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SLATHERS OF APPLES.

Barrels of Vinegar

This Station This Season.

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About 200 Cars out thinking of apples. Cecill and will be shipped from the Artesia apples are synonymous terms, and station this year, and that is below one always suggests the other.

This man Cecill not only raises apples, but he talks about them, writes about them, dreams of them and eats them-baked apples for and are bringing a good price. This breakfast, apple dumpling for din- shows that the business of fruit ner, apple pie for supper. raw apples between meals, and all washed down all who understand it. with pure apple cider. Not only that, but his interest in the welfare of his neighbors impels him to suggest that every man, woman and METHODISTS HOLDS

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> "Despise not this some people think; because they give you a board to bat with is no hundred runs; in my first three trips to the wicket. I collected not a single tally."-N. M. University News.

Accident to Mrs. Simmons.

Mrs. Simmons, who with her Another contract was made with Asbury church, El Paso, preached husband, Rev. W. B. Simmons of Elk, N. M., was on her way here to attend the Conference, met with evening hour on Thursday. Rev. a painful accident. They were motoring along at the rate of about L. L. Thurston of Texico will twenty-five miles an hour when something went wrong with the The services on Sunday will steering geer and the car went consist of sermons by Bishop Du into a ditch. In some unknown

This accident happened nearly Among the denominational lead- one hundred miles from here and thought that a bone was fractured sprain.

3:45. There will be a special open for a general discussion. A large attendance is urged, both of from Lovington where she went Abe Burnett and tamily of Hope members and others who may be the week before to attend the

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Washington, Oct. 3.-Govera play for the local dramatic asso- country were asked by President conference here.

> ation. He announced that a their home.—Carlsbad Current. central agency would be maintained under the auspices of the conference to give national coor-

The president of the United Dads. Please take action. Pavement will furnish work for many a man and give him a chance to months besides making business good for every business firm.

FOOTBALL TOMORROW.

The second team of the Artesia High School football team will clash with the second team from the Roswell Military school Saturday. Artesia will use the first team back field men against the soldiers. The game will be played on the Artesia High School field, starting at 2:30

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On Monday when they met defeat agents. and were slightly battered and By the terms of the contract, scratched, another assembly was Mr. Crockett will continue as manfrom start to finish and gained much quired has already been deposited,

Basket-ball for the girls has been organized, with Mr. W. H. Newhouse needed. as coach. last year's record.

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went to the Colin Williams' ranch the well refused to give up its Urges State and City Heads Tuesday to build a house for Col. treasures, if it had any to give,

has quit the Institute at Roswell and the only value of their certificates entered Simmons' College at Abilene, was their artistic beauty. all round athletes in the Southwest well if the capital could be found and will be greatly missed by the to make a deep test. Institute.

As we go to press the Institute working diligently for months held between the Artesia and Carls- bring about the result that he has It has been accepted, fa- Harding in a public statement to- bad W. C. T. U. is in session at the finally accomplished. And it should Baptist church. soon be presented. The play has a day to organize in each commun- attendance from the two towns and Crockett that all the work he has Spanish basis, the author having ity machinery for the correction the papers have been very interest- done has been done without a bonof economic conditions along lines give a full report in next week's pa- of any kind. ing and helpful; the Current will us or commission or compensation Another activity which Feather worked out by the unemployment per. The following ladies are here and his hopes that the certificates chant, Van De Griff, Story, McNeil, constituted his incentive. The conference, the president Solomon, Roselle, Eipper, McCrary, than one half of his trees bore, but church also made a brief address much maligned game for it is not declared, had demonstrated that Baker, Carroll, Clark, Davis, Har-by the judgment of A. F. Phillips vey, Benson, Graham and Sanford. the head driller for the Illinois peoconditions could not be properly Messrs. Merchant and Stacey had the ple. met without such local cooper- honor of driving two of the cars in Mr. Phillips said before feaving was which the ladies made the trip from that he confidently believed the Kan-

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feed his family during the winter Another Non-Resident Sees Need of Paving.

D. T. Ward of Carthage, Mo. has sent in his signature attached to the paving petition. He owns the building occupied by Brainard J. T. Collins, W. M. Todd. Corbin Hardware Store. The petition does not need many more elected: feet to meet the request of the

Knows Pavement Value For Town Building.

Pittsfield. Illinois, Sept. 27, 1921 J. H. Jackson. Artesia, N. Mexico Dear Sir :-

Replying to your favor of Sept. 22, I am enclosing the petition which I have signed as trustee I did not know that Mr. Linell had

agreed to pay the extra \$2.50 nor did I know that we are to have ten years in which to pay for the pavement. Of course there is no question but that

it is the thing to do to help the making of a better town. Very truly, Lillian Vertres

INANCED BY EASTERN CAPI-TALISTS THE KANSAS NEW MEXICO WELL NO. 1 TO GO DOWN TO QUEEN SAND-WORK TO BE-GIN AT ONCE.

The Advocate is pleased by the Caraway of the Sophomores, Noah opportunity to furnish its readers

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Great interest is being taken in that L. R. Crockett, the manager athletics. An athletic association has been formed and tickets are has been formed and tickets are be- was trying to get some capitalists ing sold by Senior girls. The car- in Kansas City to finance a drilling

The Assembly Friday was a "pep" day with a contract in his inside meeting for the football boys, who

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called. Though the boys had been ager and the work will be under his beaten, they fought a clean game sole supervision. The money reexperience by playing with a strong- some in a Kansas City bank and some in local banks, which Mr.

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and it was temporarily abandoned. From that day to this most of Jo Ford Jacobson, an Artesia boy, the stockholders have considered Jo Ford is one of the best however, had unlimited faith in the

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Reorganization.

At a recent meeting of the directors of the Kansas-New Mexico Oil Co., new directors were chosen to fill vacancies. The directory is now as follows: L. R. Crockett, R. G. Knoedler, F. L. Howard, The following officers were then

L. R. Crockett, president. J. T. Collins, Vice-president.

R. G. Knoedler, Secretary.

A. C. Keinath, Treasurer.

KANSAS NEW-MEX. NO. 2.

This well has been hindered in its progress by the unusual amount of water encountered, but the obstacles are being overcome. The artesian flow was the heaviest ever struck in this valley. Not far below that another stratum of sulphur water was found. The casing is now being pulled preparatory to rimming out the bottom of the hole when casing six and five-eighths inches will be reset. That done drilling will re sume.

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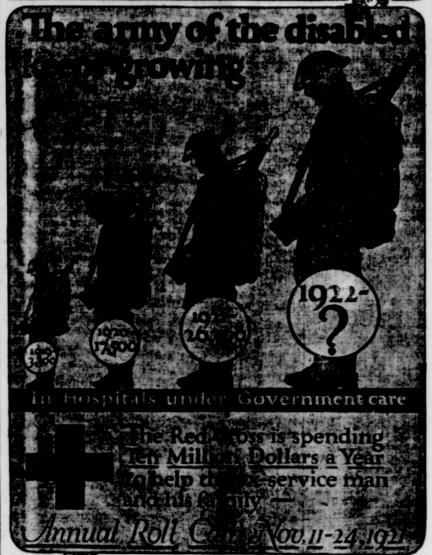
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has quit the Institute at Roswell and the only value of their certificates entered Simmons' College at Abilene, was their artistic beauty. A few, Texas. Jo Ford is one of the best however, had unlimited faith in the all round athletes in the Southwest well if the capital could be found and will be greatly missed by the to make a deep test.

As we go to press the Institute Baptist church. of economic conditions along lines give a full report in next week's pa- of any kind. chant, Van De Griff, Story, McNeil, constituted his incentive. The conference, the president Solomon, Roselle, Eipper, McCrary, their home.-Carlsbad Current.

conference to give national coor- guests at a splendid dinner given effort to find parties who would country home southeast of the columns until the evidences of succity Thursday: Bishop DuBose, cess were before our eyes. The president of the United Elders Cochran, Jones, Campbell, mation is as authentic as it will be States is pleading with you, City Rev. Glissom, Rev. Allison and welcome. Rev. Davis.

Another Non-Resident Sees Need of Paving.

D. T. Ward of Carthage, Mo. FOOTBALL TOMORROW. has sent in his signature attached to the paving petition. He owns The second team of the Artesia the building occupied by Brainard J. T. Collins, W. M. Todd.

Knows Pavement Value For Town Building.

Pittsfield. Illinois, Sept. 27, 1921. J. H. Jackson. Artesia, N. Mexico Dear Sir :-

Replying to your favor of Sept. 22. am enclosing the petition which I have signed as trustee

I did not know that Mr. Linell had agreed to pay the extra \$2.50 nor did I know that we are to have ten years which to pay for the pavement.

Of course there is no question but that it is the thing to do to help the making of a better town. Very truly,

Lillian Vert rees.

GOOD OIL

FINANCED BY EASTERN CAPI-TALISTS THE KANSAS NEW MEXICO WELL NO. 1 TO GO DOWN TO QUEEN SAND— WORK TO BE-GIN AT ONCE.

The Advocate is pleased by the Caraway of the Sophomores, Noah opportunity to furnish its readers

It has been known for some time Great interest is being taken in that L. R. Crockett, the manager athletics. An athletic association of the Kansas-New Mexico Oil Co., has been formed and tickets are be- was trying to get some capitalists ing sold by Senior girls. The car-nival, which was given for the ben-proposition here. The proposition efit of this association, was a com- was nothing less than that of going plete success, and the entire school on with the Kansas New Mexico No.

gratitude for its generous support.

The Assembly Friday was a "pep" day with a contract in his inside meeting for the football boys, who vest pocket by the terms of which

The men who have interested how the young warriors would look, Shukert and William Lehman, busseveral members of the team were iness men and capitalists of Kansas made by these gentlemen and their

called. Though the boys had been ager and the work will be under his beaten, they fought a clean game sole supervision. The money refrom start to finish and gained much quired has already been deposited, experience by playing with a strong- some in a Kansas City bank and some in local banks, which Mr. Basket-ball for the girls has been Crockett will draw against

The consideration to Messrs. Shushown and the girls expect to excel kert and Lehman is a percentage of the acreage and a certain inter-Let the Manual Training boys est in the well. As before stated solve the Christmas gift problem, the well is to go to the Queen sand How about a table lamp, floor lamp, which will be found at a depth of nut bowl, etc., etc.? See Mr. Pas- 1,600 to 1,800 feet. If oil is not found in that stratum the well may Rev. Hinsen from Texas gave an be drilled to a still greater depth,

This well has had a peculiar history. It started out with rosy pros-Mrs. Vella Brock spent several pects and the stock was popu-days of last week with home folks lar. It was a local company working with local capital. At a depth of 600 feet so much oil came out in Miss Agnes Feemster spent the the baling that experienced oil opweek end with Miss Bobbie Bond in erators advised the management to shoot it. It was given two shots which appeared at the time to be Carl Brown and S. O. Madison successful. But under the pump went to the Colin Williams' ranch the well refused to give up its Tuesday to build a house for Col. treasures, if it had any to give, and it was temporarily abandoned.

From that day to this most of Jo Ford Jacobson, an Artesia boy, the stockholders have considered

The man who never wavered was manager Crockett, and he has been working diligently for months a play for the local dramatic asso- country were asked by President held between the Artesia and Carls- bring about the result that he has About fifty are in be stated to the credit of Mr. soon be presented. The play has a day to organize in each commun- attendance from the two towns and Crockett that all the work he has soon be presented. The play has a day to be a done the papers have been very interesting and helpful; the Current will us or commission or compensation Another activity which Feather worked out by the unemployment per. The following ladies are here and his hopes that the certificates from Artesia: Mesdames Hise, Mer- of stock might yet prove valuable,

Mr. Crockett's faith was verified declared, had demonstrated that Baker, Carroll, Clark, Davis, Har- by the judgment of A. F. Phillips vey, Benson, Graham and Sanford, the head driller for the Illinois peo-Almost the last thing that give you a board to bat with is no met without such local cooper- honor of driving two of the cars in Mr. Phillips said before feaving was which the ladies made the trip from that he confidently believed the Kansas-New Mex would prove a paying well if the Queen Sand was reached.

The following ministers were Crockett had been successful in his The Advocate had heard that Mr.

Reorganization.

At a recent meeting of the directors of the Kansas-New Mexico Oil Co., new directors were chosen to fill vacaucies. The directory is now as follows: L. R. Crockett, R. G. Knoedler, F. L. Howard, The following officers were then

L. R. Crockett, president. J. T. Collins, Vice-president.

R. G. Knoedler, Secretary.

A. C. Keinath, Treasurer.

KANSAS NEW-MEX. NO. 2.

