that Gen. Dawes, the new head
 of the Budget, had performed the
 miracle of saving \$112,000,000 in
 various departments. In the debate
 on the Shipping Board appropriation
 it developed that for many years
 various bureaus have turned back
 part of appropriations, which have
 averaged \$122,000,000, and that
 Gen. Dawes's saving was based on
 these figures under the assumption
 that the same thing would happen
 this year, which means that there
 would be no saving at all in this
 item.

Another illustration of how Gen.
 Dawes is saving money is found in
 his recommendation that \$125,000,-
 000 be appropriated for the Shipping
 Board to cover a period from July
 31, 1921 to December 31, 1921. This
 House and Senate Appropriations
 first recommendation from the offi-
 cial saver was repudiated by the

Committees, which cut the amount to
 \$48,500,000.

At this rate, how much money
 will be saved at the end of the year.

The International Court of Justice
 provided for in the covenant of the
 League of Nations is now assured,
 twenty-four nations as required hav-
 ing ratified it. The Assembly of the
 League of Nations at its meeting in
 September will take up the appoint-
 ment of the judges of this court.
 Among the names submitted for
 judgeship are those of Elihu Root
 of New York and Roscoe Pound
 Dean of the Harvard Law School.
 As the United States is not function-
 ing just now in matters of interna-
 tional justice, Mr. Root was nomi-
 nated by Brazil, Bolivia and Venezu-
 la, and Mr. Pound by Spain.

Chairman Fordney of the Ways
 and Means Committee of the House
 declared that he had voted over the
 railroads at the outbreak of the war
 in order "to put the President in a
 hole." With the assistance of the
 Republican members of the Senate
 Foreign Relations Committee, he
 succeeded, but he also put the coun-
 try what reliance can be put in
 try in a hole and he has put the Re-
 publican party in a hole as well.
 With a tariff bill denounced by lead-
 ing members of his party and the
 most influential Republican papers
 in the country, and a tax bill which
 satisfies nobody, not even the ultra-
 rich, whom it was designed to bene-
 fit, Mr. Fordney and his party are
 now engaged in pulling the hole in
 after them.

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 the Grand Union Tea Company hold
 until further notice. adv.

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 ports mother and child doing nicely
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The Morgan family moved on Monday to Albuquerque where the Misses Esther and Ruth and Mr. Willis Morgan will attend the University. Mrs. Earl Addy has rented Mrs. Morgan's house.

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No. 448.
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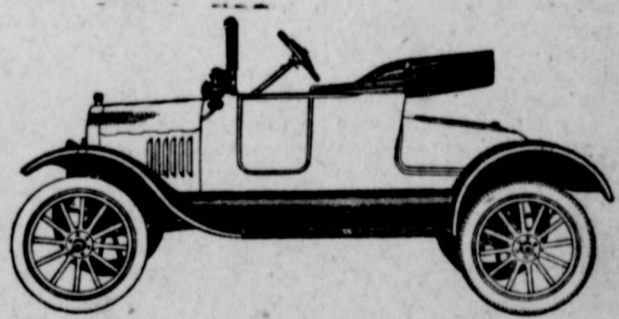
The State of New Mexico, To Whom it may Concern;
 Notice is hereby given that an instrument in writing which purports to be the Last Will and Testament of William W. Major, was on the 13 day of August, 1921, filed in the office of the County Clerk, at the Court House in Eddy County, New Mexico; that on the same date a petition for the probating of said will and for the issuance of letters testamentary thereon to John S. Major was filed in said office and that the Probate Judge of said county, by order, has fixed Monday, November 7, 1921, same being the first day of the regular November term of the Probate Court for Eddy County, New Mexico, at the Probate Court room in the Courthouse in said county as the time and place for offering proof on said Will and hearing said Petition and taking all proper and necessary action, upon both said Will and Petition.

Notice is further given that petitioner's attorney is J. H. Jackson and that his post office address is Artesia, New Mexico.

Witness the hand of the Probate Clerk of Eddy County, New Mexico, and the seal of the Probate Court this the 24 day of August, 1921.

D. M. JACKSON
 Probate Clerk.
 (SEAL)
 8-26-9-16

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Jimmy was playing in a neighbor's yard with other children. In the midst of their fun, Jimmie's mother came out and said: "Jimmie, what did I tell you to do? Didn't I tell you to mow the lawn?" Jimmie's face was all in a gloom then, because he hated that kind of work. As he came into his own yard, with his hands in his pockets, he remarked disgustedly: "Aw, gee, ma, you never was a boy."

