

# ARTESIA ADVOCATE

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## ARTESIANS AS I KNOW THEM

(By W. M. Todd)

J. B. Atkeson is a lawyer who tries cases before all kinds of courts and tribunals. He not only tries, but sometimes succeeds. He has a dogged persistency and when he goes to sleep at night he keeps one eye open and focused on the attorney on the other side of the case he is trying. He is never caught napping and is as foxy as they make 'em. His opinions are deliberately formed, according to his own methods of reasoning, and he only changes his mind when he is forced to. He likes to be on the safe side of every question but views things as they are and not as he wishes they were. When asked by a client what his rights are in municipal matters he never consults the ordinances. He asks B. Steve. He is the law.

Murry Schenck is a man whom nature endowed with a generous measure of genius without the eccentricity that usually accompanies it. He is a machinist who had acquired a reputation throughout the manufacturing district of Ohio before he came here. When Mr. Schenck has a mechanical job so peculiar and complicated that no machine was ever made that will do the work he just goes at it and makes a machine. To make a whistle of a pig's tail would be for him only a pleasant pastime. He is, in the realm of machinery what the great and incomprehensible Dr. Louke is in the realm of electricity. He is an inventor who is not insane and a genius who is neither eccentric nor erratic. He is also an intelligent man, a quick thinker, a logical reasoner, and an interesting talker. He is one of the most important human assets of B. Steve's town.

M. H. Ferriman is a comparatively new man in Artesia's business circles but he is one of the substantial ones. He came here a little more than a year ago and purchased the business of Neal Schuster. He came from Ohio, the state which has furnished so many presidents. Mr. Ferriman did not want to be president and moved out of the state to escape such a possibility. He is leisurely and deliberate in thought and action and always dignified. He is retiring in manner but has no idea of retiring from business. He sees much to admire in the scenery, climate and business possibilities of New Mexico and wonders why more people don't come here. He proposes to spend his first vacation by taking an automobile ride thru the state and seeing the wealth of picturesque scenery which the commonwealth affords. Mr. Ferriman has lately been chosen alderman to fill a vacancy. He'll do.

Carl Cunningham is a name that is as euphonious as it is alliterative. It is also long, in which respect it differs from its owner. When in good condition Herr Cunningham weighs close to 92 pounds. If he were a horse he would be a cute little circus pony that the boys would all want for a plaything. Still, by standing on a stool he can shave most any one who comes into his barber shop. He is a vigorous wielder of a razor and has extra handles on hand in case he breaks one when shaving a man in a hurry. His white teeth, red lips, freckled face and carmine hair are so gorgeous and harmonious in their colorings that he constitutes a beautiful human bouquet, minus the floral fragrance. He requires a man who is particular about the style of a hair cut to furnish a blue print. He is a good barber for all who are tough and not particular.

H. A. Stroup has a creaking sign in front of his office on which is printed "Physician and Surgeon." But he specializes in surgery. Through an apparently hereditary instinct he takes a peculiar delight in carving. He can carve a helpless human being with all the agility and satisfaction that a Harvey House chef in his office his tools of torture are always sharp, and when he makes a raid into a victim's anatomy he always brings something out with him. He is accommodating, however, and when a victim who is bound to the operating table in full sight of the axes and saws, feels as though he'd like to be opened with prayer the doctor always postpones the festivities until a minister can be sent for. The doctor is fond of relics and old things. That's why he likes the automobile he drives.

Rex Wheatley is a man who carries unusual responsibilities. In his hands is the destiny of the combined mercantile interests of Joyce-Pruit Co. in Artesia. His success may be inferred from the fact that he is in no danger of losing his job or having his salary reduced. He is not only a man of good business judgment but his mind is rich in systematic knowledge and works in an orderly way. He is also a pleasant gentleman to meet. He is the double concentrated essence of cour-

tesy and politeness. He has a smile and a bow for the high and the humble and he raises his hat so often that he is becoming bald headed. He might be taken by a stranger for a French dancing master and if he could be spared from the business world he could make his mark as a teacher of etiquette. It would be hard to exaggerate Mr. Wheatley's usefulness as a citizen.

### A DENTIST FOR CONGRESS.

Many aspirants are announcing themselves as candidates for political office, subject to the coming primaries. Still others there are who have made no public announcement but who are doing a political skirt dance for the education of the politicians. In other words they are attitudinizing for political approbation.

Within the last week the dickie birds have been singing sweetly, and in their songs was plainly heard the name of Dr. J. J. Clarke, the well known Artesia dentist, in connection with a seat in congress.

While a prophet is not without honor save in his own country, all who know Dr. Clarke will concede that his party might go farther and fare worse. He is a political past-master and he would receive the enthusiastic support of every member of the State Dental Association of which he is a charter member and has been president.

If the genial doctor concludes later on to shy his hat in the Congressional ring, this paper will have more to say about him and his candidacy.

It is sufficient for the present to say he is young, handsome, vigorous, affable, and has a mind so thoroughly fertilized that the seeds of statesmanship would germinate rapidly therein.

### FIRE FROM CIGARETTE STUB

Last Sunday a horse hitched to a carriage, was tied in front of the Hardwick hotel. A guest of the hotel saw a smoke coming from the carriage box just in front of the seat. As the volume of smoke increased the guest went out to the carriage and found some fine dry hay in the bottom of the box smoldering and just ready to blaze. He returned for a pail of water and extinguished the fire. The fire was found to have been caused by a lighted cigarette stub which had been dropped in the hay by one of the young men who had ridden in the carriage.

A great many mysterious fires are caused by cigarette stubs. The hotel people say that they frequently find bed covers and bedding with a hole from one to four inches in diameter burned by cigarettes being smoked by guests while lying in bed. There is scarcely a time when, or place where, a confirmed cigarette smoker will not smoke, and no place where he will not throw his matches and stubs.

### THIS INTERESTS EVERYONE

These are days of campaigns, propaganda and drives. There are drives for about everything of a public nature which is not maintained by any system of taxation. Most of these drives are instituted and executed by the ladies. They are artists in that kind of work. They don't have a Damon and Pythias love for that kind of a job, but when it has to be done they put on their paint (the war variety) and go at it with a zeal and persistency that a man could not even imitate.

The ladies of Artesia are buckling on their armor right now for a drive. They are going to bottom-hole every man who has a dollar. They will use different tactics on different men, but they are going to separate every one who can not prove himself a vagrant from some money.

The object of this drive is to raise money for Woodbine Cemetery. Now all the men in this place are proud of the cemetery. They are also proud of the ladies who maintain it and make it the best managed affair in Artesia. The ladies have kept it up by their own efforts and kept it out of politics. If the men can have such a cemetery as this by simply tapping in a little money occasionally they ought to be tickled to death.

### SANFORD SELLS GROCERY AND MARKET

B. F. Sanford has sold his grocery store and market to A. N. Coward who took possession the first of this week. He will conduct the business along the same lines followed by Mr. Sanford, paying cash for all produce and cream purchased.

Mr. Coward hails from Tinnie, N. M., where he operates a grocery and creamery business. His family is at that place at present but will move to Artesia in about two weeks. Mr. Coward is to be congratulated on this purchase and producers will be sure of a fair deal when trading with him.

The free delivery service of the grocery and market will be continued, Earl Collins having charge of this department. Mrs. Adams will remain with the firm until April, at which time she expects to go to California to make her home.

Mr. Coward is preparing to reach out after out of town business and says he is well satisfied with Artesia.

Mr. Coward is an ex-editor and printer and believes in printers ink and will keep his customers posted through the columns of the Advocate each week as to what is going on.

### HIGH SCHOOL JUNIOR BOYS LOSE TO N. M. L. JUNIORS

Military boys outclassed local lads. Brown 11, in game with 14 to 5 score.

The junior boys of Artesia high school, that means boys under 16 years of age, meted to Roswell on last Friday afternoon, when they met a basketball team composed of youngsters at the New Mexico Military Institute. The results of the game were not very favorable for the local quintette, as is shown by the score of 14 to 5 in favor of the institute.

The lads, who composed the Artesia team were all small and C. O. Brown was the only member that had represented the high school in a basketball game before. The report comes to local enthusiasts, that Brown, who played the center position was ill and did not show up as well as was expected. This fact tended to dishearten the less experienced lads, who were unable to get any team work into their activities on the court.

George Williams, a promising athlete of the freshman class played a stellar game for coach Adams boys in a guard position. Baxter Pollard, his team mate in the other guard position aided the Artesia team in holding the score of the Cadets to the minimum.

J. D. Christopher and Vernon Clayton, two of the smallest lads in the high school were opposed by excellent guards. This prevented them from ringing as many baskets as they desired.

Payne, scrappy little football star was the stellar performer for the cadets. He was able to shoot baskets from any angle or distance.

No announcement has been made concerning the next game to be played by the regular high school quintette. The combination is an unusually strong one this season and the prospects bright for a winning team. The lack of a court is a serious handicap to the followers of the sport at this place. The team will probably enter the tournament of eastern New Mexico to be held at Roswell in the near future.

### SENATOR BURSUM HEADS COMMITTEE ON PENSIONS

Senator H. O. Bursum of New Mexico was last week named by the committee on committees of the U. S. Senate as chairman of the committee on pensions. The change was made in the shifting due to the death of Senator Penrose, but it is first time in twenty years that as new a member of the senate as Senator Bursum has been advanced to as important a chairmanship.

### LEGION DANCE

The entertainment committee of the local post of the American Legion, announces a dance to be given tomorrow evening at the I. O. O. F. Hall. The last one given by this organization, recently, was a decided success and a very delightful affair. Ham's Jazz Hounds will furnish the music for the occasion. The public is cordially invited.

The entire juvenile population of the town were present on the streets on Tuesday afternoon, to greet the well-known friends, "Buster Brown and Tige." A special show was given at the El Rose theatre by these strangers for the kiddos. A peculiar feature of the program was that many grown persons were present under the pretense of taking care of their children. An unusually good time was enjoyed by the little folks, who want a dog like "Tige."

E. McEachern and family recently moved to Artesia from Mountainair. They came here so as to be in a lower altitude and to gain a milder climate. They are pleased with the contemplated civic improvements in Artesia.

### WORK ON SEWER BEGUN.

Activity concerning the sewer system and street paving in Artesia is begun. Mr. E. H. Sawin, an engineer from Kansas City, arrived last week and has since been engaged in taking levels in order to determine the course of the sewer pipes and to survey out the system.

The sewers as planned will begin in the western part of the city and run eastward to First street. The location of the septic tank into which the sewage will discharge has not yet been located. The plan as contemplated will accommodate all the houses in town except a few scattering ones in the outskirts. More specific information will be available next week.

Wednesday evening, Harold F. Gray, of Santa Fe, State Sanitary Engineer, arrived to confer with the city council and the local health officer concerning the sanitary features of the enterprise. He will advise concerning the depth of pipes, extent of the system, details of design, construction of the septic tank and other matters affecting the public health.

It is thought by the engineers that complete plans will be completed in about three weeks.