This well has been hindered in its progress by the unusual amount of water encountered, but the obstacles are being overcome. The artesian flow was the heaviest ever struck in this valley. Not far below that another stratum of sulphur water was The casing is now being pulled preparatory to rimming out the bottom of the hole when casing six and five-eighths inches will b That done drilling will re-

Mrs. Eula Lee and daughter, Miss Bernice, were in town from Lakewood Saturday, Miss Bernice is teaching at Rocky Arrryo



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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Department of the Interior, U. S. apples he shipped there and is

Land Office at Roswell, N. M., looking for more to ship. Sept. 13, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that Harvey D. Klopfenstine, of Artesia, who on July 8th, 1920, mad Original Homestead entry No. 047535 for S½ Sec. 3., and who on July 16th, 1921, made additional Homestead entry No. 047536, for Lots 9; 10; 11; 12; 13; 14; 15 and 16, Sec. on corner lot 60x140. Garage and 1, Township 16-S., Range 21-E., N. chicken house, plenty shade trees, M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of some fruit trees, one of the best 10intention to make final 3-year proof, cations in the city. House will last to establish claim to the land above for one hundred years if painted evdescribed, before S. W. Gilbert, U. on October 19, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Lovington Saturday and will spend some time here with friends.

from Texas He sold the car of

NOTICE OF CONTEST.

M., Oct. 3, 1921.

any of the several States.

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STATE LAND SELECTIONS.

M. Sept. 2, 1921

N. Mex. Mer., 960 acres.

Sept16Oct14

M., Contestee:

Good 8 roomed house, all modern, two blocks due south of old post office, one block south of Big Joe lumber office, and then across the street S. Commissioner, at Artesia, N. M., lumber to be found in America. on October 19, 1921. Plastered house, good large basement and summer kitchen, large bath Wade C. Cunningham, George R. room. Price \$3,600.00, one-fourth Long, these of Artesia, N. M., John cash down, one-fourth each year for Runyan, of Hope, N. M., Joseph O. three years at 8 per cent interest Richards, of Artesia, N. M. from date. This offer not good after from date. This offer not good after October 1st, 1921. House is insured for \$3,000.00, cost me \$4,200.00. Would cost over \$5,000.00 to build Mrs. Laura Kelley arrived from it today. Almost good as new, only a few years old.

A. L. SCHUSTER, Green City, Mo.

CO-OPERATIVE MOVE-MENT STARTED AT C. OF C. DINNER

(Carlsbad Current.)

Co-operation and harmonious action by Carlsbad, Artesia and Hope for the betterment and upbuilding of the Pecos valley was the theme most dominant at the Chamber of Commerce dinner held at the Palace notel last Saturday at which meeting visitors from Hope and Artesia were present and pledged their co-operation in this movement. After President Hubert had assur-

ed Mr. Wells a band will be a great thing for Carlsbad and the Commercial club will do everything possible to make it a success, he called on Rev. Mr. Moon, of Hope, who is also pastor of the Methodist church at

Loving, for a few remarks. Rev. Mr. Moon said he seldom attempted to speak without having a subject, but that he believed Carisbad was on the right track in trying to organize a band, and the Chamber of Commerce is certainly following the right path in their get-to-gether reetings where things of common indevised to solve the difficult problems which confront every cityrom time to time. Continuing, the speaker said: "The price of cotton s the indicator of all prosperity in the south and now is the time to get n fine on all vital propositions afecting the future development of his city and community. It is a and things which seem aimost imposthose needs a reality. I understand experiences as to its curative and health giving effect. re recos vamey to take care of all on seed produced here. From an restment point of view this oil mill vill beat your bank stock or anyill will be far reaching. If you pure muuce one cattreman to feeu pieces dwindle down to one lone ucts of this off mill he would forver after be your ally and a booster or the mill. The West is considered producer of raw materials only and ith this mill there is no reason way ii the cattle shipped from the l'ecos ton seed meal and nulls. There is no better ration for hogs and cattle than this feed. It is also good for orses and muies when they are not at work.

The Carlsbad project is the best ng staple cotton country in the rexas produces about ne million bales of cotton annually and there are only four counties in that state which can raise long stapie cotton. This county produces as Department of the Interior, United good long staple cotton as that pro-States Land Office, Roswell, N. auced in Texas and there is great possibilities presented for advancement in this line of endeavor. For To Joh B. Harris, of Artesia, N. Instance, good long staple cotton can You are hereby notified that William G. Sowell who gives Artesia, N. now being used by our M., as his post-office address, did on which would permit of more area be-Oct. 3, 1921, file in this office his ing planted. duly corroborated amended application to contest and secure the cantion th cellation of your homestead entry, cultivates the soil generally does not Serial No. 041908 made Sep. 27, 1920, for SE¼ Sec. 12 T. 17-S. R. 24-E., and Lots 3, 4, E½ SW¼, Section 7, Township 17-S, Range 25-E., N. M. P. Meridian, and as merce should be appointed to co-operate with the farmers in the purresidence on said land; that you there is to be had. I wish to extend to you the greetings of the Hope wholly abandoned same for more Chamber of Commerce and assure than six months last past; that you you we are willing to co-operate in absence from said land was not due any way for the advancement of Edto your service in the military or
naval organizations of the United Hope, the little city which nestles in States nor in the National Guard of the hills."

Judge J. H. Jackson, of Artesia, You are, therefore, further notified was present and asked for a talk. that the said allegations will be He responded by saying that any city taken as confessed, and your said needs a good band, and that Artesia entry will be canceled without fur- now has a band which is doing fairly ther right to be heard, either before well. He said their main difficulty this office or on appeal, if you fail was that the band boys often move to fife in this office within twenty but they try to anticipate that diffidays after the FOURTH publication culty and are teaching the young of this notice, as shown below, your boys music so they may take the answer, under oath, specifically re-sponding to these allegations of con-structor, the said Artesia certainly test, together with due proof that you would not be jealous if Carlsbad se-have served a copy of your answer cures a good band and suggested on the said contestant either in per- that the band instructor divide his son or by registered mail.
You should state in your answer after the band here is put in good time between Artesia and Carlsbad the name of the post office to which working shape, thereby lightening you desire future notices to be sent the expense on both places. Also he said the bands could be thrown to-EMMETT PATTON, Register. gether occassionally on special Date of first publication Oct. 7, 1921. events. Judge Jackson also said Date of second publication Oct. 14, Carlsbad and Artesia now have a good opportunity to co-operate to their mutual advantage by letting the con-tract for paving at the same time to Date of fourth publication Oct. 28, the same company. Construction companies say the cost of moving to such a small job will make paving come higher, so he thought this one way to cut down the cost. He said Artesia was going to pave their main street as well as put in a good sew-Department of the Interior, United erage system, and he thinks this States Land Office, Roswell, N. work will be done within the next

year at the longest. Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico, by virtue of Acts of Congress, has selected, be said it was the nurrouse of the through this office, the following lands: List No. 681. Serial No. 048978 further the interests of Eddy county R. R. B. F. N 1-2 SW 1-4, SW 1-4 as well as Carlsbad and said now SW 1-4 Section 1, T. 18-S. R 29-E.; is the time for all to get together NW 1-4 Section 27, T. 16-S. R. 28- and work in unison. He said that NW 1-4 Section 27, T. 16-S. R. 28- and work in unison. E., N. Mex. Mer., 280 acres.

List No. 687. Serial No. 049301 for this county it would be a good R. R. B. F. All of Section 24, plan for a committee composed of corresponding to the composed of plan for a committee composed of corresponding to the corresponding to the contract of the c E 1-2 Section 23, T. 18-S, R. 29-E., representatives from Hope, Artesia and Carlsbad chambers of commerce Protests or contests against any to confer and direct where this monor all of such selections may be filed ey shall be spent so that it may do the most good for the entire county. It is Mr. McIlvain's idea to have a in this office at any time before apbig dinner and invite Artesia and Register Hope at which time this committee

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will be formed and plans laid for fu- horn trying to play because

Mr. Todd, of Artesia, next enteract that if men will get together tained the diners by his wit and a talk by Mr. Schenck, of Artesia. discuss things their town needs emphasized the fact that our climate is the biggest asset the Pecos Valley noie to accomplish, they can make has, recounting some of his personal

his main thought was that harmonious action is conducive of great resuits to the recos valley of this sults. He illustrated by relating how he heard a band of five hundred

ture action. This will be acted on were playing at one place in the mu-by the directors soon. sic and some at another. The meeting came to a close after

> Mrs. P. M. Baker had the misfortune to break a wrist while at

Carlsbad last Friday attending a Dr. Lowry next spoke briefly and W. C. T. U. meeting.

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Owing to the reduced and limited acreage of Cotton tributary to Artesia it will not justify operating our Gin. Only at intervals, such as will care for the cotton. Therefore, we have set MONDAY OCT. 17 for first open date and by that time will agree upon dates of operation for the tuture.

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UNIQUE DESIGN FOR SMALL HOME

Makes an Attractive and Original "Homey" House.

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Has the Appearance of Big Structure With Many Rooms-Clever Arrangement of Rooms a Prominent Feature.

By WILLIAM A. RADFORD. William A. Radford will answer ons and give advice FREE OF on all subjects pertaining to the st of building, for the readers of this. On account of his wide experient liter, Author and Manufacturer, sthout doubt, the highest authority these subjects. Address all inquiries liliam A. Radford, No. 1827 Prairies, Chicago, Ill., and only inclose ant stamp for reply.

No matter what we have-be it clothes, automobile or what not-we like it to be original; to bear the mark of individuality. That's especially true of a house. We want our homes to be different from those of our ors, but at the same time we vant houses that are attractive in exerier appearance and comfortable and convenient within.

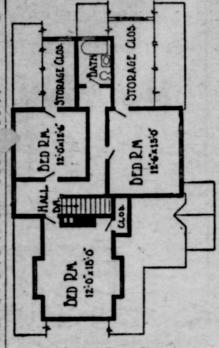
A few years ago builders were prone to erect a number of houses on the same street of the same design. Then it was difficult for a stranger to ad a certain house a second time. Lately, however, architects have been putting individuality into their home ng designs. No two houses, alngh they may be nearly alike in e. look the same from the outside.

eted home.
A striking example of exterior and interior treatment of a six-room house

as been utilized to make each bedm as large and well-ventilated as se are 54 by 30 feet.

While this type of house is un doubtedly more expensive to erect than one whose lines are straight and whose roof is not broken, it is very attractive and the owner will not find another one like it in his locality. This stamps it as an original and individual home.

Planning such a home as this is an experience from which any home builder can get a maximum of enjoyment. This house was designed to



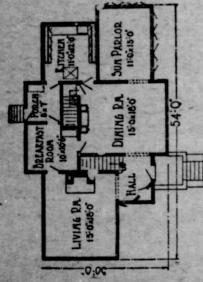
suit the individual needs of the family that built it, and the ideas of the owners as to what the interior should be and how the exterior should look.

This leads to the thought that the surest way to secure a home that while floor plans are designed to suit meets the ideas of the owner is the ideas of the owner and the size of to build it. Plans that are individual the family that is to live in the com- -that meet the needs of the owner and his family and his ability to finance can be secured and a pretty accurate idea of the cost estimated is the home shown in the accompany- before the contract for construction ing illustration. Here is a most at- is let. In this work competent adtractive house that has the appear- visors to the prospective builder are



rooms, with the addition of a large sun parlor and breakfast nook on the first floor and a great amount of stor-

The unique treatment of the exterior is shown by the illustration. The house is set on a concrete foundation and is of frame with shingled walls. It is in the broken roof lines that the house is out of the ordinary. All sorts of roof designs are included gable, hip and gambrel, while the



First Floor Plan.

roof extension over one of the dorers has exposed rafters, generally known as the pergola type. The floor plans show how well the

architect has arranged the rooms the house contains. On the main floor are a large living room, dining room and kitchen, with the addition of a sun parlor the dimensions of which are eater than are usually found, and a reakfast nook. The entrance leads into a square hall, out of which run the stairs to the second floor. To the left a cased opening leads into the living room, which is 15 by 18 feet and has an open fireplace in the innall is the dining room also 15 by 18 et, with the sun parlor, 11 by 15 et, opening out of it. The sun par-r has continuous casement windows sides, making it an airy and ful place in the summer and a bright, cozy sitting room in winter.