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Sparrows Put Up a Fight.

When workmen, about to repair the roof of the Presbyterian church in Danville, Penn., used burning sulphur in an attempt to exterminate sparrows which had nested in the church's belfry, they were attacked in force by the birds and driven from the roof in confusion. Trustees of the church are considering offering a reward for the extermination of the birds.

A gronch is a man who thinks the world is against him—and it is.

Argument Didn't Work.

Wife—What did you mean by kissing Charlotte in the hall?
Professor—Did I? Really, I do not know a thing about it—I must have been absent-minded when I did it?
Wife—Huh! It's very seldom you are so absent-minded toward me!—Kasper (Stockholm).

A Clear Distinction.

"The Blanks and the Browns are both newly rich, but they don't associate."
"Why not?"
"The Blanks feel above the Browns. They made their money in refined sugar, while the Browns made theirs in crude oil."



X-Ray Tube Is Aid to Science

Dr. Lillienfeld Discovers Principle That Puts Roentgenology on New Plane.

EXPERTS PLEASSED WITH IT

Scientists Who Have Experimented With New Tube Believe With Doctor Lillienfeld That It Makes Roentgenology Exact Science.

New York.—By the invention of an X-ray tube based on a comparatively simple principle, roentgenology promises, for the first time since Roentgen discovered the mysterious rays that bear his name, a quarter of a century ago, to be an exact science. The inventor is Dr. Julius Lillienfeld, professor of physics at the University of Leipzig. He is also inventor of the X-ray tube that has been in general use in Europe for the last decade, and which from now on will be superseded by his more recent discovery. Experts who have experimented with it believe as he does.

Doctor Lillienfeld is in New York, having arrived from Europe a few weeks ago. He has already given a public demonstration of his new tube in the presence of Prof. George PeGRAM and Professor Davis at the department of physics of Columbia university and before the New York Roentgen Society.

Doctor Lillienfeld explained the principles of his invention to a Times reporter. He said his discovery was not only of interest to the medical profession and physicists, but to makers of wireless and all audion apparatus and amplifying devices.

"In order to explain the principle of this new tube," said Doctor Lillienfeld, "it will be necessary to recapitulate the history of X-ray tubes and to tell the manner in which X-rays are generated.

What Electrons Are.

"Let us begin with the electron: It is the smallest known component of matter and is always associated with an unvarying unit charge of negative electricity. The atom of hydrogen is the smallest atom known. Yet an electron is but 1-2000 part of the hydrogen atom. These electrons are always in motion. It is supposed by some that chemical atoms consist of collections of electrons having orbital motions in a sphere of positive electrification. Others ascribe them to disturbance of the ether.

"An electron striking any matter, target or surface produces X-rays. The electrons must have speed, and, indeed, they move with incredible rapidity. They are negatively charged particles of electricity. There are three factors, therefore, connected with the production of X-rays. They are electron, motion and the target."

Doctor Lillienfeld pointed to a knife blade. "The electrons associated with that piece of metal," he continued, "are beneath its surface and are retained there by some superficial force. To produce X-rays we must get the electrons out of the metal through the operation of some additional force. Roentgen used gas molecules, which were imprisoned in his glass tube in a partial vacuum, to get the electrons out of the metal, which, in this case, was the cathode by which the electric current leaves, in contradistinction to the anode by which the electric current enters, a vessel. The molecule of gas impinged on the cathode free-

ing the electrons, which, in turn, flew to and impinged upon the anode or target, from which they were thrown off as X-rays which penetrated the glass tube and scattered.

"The method of producing X-rays by the gas tube did not prove satisfactory. "In 1911 I made my first tube on a new principle. There was absolute vacuum in the tube, and I got the electrons out of the cathode by means of applying heat to it. With the combination of the heated cathode and the extremely high vacuum, the electrons would fly to the anode, or target, where they were given off as X-rays. "In 1913, Coolidge, in this country, applied the same idea to the tube now in general use here.

New Method Discovered.

"Two years ago I discovered a new method of effecting the release of the electrons from the cathode. This method has nothing in common with either of the two older ones. I started the electrons from a cold, unheated cathode in the presence of a high electro-static field. This actually pulls the electrons out of the cathode. The second distinctive characteristic of the new method is the shape of the cathode. I use a sharp-pointed or sharp-edged one, on the theory that the lines of electric force are concentrated on the sharp point or edge of the cathode. This proved to be the case

in actual practice and the electrons were readily pulled out. I might add that in this method the electrodes (cathode and anode) are brought very closely together.