## FORMER ARTESIA STUDENTS

### THEIR WHERE-ABOUTS AND ACTIVITIES

(By Bevo)

George Adlai Feather, a graduate from Artesia High School in 1912, is now a lecturer in Durham College at New Castle, England, where he lectures on Spanish literature. He was detailed to do this work by Oxford college at Oxford, England, where he is a student. Before going to Europe, Mr. Feather was an instructor of Greek and Latin in the University of New Mexico. Part of his time in Europe has been devoted to relief work in Soviet Russia.

Enoch Odwyer Dunaway, well known ex-student of Artesia High School, during 1914-15, has proved a stellar athlete in Simmons College and the University of the Oklahoma City club of the Western League.

Noble Brainerd, graduate of Artesia High School in the class of 1911, is now the District Manager of a large manufacturing company in Toledo, Ohio. After leaving Artesia, he was a government instructor in the Philippine Islands for several years.

Max Coll, a member of the class of 1913 of the local High School is now in the employ of the United States government in the department of Animal Husbandry of Texas. He stayed two years in the Artesia High School before going to Washington, D. C.

Mrs. E. I. Hartsfield (nee Floy Floore) a graduate of the class of 1918, is now a resident of Carrizozo, New Mexico, where her husband is the proprietor of a drug store.

Mrs. Hartsfield taught school a few years after her graduation. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Floore of Artesia.

Misses Velma Smith and Irtun Morgan, former students, of the class of 1920 and Miss Esther Morgan, '18, are students at the University of New Mexico at Albuquerque.

Mr. Ralph Hadley, a graduate of the class of 1915 attended the University of Colorado after leaving high school. He is now associated with his father in the mechanical business at El Paso, Texas.

Oscar Harper, a member of the class of 1913 entered the employ of the United States government as a mail clerk, a short time after his high school days. He is now the United States vice-council at Juarez, Mexico. Artesia people feel very much at home, whenever they visit to El Paso and desire a glimpse of the Mexican side of the river.

Mrs. Reed Brainerd, (nee Mary Runyan) of the class of '14 is living at Clovis, New Mexico, where her husband is a prominent railroad man.

### SANTA FE COMPANY WILL ERECT LARGE STORAGE TANKS IN CLOVIS

Clovis, Jan. 31.—The Santa Fe Railroad company is making plans for the erection of several large storage tanks in the local yards for the storage of fuel oil which is used on the engines running east of this city. The tanks have a capacity of 55,000 barrels besides a 5,000 barrel service tank. Officials of the company say that they can operate the engines much cheaper on oil than they can on coal and in time expect to change all the engines on the system to this type.

Editor Read of the Argus office and son W. C. Read, accompanied by W. W. McAdoo who is in the drug business there, were in Artesia visiting last Saturday.

Miss Beverly Kirkpatrick is now employed in the Western Union office at Roswell.

## DEATH COMES QUICKLY

### EDWIN B. KEMP SUCCEUMS TO ATTACK OF CEREBRAL HEMORRHAGE

Old Settler Who Was Widely Known and Universally Respected

The word was passed about almost in a whisper last Saturday morning that E. B. Kemp had died during the night. His physical condition had for a long time been such that death was liable to occur suddenly. But death at any time, under any circumstances, is more or less shocking, and the sudden demise of Brother Kemp was peculiarly so.

Brother Kemp was at his place of business as usual on Friday, though it was noticed that he did not appear as well as common and he appeared to have more difficulty in walking. He retired in the evening at the usual time and in his usual condition at the hospital where he had maintained a room for some time. During the night his condition took a sudden change for the worse and he called for some one to get a doctor. Doctors Stroup and Baker arrived at 11:30 and found their patient had suffered a cerebral hemorrhage, commonly called rupture of a blood vessel of the brain. He soon passed into an unconscious state of coma and died painlessly at ten minutes before three.

The funeral services were held at the Methodist church at 2:30 o'clock on the following Tuesday. The body lay in state at the church from 1 o'clock until the beginning of the services. The latter were conducted by Rev. R. F. Davis, the pastor of the church, assisted by Dr. C. E. Mathes of the Presbyterian church. Rev. Davis, in the beginning, stated that E. B. Kemp would be his text, or rather the subject of his remarks, though as a matter of form he had selected the 38th verse of the 3rd chapter of Second Samuel: "Know ye not that a prince and a great man has fallen this day in Israel?" The nobility of character, ideal citizenship and lovely personality of the deceased were fittingly portrayed. "Edwin Kemp," the pastor said, "was a princely gentleman and I never knew a man who was more nearly perfect."

The attendance was large and sympathetic and the floral tributes as profuse as they were beautiful. Mrs. V. L. Gates sang with sweetly pathetic voice, "I Shall Meet Him Face to Face," which was the fulfillment of a request made by Mr. Kemp to his pastor.

The burial service was conducted by the Masonic order, augmented by members of the order from Lake Arthur and Hope. The trustees of the Methodist church acted as honorary pall bearers.

The body was laid to rest in Woodbine cemetery by the side of the first Mrs. Kemp. The deceased had been twice married, but there was no children. W. E. Kemp, the remaining brother, who lives in Muskogee, Oklahoma, arrived on the Monday afternoon train.

Edwin Buckanan Kemp was born at Alexandria, Va., January 19, 1861, and was thus 61 years old. Early in life he became a locomotive engineer and ran a locomotive for some years. He was in a railroad accident in which he received a severe injury. Soon after this he retired from the business.

About 1900 Mr. Kemp and two of his three brothers organized a company known as the Kemp Lumber Co., and established a chain of lumber yards. Mr. Kemp first came to Artesia late in 1903 to look over this field, and early in 1904 returned and established a yard here. He remained here in sole charge of the company's interest until his death.

In the mean time the other two brothers interested in the enterprise died and the interests of the corporation passed largely into other hands. The remaining brother, W. L. Kemp, who was in attendance at the funeral, is a druggist and resides at Muskogee, Oklahoma.

During the period of his resi-

dence here Bro. Kemp not only built up a substantial business but he established a reputation which few men are privileged to enjoy. Many men are honest because "honesty is the best policy." Bro. Kemp was honest but he was not honest from policy. He was nothing for principle. He was everything from principle. He was inflexibly against any attitude which his conscience could not readily approve and every contemplated act was self-scrutinized lest it might not be wholly just and exemplary. Charity was a conspicuous trait. His ears were always open to the tales of the unfortunate and to render assistance so such was an unfeigned pleasure.

But with all his moral rigidity there was no more jovial or light-hearted man than he. On all social occasions, fraternal, church or otherwise, his attendance was unfailing. He was a easy talker and his remarks were not only interesting but were made entertaining by his ever present cheerfulness and bubbling wit.

He was a devoted member of the Methodist church and Sunday school and the tenets of the church and his religion were sacredly held. He was a charter member and past master of the Masonic Order here, and a 32 degree Mason. He was also a charter member of the local chapter of the Eastern Star and had for many years been the chaplain of both orders. He very seldom or ever missed a meeting of either order until preventive of infirmities.

Some six years ago Bro. Kemp received a severe paralytic stroke. While he soon rallied sufficiently to enable him to attend to his business the hand of affliction bore more and more heavily upon him with the passing years until his condition became extremely pathetic. His paralysis had increased and spread until his whole structure was involved. He became unable to feed himself, and required much assistance.

The two nieces of his deceased brother, Miss Neil and Miss Anna May Kemp, came here from Roswell and rented a house. One of the nieces was engaged as a teacher in the public schools and the other kept house. Bro. Kemp took his meals with his nieces and slept at the hospital. From this time on these ladies ministered to the wants of the deceased with a degree of faithfulness and devotion that was as admirable as it was rare.

But Bro. Kemp never gave up. He continued to walk to his meals and to his office and attend to every detail of his office work, carrying on his correspondence with his typewriter until the night of his death. How he could do this was a mystery to everyone.

And all this time his spirit of complete resignation and cheerfulness never forsook him. Never depressed, gloomy or despondent, his everyday life furnished an example and an inspiration.

In conversation with a friend not long ago he remarked that he had read of people with palsy who lived many years. Then he added: "If the Creator wills that I shall continue to live, I shall bear my burdens cheerfully. If on the other hand it is decreed that I am soon to go, I am resigned and ready."

As night brings out the stars so the heavy hand of affliction conspicuously revealed the radiant virtues, the true inwardness, of this remarkable character.

Bro. Kemp is gone. His spirit has entered the unknown realm the vision of which gave no fear. This was because he was "ready and resigned." He will be missed and mourned today, tomorrow and for years to come. Such a man would be missed by any community.

### CHILD WELFARE DAY.

Program to be given by Parent-Teachers' Association at Junior High school, Monday, February 13th at 3:30 o'clock. "Child Welfare," posters made by High School pupils will be on exhibit and honors awarded to the best ones. After which the "Honor Posters" will be sent to Washington, where the National Congress of Mothers awards prizes from \$10.00 down to the best Posters on exhibition. Every parent is cordially invited to attend. The program follows:

Opening address, "Child Welfare Day," Mrs. C. O. Brown.

The "S" Star, or What Child Welfare Does, Tableau.

Music, duet "My Tribute," La Rue Mann, Andrew White.

Alphabetical Responses by twenty-six members of P. T. A., "The Co-operative Work of School and Home."

Recitation, "More Help," Aline Welch.

Mattie Addington. Recitation, Marjory Allen. Music, "The Mother's Hymn," Mrs. Gates.

Paper, "Child Welfare Day, What it is, What it Can Be," Mr. Coger.

"Four Corner Stones—Home, Church, School, State," a Pageant by Mrs. Jackson, Misses Kemp, Thomas, Attebury, Mr. Rhineheart and some children from graded school.

### LIBRARY TEA.

The Library Board will have a George Washington tea Saturday, February 18th, from 3:30 to 7 P. M. The public is cordially invited to attend. In the rooms below Dr. Clarke's office.

A cowboy from the plains near Lovington was an Artesia visitor Saturday night and was about as hard-boiled as they make 'em in that part of the country. He declared it was his night out and it wouldn't be to fool with him on such an occasion. He was heard to say that he "was so tough that he could walk on a barbed wire fence bare-footed with a wildcat under each arm, looking for a rattlesnake to jump on."

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# HARRIET and the PIPER

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## ROYAL BLONDIN

Synopsis.—Harriet Field, twenty-eight years old, and beautiful, is the social secretary of the flirtatious Mrs. Isabelle Carter, at "Crowlands," Richard Carter's home, and governess of seventeen-year-old Nina Carter. Ward, twenty-four years old and impressionable, fancies himself in love with his mother's attractive secretary. Mrs. Carter's latest "affair" is with young Anthony Pope, and the youth is taking it very seriously. Presiding over the tea-cups this summer afternoon, Harriet is profoundly disturbed by the arrival of a visitor, Royal Blondin. Next day, at a tea party in the city, Blondin makes himself agreeable to Nina, and leaves a deep impression on the unsophisticated girl.