Back of the dining room to the right of the rear stairway is the kitchen, 11-by 12 feet, and to the left of the stair-

way is the breakfast hook.

Upstairs there are three large bedruens opening off a central hall, a bathreom and two large closets. This errangement is unusual, but the space

ance of a big structure with many | the local architect, the building conrooms. However, it contains but six tractor and the material dealer, Each of these men is a specialist in his business; the one in designing homes, the second in their construction and age space, or closets on the second the third in the quality and desirability of the materials that are to go

into the structure. By planning and building a home, the owner has a house that is his very own-it reflects his individuality and bears the stamp of his personality. If more homes had these marks the residence streets of the average town would be a great deal more attractive.

FEAR TO VENTURE IN SEA

Bathers in Pacific Island Waters, Among Other Things, Dread the Lurking Devil-Fish.

Terrors attending sea bathing at Tahiti, already numerous, have been increased by reports that a giant devilfish was seen recently hovering around the island, says a Papeete dispatch. First reports were received when

natives came into this port with a tale of having been attacked by a giant octopus about two miles east of here. Their story was not given much credence until sailors aboard the bark Roy Summers, which arrived a few days later, told of sighting near here a huge fish of the squid type.

As a result few persons are venturing into the sea. Besides the devilfish, there is the ever-present shark and a wicked fish called the nohu, which buries itself in the sand just off the shore and gives a poisonous sting to bathers unfortunate enough to step on it. Then, too, there is a certain kind of coral, which causes blood poison if it cuts the skin,

Seats of the Mighty.

Paderewski, the planist and politician, has often been worried by people who wanted to hear him play.

Before one of his recitals he was stopped by a man dressed very loudly, who said to him: "My dear sir, you'll pardon my speaking to you, but the fact is I find I can't get a ticket for your show. Have you, by any chance, seat to give me?"

"I've only one," said Paderewskl.
"You can have that if you feel 'fit to take it.'" "Thank you ever so much: and where is the seat?" "At the plano," said Paderewski,

Titus Wadde-I guess we for 'em all right. There's a chap who's married. Thinks we're still courtin'.
His Bride-Who's that?

Titus Wadde—The fellow in the andy booth. He tried to sell me a of peanut brittle for you.

QUESTION OF TREE PLANTING

Problem Is Worthy of Very Much More Consideration Than Is Usually Given It.

What kind of tree should one plant beside one's home? asks Good Housekeeping. Obviously it should be a fast grower. Also it should be ornamental. Preferably it should give a shade that is lofty and not too dense. A productive tree will answer as well as one that is merely ornamental. If a grafted tree is planted rather than a seedling it will produce in a very few years.

Nut trees are both ornamental and productive. The black walnut and the pecan seem to be well suited to this sort of planting. Why not try one or the other, or possibly both, one on each side of the house?

The black walnut is a rapid grower, reaches large size, and has foliage of great beauty. A mature tree will produce a great quantity of nuts. The pecan is also large and beautiful, as well as long-lived. Among the most beautiful and stately of the trees at Mount Vernon are pecan trees planted by George Washington and still in excellent condition. Commonly one thinks of the pecan as a tree for warm latitudes only. Both it and the English walnut will thrive much farther north than is commonly supposed. For planting near the house, then, the black walnut, the pecan or a good shagbark tree would be an excellent choice. The foliage of the walnut is always beautiful and in the fall the leaves of both the hickory and the pecan are symphonies in brown.

ECONOMIC VALUE OF PAINT

Great Mistake to Imagine That the Only Use of the Brush Is for Ornamentation.

Observation in most localities leaves the impression that too many buildings suffer from lack of painting. to assume that the use of the paint the average man, if he can forego the will tell you the creameries did it. pleasure of having ornamentation about. But painting is not chiefly valnable for ornamentation. It is chiefly valuable for sanitation, greater life, better service.

While paint does, of course, serve to improve the appearance of property, it is far more useful for protection than for ornament. A small amount of money and work expended in keeping a valuable piece of machinery painted will greatly add to its length of life. The same may be said of buildings.

Another useful object which is accomplished by painting is the improved sanitary condition of buildings and outhouses. The cost of such work (painting) is small, the necessary equipment is not expensive, and with proper care this will last a lifetime

Beacons for Motorists.

The flashing beacon used on the high seas by the leading nations of the world is now to be used as a highway guide for motorists,

Like the beacon at sea, the city traffic is an unwatched light, automatic in operation for months at a time. Fuel is supplied by an acetylene gas accumulator in the base.

To these beacons and highway lighthouses is applied the national system of colors approved by the committee of standards of the American Association of State Highway Officials, and by other national organizations and many cities in the United States, Red is used for first degree danger, yellow for second degree, and green for traffic danger only.

Two hundred cities are reported to have standardized on this national color signaling, which is that of the railroad systems, and almost as many have made installation of the flashing light traffic beacon as an effective warning for drivers who are partially, or wholly, color blind, and those who find It hard to distinguish the ordinary signal from other city lights.

The flashing beacon is the invention of Dr. Gustav Dalen, winner of the Trunk Highways Designated by Num. Nobel prize in physics in 1912.-From The Motor.

Advantages of City Planning. "City planning is merely a common sense set of rules and regulations for the city's growth," declares Charles A. Favrot, an ardent advocate of the proposed "City Planning Commis-

"A city plan shows where homes should be built, where industries should be located, and how traffic should be regulated so as to carry people from one part of the city to another with the minimum delay, while at the same time protecting the city's paving and the lives of its children."

Diamends In China. The gold mining bureau of Kwan gyinshan, Kirin province, China, has discovered deposits of diamonds in a gold mine now being worked, says Mil-lard's Review. The stones are large and of an appreclable fineness, and specialists have given the opinion that the deposit is worth while as a work-ing preposition.

GOOD ROADS AID PROSPERITY

Instance Cited of Virginia Community Where Great Progress Has Been Accomplished.

That good roads are closely related to prosperity there is no question of doubt. Only a few years ago this section of Virginia had but one macadam road, one creamery, which went to the wall, and a mere handful of pure-bred dairy cattle, writes C. C. Conger, Jr., of Virginia in the Practical Farmer. One not familiar with the many blessings good roads bring about might wonder in what way good roads would affect creameries and pure-bred cows. Let us take, for instance, Rockingham county, and see just what good roads did in this section in the dairy business alone, to say nothing of the prosperity good roads brought about in various other ways. Previous to our good roads the one creamery did some business during the summer months, when the dirt roads were at their best, but business dwindled to nothing during the winter months because farmers could not get over the reads to deliver their milk The creamery finally closed down for the lack of milk. About this time a mere handful of progressive farmers began a movement for better roads, calling a meeting at a little village centrally located in the county. The attendance was good, and a great deal of "good roads" enthusiasm was aroused. It was the first step in better roads that gained impetus by leaps and bounds. Today, in a few short years, we have a network of fine macadam roads throughout the entire county. Following good roads came creameries. They sprang up over night like mushrooms, till today the county is dotted with creameries, the sight of which does not look much like closing down for the lack of milk, particularly during the early hours of the day, when auto trucks are pouring in from the country, bringing milk from every nook and corner of the county. Pure-bred cows came with the cream A great many property owners seem erfes, till today scrub stock no longer dominates our farms. Ask any farmer brush is the special prerogative of the why he disposed of his scrub cows, rerich, that it holds no advantage for placing them with pure breds, and he



Stretch of Hard Surface Road in Vir ginia.

Ask him what brought the creameries, and he will tell you better roads. While milk has slumped somewhat at times in this section, it has never halted the dairy business, and farmers are now reporting fair profits in dairying. The wealth that good roads has brought to this section in dairying alone is astonishing. We are striving for more wealth and prosperity by building still more good roads. Experience has taught us that good roads, wealth and prosperity go hand in hand.

ROAD MARKERS AID TOURISTS

ber to Correspond With One on Official Map.

Since the adoption of a standardized system of highway markers by the state of Wisconsin, five other states and England have followed the model plan. Each of the state trunk highways is designated by number to correspond to the number on the official road map. Markers have been placed at close intervals carrying the number shown on the map, making it easy for the tourist to reach the most remote villages in the state.

AUTHORITY ON ROAD TRAFFIC

William Phelps Eno, Graduate Yale College, is an Expert

William Phelps Eno of Washington, D. C., a graduate of Yale college, in the class of 1882, is an authority on highway traffic regulations, having been closely identified for many years with the working out of the traffic large cities in various parts

NEW INTERPRETATIONS OF OLD FAVORITES



come and success than unaccustomed crepe de chine, velvet, cheviot, and in things can be.

like other blouses, and it is among They are endlessly varied, by comthose old favorites that are newly in- binations of materials and colors, by terpreted each season. Just now it new garnitures and by little original has smooth sailing in company with touches in the management of collars, skirts to match it and appears in the belts, lines and trimmings. middy suit as shown in the illustrafair, to be developed in any of the Some of the new models are highsturdler suitings, which will appeal to necked. Narrow frills of the matebusy and up-to-date young women, cial make an effective finish for them, whatever their occupation. In the pic. but there are many other ways of trim-

to measure others by. All we ask of our old fave ave long known. And now the new styles.

son, new interpretations of old fa- they can more than fill our expectavorites are more certain of wel- dons. They are made of georgette, their company are the perennial sheer The middy blouse is an institution, cottons that we have always with us.

Among tallored blouses, crepe de It is a spirited and youthful af- chine appears to be a favored fabric. ture it is shown made of serge in a ming them. The tie-back style reapsmall shepherd check, exquisitely pears with its elongated waist line and tailored, and is as crisp and snappy as sash ends. It is handsome in dark military uniform-never was any velvet, lined with contrasting slik that thing better suited to the American girl. shows through cut-out slashes bound in every particular this middy suit with the same silk. Velvet overblouses deserves to be accepted as a criterion with short peplums cut without sleeves and worn over georgette underblouses, are handsome and dressy that there shall be something new They are usually decorated with silk about them, some little cleverness or embroidery. Georgette and velvet are originality in their composition or chosen for the most elaborate models their decoration, or in the materials while crepe de chine lends itself to used, or in the ways of using those we plainer but not less distinguished

THE USUAL AND UNUSUAL IN NEW DRESS ACCESSORIES



I.L students of the autumn modes | make the handsome collar and vestee A agree in reporting them as fea- piece at the right. turing little that is strikingly novel, but they make up for this by come fancy combs for the hair. For the great variety in which accepted evening, combs decked out with flowstyles are developed.

match are promising for they provide ies. touches of vivid color to dark street

dresses. Two popular neck pieces appear in the picture, to be worn with suit coats or tuxedos. These two styles have several variations. The ruffled collar is made of net and has a line of hemstichting by way of alornment, as well as pointed scallops at its edge. Plain and embroidered swiss organdie with fine val insertion and edging

Along with other Spanish modes, ers or feathers foretell the return of Beginning with neckwear, among coiffure decorations and other varieties accessories, there are new develop- in combs ought to be welcome for ments in usual styles and a few un- daytime wear-certainly some variausual novelties. Vestees with cuffs tion in hair-dressing styles is overto match, made of gay peasant em- due. With the revival of combs, fans brolderies, small three-cornered fichus grow in importance; they have always of chiffen, finished with a narrow band borne each other company. Many novor a fringe of fur, and scarfs that are elties in them have been added to the an extension of the hat drapery are assortments that attest to a reawaknovel. The vestees with cuffs to ened interest in these levely accessor-

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TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION

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To tell the truth about a candidate's official conduct is not "throwing mud". The voters have a right to know his record and that of his party, whether good or bad. predict the future by the past. It has been said that the past is "water over the dam", but if it were muddy then it may be muddy again, when opportunity comes. To cry "abuse" slander", "throwing mud" is merely a ruse of those who have no defense. We condemn bitterness and falsehood in political campaigns and hope that all parties may attain to a nigher standard of truthful criti-

Why didn't you vote? Did you do Why did you think the your duty? other fellow would take care of the situation! Are you a citizen of New Mexico? Are you a tax-payer? Whose government is this? Is it a government of a class, a party or the whole citizenship? Why are you not interested in our govern- others might be made. Are not the thousands of you vote for united States Senator to admit that money was spent by and all the amendments in the last the Republicans in Santa Fe county local than state or national officials: | cally" county, state and nation and vote that \$9,000 was shipped into this according to what you believe to be county according to schedule right at the next election?