"The application of the principle is not limited to the production of X-rays. It can be applied to all amplifying and audion devices and for generating electro-magnetic waves for wireless. The tube is less expensive than the heated ones because it contains no hot filaments and, therefore, no transformer is needed to supply heat."

Lay Bandit's Career to Siant in Skull

Tacoma, Wash.—Roy Gardner, mail train robber, in the federal penitentiary after two very sensational escapes from guards, may be operated on to "reform" him, according to "Mother McColl, woman agent of the Department of Justice. "I want to be operated on and lead the life God intended me to lead," Gardner told Mrs. McColl. "Gardner is a wonderful specimen of manhood," Mrs. McColl continued. "His tendency to crime is caused by a deflection of the cranium, and it is possible that surgical cure will eliminate it. "He is to be X-rayed, and the physician at the prison will send to Los Angeles for X-ray plates which are said to show the seat of his trouble."

Where Railroads Are Not Wanted

Afghanistan Years Ago Put Up "Keep Out." "This Means You" Warning.

SEND ENVOY TO WASHINGTON

Believed That Policy of Absolute Isolation From Rest of World Long Followed by Moslem Kingdom Is to Be Modified.

Washington.—The arrival in Washington of an envoy from Afghanistan, now perhaps the most mysterious country in the world, seeking the recognition of his home land and the establishment of diplomatic relations with the United States, seems to indicate that the policy of absolute isolation from the rest of the world long followed by this Moslem kingdom is to be modified. Light on conditions in this little-known region is shown by the following communication to the National Geographic society from Frederick Simpich and Haji Mirza Hussein: "The buffer state of Afghanistan, historic shock-absorber between Great Britain and Russia in Middle Asia, years ago put up a 'Keep Out' sign, a 'This Means You' warning, to all white men and Christians. The land is 'posted'—to use a poncher's phrase—posted against trade and concession hunters, against missionaries, and against all military and political hunters in particular.

"Keep Out" Sign Up. "And the 'Keep Out' sign is still up. Today the foreigner is no more welcome in Afghanistan than he was a hundred years ago. Forbidden Lhasa

itself is no more exclusive than brooding, suspicious Kabul, the capital of this isolate, unfriendly realm of fanatic tribes, of rocks, deserts, irrigated valleys, and towering unsurveyed ranges.

"For reasons of foreign policy, the amir has long left the necessity of securing his little-known land to the greatest possible extent from the outside world. Only a few Europeans, mostly British, but occasionally also an American and now and then a few Russians or Germans, have had permission to come into this country and to sojourn for a while in its curious capital. But even on such rare occasions as when a foreign engineer, or a doctor whose services are badly needed, is admitted by the grace of the amir, the visitor is subject to a surveillance that amounts almost to imprisonment.

"No ambassadors or ministers, not even missionaries, are permitted to reside in this forbidden Moslem land.

"Today no other monarch anywhere wields such undisputed authority or is in closer touch with the everyday life of his subjects. He personally runs his country's religion, its foreign affairs, and he even supervises much of its commerce. He also owns and censors the only newspaper printed in all Afghanistan.

"From the world war, though he took no active part in it, the amir emerged with singular profits. His old and once rival neighbors, Great Britain and Russia, drawn together as allies in the world conflict, left him a free hand, and in 1919 Great Britain officially recognized the political independence of this much-buffed buffer state, to whose rulers she had so long paid a fat annuity.

"With an area of 245,000 square miles, Afghanistan is, next to Tibet, the largest country in the world that is practically closed to the citizens of other nations. But political life at wary, alert Kabul is in sharp contrast to the meditative seclusion and classic aloofness of the pious lamus at Lhasa. Amir Amanullah Khan, through his agents in India and elsewhere, is in close touch with the world's current events; and, as the last remaining independent ruler of a Moslem country, now that the power of the Caliph at Stamboul is broken, he wields a far-reaching influence throughout the Mohammedan world; also, because his land happens to lie just as it does on the map of the world, it is plain that for a long time to come he will be an active force in the political destinies of middle Asia.

Wives Distributed as Gifts.

"From the Persians the Afghans got the idea of marrying more than one wife; but, like the Persians, too, they have found, to their dismay, that polygamy is nowadays more expensive than exciting.