## CHAPTER III.

Royal Blondin went straight from Nina to the tea table, which was almost deserted now. Harriet saw him coming, and she knew what hour had come. She stood up as he reached her, and they measured each other narrowly, with unsmiling eyes. There was reason for her paleness today, and for the faint violet shadows about her beautiful eyes. Harriet had lain awake deep into the night, tossing and feverish. She had always thought that he must come back; for years the fear had haunted her at every street crossing, at every ring of Linda's doorbell. At first it had been but a shivering apprehension of his claims, an anticipation of what he might expect or want from her. Then came a saner time, when she told herself that she was an independent human being as well as he, that she might meet his argument with argument, and his threat with threat.

But for the past year or two her lessening thoughts of him had taken new form. Harriet had hoped that when they met again she might be in a position to punish Royal Blondin, to look down at him from heights that even his audacity might not scale. That time, she told herself in the fever of the night, had not yet come. Her pitiful achievements, her beauty, her French and Spanish, her sober book reading, and her little affectations of fine linen and careful speech, all seemed to crumble to nothing. She seemed again to be the furious, helpless, seventeen-year-old Harriet of the Watertown years, her armor ineffectual against that suave and self-confident presence.

She had forced herself to unbind the wrappings, to look at the old wound. She had gone in spirit to that old, shabby parlor to which Linda and Fred had carried Josephine's crib late every night, and where sheet music had cascaded from the upright piano. She saw, with the young husband and wife, a fiery, tumble-head girl of fifteen or sixteen, who helped with her sister's cooking and housework, who adored the baby, who planned a future on the stage, or as a great painter, or as a great writer—the means mattered not so much that the end was fame and wealth and happiness for Harriet.

Fred had brought Royal Blondin in to supper one night, and Royal had laughed with the others at the spirited little waitress who delivered herself of tremendous decisions while she came and went with plates, and forgot to take off her checked blue apron when she finally slipped into her place.

The man had been a derelict then, as now. But he was nine years older than Harriet Field. He had had the same delightful voice, the same penetrating eyes. He had brought poetry, music, art, into the sordid little parlor of the Watertown apartment; and he had helped Harriet to tame and house those soaring ambitions. She felt again those kisses that had waked the little-girl heart into passionate womanhood; she shut her eyes and pressed her hand tight against them. So young—so happy—so confident!—plunging headlong into that searing blackness.

And now Royal Blondin was back again, and she was not ready for him. She could not score now. But he could hurt her irreparably if he would. Isabelle was an indifferent mother, an incorrigible flirt, but at the first word, at the first hint—ah, there would be no arguing, no weighing of the old blame and responsibility! If there was the faintest cloud of doubt, that would be enough!

Harriet had shaken back her mane of hair, had hammered furious fists together up on the dark balcony. "It wasn't fair—it wasn't fair—just now, when she was so secure and happy! She had flung her arms across the railing, and buried her hot face on them, and had wept desperate and angry tears into the silken and golden tangle that shone dully in the starlight.

She did not refuse him her hand when he came to the tea table, or her eyes, and there was friendliness, or the semblance of it, in the voice with which she said his name. That he was waiting, perhaps as fearfully as she, for his cue, was evidenced by the quick relief with which he echoed the old familiarity.

"Harriet! I find you again. I've

been waiting all this time to find you! I'd heard Ward speak of 'Miss Field,' of course! But it never meant you to me. I've been thinking of you all night."

"I've been thinking, too," she said, simply.

"It's after six," Blondin said with a glance about. "We can't talk here. Can you get away? Can we go somewhere?"

Without another word she deserted her seat, pinned on her hat, and picked up her gloves.

"There's a very quiet back road straight down to Crowlands," she said, considering. "We might walk."

"Anything!" he assented, briefly. Guided by Harriet, who was familiar with the place, they slipped through the hallway, and out a side door. They had no sooner gained silence and solitude than the man began deliberately:

"Harriet, I have not thought of anything else since I came upon you yesterday, after all these years. I want you to tell me that you—you aren't angry with me. You knew—you knew how desperately I tried to find you, Harriet! What a hell I went through!"

If she had steeled herself against the possibility of his shaking her, she failed herself now. It was with an involuntary and bitter little laugh that she said:

"You had no monopoly of that, Roy."

"But you ran away from me!" he accused her. "When I went to find you, they told me the Davenports had moved away. Won't you believe that I felt terrible—that I walked the streets, Harriet, praying—praying!—that I might catch a glimpse of you. It was the uppermost thought for years—how many years? Seven?"

"More than eight," she corrected, in a somewhat lifeless voice. "I was eighteen. My one thought, my one hope, when I last saw you, in Linda's house, was that I would never see you again! But I'm glad to hear you say this, Roy," she added, in a gentler tone. "I'm glad you—felt sorry. Our going away was a mere chance. Fred Davenport was offered a position on a Brooklyn paper, and we all moved from Watertown to Brooklyn. I was grateful for it; I only wanted to disappear! Linda stood by me, her children saved my life. I was a nurserymaid for a year or two—I never saw anybody or went anywhere! I look back," Harriet said, talking more to herself than to him, and walking swiftly along in the golden sunset that streamed across the old back road, "and I wonder I didn't go stark, staring mad!"

"Don't think about it," he urged, with concern.

"No; I'll not think about it. Royal, don't think that all my feeling was for myself. I thought of you, too. I missed you. Truly, I missed what you had given me life!"

A dark flush came to the man's face, and when he spoke it was with an honest shame and gratitude in his voice that would have surprised the women who had only known him in his later years.

"You are generous, Harriet," he said. "You were always the most generous girl in the world."

More stirred than she wished to show herself, Harriet walked on, and there was a silence.

"Linda and Fred made it hard for you?" he asked.

"Oh, no! They were angels. But of course in their eyes, and mine, too—I was marked."

Silence. Royal Blondin gave her a glance full of distress and compunction. But he did not speak, and it was Harriet who ended the pause.

"Well, that's what a little girl of eighteen may do with her life!" she said. "I have been a fool—I have made a wreck of mine!"

"You are the most beautiful woman in the world," Royal Blondin said, steadily. "You are established here, they all adore you! Why do you say that your life is a wreck?"

"I am the daughter of Professor Field," said Harriet, "and at twenty-seven I am the paid companion of Mrs. Richard Carter's daughter! Oh, well—I was happy enough to have the opportunity. What of yourself? Where have you been?"

But he was not quite ready to drop the personal note.

"Harriet, now that we have met, we'll be friends? My life now is among these people; you'll not be sorry if we occasionally meet?"

"In this casual way—no, we can stand that," she agreed. The fears of the night rose like mist, melted away. It was bad enough, but it was not what her inflamed and fantastic apprehension had made it. He was no revengeful villain, after all. He did not mean to harm her.

"I've been everywhere," he said, answering her question. "I made two trips to China from San Francisco. I was interested in Chinese antiques. Then I went into a Persian rug thing, with a dealer. We handled rugs; I went all over the Union. After that, four years ago, I went to Persia and India, and met some English people, and went with them to London. Then I came back here, as a sort of

press agent to a Swami who wanted to be introduced in America, and after he left I rather took up his work, Yogi and interpretive reading, 'Chitra' and 'Shojo'—you don't know them?"

She shook her head, sufficiently at ease now even to smile in faint derision.

"And what's the future in it, Roy? Now that the black dread was laid, she could almost like him.

"The present is extremely profitable," he said dryly, "and I suppose there might be—well, say a marriage in it, some day—"

"A rich widow?" Harriet suggested, simply.

"Or a little girl with a fortune, like this little Carter girl," he added, lightly.

Harriet gave him a swift look.

"Don't talk nonsense! Nina's only a child!"

"She's almost eighteen, isn't she?" The girl walked swiftly on for a full minute.

"You weren't quite—a child at eighteen," he reminded her.

The color flooded her transparent dusky skin.

"That's—exactly—what I was!" she said dryly. "But talk to Nina, if you don't believe me! Everything that is school-girlly and romantic and undeveloped, is Nina. She is absolutely inexperienced; she's what I called her, a child! It's—preposterous!"

"I suppose," the man drawled, "that that is a question for the young lady, and her parents, and myself to decide." Harriet bit her lip. This was utterly unexpected. Into her calculations, up to this point, she had taken only Royal Blondin and herself. If his words covered any truth, then the matter did not stop there. Nina was involved, and with Nina, Ward and Nina's father and Isabelle—

The complications were endless; her heart sickened before them. And yet, the conviction that Royal dared not betray her had been flooding Harriet's heart with exquisite reassurance during this past half hour. She was safe; her life at Crowlands took on a new and wonderful beauty with that know-



"A Rich Widow?" Harriet Suggested, Simply.

edge. And if she was fit to continue there, Nina's companion, Isabelle's confidante, guide and judge for the whole household, could she with any logic warn them against this man?

He had her trapped, and she saw it. To threaten his standing was to wreck her own.

Her eyes looked beyond him darkly; the girl was young and innocent, greedy for flattery, eager to live. What chance had little Nina Carter against charm like his—experience like his?

"I may never be asked to the house after tomorrow night," said Blondin. "She won't be here tomorrow night. This may be the beginning and end of it. All I ask is that if I am made welcome here, on my own merits, you won't interfere! The mere fact that you're living here doesn't mean that you have the moral responsibility of the family on your shoulders, does it?"

"No-o," Harriet admitted, in a troubled tone.

"Of course not! You live your life, and I mine. Is there anything wrong about that?"

"You know you would never look at that girl except for her money, Roy!" she burst out.

"Nor would anyone else!" he amended, suavely.

Harriet gave a distressed laugh. "Come! You and I never saw each other until this week," Blondin urged. "That's the whole story."

Before she answered, the girl looked beyond him at the splendid stables and lawns of Crowlands. It never lost its charm for her, her castle of dreams; she had longed to be part of just such a household all her life! Now she actually was part of it, and—

might some day really belong to Crowlands, in good earnest! Harriet made her choice.

"Very well," she said, briefly. "I understand you. I turn in here. Good-night!"

"Just a second!" he said, detaining her. "You won't hurt me with any of them, Ward or the girl, or the father?" The girl's lips curled with distaste. "No," she said tonelessly.

In another second she was gone. He saw the slender figure, in its green gown, disappear at a turning of the ivied wall. She paused for no backward glance of farewell. But Royal Blondin was satisfied.

## CHAPTER IV.

Again Harriet fled through the quiet house as if pursued by furies, and again reached her room with white cheeks and a fast-beating heart. Nina was not there. She crossed to the window, and stood there with her hands clasped on her chest, and her breath coming and going stormily.

"Oh, he's clever!" she whispered, half aloud. "He's clever! He never made a threat of any kind! He knew that he had me—he knew that he had me just where he wanted me! And what he does here, in making his way with this family, doesn't concern me! Nina is old enough to decide for herself."

Nina had been experiencing what were among the pleasantest hours of her life. A school friend, Amy Hawkes, who was romance personified, under a plain and demure exterior, had observed Nina's long conversation with Royal Blondin, and had found an arch allusion to it so well received by Nina that she had followed up that line of conversation, ever since.