NEW MEXICO.

in a paid Republican advertisement to good advantage were properly of the Artesia Advocate September supplied when some "messenger" arimmediately in the \$50,000,000 tive-stock loan pool, which stopped the flood of forced' liquidation of livemeasure, saved the livestock industry from an overwhelming disaster.'

statement to a Republican newspaper while in the state a few days ago: President Harding alone was responsible for the \$50,000,000 loan for stockmen".

Who has misrepresented. Fall or wonder, we cannot comprehend when he recommended that Newber-Just think of the Republican state ry be seated. committee trying to make New Mexabout a man's past. think about it, New Mexicans?

A NUT FOR THE G. O. P. TO CRACK.

claiming credit for things accom-plished by others in Washington. courts may be also mentioned. This is the situation which

by the voters (of San Miguel, Rio Ar- quarters after the election: riba, Socorro, and Valencia coun many votes do you need?"

In this "mud slinging," it seems during this campaign than ever bethat we have most distinguished fore. company-none other than the Honorable, the Secretary of the Interior that the more rope the old bosses

yesterday said that: The president alone was responsi- example. anything to do with it.

credit for things which they have their effect in New Mexico elections.

definitely of obtaining votes under It is organized, systematized, effifalse pretenses and of an effort more cient and working every day of ev-

has not charged Mr. Fall with being more or less helpless where it should one of the "mud slingers". It is assumed that he can speak more or less authoritatively of things done of what will happen if the Old at Washington, as one who for years Guard territorial organization contook a prominent part in the affairs tinues to be given rope.—Santa Fe of the United States senate and now New Mexican. occupies one of the highest and most responsible positions in the national

It is unnecessary to say moreover the winter here,

ARTESIA ADVOCATE that Mr. Fall is New Mexico's most prominent Republican to whom the organization in this state has pointed with pride for twenty years.

It is going to be highly embarrassing for the Republican campaign committee and its organ to brand Mr. Fall as a Deliberate Falsifier or his statements as Venomous Personal Abuse.-Santa Fe New Mexican.

THE NEED OF ORGANIZATION.

New Mexico:

Santa Fe New Mexican, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

"Gentlemen: I have been reading your paper the last tew weeks and it is unnecessary for me to inform you that I am a Democrat. Your explanation of the way the voting was done on election day in Santa Fe county and other places was a surprise to me as I thought that years ago we did away with that kind of voting. I have been told by a railroad man here that in Belen there was some very careless voting. It occurs to me that the amount of votes registered in some of the western counties is very high for the number of citizens and I wonder if you ever compared the number of votes cast in this election with the number of citizens you are supposed to have in the various counties. If this was done maybe some startling things

would develop.' This is a pertinent suggestion and

The editor of the Morning Journal votes cast made up of units? Did has thought it wise to go so far as Why are you so much on election day. He indulges in the more interested in the election of little fiction that it was raised "lo-In the course of time he Wall you think about your town, will likely get around to admitting turned loose on election day; that a similar consignment was received OTHERS NEED TO REPORM 1. in Taos at about the same time; and that persistent and quite believeable reports are numerous that other The following statement appeared counties where money could be used "Bursum's proposal resulted rived from Washington at the elev enth hour.

It is unnecessary to refer again to the fact that close to \$100,000 wa. stock loans, and as an emergency spent by the Old Guard to carry New Mexico last year. Nor to comment y from an overwhelming disaster." again on the fact that this election secretary A. B. Fall made this so far as the Republicans are concerned is an endorsement of the spending of some \$300,000 by United States senator to get elected The Republican campaign committee expressly approved the Newberry method of securing public office the Republican state committee? We which was approved by its candidate

The active participation by school icans believe that Bursum controlled superintendents and judges in electhe congress of the United States. tion day activities in New Mexico; There is more abuse in misrepreture the record of state land officials in sentation than in telling the truth using what should be the public ser-What do you vice virtually lessees for political purposes; the fight made by the land office with if we had paper in tablet form.

This is the situation which conwent further; and even after the It has been the situation ever since election the Herald continued vio- the days when, as the Congressional had been indignantly "repudiated" when the Valencia bosses wired head-

The opposition was less organized part of the country is barren, but

And the election showed clearly of the United States, Mr. Albert B. are given, the more outrageous will become the condition. Santa Fe Mr. Fall in an interview published with the secret ballot made a farce by some mischance in the Herald and a flood of money turned loose on election day was the most notable

ble for the \$50,000,000 livestock Unless this system is to swamp men's loan—and no one else had the state and make its redemption absolutely hopeless, honest voters That no one in New Mexico knows must organize, must keep organized anything about the McNary bill; that must have a watcher for every Old the original bill has been lost com- Guard organization man at every pletely and only a few men in Wash- poll, must get in shape to get the ington know what the substitute for evidence and prosecute; must educate the people so that race and re-Members of congress, says Mr. ligious arguments, fantastic misrep-Fall, with courteous vagueness, "take resentation and money will fail of

Most important of all, the exposure are the Evening Herald, the Re- of these methods must be so compublican Campaign Committee, Mr. plete and convincing as to make it O. L. Phillips, Dr. David R. Boyd, et impossible to dupe good citizens incetera, ready to take the stand and to lending their support to the ordepose and say that Mr. Fall is a ganization because they are misled

Malicious Liar?
Or do the Bursum campaigners merely stand convicted a trifle more downed irrespective of party lines. or less successful to hoodwink and ery year. The fight against it is mislead the people of New Mexico? generally organized on the spur of So far the Prevarication Bureau the moment, imperfectly financed,

Mrs. Branch, mother of Mrs. government, as well as being closer to the president probably than any day from California and will spend

GANG WAY!

Comrade Funkhouser of the Bailey ranch, spent the week end in Ros-

Grant was shot while leading his men in action. Old Veterans tell us he was half shot at Shiloh.

The Red Cross ladies at Carlsbad served sandwiches and coffee to the ex-service men during their stay in

Adjutant Fred Cole was head line-

man at the football game in Roswell Comrade Howhater almost had a collision with the Doc in charge of the Clean-up-squad at Carlsbad Mon-day. See him for particulars.

The Artesia aggregation that went old Uncle, himselt.

obtained by any of them.

Now adays when a young man is heard pleading with a girl to fly with him to regions unknown he is merely trying to persuade her to go So you have seen the real front? out to the aviation field .- Foreign You haven't-not a chance

After appearing before the Clean- It wasn't shell and fire ap-squad at Carlsbad Monday, David That aching line of red-Crockett Cogdell said: "I have about The true front? The real front? the same chance of getting my teeth Where a Mother's heart has bled. worked on as Henry Ford has of be ing elected mayor of Jerusalem.

The following members of the post appeared before the Clean-up-Squad All Greek to you and me. at Carlsbad Monday: Samelson, She reads the towns, she reads the Bishop, Cogdell, Brewer, Briscoe, Brainard, Rowan, Vogel, Muncy, Then one name ringed in red-Bates, Wiseman, Howhaler, Brown- The real front? The true front? lie, Doss, George, Edmondson, and Where a mother's heart has bled.

When you see a soldler on the Don't look on any map, heart sick for company just as you Quiet crosses watch the dead-did three or four years ago? He Only God can raise the crosses go through hell for you now. Take

A business man came into our office the other day and inquired the use of automobiles paid for by We informed him we did not frontage for pavement when the the taxpayers to keep the land office a cog of the Republican machine and During the campaign just recently prevent its being placed in the hands the paper to any size and make it can be safely said 90 per cent of closed, the Republican campaign of the people; these are a few more items which with the foregoing send away and get it so cheap it why do you not heed to the wishes deliberate falsehood?" the assertions that Mr. Bursum was not responsible for the livestock loan pool, attempts made to buy off R. H. Hansponsible for the livestock loan pool, that he had accomplished nothing that he had accomplished nothing for New Mexico in connection with the attempts to purchase newspapers the man's store, and we may do sed paved district. Why should the McNary reclamation bill and that the attempts to purchase newspapers or silence them by the misuse of the was seeking to get votes by or silence them by the misuse of the it shortly and not only that, there we be compelled to ask people are mail order houses who desire living in Washington, Florida, The official organ of the Bursum fronts those working and fighting to to advertise in the Advocate and California, or Maine about the The official organ of the Bursum troks these was Mexico politically. are willing to pay cash at that necessity of paving Main street of Boost your town you darn fool Artesia? We ask these questions election the Herald continued vio- the days when, as the Congressional lent denunciation of these and other Record shows, the people of Valenassertions as "mud-slinging" and cia county were voted alphabetically you anything to put column after they should be answered in the column in your paper boosting same manner. your town, no! no! "One

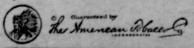
there is another which is fertile.

it is fine for one's health.

The barren country has its use:



Notice this delicious flavor when you smoke Lucky Strike -it's sealed in by the toasting process



HOT STUFF!

KEPPLE POST LEGION NOTES BY'R. H. ROWAN

New Mexico is at last off the a little time and revive the old spirit. 'slacker list''. Amendment 4 car- You will be glad that you did it.

There is one thing that we ought to be ashamed of. We mean manner of helping the disabled exservice men. The help they get is handed out like charity and then some folks wonder why they complain. Compensation and vocational training in a large measure is very little at most. Let it be grant-ed as a matter of right.

Another delightful dance was held at the Odd Fellow Hall Saturday night, Hamilton's orchestra furnishing the music. The Jazz Hounds officiated at the Charity ball in Carlsbad the night before and un-Saturday between Artesia High doubtedly made a hit, as sixteen school and Battery "A" of Roswell. couples from Carlsbad were in aftendance at the Baile here. Next dance Saturday, October 15th. Same mu-Same place.

IN TERMS OF ARTILLERY.

In a recent letter from a member to Carlsbad Monday did a good job of the local post, now residing in of cleaning-up on the excellent feed Ohio, he highly praises the Hot Stuff at the Crawford, furnished by the Column and thinks we have launched a mighty good thing which ought to land us on the very pinnacle of The government Clean-up-squad popularity among the Vets of Kepple made a one day stand in Carlsbad Post. He says, in the field of Several of the boys from journalism you're Howitzer, a "75" the local post appeared before the and 120 kilometre cannon all in one, board but very little satisfaction was Along the same line he added you are making a hit and not a "dud' so far. Keep up the good work.

THE FRONT.

Not anywhere in Belgium Nor It'ly, nor France

From Alsace to the Sea, A lot of names of towns, and hills

names,

If you want to find the real front streets do you walk up to him with Just ask the gaunt-eyed woman a cherry grin and a spirit of hello With the picture in her lap; buddy? Do you know that he gets Now in Flanders and in the Argonne He Only God can raise the crosses was your buddy then and he will Where the Mothers' hearts have bled -P. BAUKHAGE.

WHY DO YOU?

THE RIGHT SPIRIT.

In conversation with Judge Jackson yesterday, he said, "I will give the city all the legal ad-Mrs. R. T. Ferson entertained vice free of charge simply to help a number of young ladies at a build our town." The Advocate delightful party last Monday, will publish the financial state-Unless this system is to swamp complimentary to Mrs. Walker ment of the city as turned in by the Treasurer free. This has not been published since 1919 and the law says it must be published once each year. The time for publication is August 1, of each year The Judge did not know we intended to publish his statement but he sure has to stick with his word if the town board gives him a chance to save the city \$250.00 per year.

Miss Jacque Ward entertained a number of her young friends with a digner Wednesday, the occasion being her seventh birthday,

"Duffy" the up-to-date clothier of Roswell believes in advertising. Read his add in this issue.

A. J. Basil and C. F. Neuans of San Antonio, Texas, were Artesia visitors last Friday. Mr. Basil owns land near Artesia and said that all Artesia needed was paved s reets to make a good town

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When you come to Roswell call and see Duffy the Clothing Man.

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You would not live in a community without a church. Give it your support-your time, your brain, your thought, as well as your money. Come to church Sunday.

> For the wages of sin is death; but the free gift of Gil is eternal life through Christ Jesus our Lord.

Hear the Bishop. It will beat golf, ball or any other game.

Bishop H. M. DuBase, of Birkley, Cali. will preach the sermon at the Methodist Church. Come early and get a good

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Father!

What is your boy doing? Start a savings account for him.

A word to the wise should be sufficient.

The First National Bank

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Tom Whitted has returned from Denver where he went to oversee family in from Rocky Arroyo in some mechanical work for the order to get the benefit of the United States Wool Co.