"Sometimes, when the amir wants to favor his faithful officials with presents, or perhaps to play practical jokes in certain cases, he distributes women among them; but these 'gifts' often prove so troublesome that no great degree of gratitude is apparent among the recipients.

"Amir Habibullah Khan (who was assassinated in 1919) had a harem of over 100 women, and among these, strangely enough, were a few Europeans. The present amir, Amanullah Khan, has but one wife.

"The trade of Afghanistan is moved entirely by caravans and is largely in the hands of Hindus and Tadjiks. There is not a mile of railroad in the kingdom, the amir fearing that steel highways would make isolation impossible.

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Warning! Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for twenty-one years and proved safe by millions. Take Aspirin only as told in the Bayer package for Colds, Headache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Earache, Toothache, Lumbago and for Pain. Handy tin boxes of twelve Bayer Tablets of Aspirin cost few cents. Druggists also sell larger packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticester of Salicylic acid.—Advertisement.

Government Maintains Paid Hunters.

Strange as it may appear, the government employs hundreds of hunters. The biological survey hires between four hundred and five hundred hunters whose sole duty is to hunt and trap wild animals. In 1920 these pro- ever knew, but I don't suppose it would comfort his widow and sorrowful hunters "bagged" out 32,000 skins and scalps, divided among the various animal tribes as follows: Wolves, 584; coyotes, 27,100; mountain lions, 149; bobcats, 4,123; Canada lynxes, 43. To the average citizen of this country, especially in the thoroughly domesticated East, these figures might not convey practicality, but to the farmers of the western ranges they mean a saving in live stock of about five million dollars.

SWAMP-ROOT FOR KIDNEY AILMENTS

There is only one medicine that really stands out pre-eminent as a medicine for curable ailments of the kidneys, liver and bladder.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root stands the highest for the reason that it has proven to be just the remedy needed in thousands upon thousands of distressing cases. Swamp-Root makes friends quickly because its mild and immediate effect is soon realized in most cases. It is a gentle, healing vegetable compound.

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

Lost His Conscience.

Children have a way of taking the convict out of their elders.

And their nonchalance while doing it is refreshing.

A proud father was imparting some fundamentals of religion to Eleanor, his three-year-old.

"Yes, the Lord made everything," he said.

The little one smiled.

"Say, daddy, did the Lord make your funny old face?" she asked.

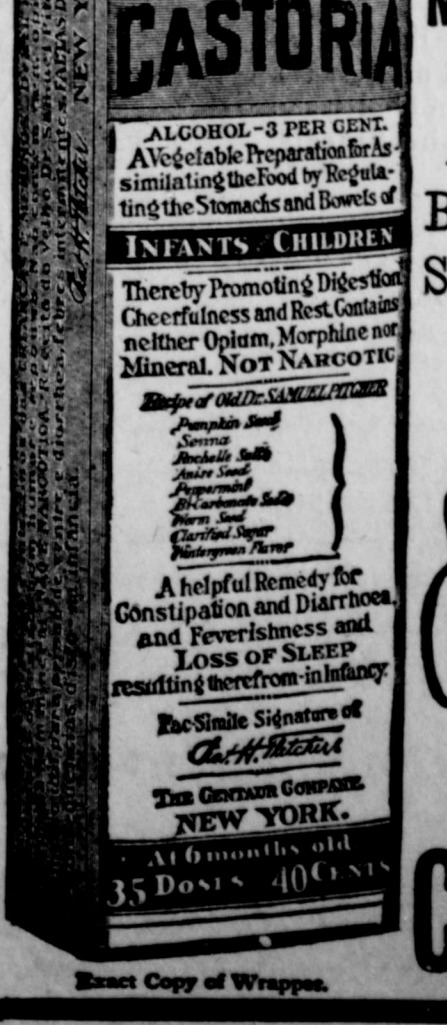
Fatherly Admiration.

"Most wonderful baby I ever saw!" exclaimed Mr. Meekton.

"Wonderful for what?"

"Courage. Doesn't hesitate to interrupt Henrietta when she's talking."

Even when you know people are trying to cheer you by the jollying process, you rather like it.



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Justifiable Aloofness.

"Wasn't it Omar Khayyam who asked for a book of verses and a jug of wine?"

"I don't know," replied Miss Cayenne. "I don't read him. In view of the jazz poetry that now circulates and the bootlegging incident to alcoholics, I am convinced that Omar is not at all a proper person."

Taken at Once. She—Compose me a short story. He—I love you! She—Accepted.—Cartoons Magazine.