Amy was to sleep with Nina, and Harriet realized, as she superintended their fluttered dressing, that she, Harriet, would be obliged to go to their door five times, between eleven and one o'clock that night, and tell them that they must stop talking.

There was a modest knock at the door, and Rosa came in with a box. She smiled, and put it on Harriet's desk.

"For me?" the girl said, smiling in answer, and with some surprise. Rosa nodded, and went her way, and Harriet went to the box. It was not large, a florist's box of dark green cardboard; Harriet untied the raffia string, and investigated the mass of silky tissue paper. Inside was an orchid, and found Ward's card. On the back he had written, "Just a little worried because he's afraid you're cross at him!"

Harriet stood perfectly still, the orchid in one hand, the card crushed in the other. Ward Carter had sent orchids, no doubt, to other girls. But Harriet Carter had never had an orchid before from a man.

She put the card into her little desk, and the orchid into a slender crystal vase. Then she went back to advise Amy and Nina as to gold beads and the arrangement of hair. But a little later, when she was in the big housekeeper's pantry, where several maids were busy with last-minute manipulations of olives and ice and grapefruit, Ward came out and found her, soberly busy in her old checked silk.

"Why didn't you wear it?"

"Wear it—you had, extravagant child! I'll wear it to town tomorrow."

"No; but—" he sank his tone to one of enjoyable confidences—"but were you mad at me? You looked so glum at breakfast."

"Well, you had nothing to do with it!" she assured him, in her big-sisterly voice. "And it was the first orchid I ever had, and I loved you for it!"

It was with something like pain and impatience in his tone that Ward said gruffly:

"Yes, you do! You like me about as much as you like Nina or Granny?"

"I like you—sh! just a little better than I do Granny!" Harriet confided, "Don't spoil your dinner with olives, Ward! Don't muss that—there's a dear! Dinner's announced, by the way. It's quarter past eight."

"I'm going!" he grumbled, discontentedly.

"At any rate, I love the orchid!" Harriet said, soothingly. He was laughing, too, as he disappeared, but something in his face was vaguely troubling to her none the less, and she remembered it now and then with a little compunction during her quiet evening of reading. Well, she would see Linda on Saturday, and have Sun-

day with her and the children, and that meant always a complete change and a shifted viewpoint, even when, as frequently happened, Linda took the older-sisterly privilege of scolding.

When Harriet had chaperoned Nina and Amy to the Friday afternoon matinee, and had duly deposited Amy afterward in the Hawkes mansion, and had escorted Nina to her grandmother's apartment, she was free to direct Hansen to drive her to the Jersey tube, and to spend a hot, uncomfortable hour in a stream of homegoing commuters, on the way to Linda's house.

She mounted the three cement steps from the sidewalk level, and the four shabby and peeling wooden ones that rose to the porch. On this hot summer afternoon the front door was open, and Harriet stepped into the odorless gloom of the hall, and let the screen door bang lightly behind her.

Immediately, in the open archway into the parlor, a girl of fifteen appeared, a pretty girl with blue eyes and brown hair, a shabby but fresh little shirtwaist belted by a shabby but clean white skirt, and a napkin dangling from her hand.

"Oh, Mother—it's Aunt Harriet! Oh, you darling!"

Harriet, laughing, went from the child's wild embrace into the arms of Linda herself, a tall, broadly built, pleasant-faced woman with none of Harriet's own unusual beauty, but with a family resemblance to her younger sister nevertheless.

"Well, you sweet good child!" she said warmly. "Fred—here's Harriet! Well, my dear, isn't it fortunate that we were late! We'd hardly commenced!"

The remaining members of the family now streamed forth: Fred Davenport, a thin, rather gray man of fifty, with an intelligent face; a worried forehead, and kindly eyes; Julia, a blonde beauty of twelve; Nammy, a fat, sweet boy of five, with a bib on; and Pip, a serious ten-year-old, with black hair and faded blue overalls.

Fred was a newspaper man, one of the submerged many, underpaid, overworked, unheard, yet vaguely gratified through all the long years by the feeling that his groove was not quite the groove of the office, the teller's desk, or the traveling salesman's "beat." Here in the little suburban town his opinions gained some little weight from the fact that he had been ten years with a New York evening paper, Mrs. Davenport was interested in everything her sister had to say; knew the Carters, and even some of their closest friends, by name, and asked all sorts of questions about them.

Later in the evening Fred was at the piano. It was a poor piano, and he was a poor player who smoked his old pipe while he painstakingly fingered Mendelssohn's "Songs Without Words" or the score of "The Geisha." But Linda loved him.

"He will putter away there, perfectly content, for an hour," she told Harriet. "And at ten you'll see him starting to get Josephine. They're great chums—she thinks there's no one in the world like Daddy!"

Harriet's thoughts had wandered. "How's David?"

"Lovely. He always comes to us for Sunday dinner," Linda said. "And he always asks for you!" she added, with some significance. David Davenport, Fred's somewhat heavy and plodding brother, a successful Brooklyn dentist, had never made any secret of his feeling for the beautiful Harriet.

"I like David!" Harriet said, in answer to some faint indication of reproach in her sister's tone. But immediately afterward she added, in a lower voice: "Ward Carter has had Royal Blondin at the house this week!"

Linda's rocker stopped as if by shock. There was an electric silence. When she spoke again it was with awe and incredulity and something like terror in her tone.

"Royal Blondin! He's in England!"

"He was," Harriet said, dryly. "He's been in New York for two years now." Linda shuddered.

"I know—I remember!" she said in a whisper. And she added fervently, "I hoped he was dead!"

"You love me and I love you—isn't that all that matters?"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

## The KITCHEN CABINET

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"After you have been two weeks in the house with one of these terrible handy men that ask their wives to be sure and wipe between the lines of the forks, and know just how much raising bread ought to have, and how to hang out a wash so each piece will get the best sun, it's a real joy to get back to the ordinary kind of man."

### WHAT TO HAVE FOR DINNER

As a beginning for any little company dinner a cocktail of various fruits is always acceptable.

**Grapefruit Cocktail.**—Make grapefruit baskets by cutting a small handle through to the center of a grapefruit, scoop out the pulp and reserve for the filling. Take the grapefruit pulp, one orange, a little pineapple diced. Mix well and add a sirup made by using the fruit juice and sugar cooked together and cooled. Fill the shells and garnish the top of each handle with a sprig of mint thrust through the top of the handle, or a flower may be used for decoration.

**White Cookies.**—Take one-half cupful of shortening, one cupful of sugar, two well-beaten eggs, two tablespoonfuls of sweet milk, flour to make a soft dough to roll, adding two teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Flavor with vanilla. The recipe makes three dozen cookies.

**Dinner Cheese.**—Put through a meat grinder one-half cupful of stuffed olives, add to one cream cheese and when well blended add to two cupfuls of grated American cheese. Season well with salt, roll in the form of a long roll. Place on a doily-covered plate and decorate with sliced stuffed olives. Place a cheese knife on the plate and let each serve himself.

**Grapefruit Jelly and Cheese.**—The grapefruit juice not used in the cocktail may be used the next day by thickening it with a little gelatin and when firm cut in small cubes and serve with balls of well-seasoned cottage cheese.

**Salmon Salad.**—Mix together one and one-half cupfuls of salmon flaked with one-half cupful of celery, two tablespoonfuls of chopped green pepper, one small onion and salt and pepper to taste. Peel two tomatoes and cut them into dice and mix with the salad, or cut them in quarters and use as a garnish. Arrange on a bed of lettuce and garnish with mayonnaise.

### SEASONABLE GOOD THINGS

Where okra is not grown or found fresh in the market it is always obtainable canned.

**Okra Savory.**—Take one quart of okra and cut in quarter-inch slices crosswise, mix with two cupfuls of diced celery, one green pepper diced and one-half of a small onion, also diced. Cook in four tablespoonfuls of fat until the vegetables begin to get soft. Add

two large ripe tomatoes (or the equivalent in canned tomato), salt and pepper and stew gently one hour. Serve hot.

**Baked Dried Peaches.**—Soak one pound of peaches over night. Place in a deep dish, sprinkle with cinnamon and pour over them one-fourth cupful of sugar sirup or honey. Cover with cold water and bake until nearly tender, add one tablespoonful of butter and finish baking.

**Potatoes With Cream Cheese Sauce.**—Boil potatoes in their jackets, peel when cool and cut with a French cutter into potato balls. Scald one pint of milk. Add two tablespoonfuls each of butter and flour cooked together; season with salt and pepper and add one tablespoonful of minced parsley. When the flour, milk and butter are well cooked, add one cupful of good-flavored cheese cut in dice; stir until the cheese is melted and then add the potato balls. When well heated serve piping hot.

**Feather Cake.**—Take one cupful of sugar, one cupful of milk, two and one-half cupfuls of flour, one tablespoonful of vanilla extract, one teaspoonful of cream of tartar, one-half teaspoonful of soda, one tablespoonful of butter and a pinch of salt. Mix and beat well. Bake in a loaf.

**Apple Dessert.**—Take one cupful of chopped apples, one-half cupful of raisins; place in the center of a rolled-out pastry shell. Pinch up the edges, place in a baking dish, add one cupful of boiling water, one cupful of maple sugar, two tablespoonfuls of butter, and bake until the pastry is well browned, basting occasionally.

**Jam Omelet.**—Beat the yolks of five eggs until light and lemon colored, add a tablespoonful of powdered sugar and three tablespoonfuls of milk mixed with a teaspoonful of cornstarch. Fold in the stiffly beaten whites of the eggs and cook in a buttered omelet pan until set. Then spread with jam and fold. Serve as a dessert, sprinkled with powdered sugar and garnish with jam. A delicious omelet may be prepared by adding a handful of blanched almonds to the pan just before pouring in the omelet. Fold and serve with a hot maple sauce.

**The Soya Bean.**  
The soya bean is largely used by the Chinese. The white cheeses you see at Chinese stores are made of soya bean curd. In France, a liquid made from the soya bean has been used as a milk substitute. It is not good for that purpose, because, like all beans, it is largely starch. The soya bean is a valuable food, but it is inferior to peanuts. They contain much fat, which beans lack.

**Lines to Be Remembered.**  
Truth is the root, but human sympathy is the flower of practical life.—E. H. Chapin.

Nellie Maxwell



# HOME OF SIMPLE PLEASING DESIGN

Will Appeal to Those of Modest Pocketbooks.

FRONT PORCH STRONG POINT

Modest but Pleasing in Appearance and Substantial in Construction —Rooms Well Arranged and Ample Lighted.