Mr. DeArcy has moved his Artesia schools

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Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Preaching 10:50 a. m. and 8 p. m. Rev. T. V. COX, Pastor

Episcopal Church.

Paul's Episcopal Mission every did the Battery. The high school lads rallied and held the plunging second and fourth Sunday evening soldiers to only one touchdown in of Carlsbad officiating.

CHURCH OF CHRIST.

Bible school every Lord's day, starting promptly at 10 A. M., followed by communion services. church to attend communion services. Everybody is welcome to our services. We extend a hearty invitation to all strangers who have just moved to our city. Let every member of the church be present on next Lord's day.

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(Lake Arthur)

Preaching every second Sunday jured side. 9:45 Sunday morning, S. S. at 10 o'clock. Epworth League at 6:30. Everybody welcome

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11:00 a. m. Morning worship with sermon by the pastor.

7:00 p. m. Young Peoples Clyde.

are cordially invited to attend any and all these services.

E. E. Mathes, pastor.

Major Trontman, instructor in will speak at the first meeting of bought a half interest in the South-Major Thontman was a member of on that date, according to announce ment made Monday by Dr. Major. the Hewitt expedition which spent | The other half interest in the saniwest and the lecture will lead up the institution. to part of the work. The ladies While regretting to leave Fulton, he and his family having become byterian church at 3 o'clock.

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AT ROSWEL

HEAVY SOLDIER TEAM OUT-CLASSES LOCALS. CLYDE AND YEAGER PLAY STAR GAME. C. COLE AND KLOP-FENSTEIN HAVE HARD LUCK.

The local high school football eleven met the husky Battery A eleven on the Roswell gridiron last Saturday. A fast brand of ball was played, regardless of the 49 to 0 score in favor of the soldier team. Classes for all sizes and ages. The high school boys, who average only 147 pounds, met this husky Battery team, with an average of 11:00. Prayer meeting Wednes- 168 pounds, in the first big game of day, 7:45. Junior and Senior the season. The tack of experience and knowledge of the game was a Unions, 6:45. Evening Services, serious handleap to the local boys against such men as Jones, Texas College star, Duffy, army star with an enviable record, Bassett and Hedgecoxe, former N. M. M. 1. stars and others with like records.

The first quarter ended with the score nothing to nothing. The scrappy high school boys seemed to sur prise the soldiers, by holding them scoreless in this period. However, the gruelling contest began to tell on the boys during the next quarter. Duffy, Jones, Bassett and Hedgecoxe You are a stranger here but once. would plunge through the line or circle the ends with long gains. Three touchdowns and drop-kick were registered before the whistle blew for a rest.

Coach Adams made a few changes and sister, Mrs. Otis Brown. There will be services at St. in his lineup for the last half as of the month. Rev. F. A. Hiler the third quarter. Duffy was forced to punt several times during this period.

The last quarter was very trying to the locals. of the opposing backs was too great for the little gridders. The Ros-well eleven began a series of forward passes that were successful. Jones and Bassett repeatedly received passes and raced for long gains and touchdowns. of 49 to 0 makes the game appear more one-sided than it really was.

I. Klopfenstein was forced to leave the game in the last quarter with a twisted ankle. C. Cole, quarterback. had the misfortune to split his nose. Dr. Fall took a stitch in the injured member immediately after the game. Sterling was taken out with an in-

The kicks of Capt. Tom Bullock averaged as well as those of Duffy. pastor. Song service for children Clyde played a stellar game, especially in returning punts and kickoffs. The tackling of Yeager was also a feature of the game. Many times, this gritty player would meet the opposing backs with the force of a locomotive. He also broke up sev-

Following are the lineups: Battery 9:45 a. m. Sunday School G. A.L. end, McKenney; L. tackle, Burns; L. guard, Hearn; center, Bond; R. guard, Vorheis; R. tackle, all ages and sizes. A class for Brown; R. end, Birdsell; quarter-back, Duffy; L. half, Jones; R. half, Hedgecoxe; Fullback, Bassett.

Artesia H. S .- L. end, E. Klopfenstein; L. tackle, Morris; L. guard, Welsh; center, Stoldt; R. guard, Jackson; R. tackle, Davis; R. end, Sloan; quarterback, Cole; L. half, Sterling; R. half, Bullock; fullback,

Substitutions—Yeager for Sterling,
Turknett for Morris, I. Kiopfenstein
for Sloan. Burrows for Hedgecoxe, Sandoval for Hearn, Chasser for Birdsell. "BY SCOOP."

DR. MAJOR TO LEAVE FULTON.

Dr. Hermon S. Major, of the medithe Military Institute at Roswell, cal staff of the State Hospital, has the Club which will be held on will become medical director of that west Sanatorium of Kansas City and Wednesday afternoon, the 12th. institution October 1, leaving Fulton

the summer in archaelogical re- torium is owned by Dr. J. Y. Simpsearch in New Mexico. The club has been changed to the Simpsonwill devote the winter to the study of New Mexico and the south- mild mental diseases, drug addicts and alcoholic patients are treated in

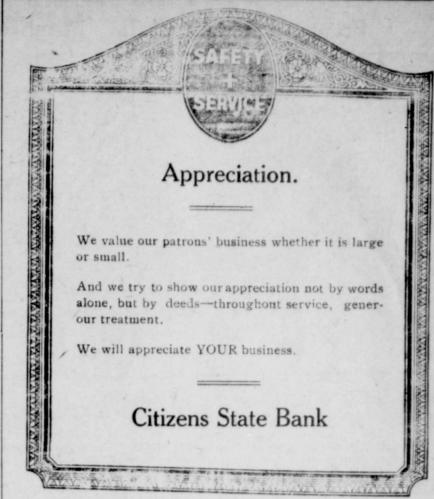
of Artesia and vicinity are cor- very much attached to the town and dially invited to attend the lecture its people, Dr. Major says that he feels he has made a fortunate move, which will be given at the Pres- as the sanitorium to which he is going has been in operation in Kansas City for seven years, and is well established in that community. It Mrs. E. E. Solomon received is situated in one of the best resihe sad news Saturday of the dential sections of the city, and he death of her mother at Fayette- torium. Going to Kansas City is and his family will live in the saniville, Tennessee, and left that like going back home, Dr. Major says, for he was born and reared at Pleasant Hill, 25 miles from there. Mrs. Major was born and reared at Mr. and Mrs. L. Storey depart- Belton, also 25 miles from there, and

Mr. and Mrs. L. Storey departed Sunday for an auto trip to points in the north pari of the state and the Panhandle.

Belton, also 25 miles from there, and he practiced at Hardin, 50 miles distant, for eight years, and is well acquainted with many of the physicians in Kansas City.

Dr. Major has been on the medical staff of the Fulton State Hospital since June 10, 1913, with the exception of six months spent in the since June 10, 1913, with the exception of six months spent in the army, and has had enough practical experience to qualify him well for the new position he is to assume. He and his family have formed many friends in Fulton, during their residence here, who regret to see them leave, but who also wish them greatest success and happiness in their new home.—Evening Gasette, Fulton, Mo.

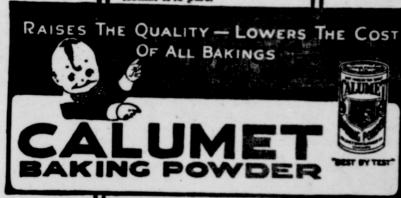
The Advocate Phone No. Is 7.



Turner Smith came down from marillo, Texas, Thursday to visit his mother, Mrs. Sallie Smith

freight and collect and deliver laundry. Trunks and baggage called for and delivered. B. D. WILSON. Phone 207.

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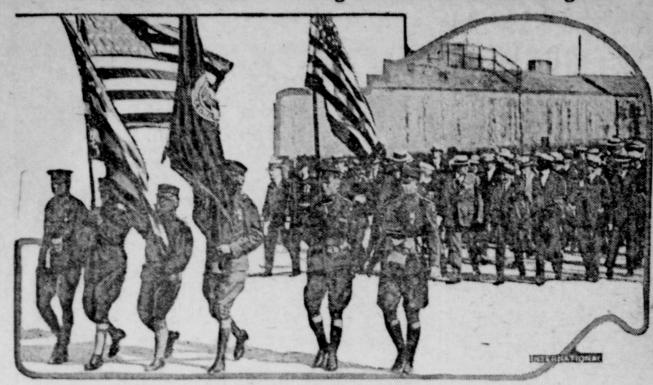
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France Welcomes Visiting Members of the Legion



The members of the American Legion on their arrival in France aboard the S. S. George Washington, were accorded the greatest reception ever tendered a foreign visiting body. Naval, military and civil authorities turned out to pay respects to the men who fought on the battle fields of France. The Legion is in France to dedicate a to the American soldiers who fell on the French battlefields. The visitors are here seen marching

Animal Pests Worry Farmers

Sometimes Hard to Tell Which Are Useful and Which Are Nuisances.

MILLIONS FROM THEIR FURS

How Those Which Must Be Exterminated May Be Trapped, Is Told in Bulletin of Biological Survey-Rats and Mice Worst.

Washington .- Practically every farm is overrun at times by pests of one kind or another. Farmers, therefore, the bran. Wild rats and mice may find it necessary to kill such pests in be trapped readily at the entrance to order to prevent them from injuring their burrows or in their runways, their property or crops. Some he de- the traps and the manner of setting by employing traps.

habits of the animals," says Ned Dear- woodchucks are usually caught in born in a bulletin of the bureau of, steel traps set at the entrance to their biological survey, "and of proved burrows. Sometimes it is not necmethods of capturing them is impor- essary to cover the traps, but as a tant if the farmer is to combat them rule it is advisable to press them well successfully. Besides such out-and-out into the earth and cover them lightly gophers, some other animals are oc- be at hand. casionally harmless, but, having valuable skins and being classed as fur means of an apple or carrot or a bit bearers, are given special considera-

fur puts into the pockets of American | wary. They may also be caught in trappers millions of dollars a year, which, until the harvest, has not cost dens, which are often located in cliffs. them a single effort. Moreover, sev- Cottontail rabbits are frequently deeral of the furry tenants of the farmer structive to young fruit trees and garnot only are not pests but are useful den truck. They may be caught in while alive. Foxes, for example, de- box traps baited with sweet apple, stroy many rabbits and mice, both of carrot or pumpkin. Where rabbits are which, when abundant, are very de- abundant, shelter traps are occupied structive to fruit trees and crops, by them more or less regularly durthey feed almost entirely on mice, rabbits will give warning when one grasshoppers, crickets, white grubs is inside a trap. To prevent the quarand other farm pests. It is only in ry's escape a stick with a disk at the exceptional cases that either foxes or end of it may be thrust into the enskunks attack poultry; it is far better trance, after which the top of the to keep poultry in suitable inclosures trap may be opened and the animal is doing damage than to adopt a policy flesh of trapped rabbits are superior tribes to which the few offenders be- shot.

Excellent Mousers.

"The food habits of other fur bearers are usually of less importance: Weasels are excellent mousers; minks feed on frogs, fish, mice and other small animals, while raccoons and opossums eat, in addition to a wide variety of harmful small animals, many kinds of vegetable food of little or no direct value to man. Muskrats and beavers live on wild products of marshes and woodlands, and only in rare instances are their burrows or houses objectionable.

"In short, speaking generally, fur animals transform uncultivated and useless materials into valuable peltries, without expense or attention on our part. They are doing this throughout the country. When the corn is in the crib, and the landscape has been browned by frost, farm lads take down their traps with happy expectation and set out to gather unearned increments of fur.

"The most destructive group of pests on the farm includes the small gnawing animals known as rodents. Among them are house rats and mice which have been brought to this country from the Old World, and several kinds of native rats, meadow mice, pine mice, white-footed mice and pocket mice. Ground squirrels of several kinds are found throughout the western states and in many localities are very destructive to forage and grain, Prairie dogs of the plains region, related to ground squirrels, also destroy a great deal of forage in the vicinity of their 'towns.' Here and there woodchucks. or groundlings, also related to ground or less destructive to orchard and a liquid gobble.

easy to trap, the main difficulty being that they frequently occur in great numbers.