Trying to Get Jobs for Ex-Fighters



The Aviation Club of Chicago is making a desperate effort to secure employment for ex-soldiers, sailors and marines. At the Princess theater four ex-service men occupied a box upon which was a sign stating that the men were looking for work. A speaker appealed to the audience to try and secure work for these patriots. Many of the audience were moved to tears and those who could not offer any suggestions as to where work could be secured offered money to the men.

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Big Jo Lumber Company

ANNOUNCEMENT--

Owing to the Loose Wiles products not all being here for last demonstration

The W.C.T.U.

will repeat Demonstration Saturday, September 3, serving Maxwell House Coffee.

All profits on Loose Wiles products and Maxwell House Coffee to be given to the W. C. T. U. for benefit of improving park

A FEW SATURDAY SPECIALS. COME AND SEE

Sanford's Cash Grocery

For Women Only?

Will the Righteous Judge consider the flimsy plea that you do not go to church because church is woman's sphere?

Christianity demands the best energies of red-blooded men. It is a man-sized job to fight himself and keep true to his highest ideals. Church-going helps.

Select some church and let it help you and you help it. If none other has a claim upon you come here Sunday.

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Meeting Continued over Sunday
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FOR RENT:—Apartment for light housekeeping. Enquire at the Major residence or phone 166.

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FOR RENT—Five room modern house, furnished. Geo. W. Welton.

FOR RENT—A 20 room second story rooming apartment. Choice location. Makins & Son, Abilene, Kansas.

FOR SALE. My eight-room modern residence, household furniture, chickens (all sizes), and one 4 year old Jersey cow, (giving milk). For price and terms call at residence. O. R. GABLE.

FOR SALE—Tomatoes, 2 1/2 miles east and 2 miles south of Artesia. In town, 3 cents. at my farm, 2 1/2 cents. A. Hnulik, 9-10

FOR SALE—One Tuppee automatic 10 ft. and one 14 ft. mill, both in good working order. With cylinders. M. Schenck, Artesia, N. M.

FOR SALE—My modern residence at a bargain if taken now. Electric lights, range stove connected for Hot water, bath room, tub stool, lavatory sink in kitchen, fine trees, garage. J. R. Hoffman, Advocate office.

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Keep An Eye on Your Eyes

and your life will be an everlasting procession of "sunshiny" days. Remember the eyes change—and weaken—with the passing years. Defects develop—**unnoticed**. **Know** that your eyes are right. See an optical specialist. If you don't need glasses he'll tell you so—gladly. But don't delay. Remember it's better to be safe than sorry.

Edward Stone

ANNOUNCEMENT

The church of the Nazarene, will begin a protracted meeting Sept. 19th. All Christians are invited to come and bring their unaved friends and loved ones. Rev. J. W. Terrell, of Arizona, will do the preaching and Rev. T. V. Cox in charge of the singing. You are invited. You are welcome. There shall be one aim, one purpose—the salvation of souls. COME!

We have Elgin Watches in 12 and 16 size, both 7 and 15 jewel at moderate prices.
A. F. ROSELLE.

Cleo H. Koger, one of our teachers in the Junior High received an appointment as teacher of English in the Porto Rican schools but declined and has returned to Artesia ready for work.

Miss Phyllis Polk returned yesterday from a visit to Denver and other points of interest in Colorado. Miss Phyllis accompanied her grandparents, who were here from Abilene, Texas, early in the summer.

We have a nice collection of diamond rings \$50.00 and up.
A. F. ROSELLE.

Mrs. Her and daughter Iris and Irene, have come to Artesia from Golden, Colo. Mrs. Her will have charge of the Commercial work in the High School.

Misses Mary Doss and Pearl Henderson left yesterday for their schools. Miss Mary will teach at Cooper, Lea county, and Miss Pearl at Malaga.

Soup houses that disappeared under the Wilson administration may be very popular this winter. The old Republican slogan of "a full dinner pail" is not in evidence at this time.

Miss Mina Collins entertained at twelve o'clock dinner on Monday, her guests being Mrs. Morgan, the Misses Esther and Ruth and Willis Morgan.

Miss Margaret Mathes will not return to New Mexico this winter, having accepted a position as instructor in music in the schools at Santa Paula, California.

The Government at Washington is at work for the West

FOR the first time since Roosevelt's administration there is now a government at Washington that is alive to the needs of the west, and zealously at work to do all that government can do to supply those needs.