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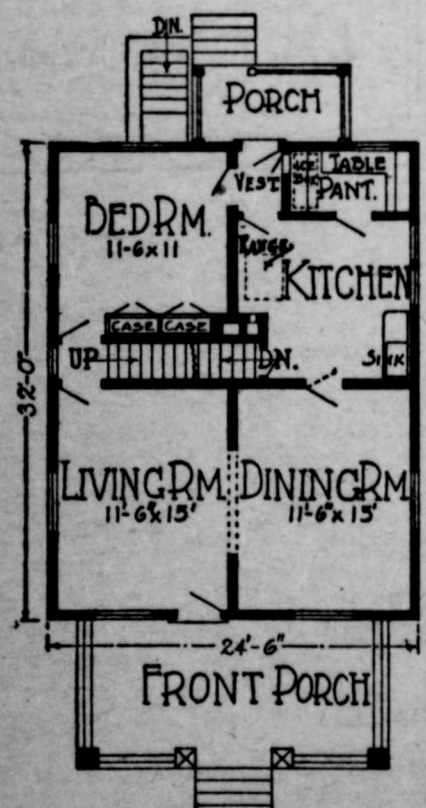
A study of the latest statistics on home ownership in the United States reveal an alarming condition. Not one of the very large cities shows 30 per cent of their inhabitants owning their homes. Not more than two or three cities over 100,000 in population show more than half of their families living in homes that they own. In other words, the nation has become a land of tenants. Is there any wonder that we are suffering from a temporary paralysis in civic pride, respect for law and order, and depression. The man who wanders about like the nomads of the deserts cannot be expected to vote regularly or to take an interest in civic questions. He has no ties that bind outside of the family. Home life is essential to any country and only when it becomes the regular part of every family's program can we expect a revival of national spirit.

Much of this condition can be blamed upon high costs and unstable conditions. Building has been held up for several years on account of the war, subsequent strikes, lockouts, etc. But there is much encouragement to be found during the last three months. Labor troubles have been settled in many localities, prices have been readjusted to a point where they are once more within reason and building per-



mits are breaking all records. Since September building activity has doubled and trembled and next spring should see one of the liveliest building seasons in history. That is why it is time for everyone who wants a new home to get busy looking over designs.

For those of modest pocketbooks and simple tastes the home design shown here should prove quite attractive. It is modest in appearance, but



First Floor Plan.

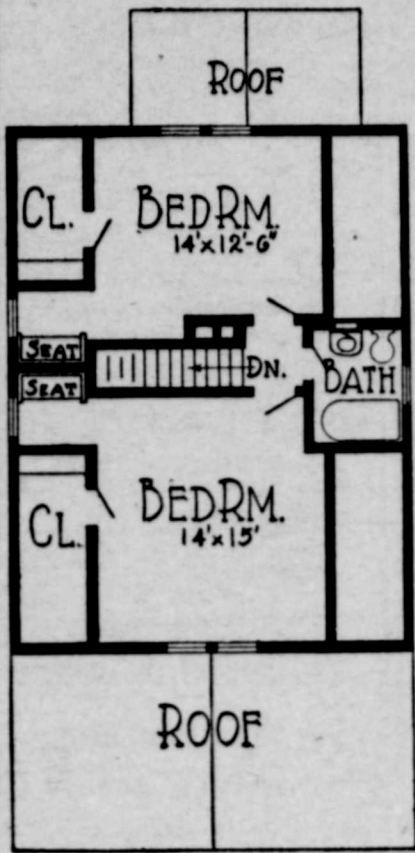
quite pleasing and certainly substantial in construction. The foundation is concrete, rock-faced block, while the siding up to the top of the first floor is clapboard and above that, shingles.

The feature that will appeal to many is the large, wide open front porch, an ideal place for the family to gather, also a practical playground for the children. In the summer time it can be screened in at small expense to

protect the people from germ-carrying flies and mosquitoes.

The front door opens directly into the living room, an arrangement that will save considerable money on construction although it may not appeal to everybody. It eliminates the vestibule which is not needed in a house of this size. The living room is a cheerful room, 11 feet 6 inches by 15 feet, getting light from two large windows in front and side and connected with the dining room across the house by a wide open doorway. The dining room is about the same in size and also has two large windows. Situated as they are, these two rooms practically make one large one.

At the rear of the living room is a short hall leading to the stairs going



Second Floor Plan.

up and to the bedroom in the rear. This room is of the small modern type, 11 feet 6 inches by 11 feet, and has two built-in cases for wardrobe purposes. It can also be entered from a door at the rear opening out into a short vestibule. This vestibule opens the way to the kitchen, which adjoins the dining room and is rather small in size but very completely equipped.



It has a small pantry fitted with work table and open icng refrigerator.

Upstairs are two very comfortable bedrooms and bath. The bedrooms are 14 by 12 feet 6 inches and 14 by 15 feet and face front and rear, with two large windows in each. In the hall opposite the bathroom is a cozy nook furnished with two permanent window seats. Because of the sloping roof the closets are rather long and narrow, but not high, and afford plenty of room for clothes and other articles.

There is nothing pretentious about this home yet it will provide many a family with a real nest where they can have all the comforts of life at a reasonable outlay and without the continual worry of an increase in rent when the new lease is signed. Once established in a home, regardless of size, their happiness is assured.

## PRINCE OF FALLEN ANGELS

Eblis is the Arabian Counterpart of Personage Whom the Christians Know as Satan.

Eblis is the name given by the Arabs to the prince of fallen angels. Before his fall he was called Azazel. According to the legend, he was exiled to the infernal regions for refusing to worship the newly created Adam at the command of the Almighty.

To justify his refusal to worship Adam, the fallen angel, Eblis, declared that he had been formed of ethereal fire, while Adam was merely a creature of common clay. To avenge himself, according to the legend, Eblis tempted Adam and Eve and caused them to be thrust forth from Eden and separated.

The Mohammedans state that at the birth of their prophet the throne of Eblis was precipitated to the lowest depth of inferno and all the idols of the Gentiles were overthrown. The term "Gentiles" was applied by them to all people of other religious beliefs. —Chicago Journal.

## Useful Knowledge.

Bowen—His knowledge of Egyptian writing has assisted many times in his travels.  
Cowan—In what respect?  
Bowen—Enabled him to read any time table put before him.

# DAIRY DAIRY

## PLAN OF BULL ASSOCIATIONS

Modifications of Ideas Suggested by Dairy Division Have Been Tried and Fizzled.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Modifications of the bull-association plan advocated by the dairy division of the United States Department of Agriculture are tried frequently. Most of these plans consist of loose agreements between two or more breeders. In some cases a bull is purchased by a group of men. Sometimes two or more breeders exchange their bulls. The idea in this case is to close inbreeding, and yet avoid inbreeding.

A specialist of the department who has had extensive opportunity to observe the working of most of these methods, when asked about their suc-



By Breeding to Superior Sires Milk Production Can Be Greatly Increased in Single Generation and Greater Economy Effected.

cess, replied that some of them would give excellent results if carried out, but it was generally impossible to get them to function, for lack of the driving power and balancing influences that are found in the regular bull association.

"These ideas," he said, "are all right, but they have no working agreements nor plans of procedure to properly regulate their operation. The experience of the department is that such attempts are useless for general adoption, unless organized in a practical, definite, businesslike way by a person of experience who can break down the prejudices of individuals. When such a person undertakes the organization of a co-operative breeding enterprise in a given locality, he generally finds it easier and more beneficial to form a regular co-operative bull association than a partnership of the type indicated.

"When attempts are made to organize a bull association it is nearly always the case that most farmers agree readily, on general principles, that the plan is excellent for the other fellow, but no so good for himself. It is necessary to have a community thoroughly interested in the plan, and familiar with its method of operation. Some leader must bring these things about, and it is most unusual if anyone other than an extension specialist will do this work. Even a partnership of two men is frequently found to meet with the same difficulty.

"After a properly organized association has been perfected, it has in it the necessary conditions for permanence. Yet a directing supervision is necessary to its fullest success, and this can best be given by the regular extension organization of the department co-operating with the state agricultural colleges, and the amount of help that can be rendered will depend on how well the form of organization fits in with the other work of the extension forces.

"The plan of action embodied in the regular form of co-operative bull association is a plan approved by experience. It does better than any other plan in use. It has been tried, and it works. Some sort of co-operation for the maintenance of better sires is essential to the fullest development of the dairy industry, and I should advise any who are interested to stay with the regular association plan and carry it through without compromise."

## WARMED WATER HELPS COWS

Cattle That Must Drink Ice Cold Water Show Result in Their Milk-Giving Qualities.

Have you ever experimented with warmed water for cows? Of course water should not be very warm, but it should have the chill taken out of it. Dairy cattle that must drink ice cold water show the result in their milk-giving qualities. Ice cold water chills the animal so that additional food is necessary.

## DEPRAVED APPETITE OF HEN

Fowl That Has Formed Habit of Eating Her Eggs Cannot Be Cured —Use the Ax.

The hen that eats her eggs has formed a habit that cannot be broken. Cut off her head with the ax. A depraved appetite may be acquired by seeing some other hen eat an egg, as one hog learns from another to eat chickens. A lack of food or grit may be a contributing factor, also.

# IMPROVED ROADS

## WAR SUPPLIES FOR HIGHWAYS

So Far Approximately \$150,000,000 Worth of Surplus Material Has Been Distributed.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Approximately \$150,000,000 worth of surplus war materials, turned over by the War department to the Department of Agriculture, were distributed through the bureau of public roads to the various states for road-building purposes up to November 1 last.

Under the Wadsworth-Kahn bill this surplus war material is sent to the states with the sole provision that it be used only for road-building purposes. A vast accumulation of machinery, equipment, supplies and motor vehicles that was to have been used in France has thus been diverted to a useful peace-time purpose.

Included in the supplies distributed among the states are 27,198 motor vehicles, mostly trucks; 172 locomotives of various sizes; 25,000 gross tons of rails; more than 4,500,000 pounds of powder; and nearly 10,000 tons of TNT.

A compilation showing total deliveries of war material to the various states up to July 1, last, places the value of machinery, equipment and supplies so delivered at \$30,648,779; of motor vehicles, \$74,730,568; and of spare parts, at \$11,731,424. The total value of deliveries to the states up to that date was \$117,110,771. That figure did not include material to the value of approximately \$11,000,000, which was retained by the Department of Agriculture, largely for forest pro-



Army Sectional Bridge Erected Over Davidson River, Pisgah National Park.

work, which is not done by the states. Also, it is believed that the states have received, in addition to the amount above mentioned, approximately \$5,000,000 worth of material shipped by the War department from the various army camps and not reported by the states as delivered.

The value of deliveries of surplus war material for road-building purposes to the states is in detail as follows:

Alabama	2,287,746
Arizona	2,041,463
Arkansas	2,925,000
California	8,597,500
Colorado	2,527,540
Connecticut	645,500
Delaware	412,500
Florida	1,483,500
Georgia	4,271,000
Idaho	1,474,000
Illinois	6,462,000
Indiana	2,942,500
Iowa	2,571,000
Kansas	2,591,000
Kentucky	2,011,900
Louisiana	1,472,100
Maine	973,500
Maryland	1,666,000
Massachusetts	899,500
Michigan	4,448,220
Minnesota	3,190,100
Mississippi	3,273,320
Missouri	3,569,000
Montana	2,440,400
Nebraska	3,347,660
Nevada	1,182,300
New Hampshire	412,500
New Jersey	1,657,900
New Mexico	2,132,440
New York	5,509,520
North Carolina	3,063,920
North Dakota	1,447,350
Ohio	4,194,900
Oklahoma	2,112,000
Oregon	1,662,000
Pennsylvania	4,384,000
Rhode Island	229,900
South Carolina	1,768,830
South Dakota	2,295,900
Tennessee	3,156,500
Texas	7,101,240
Utah	1,333,500
Vermont	529,100
Virginia	2,929,800
Washington	1,391,500
West Virginia	2,364,400
Wisconsin	3,042,000
Wyoming	1,230,900
Total	\$117,110,771

## Signs to Guide Motorists.

Three wordless signs to guide motorists have been adopted for Massachusetts highways. Danger points are marked by three diagonally parallel lines, an intersecting road by a T laid on its side and a cross. The warning will be placed 200 feet from the point indicated.