"House mice have a habit of following the walls of a room as they run about, and a trap placed behind a table leg or small object where mice naturally run need not be baited. House rats are sometimes wary and difficult to catch in traps set in the ordinary way. A small steel trap set in a pan of bran or outs and carefully covered will usually catch the shyest of rats. It is well to scatter small pieces of meat or bread over stroys by poison; others he eliminates them being the same as employed in catching house rats and mice. "A knowledge of the traits and Prairie dogs, ground squirrels and pocket with grass or leaves or whatever may

"Porcupines may be caught by of green corn placed in a crevice behind a No. 2 or No. 3 uncovered steel "The lively demand for all kinds of trap, as these animals are quite untraps set at the entrances of their Skunks are exceedingly beneficial, for ing the day. A dog trained to hunt or to kill the individual animal which caught in the hand. The skins and of general persecution toward the to those of rabbits which have been

The Pocket Gopher.

"In many of the western states the redent most destructive and most difficult to capture is the pocket gopher, which spends most of its life underground. Owing to its subterranean habits it has been found expedient to devise special kinds of gopher traps. In making its burrows, the gopher

HERE'S A QUEER HYBRID



This is a "Rooster-Tom," and is the person guessing the correct number. property and pride of Dr. Thomas Mrs. N. S. Matthews of Leon won. Her Ross of Portland, Ore., who has about forty queer hybrid fowl. The roossquirrels, are destructive to field and ter-tom's mother, was a turkey and garden crops. In mountainous and his father a rooster, His call starts timbered regions porcupines are more like a cock's crow and tapers off into canal system, is the largest man-made

Setting Hen's Bones

Lightning Flash Picks

Winchester, Va.-A marvelous freak of lightning was reported by Mrs. Coleman Lyne of Jefferson county, West Virginia, who declared that after lightning had struck a small pear tree near her chicken yard she went out to look after a hen whose eggs were soon to hatch. She found the lightning had run down the fence a short distance to the nest, and there was the skeleton of the hen in the exact position in which she had set upon the nest.

The bones were as clean as if they had been scraped, and the meat and feathers lay nearby not even scorched. None of the eggs had been cracked, but on close inspection a small hole was found in the end of each, and the inside of the shell burned out as clean as a new

ground the dirt it excavates. The trapper, opening a fresh mound, sets a gopher trap well within it and covers the opening behind the trap with a piece of sod, or whatever may be at

"Besides the rodents, which constitute the majority of farm and garden pests, there are certain other creatures which are sometimes obnoxious: among these are stray cats, which too often destroy useful birds. In many localities one of the worst farm pests is the crow, which is often destructive to grian, eggs and young chickens. Crows may be caught in steel traps, carefully covered with soil and baited with whatever they are destroying-eggshells, for example. Such hawks and owls as are destructive may sometimes be caught in small jump traps. Another pest is the English sparrow, which destroys no small amount of grain during the ripening

STOLEN GEMS HURT MARKET

Pilfered Russian Diamonds Ruin the Trade in Holland and England.

Amsterdam, Holland .- Steadily in-

creasing unemployment in the Dutch diamond industry is causing some apprehension in business circles here. Last week the number of unemployed exceeded 7,900, and a considerable increase is expected in the near future. Unfavorable news from the United States is having a bad influence on the diamond market. It is hoped, however, that abundant American crops, followed as they probably will be by more active general business, will lead to some revival in the demand for diamonds. The fact that guilders are low in the Amercian market may also

lead to some American buying. Messages from England attribute the poor trade in diamonds in the British and Dutch markets to the fact that many stolen Russian stones have been sold in various European cities. The larger number of these stolen Russian gems came by circuitous routes into the hands of Dutch dealers. Virtually all of them had to be reground. It is the belief among the initiated here that the market will not be normal again until these stolen stones have all been cleared off the market.

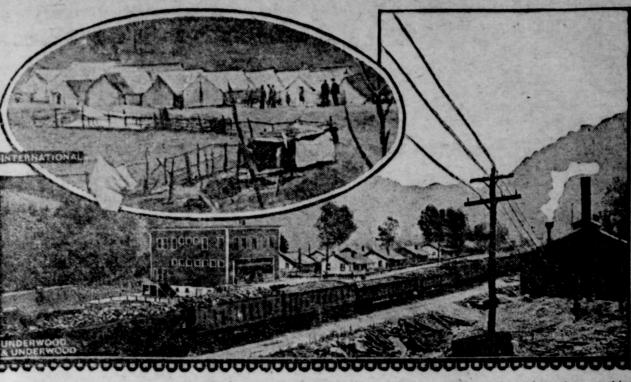
Well, Now That's Settled Eldorado, Kas.-The old question of now many kernels of corn a rooster will eat after it has not been fed for twenty-four hours has been answered to the satisfaction of residents of the

A general merchandise store at Leon offered a prize of a pair of shoes to the guess was 238 grains. The rooster con-

Leon community, near here.

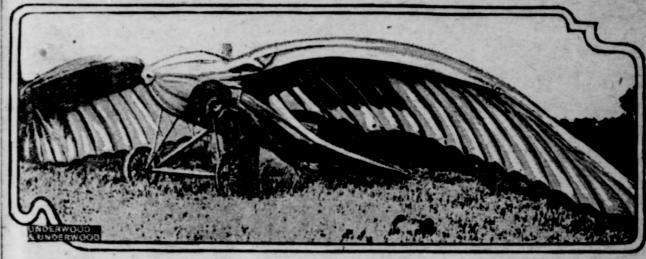
Gatun lake, a part of the Panama body of fresh water in the world.

West Virginia Miners Stir Up More Trouble



These photographs, taken in the West Virginia mining region where the striking miners have been making a lot of trouble, show, above, one of the tent villages in the mountains in which the miners have been living for more than a year; and, below, one of the mines.

Bird-Like Glider Invented by German



A front view of the motorless flying machine, invented by Engineer Schwerdt of Berlin, which, it is claimed, redited with several successful flights. Its lines are extremely novel, and resemble those of a bird.

Boxing Mentor of Coney Island



Young Edward Hoff of Coney Island, who recently had the privilege of facing Benny Leonard, has become such an enthusiast of the gloves that he has made himself the self-appointed boxing instructor of Coney Island. The young man, who is only six, cheerfully imparts his knowledge of the boxing game to little Ethel Dugan, an eighteen-month-old young woman of Philadelphia, who is already an adept at the art of self-defense.

LARGEST CAPTIVE ELK



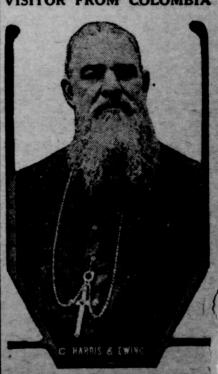
"The largest Elk in captivity," is what this man has been declared by one of the brother Elks. He is Charles H. Shipman of Leesburg, Va., and weighs 465 pounds. In his home town he is declared to be one of the real hustlers, and is one of the "biggest" real estate men.

Yes, the Llama Is Very Patient



This picture, from Folkstone, England, substantiates the oft heard statement that the limina is one of the most patient of beasts. He is a long way from his home, which is in South America.

VISITOR FROM COLOMBIA



Antasio Vincente Soler y Roy apostolic vicar in charge of all Catholic missionary work in Colombia, South America, photographed in front of the White House after an exchange of felicitations with President Harding. The noted prelate will visit various sections of the United States be-

The Clan Call

By Hapsburg Liebe

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"HE KILLED ADAM."

Synopsis .- Young Carlyle Wilbursynopsis.—Young Carlyle Wilbur-ton Dale, or "Bill Dale," 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 Clav-ering, 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. Dale believes the man was his father. Dale makes his home with the Morelands. Talking with Babe, Dale is ordered by "Black Adam"
Ball to leave "his girl" alone.
Dale whips the bully. He arranges
with John Moreland to develop the
coal deposits. Ben Littleford sends a challenge to John Moreland to meet him with his followers in bat-tle. Moreland agrees. The tle. Moreland agrees. The two clans line up for battle. A Lit-tleford fires the first shot. Babe, in an effort to stop the fighting, crosses to the Moreland side of the river, and is accidentally shot by her father and seriously wounded. The fight stops and Babe is taken to the city. Doctors announce she is not seriously hurt. Dale meets an old friend, Bobby McLaurin, who has married Patricia Clavering. Dale's father admits he killed David Moreland and offers him funds to develop the coal. Dale declines and gets funds elsewhere. declines and gets funds elsewhere. He realizes he loves Babe, who goes to live with Patricia to be educated. Henderson Goff, a coal man, appears on the scene. Dale has an exciting encounter with Goff, and is saved by "By Heck." He tries to end the feud. John Moreland and Ben Littleford declare peace. Babe comes back home, but finally promises to reclare peace. Babe comes back home, but finally promises to re-Goff stirs up turn to Patricia.

CHAPTER X-Continued.

A little after work-time that day, Bill Dale started alone on the way of the narrow-gauge railroad for the siding. He wished to see for himself just what the damage had been to the a Ball, or a Torrey, and learn something that would be to his advantage.

had seen two of the enemy skulking offered his breast to the frowning muz- "In order that I may know who to through the woods, and he recognized zies. They could give him, at least, arrest, I must know something of the peated. Cove and Hatton's Hell; he knew it by their very swarthy skin, their high cheekbones and their coarse black hair, the outcroppings of the Cherokee Indias blood in them. They looked cunning and wicked. Dale loosened in its holster the big revolver that Major Bradley had persuaded him to carry for his own protection. John Moreland had taught him how to use

At a point near where the little stream that flowed past the Halfway switch emptied into Doe river, where Doe river turned almost squarely to the left. Dale halted abruptly. He had seen a man dart behind a scrubby oak some thirty yards ahead of him; quite naturally, he concluded that the fellow meant to waylay him, and he, too, stepped behind a tree, a big hemlock.

A silent minute went by. Then Dale put his hat out on one side of the tree and peeped from the other side; it was an old trick that Grandpap Moreland had told him about. A rifle cracked promptly and sharply, and a pullethole appeared in the rim of his

Following it, there came the coarse, bass voice of Black Adam Ball, the mountaineer Goliath:

"You cain't fool me. I jest shot to put a hole in yore new hat and to show ye 'at I ain't no bad shot. You cain't hit my hat!"

Dale's temper, the temper that had always been so hard to keep under control, rose quickly. He tried to reason with himself, and couldn't; his passion mastered him. He snatched the big revolver from its holster and cocked it. With as steady a hand as ever held a weapon trained, he began to take aim at Ball's slouch hat, the half of which was in plain view at one side of the scrubby oak.

"I fooled you once, back there in the middle of the river," he cried hotly, "and now I'm going to fool you

primitive rage, which frightened him, and puzzled him too, in his better mo-

He let down the bead until it was barely visible in the notch, and eased off the trigger. The revolver roared nd spat forth a tiny tongue of flame d a little cloud of white smoke, Ball ing erect, wheeled, and fell crasho the leaves!

le dropped his weapon. He went hite as death, and his two hands .ched uncertainly at his threat. He as a murderer! No, he wasn't-his wiiet had gone wild; It had struck Ball's head on the other side of the tree, by accident. But how could be prove that it had been an accident? Would any jury believe him? It was Adam."

Then a third shot rang out on the morning stillness. It had been fired trial," growled old Ball. Then to his from a point some little distance kinsmen. away, and Dale's condition of mind at the moment was such that he didn't even note the direction from which about it very quickly for the time be- a consolationing, and went on toward Adam Ball, who now was lying perfectly still.

dead

universe seemed to be gathering there and tobacker's allus a consolation." in his heart. Never before had he The sounds of the shooting had carague would have shaken them.

hole in the shaggy head; at the cruel, til the coming of the sheriff. brutish face that was of the colorless

who had never been in the presence Before he had covered two miles, he He arose and spread out his arms, and he said evenly: oblivion.

> "Shoot, if you like," he said bitterly. "It was an accident, y'know, but-

with a straggling iron-gray beard- body gently use his powers of speech. "No, don't shoot, Shootm's too quick,



by gonnies. And 'en, it ain't accordin' to law." (Queer how suddenly he respected the majesty of the law!) "We'd a durned sight ruther see him hung by the neck ontel dead in the jailyard at Cartersville. Ye'uns put o' them thar guns right now; hear

He turned back to Dale. "Ye say it was a accident?" he sneered.

"Yes, it was an accident." "Like the old devil!" roared Black

Adam's father. He stopped and picked up his son's black slouch hat and examined it. There were two bullet holes close together in the rim-and one of them had been there for a long time.

"John Moreland, he's been a-l'arnin' ye how to shoot," he said, "and you've shore l'arned purty d-d well. It must ha' been yore third shot 'at got

"I fired only once." disagreed Dale.

lock and went toward the writhing and somebody else, I haven't the Goliath, whose legs only were visible slightest idea who, fired the other shot."