Facing mighty national and international problems, President Harding and the congress have found time to study the situation of the west's great producing industries; the grain growers, the livestock growers, the miners; and to take administrative and legislative action necessary to provide credit and markets for these industries and to restore prosperity to them and the great states they sustain. Within six months President Harding and the congress have accomplished for the relief of western industries and for the restoration of their prosperity, these outstanding things:

- An emergency tariff protecting meats, wheat and wool.
- The framing of a permanent tariff law which will give adequate and enduring protection to farmers and livestock growers.
- The framing of a revenue law requiring the elimination of six hundred millions of dollars of government expenditures and lifting from the shoulders of all payers of federal taxes a full one-fifth of the burden laid upon them by war and the preceding extravagant administration.
- Initiation of the \$50,000,000 livestock loan pool; which has already restored demand for the range animals grown in New Mexico, at better prices.
- Enactment into law of the greatest financial relief measure in the history of the world;—the Agricultural Credits law; making available for financing and marketing the production of grain and livestock two and one-half billions of dollars and saving the livestock industry of the west from ruin by checking enforced liquidation and providing the long-time credits which will enable livestock growers of this and other range states to "grow out" of debt, and to grow back into permanent prosperity.
- Federal supervision and regulation of the meat industry, from the grower to the consumer, with adequate supervision of both producers and consumers markets.
- Regulation, through the Capper-Tincher law, of grain exchanges and boards of trade, and the admission to these exchanges of the representatives of farmers' cooperative marketing associations, on a basis of equal advantage with professional traders.
- The restoration to first place on the government's program of national aid for western development of the reclamation of arid and undrained lands.
- The elimination of increases in national forest grazing fees, proposed by the preceding administration; and the postponement until December 1 of the payment of this year's forest grazing fees; thus aiding livestock growers to pass safely through the crisis of financial stringency.

Changing to July 1 the final date for mining claim assessment work, a relief sought for and welcomed by every prospector and owner of an unpatented mining claim throughout the west.

THESE THINGS HAVE BEEN DONE FOR THE WEST, AND FOR NEW MEXICO during the first six months of the Harding administration. IN EVERY ONE OF THESE UNDERTAKINGS SENATOR HOLM O. BURSUM OF NEW MEXICO HAS TAKEN AN ACTIVE PART: IN SEVERAL OF THEM A LEADING PART.

It was Senator Bursum who launched the agitation resulting in the forming of the \$50,000,000 livestock loan pool.

It was Senator Bursum who led the fight which included livestock growers in the Agricultural Credits law.

It was Senator Bursum who forced reclamation work to the front by insisting upon federal arbitration of the water rights in conflict between Utah, Wyoming, Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona and California.

It was Senator Bursum who secured the agreement of the Senate finance committee to include hides in the tariff law and whose amendment to the wool tariff has been accepted as the basis for that schedule as the senate will adopt it.

President Harding and a republican congress will govern this nation for three and one-half more years. The work done for the west is so great that more and greater things are to be done. The work that Senator Bursum has accomplished is a guaranty of the greater service he can and will perform, working as he will, as a member of the administration, as one of its supporters and in harmony with its undertakings.

Should New Mexico send a democrat to the senate now, he would vote—against the administration. Such a vote would avail New Mexico nothing. He might criticize the administration and the majority in congress; but no helpful result for our state or any of its people could possibly follow.

Holm O. Bursum, a strong, aggressive, able man; already trained in senatorial service; already accepted into the councils of the national administration; already deep in a great program of constructive legislation to aid in up-building our state and the west; will have behind him in working out that program, the sympathetic interest and active cooperation of the national administration and of the majority in both houses of congress.

The practical interests and the welfare of the people of New Mexico demand that in the special election on September 20, we put aside partisanship, prejudice, the memory of past controversies, and that we send back to the senate Holm O. Bursum, the man we KNOW can do most for our state and its people.

MAKE UP YOUR MIND NOW THAT YOU WILL VOTE FOR BURSUM ON SEPTEMBER 20. GET YOUR NEIGHBORS TO VOTE FOR HIM. HELP TO SEND BURSUM BACK TO THE SENATE WITH A MAJORITY SO OVERWHELMING THAT IT WILL ATTRACT NATIONAL ATTENTION, AS HIS WORK FOR YOU HAS ALREADY ATTRACTED NATIONAL ATTENTION, AND THAT WILL FURTHER STRENGTHEN HIM IN THE WORK HE HAS SET OUT TO DO FOR THE WELFARE OF NEW MEXICO.

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