Work in Pennsylvania. Pennsylvania constructed 615 miles of modern durable type highways this year, breaking the world's record.

# CARBON MONOXID WORKS QUICKLY

Open Season for Fatalities Resulting From Inhaling Exhaust Gas of Engines.

## GRADUAL INCREASE IN DEATHS

Running of Motorcar in Closed Garage for Testing or Warming Up Is Dangerous Practice, According to Scientists.

With the onset of cold weather comes the open season for fatalities resulting from carbon monoxide poisoning by inhalation of the exhaust gas of automobile engines running in small, closed garages, says the Journal of the American Medical Association. The last few years have seen a gradual increase in deaths resulting from this peculiar combination of circumstances. Cases have been reported which involve inhalation of gas from bathroom heaters as well as from both gasoline launches and automobile engines.

## Person Quickly Overcome.

The gas responsible, carbon monoxide, is one which quickly overcomes persons exposed to it above certain concentrations, so that it has been important to determine the limits necessary to cause fatality. In an endeavor to determine this necessary concentration and exposure, Prof. Yandell Henderson, with the aid of a number of colleagues, carried on some studies preliminary to the problems of ventilation involved in the proposed vehicular tunnel under the Hudson river.

Among other conclusions reached by the experimenters, the most important was the determination that, when the time of exposure in hours multiplied by the concentration of carbon monoxide in parts per 10,000 of air equals three, there is no perceptible physiologic effect. When it equals six, there is just a perceptible effect; when it equals nine, headache and nausea are induced; when it equals 15 or more, the conditions are dangerous to life. If a motorcar should give off one cubic foot of carbon monoxide per minute in a closed room 10 by 10 by 20 feet, the atmosphere would reach the dangerous concentration of 15 parts in 10,000 in three minutes.

## Dangerous Procedure.

Experience has shown that the running of a motorcar in a closed garage for testing or warming up is a dangerous procedure. Scientific evidence reveals the reason for the danger and the narrow limits of safety surrounding the inexperienced motorist who indulges in this hazardous performance.

## WATCH STEERING MECHANISM

Car Whose Direction Cannot Be Controlled Is Dangerous—Make Frequent Inspections.

Don't neglect your steering mechanisms. A car whose direction cannot be controlled is dangerous. While adjusting mechanism it is best to turn wheels to extreme right. Parts are worn less at this position than when straight ahead. Never turn the steering wheel while the car is standing still. This puts severe strain on all steering gear parts and is hard on tires. Careful drivers will inspect frequently.

## PREVENT MISSES OF ENGINE

Do Not Neglect Manifold, and If Spark Plug Is Not Tight Trouble Will Follow.

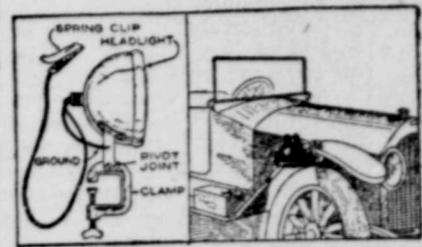
Don't neglect your manifold. If you have a spark plug which is not screwed tight, or a petcock partly open, or a gasket which is not absolutely air-tight, your engine will miss badly when you try to make it pull at slow speed on a hill. To find air leaks squirt a little oil around the plug or gasket and if bubbles show up you have a leak.

# DETACHABLE TROUBLE LAMP IS VERY HANDY

Discarded Electric Headlight and Clamp Are Needed.

Light Is Quite Convenient When It Is Necessary to Make Repairs at Night, as It Can Be Attached in an Instant.

A handy detachable trouble lamp for automobiles can be made from a discarded electric headlight and a clamp of the type illustrated. The headlight bracket is attached to the clamp by a small bolt that is passed through holes of suitable size in both pieces. This provides a joint which permits the position of the lamp to be changed when the device is fastened to a fender, or some other part of a car. If the car has a grounded electric system, one of the wires leading to the light bulb is grounded on the lamp, while the second is fitted with a metal clip for attaching it to a "live" point on the wiring system. With a double-wire system, clips should be fastened to the ends of



By Combining an Old Electric Headlight and a Clamp, as Shown Here, a Handy Trouble Lamp for Automobiles Can Be Made.

both wires. The lamp is very convenient when it is necessary to make repairs at night, as it can be attached in an instant wherever it is needed. —Popular Mechanics Magazine.

## TEST FOR INDUCTION COIL

Simple Way to Find Out If the Secondary Winding Is in Good Condition.

To test the secondary winding of an induction coil connect a volt meter and a six-volt storage battery to the secondary terminals. The voltmeter should be connected in series, that is, break the wire leading from battery to coil and attach each terminal of the voltmeter to an end of the wire that is broken. If the current will not flow from the battery the winding is open. If the winding is in good condition the voltmeter will show a reading of half the storage battery voltage.

# AUTOMOBILE PAINTS

The motorist who continually takes chances usually finishes his ride in an ambulance bound for a hospital.

Because of the narrow streets in many of the cities and towns of Japan, the motorcycle has become far more popular in the Orient than the automobile.

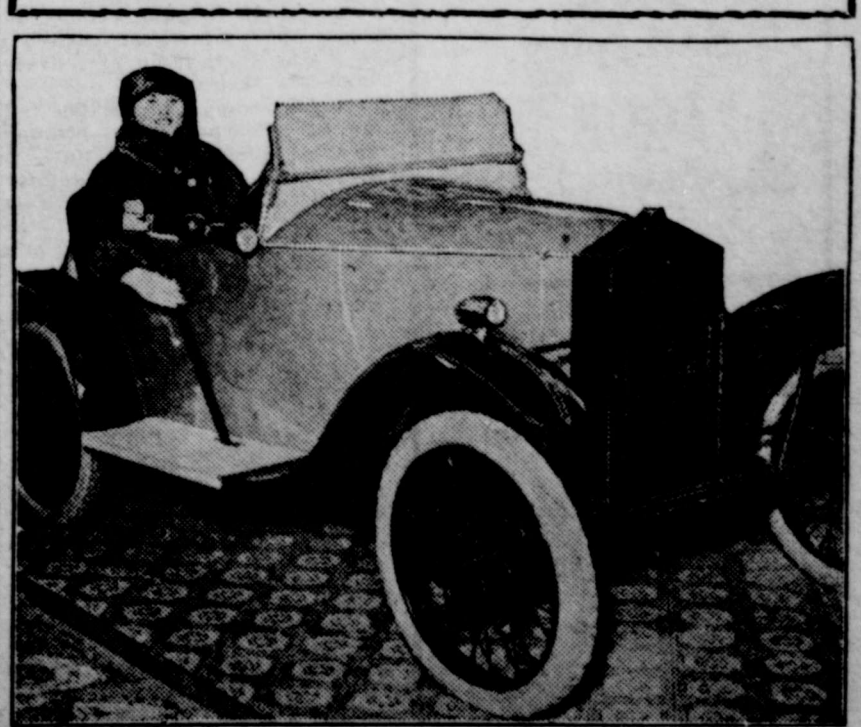
In New York state it is a misdemeanor to use any seal, coat of arms, sign, lettering or insignia of the United States on any privately owned automobile.

If the engine shows too great a tendency to overheat, the radiator is probably clogged and should be cleaned out thoroughly with hot water and washing soda.

Motor vehicle dealers in Boston are co-operating with the public schools of the city in giving instruction to boys who are studying automotive mechanics in the high schools.

Don't neglect small cuts. These will often extend farther than you think. Dirt and wet get in, the fabric rots, and a blowout follows. Look over your tires from time to time.

## CHEAP CAR PROBLEM IS SOLVED



In the opening of the Olympic motor show, in London, many useful types were among the exhibits. The photograph shows a new ladies' runabout, simple to manipulate and the smallest car at the show. This type bids fair to prove popular with "Hubby," who pays the bill.



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**COLD WATER MELLON**

Secretary Mellon against has tossed a flood of cold water upon the soldier bonus proposal. He continues to insist upon the most objectionable kinds of taxes to raise the money, if the money is to be raised. He continues to declare that the money should not be raised at all. As it not absurd to place responsibility for the bonus in the hands of such a man as Mellon, who never ceases to cry out against the bonus? It is Mellon who is called in to give the congress advice as to the raising of the bonus money, and of course his advice is carefully calculated to make the bonus as unpopular as possible.

Congress also is placing in Mellon's hands the authority to arrange for payment of the allied debt and the interest thereon. Mellon is opposed to using any of this interest for the bonus. That would make the bonus too easy to get. And he is to have authority to postpone payment of the interest as long as he pleases. Of course he'll postpone it long enough to make it unavailable for bonus purposes.

If Mellon refuses to resign, it is time he should be fired.—Wichita Eagle.

January 30, 1922.  
 To the Officers and Members of the Democratic State Central Committee, Bureau Chairmen, Executive Committee, Advisory Committee, State Committeemen at Large and Members of the National Committees for New Mexico.  
 A meeting of the Democratic State Central Committee is hereby called to meet in the City of Albuquerque, New Mexico, on Thursday, February twenty-third, 1922, at the Chamber of Commerce Building, at two o'clock P. M. for the purpose of considering general political conditions and plans for the work of the party organization and to transact any other business affecting the welfare of the Democratic Party that may be presented in due order to the Committee.

I urge that we have a full attendance and that all members of the State Central Committee, Bureau Chairmen, Executive, Advisory and State Committeemen, and the women members especially, attend this meeting which will be of importance to our Party.

Very Sincerely Yours,  
 ARTHUR SELIGMAN, Chairman.  
 BRYON O. BEALL, Secretary.

**A MISTAKE.**

In the last weeks' Advocate we stated that the light plant had changed ownership, that we needed the plant repaired or new machinery installed. Mr. Edmondson says it would be foolish to try and repair the plant for the fact the engines are out of date and that the only practical way to remedy the situation would be the installation of up-to-date machinery. We say so too, Mr. Edmondson. We also beg your pardon.

**Nicksons are Back.**

Guy Nickson, Mrs. Nickson and two of the children arrived in Artesia this morning, having made the trip from California in their car. Mr. and Mrs. Mummert will remain in California with the sick boy until he is able to be brought home by rail.

The Nicksons are at the Hardwick where they will remain for an indefinite period.

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**PRIMARY ELECTION ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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INEZ E. JONES,  
 Carlsbad, N. M.