"Aw, shet up! Ye can tell it at the

"We'll hold Dale right here, boys,

ontel the shuriff he's sent atter comes. And we'll not move Adam, which same the sound had come. He was unhurt, is accordin' to law. I reckon Shuriff and he had not heard the whine of a Tom Flowers'll find a different job bullet or the pattering of shot on the from what he expected to find; won't leaves. When he looked about him, he, boys? Say, I wisht one o' you he saw no one; neither did he see any fellers'd gi' me a good, big chaw o' telltale smoke. Perhaps, he thought tobacker. Be durned ef I don't. Adam's gnarled and twisted clump of sheepdimly, it had been a squirrel-hunter death, it has made me feel sort o' that had fired that shot. He forgot bad, by gonnies, and tobacker's allus dainty, pure blue dayflowers-crushing

"Bill Dale, you hain't got a chaw o' tobacker on ye, have ye-bought to-There was a bullet-hole through and backer, store tobacker? It's a durned through the great, shaggy head. The sight better'n home-made, I says. Ye face behind the short, curly black say ye don't chew! Chew-h-1! beard was of the colorless hue of Whyn't ye say 'chaw,' like a man! I soapstone. The giant hillman was allus knowed ye wasn't no 'count, nohow. Nobody 'at don't chaw tobacker Bill Dale knelt there beside Black | ain't no 'count. . . . All right, Jim Adam. Again he clutched at his throat | Ike," to his nephew, "I'll take a chaw with his two shaking hands, and this o' yores, then. And I'll take a tol'ably time he tore his blue flannel shirt. All big chaw, Jim Ike, 'cause Adam's the agony and all the remorse in the death has made me feel sort o' bad,

seen death. Its grim presence terrified ried far, and it wasn't long until the him. That the deplorable thing had scene of the tragedy was crowded with been an accident, due to his faulty Balls and Torreys, Littlefords and marksmanship, mattered little. He Morelands, Major Bradley and Hayes, had killed a man, and the blood-red too, were there. Every man of them brand of Cain was burning away on was armed; a very little thing might his brow; he was a man in a hell of easily turn the place into a shambles. his own making. And kneeling there The major saw this, and he was Bill Dale sobbed a great sob that afraid. He drew the leaders of the shook his broad shoulders as a violent | Morelands and the Littlefords aside, and finally prevailed upon them to do He tried to look at the blue-edged their utmost toward keeping peace un-

At first John Moreland and Ben Lithue of soapstone. Merciful tears tieford were for taking Bill Dale from blinded him, and he couldn't see. It the Balls and Torreys who guarded was a compensation, a pitifully beauti- him, if they had to depopulate the whole Ball settlement, Jerusalem Cove Five minutes passed, five minutes and Hatton's Hell to accomplish it! that were as five years to this man Happily, the major's counsel prevailed.

Sheriff Tom Flowers was a tall and "Lord, What'll I Do Now?" She Murof death before. Then he realized that lithe, smooth-faced man. He arrived he was being surrounded by kinsmen with Luke Moreland at noon, after of the dead mountaineer. He looked hours of hard riding. He saw the high in her hands the tiny purple blossoms up into their ashen, angry faces, and tension, and immediately steeled him- that are known as Job's tears. trestle, and he hoped to meet Goff, or they cursed him. Big and gripping self to handle the situation. After brown hands were placed upon him; riding straight to the center of the mured. several rifles were turned upon him. gathering and there halting his horse,

"No." commanded Adam Ball's starts playing hoss with me, if it's the needles and the earth, and went low father, a slender and angular old man last move I make on earth. Now some-

> Major Bradley, more soldierlike than ever, went forward. "As the attorney of Mr. Dale, who stands accused of killing Adam Ball," he said to the officer, "I beg leave to state that my client will do no talking at present." open his mouth.

But old Ball had something to say,

and he proceeded to say it: to Dale, "in cold blood. Me and about northward, "and we come a-runnin' were the sole inhabitant of the world. over here to see, by gonnies, what was was a-sobbin' and a-sobbin' about it. Dale again. And ef he never killed my son Adam. what was he a-sobbin' and a-sobbin' it has made me feel bad."

Major Bradley stopped caressing his it its usual daily plaiting. in his blue eyes.

peculiar politeness.

revolver?"

it should have had but one! "Pass it to me butt first," ordered same to the mountain dweller. the law's representative. He knew

was taking no chances. Old Ball obediently turned the weap-"Say, sheriff," he chittered, "have

a chaw o' store-bought? By gonnies, ye plumb fo'got about me axin' ye fo' length, and tried to smile at him.

Flowers turned to Dale. "I have heard through Luke More land," he said with more or less of "Your son fired first; I fired second; feeling in his voice, "a good many that ever lived kept their promises. I

things in your favor. I want you to | would na' went back onis mornin'. know that I'm sorry to have to take ef it hadn't ha' been-" you and place you in the Cartersville jail. To show you that I mean it, I'll spare you the irons and allow you to ride your own horse along beside me, as though you were not under arrest

Dale had by this time worn the keen great will power. He bowed slightly tune, to the officer and replied with grave

"Believe me, sir," with the very faintest trace of a smile, "I am very much obliged to you."

Luke Moreland led up the sleek young bay that Bill Dale had named Fox, and Dale swung himself easily into the saddle. He faced the sheriff. "If you're ready to go, sir," he said, "I am."

Together they rode through the woodland toward the broad, green valley, with the Littlefords, the Morelands, Major Bradley and Hayes following closely behind them.

Up on the side of David Moreland's mountain there had been a silent and jail. unseen witness to the arrest of Bill Dale. She was hidden behind a laurel, sitting on a patch of tiny,



mured.

"Lord, what'll I do now?" she mur-

It was a great and unanswerable question, and it was a prayer, too. "Lord, what'll I do now?" she re-

speak at a time. No playing bad with her sight, she threw down the crushed me; and remember that, gentlemen, flowers and flung herself prostrate, I'll certainly drop the fellow who with her face close to the hemlock and bitterly, and wept and wept-

"Lord, what'll I do now?"

CHAPTER XI

By Heck Keeps a Secret. When Sheriff Tom Flowers and the others had been gone for half an hour, Dale understood, and he did not Elizabeth Littleford sat up in the silence. It was a great and heavy silence that hovered there over the north end of David Moreland's mountain. There "He killed my son, Adam," pointing was not even the drumming of a yela dozen o' my kin was on our way tering of a boomer squirrel, not even over Long ridge to look at a bee tree, the twittering of a bird. Not a leaf when we heered three pistol shots. We stirred anywhere. Everything seemed was right up thar," pointing to the lifeless. It was almost as though she

Then she thought. It was noontime, the matter. Well, by gonnies, we found and the officer and his prisoner would Bill Dale thar down on his knees doubtless halt at John Moreland's aside o' my son, Adam, who was as cabin for the noonday meal; and if dead as h-l or deader; and Bill Dale she hastened she would get to see Bill

So she ran like a doe through the green woodland, through the tangle of about, I ax you that? And my son laurel and ivy and over the moss-Adam, he had a rifle, by gonnies, but covered stones, across a shoulder of he never shot none at all. He was David Moreland's mountain. She was with us up to a few minutes before, and barefooted, and her dress was a simhe hadn't shot none all mornin'. ple garment of white-dotted blue Shuriff Flowers, I wisht ye'd gi' me a | calico, and her long brown hair flowed good, big chaw o' tobacker, by gon- behind her like the hair of a young nies, 'cause my son Adam his death witch-because of the excitement of the morning, she had forgotten to give daughter.

well-kept gray imperial, walked over to As she drew hear to the Moreland the dead man's rifle, picked it up and leader's home, she saw Bill Dale and put its muzzle to his nose. He scented the sheriff walk out at the gateway fresh powder-smoke. Then he faced and mount their horses. Major Bradold. Ball with a strange, hard glitter ley came out, and he, too, mounted his horse; and she was glad that he was "You are a liar, sir," he said with a going along. There was a great crowd; all the Littlefords were there, and all A stir ran quickly over the Balls the Morelands, and old Granny Heck, and Torreys, Sheriff Flowers called the fortune-teller. On every face Babe saw signs of sympathy and sorrow. "Quiet, there!" and there was quiet. Her eyes filled. She was so glad that down them thar guns. Put down all He continued: "Where is Mr. Dale's they, too, loved him. It was worth going to jail to know that one was loved The Balls had it. They produced it. like that! Not that it didn't hurt to It had three empty chambers when see him going to jail, of course. Jail and horror are words that mean the

> She went on to tell him good-by. that many a man had been shot while She knew it would be hard, but she taking a revolver barrel first, and he steeled herself; she would be a Littleford, and strong. He saw her coming, and he turned his bay horse and rode to meet her. She stopped and clasped her hands, with her arms down full

> > "You promised me," he said gently, "that you'd go back to Patricia and finish your education."

"I keep my promises," was the guick reply, "jest like every other Littleford

And there she broke off abruptly. After a silent moment, she continued sadly, half tearfully: "And yet-and yet--the's not a bit o' use in me a-goin' back now!"

"Why?" Dale was smiling, and she was glad to note that he did not apedge from his grief by means of his pear to be grieving over his misfor-

> "'Cause the' ain't," simply. "But you'll go?"

"Yes," she said, "in the morn'n' I'll He bent toward her and held down

his hand, "Good-by, little girl, I have it will come out all right, and I believe it will." Babe slowly lifted her hand to his.

Her eyes were downcast. "Good-by," she told him brokenly. 'And I hope it will come out all right, too-God knows I do, Bill Dale."

Thus they parted. Dale rode back to the sheriff and Major Bradley, and a minute later the three of them started for the lowland and Cartersville

road had hidden them from view, Elizabeth Littleford turned homeward.

Her mother followed her. The younger woman dropped to the stone step at the vine-hung front porch with the air of one who is very tired, plucked a full-blown marigold and began absently to tear its petals slowly apart. Mrs. Littleford looked out across the meadows, sighed. smoothed back her gray hair with both hands, and sat down beside her

"I wouldn't worry about it, Babe, honey," she finally said. Then she too plucked a marigold and began to tear its petals slowly apart. "Ef he killed Adam Ball, it was to save himself. He's a good man, honey. I think he's about the best man I ever seed,

"No, he never killed Adam Ball to save hisself even," Babe replied. "He's a fighter, but he ain't no killer. Listen, mother, it might ha' been this

ahind of another tree. Adam shoots at his hat, and he shoots at Adam's hat-which is the reg'lar way of a two-man fight, as you know. Well, suddenly Adam he jumps up like he's been shot, and falls a-groanin' and a-twistin'. Bill Dale, a-thinkin' he's killed Adam, comes out from ahind of places. his tree. Havin' drawed Bill Dale out into the open by his trick, Adam gits ready to shoot and kill him. Jest as Adam is about to shoot, somebody else shoots and kills Adam and saves Bill Dale-mebbe the' ain't time fo' anydon't it all sound natchel, mother?"

"I reckon it does," granted the old woman. "But who was it shot Black

"Somebody who is a friend o' Bill Dale's," said Babe, "Somebody who was a-follerin' Bill with the idee o' pertectin' him ef he needed it. Somebody who knowed it was dangerous woods that away. I've got it reasoned out jest like this. . . . And whoever it was 'at was friend enough to Bill Dale to kill a man to save him will be friend enough to own up when the proper time comes and keep Bull Dale from a-bein' hung. Whoever it was 'at done it is skeered bad now, but later on he'll shore tell it, ef it'll save Bill. You jest wait and see,

"I hain't never fo'got," Babe went on, after a moment, "about Black Adam Ball a-tellin' me about a-workin' that same trick on a man over to Nawth Ca'liner-and he killed the man. The law never found it out. And ye see what Black Adam got. Who lives by the sword shall perish by the sword.' It's in the Good Book, mother honey; and everything in the Good Book is God A'mighty's truth, as

"Ef I was pinned down to guess who t was 'at done it," drawled Mrs. Littleford, "I'd guess it was By Heck, He was a plumb fool about Bill Dale. His maw she says he talks in his sleep about Bill Dale. He was allus a-follerin' him around like a dawg."

Babe pointed to the meadow. An aged and stooped and witchlike woman was limping slowly through the clover, coming toward them.