**FOR COUNTY CLERK**  
 I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Clerk of Eddy County. My announcement is subject to the will of the Democratic Primary.

LELIAETTA C. HANSON,  
 Carlsbad, N. Mex.

**SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS:**  
 I hereby announce my candidacy for superintendent of schools of Eddy county, subject to the decision of the Democratic Primaries. Your support will be appreciated.

MRS. A. A. KAISER,  
 Carlsbad, N. M.

**FOR SHERIFF:**  
 I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Eddy County, New Mexico, subject to the decision of the Democratic Primaries when the same shall be held.

GEORGE W. BATTON.

**FOR COUNTY TREASURER:**  
 I hereby announce myself as candidate for re-election to the office of Treasurer and Collector of Eddy County, subject to the decision of the Democratic Primaries when the same shall be held.

AUD E. LUSK.

**FOR COUNTY CLERK.**  
 I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination to the office of County Clerk of Eddy county. My nomination is subject to the will of the Democratic primary.

E. M. KEARNEY.

**FOR ASSESSOR:**  
 I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Assessor of Eddy County, subject to the decision of the Democratic Primaries when the same shall be held.

JOE JOHNS.

**FOR COMMISSIONER DISTRICT NO. 2:**  
 I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Commissioner from District No. 2, Eddy County, subject to the decision of the Democratic Primaries when the same shall be held.

HOLLIS G. WATSON.

**SPARKS FROM THE SPORT ANVIL**

Eight Notre Dame University and nine University of Illinois athletes have been barred from all collegiate athletics on account of playing in a football game for money after the close of the collegiate season. This game was between Carlinville and Taylorville, two small towns in Illinois.

The Detroit Tigers have thirty-three players on their roster. The list includes thirteen pitchers, eleven infielders, five outfielders and four catchers. Fourteen are new recruits.

The University of Arizona basketball team have completed a tour of New Mexico defeating the Roswell Institute by a score of 52 to 9 and 24 to 11. University of N. Mex. lost by 58 to 22, and 25 to 21 scores. The Arizona "wild cats" then romped over the New Mexico aggies by 35 to 6 and 32 to 4 scores.

Robert Stewart, Glasgow expert, is in the lead in the contest for worlds checker championship, played with Newall Banks of Detroit. About seventy-five per cent of the games have resulted in draws.

Eddie Geers, famous race horse man has driven over one hundred horses to marks of 2:70 or less, in the last fifty years.

Bill Brennan will meet Jack Dempsey on March 17. This is the third time that Brennan has tried to take the championship from Dempsey.

Two American indoor track records were broken at the winter track and field meet of the Millrose Athletic Association. Jole Ray, of Chicago, ran one and one-half miles in six and 42 and 2-5 seconds. John Murphy, of Notre Dame cleared the bar in the high jump at six feet, 4 and 3-4 inches.

Albuquerque high school has practically cinched the championship of secondary schools in that town. The basketball quintettes from the U. S. Indian school, Mena school and Harwood college have tasted defeat at the hands of the Albuquerque high school lads. All other opponents have been defeated by these basketeers.

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 One No. 8. Bowser belt drive feed mill.

1 John Deere Mowing Machine.  
 1 John Deere 14 in walk plow.  
 Enquire of L. R. SPERRY.

Abe Burnett, editor of the Pecos Valley Press at Hope, and family were Artesia visitors Tuesday.

**FOR SALE.**  
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The Lakewood National Bank located at Lakewood, in the State of New Mexico, is closing its affairs. All note holders and other creditors of the association are the afore hereby notified to present the notes and other claims for payment. G. H. Seilmever, Pres. Dated December 31, 1921. Dec. 6 March 3.

If you have a farm or ranch to sell or trade list it with me. W. E. Thompson, Medford, Okla.

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The Artesia and Hope High School basket ball teams will clash on the local court tomorrow.

Veto George has returned from the Texas oil fields.

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**GRADY LAD DIES FROM EFFECT OF BLOOD POISONING**

Samuel Pool Dies at Amber Home; Tooth Extraction Said Caused Poison to Start; Was Military Student

Succumbing to the effects of blood poisoning resulting from the extraction of a tooth, Samuel Pool, age 20, son of B. W. Pool, Amber merchant, died early this morning at the family home in Amber.

In charge of Rev. Sam D. Taylor, pastor of the First Baptist church here, funeral services will be conducted in Amber tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. The body will be interred in the Amber cemetery. The young man finished his course in Wentworth Military Academy at the close of the 1920-21 school year. He had been living with his parents in Amber since that time. He was ill only a few days.

The deceased is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Pool, and one sister, Miss Lois Pool, a student in the University of Oklahoma at Norman. His father is proprietor of a general merchandise store in Amber.—Chickasha (Okla.) Daily Express.

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**W. C. T. U. NOTICE**

The W. C. T. U. will meet February 14th, at the home of Mrs. John McCreary. A full attendance is desired.

George Welton has been in Las Vegas for the past several days attending to business matters.

Rev. Davis and family drove to Roswell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Jonas are the proud parents of a seven pound daughter born on Saturday night, at the home of Mr. J. A. Jonas of this place. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Jonas are visiting the parents of the proud father.

**Notice to the Public.**

Having purchased the O-K Market of A. M. Vandagriff will be pleased to serve the public with the choicest of meats at live and let live prices. Free delivery in any quantity in all parts of city. Your patronage solicited.

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Wednesday service at 7:30 p. m.  
The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Roswell, New Mexico, announces a free lecture on Christian Science by Charles L. Ohenstein, C. S. B., of Syracuse, New York, member of the Board of Lectureship, of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Boston, Mass., Thursday evening, February 16, 1922, at eight o'clock at the Masonic Temple, Pennsylvania Ave., and Fourth street.

The public is cordially invited to be present.

**Episcopal Church.**

There will be services at St Paul's Episcopal Mission every second and fourth Sunday evening of the month. Rev. F. A. Eller of Carlsbad officiating.

**Methodist Church.**

(Lake Arthur)

Preaching every second Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by pastor. Song service for children 9:45 Sunday morning. S. S. at 10 o'clock. Epworth League at 6:30. Everybody welcome.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST.**

Bible school every Lord's day, starting promptly at 10 A. M., followed by communion services. It's the duty of every member of the 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.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.**

Morning sermon. Subject: "Jesus' Way of Dealing With Offenders Against Society."  
Evening sermon. Subject: "Blessed and a Blessing."  
Young people's meeting at 6 p. m. E. E. Mathes, pastor.

**METHODIST CHURCH.**

Sunday School at 9:45. L. B. Feathers, Supt.  
Classes for all ages. Young men we have a special class for you. Preaching by the pastor 11 A. M. Subject: "Looking for a Reward." Epworth League at 6 P. M. Lloyd Cowan, President.  
Evening preaching service 7 P. M. Cordial welcome to all. You are a stranger but once.  
E. F. DAVIS, Pastor.

**BIG REVIVAL COMING.**

Watch the paper. Big notice next week. All the churches co-operating. Date set for beginning March 5, 1922.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST.**

Bible School at 10 A. M., followed by communion services.  
Brother Cox will preach at 11 A. M., and 7 P. M., on the Second Lord's day.  
Everybody invited to these services. If there are members of the Church of Christ who haven't been worshipping with us, we urge you to come.  
The church is one block west of the M. E. Church. You are a stranger but once.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**

Last Sunday was a good day for the church. Let's make next Sunday better. Make your arrangements to be at the Bible School at 9:45 A. M. Superintendent C. O. Brown is putting lots of pep and up-to-date ideas into this service, and the teachers are doing good work. Come to this service and we believe you will want to come all the time. Preaching at 11:00 A. M. Subject, "Two Chapters that Read Alike" Don't fail to hear this message. We believe you will like it.  
In the afternoon the intermediates will meet at the church and organize an Intermediate Christian Endeavor. A. F. Roselle will be in charge of this organization and superintend this important work. You know that spells success.

We will have no evening service as we all want to join heart, hand and soul in the union service at the Methodist Church.

It appears to us that Artesia is just entering in upon what promises to be the greatest soul winning campaign in its history. Let all of God's people plan, pay and persevere.

J. H. SHEPARD, Pastor.

Rev. Joe Land, state missionary of the Baptist convention of New Mexico was in town during the past week. He addressed an audience at the First Baptist church on Tuesday evening.

**LEGION SMOKER.**

The local American Legion post will stage a smoker at their club rooms in Odd Fellows hall next Wednesday evening. All ex-service men invited to attend.

**Announcement!**

I have purchased the Grocery and Market business from B. F. Sanford and will continue along the same lines followed by Mr. Sanford, paying cash for Produce and Cream.

**A. N. COWARD.**

We will buy your Produce and Cream.

Mrs. M. A. Corbin is about again after a severe illness.

Charley Kuykendall has moved his family to the Hiatt house on Grande Avenue.

A nine pound boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cone on last Saturday. The family lives on the Basil farm on the Upper Cottonwood.

There will be no Episcopal services next Sunday on account of the absence of Rev. Eller, who is attending the Diocesan Convention in Las Vegas.

Rev. Eller was in town Saturday enroute to the Diocesan convention of the Episcopal church, which is in session in Las Vegas this week. He went by auto and was accompanied by three members of his church at Carlsbad. Robert Ferriman joined the party here, George Welton left by train Sunday night to represent the Artesia society.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Schenk Messrs. Young and Flower were drove to Roswell accompanied by down from Lake Arthur Tuesday to their guests, (Mr. and Mrs. Horace attend the funeral of Mr. E. B. Hardin of Indiana. Kemp.

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# PEOPLE TALKED ABOUT

## Gandhi, "Great-Souled One"



Here is a new portrait of Mahatma Gandhi, leader of the "non-co-operators" of India who are raising such ructions in that far-away possession of the British empire. It is difficult for the American, being of the West, to understand the East, as shown in the situation in India. Gandhi is said to be a disciple of Tagore, Indian poet and educator. The title given him by his followers is "Great-Souled One." Since the war's close, when "self-determination" has been so much on the world lip, Gandhi has gained many followers. His crusade is based on Tolstolan non-resistance. The new leader is positively opposed to physical force. For years the quiet campaign of "non-co-operation" with the alien government of India succeeded without thought of force. Millions obeyed the injunction; it was a taboo against the British. It was rather effective.

The British government sought to stem the quiet tide by granting a liberal measure of home rule to India. Quite recently it dispatched the heir to the British throne to India to take the minds of the people off the Gandhi boycott. During the excitement of the reception to the prince of Wales in Bombay the Gandhi followers for the moment forgot the injunction of their leader and took to force, created disturbances, brought about the shedding of blood.

Gandhi then issued a proclamation to Moslems and Hindus alike, requiring them to do penance and make reparation for their violence. This having been done, the taboo is still working, with what results remains to be seen.

## Stanfield, U. S. Sheep King

This is the latest portrait of Senator Robert Nelson Stanfield of Oregon, the young man—he was born in Oregon in 1877—who rode over former Senator George A. Chamberlain on the crest of the Republican avalanche of 1920. There are only nine lines about him in the Congressional directory autobiographies, but they contain these words "America's largest producer of wool and mutton."