"Granny Heck," muttered Babe, The neighborhood's newsbearer and fortune-teller limped on up to the cabin, and dropped to the stone step

beside Ben Littleford's wife and "La, la, la!" she panted, for the days were warm. "And hain't it jest

turrible! I wisht I may die this minute ef I wouldn't migh't nigh as soon a very unpleasant sensation. Geogsee my own son go to jail! But 'en it'll all come out right yit, Babe. I seed it in the cyards, and I seed it in the cup. Babe, honeydumplin", be never no more killed Adam 'an I killed him myself. I tell ye, the's been some awful ongodly work done, somehow, I know Bill Dale, and the' shore hain't nary durned drap o' killer blood in

Babe spoke suddenly to her mother: "I've got to go and wash and iron my new white dress. Acause-because I'm a-goin' back to Mrs, McLaurin, like I promised I'd go. I'm a-goin' in the mornin', on the fust train. Ye might as well inform pap to batch up my

Just then By Heck stopped before "Do ye want to go home along as I go, maw?" he asked.

railroad money, mother."

"I don't think who killed Black Adam. I know who killed Black Adam."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

HomeTown

FAIL TO RESPECT PROPERTY

Great Body of Americans Need Education Concerning Proper Usage of Public Places.

The mental make-up of men and women who scatter papers along the highroads, who trample down growing crops, who break down farmers fences, and who are responsible for surrounding our woodland streams with a beadwork of tomato cans is quite easy to understand. Such people are merely primitive individualists. They have not yet advanced in civilization to a point where they can visualize the property rights of others.

There is another group of wayfarers which, though allied closely to the first, we both dislike and cannot understand. This is the group which not only scatters refuse over private lands, but also leaves a trail, which he who runs may read, over the land belonging to citles, states and the nation. A public park, whether it be but a triangle of grass at the intersection of three village streets, or a rolling meadow land set down in the heart of a great city, or a forest reserve of a hundred thousand acres of the national domain, is property to which each and every one of us has an inalienable right. To scatter trash over a bit of green in the heart of a city or to slash off the top of a pine tree in a national park is to damage part of the common land to which

every citizen is heir. We can understand how a man can disregard the rights of a neighbor, but it is not so easy to understand how a man can destroy the beauty of land which is his own and his children's. If we are to continue to build parks in our cities and set aside wildernesses for our recreation, we must also build up, in the mind and heart of every citizen, a spirit of jealousy for the beauty of these green

Perhaps the present generation of Americans is already past the cure, but there is another generation of citizens in the making, and, if we are wise, we will do for them what the forestry association has been dothing else. Now don't ye see? And ing in the city of Washington. If we catch Young America young enough, our parks of tomorrow may be as pop bottleless as the beech-shaded sward of Hampstead heath .- The

CAN CUT DOWN FIRE LOSSES

Abundant Proof That Carelessness . Is the Chief Cause of Many Disas trous Conflagrations.

The Society for Electrical Development, dissatisfied with a recent report of the National Board of Fire Underwriters in which electricity was blamed as the chief cause of fire losses, has made an exhaustive examination, taking the year 1919 as a basis. It publishes in the Electrical World the results of this investigation. The report shows that in 345 cities, with an aggregate population of 28,495,851 persons, there were 138,553 fires in 1919, of which those apparently of electric origin numbered 3,568, or 2.57 per cent of the total.

Reginald Trautschold, writer of the report, remarks that "a large proportion of electric fires, if not the majority, are caused by careless disregard of quite obviously necessary precautions, such as leaving an electric flatfron with the current turned on upon an inflammable ironing-board." Though fires resulting from such causes usually cause only trifling damage, it is easy to see how they may result in very serious conflagrations.

The House and Its Site.

Most houses should appear to have some connection with the surrounding landscape and should be built of some suitable material. Stone, brick, marble or wood may each be inappropriate to some surroundings. Have you not seen, perhaps, a white marble house situated where a brown wooden one should be built? Or white garden furniture placed on a lawn where the house was finished in tones of brown? These scattered white spots produce raphy plays an important part in the color and material of a house.

Flats Supplanting Dwellings.

The single dwelling with a front and back yard is giving way, even to the smaller cities of the United States, to the modern apartment house, according to a report of 1920 building operations issued by the United States chamber of commerce. It shows that last year 70 per cent of the families provided with new homes got one-family dwellings; 11 per cent, two-family dwellings, and 19 per cent, a multifamily dwelling. The proportion of multi-family dwellings was largest in the small cities.

Good Community Work.

It was the community spirit in pla. as well as in work, the spelling matches and singipg schools that made the life of the pioneer tolerable. The Country Life association has found the way to lead the people back to the soil in thus providing community comforts and community amus-

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WILLIAM WEEDEN MAJOR DEAD.

William W. Major was born near Frankfort, Ky., Oct. 21, 1838. Moved to Clay county, Mo., with his parents when eleven years of age. He was educated at William Jewel College. In 1861 he joined the Confederate army and spent four years in the service, surrendered at Shreveport, La., June 7, 1865. He was married to Miss Catharine L. Hulsey August 14, 1864. To this union was born seven children: Jos. S. Major, of Seattle, Wash., John S. Major of EM Paso, Texas, Dr. Hermon S. Major of Fulton, Mo., Mrs. Annie L. Pitts of Artesia, New Mexico, Mrs. Susan B. Davis of Topeka, Kansas, and Lillian Major of Artesia, New Mexico. One child died in infancy.

Brother Major united with the Methodist church, south, at Providence Church, near Pleasant Hill, Mo., June 15, 1888. He helped to build this church, and it was dedicated by Dr. C. C. Woods, June 15, 1890. He gave the land upon which the church was built. Brother Major came to New Mexico and ing types, including several which pre helped to found Artesia in 1903 and to build the two churches here in as falling within that classifica this town. He was also a contrib- tion. utor to the college and every other relief in seventeen fires of magnitude, good thing that came this way. He five floods, seven tornadoes or cy was always interested in the church clones, one devastating storm, three and was one of its most faithful explosions, including the one in Wal Sunday school and was the oldest member in the class. As long as he was able to go, he was in his

He took his departure to the better General Dray and Transfer the family to his bedside and bade them farewell. He quietly fell Indians of Alaska, the grasshopper asleep in the early morning. funeral services were conducted in the church he loved so well by the pastor and his remains tenderly laid to rest amidst a profusion of flowers in the cemetery which he helped to establish soon after he came to this place. He was 82 years, 10 months Mens 1-2 Soles Sewed \$1.50 and 19 days old when he passed from this earth to enter upon Eter-

REV. R. F. DAVIS, Pastor. Artesia, New Mexico

The first bale of cotton ever brought to this city to be ginned ence of the Red Cross in organizing arrived this morning from Artesia disaster relief work, placed the en and is to be on display at the Chamber of Commerce. This is tion of relief in its hands. of the long staple variety and where it was raised by J. H. Burthrough local chapters of the Red rows.-Roswell Record

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Red Cross Gives \$1,671,000 Relief When 65.000 Families Are Made Homeless.

Forty-three disasters, resulting in the death in the United States of 850 persons and the injury of 2,500 called for emergency relief measures and the expenditure of \$1,871,000 by the American Red Cross during the fisca year ending June 30, 1921, says an coming annual report of the Red Cross. These disasters caused property damage estimated at \$30,000,000, affected sixty-seven communities and rendered 65,000 families homeless.

The year's disasters were of vary viously had never been thought of The Red Cross furnished He loved to attend the street; one building accident, tw typhoid epidemics, the most serious be ing that at Salem, Ohio, which at fected 9 per cent of the population one smallpox epidemic, in the republic world August 2, 1921. He knew that his time was short and called at Tulsa, Okla.; the famine in China. The plague in North Dakota and an earth quake in Italy.

Pueblo Most Serious

By far the most severe of the dis asters in the United States during the period covered by the Red Cross re port was the Pueblo flood early in June, 1921. The rehabilitation prob lem confronting the Red Cross in Pueblo was one of the most difficult in recent years. When the first news of the horror was flashed throughout the country, the American Red Cross National Headquarters responded with FIRST BALE OF COTTON, a grant of \$105,000 for relief work. Governor Shoup of Colorado, appre clating the long and successful experi-

In response to appeals from Prest-dent Harding, Governor Shoup and through local chapters of the Red Cross and other community organizations, public-spirited citizens brought the total contributed for Pueblo's re habilitation to more than \$325,000.

The terrible havor wrought by th flood waters is a matter of record. More than 2,300 homes were affected and 7,351 persons were left homeless. Estimates of \$500,000 as an absolute minimum for rehabilitation were made by Red Cross officials in charge of the

relief work. Fast Work in Wall Street

The Wall street explosion was nota ble in that relief workers of the Red Cross were on the scene twenty minutes after the disaster occurred. The For your winter coal see Stacy race rlot at Tulsa also was unique in disaster relief annals in that outside of a small emergency relief fund con tributed by the Red Cross, the only relief measures outside the city consisted of the service of social workers, nurses and a trained executive whose object was to assist local forces in directing their own efforts.

In decided contrast with the previous year, only one tornado assumed the proportions of a major disaster This occurred on April 15, in the bor der sections of Texas and Arkansas with the city of Texarkana as the center. The significant feature of this osters for next season. I have disaster relief work was the fact that it covered so much rural territory as

relief workers. The famine in China, necessitating relief expenditures totalling more than \$1,000,000 by the American Red Cross was by far the most serious of the foreign disasters in which the Red Cross gave aid.

Builds Up Its Machinery

In connection with the administration of disaster relief measures, an in creasing effectiveness on the part of the Red Cross to deal with emergencles was manifested during the past year. In 328 Chapters of the Amerip-Oct 21 can Red Cross there have been formed special committees to survey the resources of their respective communities and to be prepared in case of disaster. In others of the 3,402 active Chapters, a network of communication has been formed through which instantaneous relief may be dispatched to any part of the United States.

That its work in this field may be or mothers' helper where duties continued with ever greater effectiveness, the American Red Cross is appealing for widespread renewal of membership during its Annual Roll Call, to be conducted this year from November 11 to 24.

LIFE SAVING CORPS ENROLLMENT 10,000

Growth of Red Cross Life Saving Corps throughout the country con finued unabated during the last fiscal rear, a summary of the year's achievements by that Red Cross Servce shows. There are now 160 Corps with a total membership of more than 10,000 members, of which 1,276 are sufficiently skilled in the work to act examiners. Among the outstanding chievements of the Red Cross in this held during the last year was the oranimation at the United States Naval cademy, Annapolis, of what is perthe largest life saving corps in

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tiltered air, gas water station.

COTTONWOOD.

order by the vice president, Mrs. ture. Jess Funk. Every member responded promptly to roll call, after which play ground equipment for both lower and upper Cottonwood school grounds were discussed. The 1a-He will put up at auction no dies are very enthusiastic over this with other stuff his Oakland we'en party and minstrel at Upper of the pumpkins measured 18 inches car, familiarily known as Cottonwood school house October in diameter. They were grown on 31st. Every one in the community the Jackson place northeast of town. Betsey". Said car is equipped with electric starter, and everything complete. All in first-class condition. Any one desiring a demonstration please step around.

Don't forget his new filtered air gas and neighboring towns are invited to attend this unique function. The proceeds will be used to secure play ground equipment for the Cotton-wood schools. Miss Emma Briscoe presided at the Edison and each recreation was carefully selected to suit the occasion during the social hour. Mrs. Funk serve the ladles with delicious apple cider.

Having no further business, the Club adjourned until the next regular meeting which will be at Mrs.

and lar meeting which will be at Mrs. Wilson's October 13th. Every member try and be present.
REPORTER.

ARTESIA HIGHWAYS AND

The Woman's Club met at the A. D. Gleson and Adam Rohe, who home of Mrs. Jess Funks September were picking apples near Roswell, 29th. This being a special business returned home last week. Mr. Glemeeting, quite a nice crowd was son expects to move with his family The house was called to to Lubbock, Texas, in the near fu-

P. P. Mann is still harvesting his

Simp Albright raised 10,000 fbs. in diameter. They were grown on

Ed. Bowman also has a large crop of pumpkins, but Sam Ramey has beat them all for big ones. He has a pumpkin which measures 24 inches in diameter.

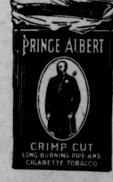
A haze on the far horizon, An infinite tender sky, Ripe rich tints of cornfields And wild ducks salling high; And all over upland and lowland Charms of goldenrod, Some of us call it Autumn, And others say it is God.

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