His father was one of the California pioneers of '49, swept from Illinois by that wonderful trek, but in the early '60s the elder Stanfield moved to Oregon, and took up one of the first cattle ranches in eastern Oregon.

Young Bob learned ranching from the grass roots up and got his schooling in a country school house. The Bitter Root ranch of the Stanfields went the way of many another, as the cattlemen grudgingly admitted that the Umatilla country was more naturally dowered for sheep than for stock. So in 1904 the youth who had fought sheep herders went himself into the sheep business and prospered mightily. By 1911 his flocks were grazing their swaths out of Oregon into Idaho, Montana and Colorado. Today Senator Stanfield owns more sheep, probably, than any man in America. Every year he winters 800,000 sheep.

Stanfield got into politics only eight years ago, going to the state legislature. He won the speakership and acquired a following.

## Maybe She'll Also Like Us



This is the latest portrait of Mrs. W. L. George, bride of the English novelist, who is here on his second lecturing tour. She was Miss Kathleen Geipel, only daughter of Herbert Geipel, J. P., of Old Hill, Coxwold, York. She is a versatile woman, having distinguished herself in tennis and music and appeared in the films. During the war she served three years in the ministry of munitions and achieved the distinction of being the first woman to attain the rank of section officer.

Mr. George professes to have fallen in love with America. His milder affections seem to be divided among New York, Washington, Dayton, O., Nashville, Tenn., and New Orleans. Chicago apparently inspired him with a grand passion. He says of her, "I want to be upset again, as a shy girl shrinks from, yet approaches a giant." Of America, he says:

"When I think of America I think of warm, pulsing life, life without doubts, life with enthusiasm, with faith, with ruthless energy. To me America is a sort of ganglion radiating life force."

He says he has of American men and women many memories, nearly all of which are pleasant.

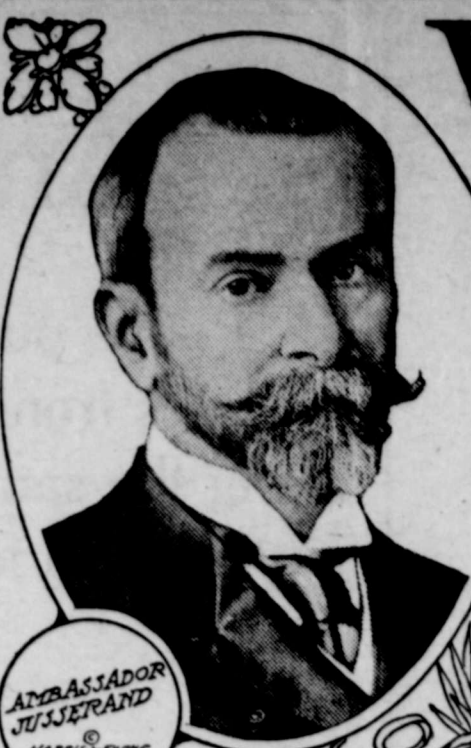
## Lady Astor's Fair Colleague

Mrs. Margaret Wintringham, as member of parliament for the Louth division of Lincolnshire, is the second woman returned to the house of commons, and the first woman of British birth and upbringing to sit in that renowned house.

Mrs. Wintringham was known during the contest at Louth as the silent candidate. That was not because she has not the gift of speechmaking. She is, on the contrary, an experienced and fluent public speaker. But having regard of her recent bereavement—the sudden death of her husband in the smoking room of the house of commons—she naturally thought it more fitting not to take a prominent part in the election.

She is an attractive personality—tall, well built, ruddy complexioned, with large brown eyes and a smile. A Yorkshire woman before her marriage in 1903, she was head mistress in a school at Grimsby. There she took an active part in movements social, religious, educational and political.

After her husband's election as M. P. for Louth she became president of the local Women's Liberal association and honorary secretary of the Lindsey Federation of Women's Institutes. A justice of the peace, she is a member of the committee for the provision of housing in the Louth rural district.



AMBASSADOR JUSSERAND

# Washington's Second Invasion

By Jane Drew



BARONESS SHIDEHARA



FRENCH EMBASSY



BRITISH EMBASSY



AMBASSADOR GEDDES

HAS this been Washington or has it been Tokyo, Paris or London?

Since November 11, visitors well may be excused for asking this question. It was then the foreigners came to town. In a way, Washington, for the second time in its history, has been in the hands of the invader. But this time he was on peaceful mission bent with no thought of burning the capitol and the White House, or of driving President and Mrs. Harding into hurried flight, with a few executive valuables gathered up under their arms.

The great conference of discussing the limitation of armaments and Far Eastern problems has overshadowed all things. The foreign diplomats in Washington with their secretaries, councillors and attaches and with the wives, sisters and daughters, if they had them, always have been strong factors in the solving of the problem of how to keep capital society moving. With a thousand or two additional foreigners here to buttress the social efforts, the really necessary social efforts, of the resident diplomats, the Old World has had a powerful social hand over the New World, as it is represented in this good capital of the United States.

The White House, of course, dominates the embassies in every social sense, but it is the only seat of social activity and social influence in Washington which has so dominated them this winter. In society, interest in the foreigners and in their doings temporarily has clouded interest in the social doings of the congressional, the judiciary, the army and navy and the residential coteries.

All the visiting foreigners, great and near great, have made the embassies of their country their rallying places. There have been so many of the French, British, Italian, Japanese and others here that no embassy has been big enough to hold all its countrymen even for a rapidly coming and going reception, but the embassies are home soil and there not only is the national standard displayed for each country, but there is set also what may be called the social standard for the "alien doings."

The ambassadors and ministers of foreign countries and their families always have been hospitably inclined. It is, of course, a part of diplomatic duty to maintain relations with other countries through the medium of the teacup. They are back today to pre-war conditions with a good deal added to make them powerfully attractive.

Jules J. Jusserand, ambassador from France, is dean of the diplomatic corps, having arrived in this country to assume the duties of his office February 7, 1903. This gives him ten years more service than his nearest competitor, Senor Riano, the ambassador from Spain. During this nearly score of years Ambassador Jusserand has so familiarized himself with Americans and American affairs that he well might be called an American himself.

The social activities at the great French embassy on Sixteenth street are directed by Mme. Jusserand, who was born of American parents residing in Paris at the time of her birth. She speaks French and English equally well. As hosts the French ambassador and his gracious wife have no superiors in this or any other city. It is apparent to anyone at all familiar with the personnel of the foreign colony in Washington that the dean of the corps and his wife are looked up to as leaders for whom one and all have a sincere admiration and deep affection. This is the feeling also of most people who know them, for the Jusserands have made many strong and lasting friendships in the large circle of Americans who, through the exigencies of politics, have been here for a longer or shorter time.

It is the custom of diplomats to make more or less frequent visits to the home land and up to the time of the beginning of the great World war in 1914 the French ambassador and Mme. Jusserand always spent the summers in Europe. They were here when the war torch set Europe on fire, but managed to get back to this country, traveling separately and inconspicuously. Then, while the strife continued, they remained here constantly, never leaving Washington for more than a few days at

a time. Their relaxation consisted of a drive each afternoon in their victoria, drawn by a span of horses and recognized by all people in this region by the tricolor cockades in the tall hats of the driver and footman.

The French ambassador has adopted the American breakfast. When weather permits, he takes it on the roof of the embassy instead of following the custom with which all travelers to France are familiar. Also, when the weather is congenial, afternoon tea is served on a porch. It is at these teas, quite informal, that the Jusserands get in close touch with Washington society, official, diplomatic and others. On these occasions Mme. Jusserand presides over the teacups with the dignified simplicity that characterizes her at all times. She is always well gowned, never overdressed, never appearing in anything approaching the bizarre.

It is considered of the utmost importance to all the members of the diplomatic corps that they make their calls at the home of the dean and his wife as soon as possible after their arrival in Washington. It would be hard to estimate how many calls have been made in this way, hundreds surely, and possibly thousands. As the number of diplomats is small compared to the rest of the people who figure in Washington society, all of whom make many calls each year on the Jusserands, a person mathematically inclined might find some amusement in computing the approximate number of visits which probably have been made at the French embassy during the past eighteen years.

To the casual visitor in Washington, the embassies and legations seem practically inaccessible, whereas such is not the case. To say the official homes of the foreign colony are easy of access would be nearer the truth. The representatives of other countries and their families go more than halfway to meet Americans. It is true they follow the rules and regulations laid down by polite society and are punctilious about calls, precedence and other social amenities, but they are most appreciative of courtesies which bring them in more intimate touch with the affairs outside of diplomatic formalities.

It is a pretty safe statement to say that all diplomats speak at least one language other than that which is native to them. The majority do better than that and are more or less familiar with half a dozen or so, speaking more than half of them fluently. It has been noticeable that for some years the wives of the men who are sent to Washington from countries in all parts of the world have perfected themselves in languages.

There are two ways of placing the rank of the heads of embassies and legations. In the matter of precedence at society doings the ambassadors rank the ministers, irrespective of the length of time of residence here. For instance, the minister of Portugal, Viscount d'Alte, came to Washington just nine months before the French ambassador, M. Jusserand, arrived. However, all the ambassadors must pass ahead of the viscount and all the wives of the ambassadors would precede the wife of Viscount d'Alte, if he had one.

The other method of rating the embassies takes into consideration the order of their establishment in Washington. The founding of embassies here is a part of history and goes deeper to the root of international relations than the appointment of ambassadors. The importance of the British embassy cannot be underestimated and yet Sir Auckland Geddes, the British ambassador, must take his place with the other colleagues of

other countries were appointed to serve in Washington before he was.

The British embassy, a great building on Connecticut avenue, whose warm red brick exterior, has recently received a coat of yellow paint, always has been the scene of frequent social hospitality. Today it has, as ambassador and host, a genial and naturally social chief, Lady Geddes is American born, a fact which probably is duly appreciated by her husband today in more ways than one, for this American wife of a British ambassador knows what the visiting foreigners expect and what Americans expect, and knows how to coalesce things so that the social current moves smoothly although it must move rapidly.

The Japanese are great entertainers. All Washington likes to go to the affairs given either by the Japanese ambassador, Baron Shidehara, and his wife, the baroness, or by his juniors in rank and place. Ordinarily the Japanese ladies wear the evening gowns of western usage, but occasionally and probably with sighs of relief they appear in the comfortable and beautiful costumes of the homeland. A real Japanese reception is a feast for the eye and Washington today more than ever before knows what real Japanese social affairs can be in picturesque effectiveness.

The Baroness Shidehara, who left Washington some months ago with her children, has recently returned. During her absence the ranking lady was Mme. Saburi, wife of the first secretary of the embassy, and in the absence of the wife of the ambassador she acted as hostess at the great formal affairs given by the ambassador. Mme. Saburi formerly was lady in waiting to the empress of Japan, and her husband, Mr. Sadao Saburi, was tutor to the crown prince. Both are clever linguists, speaking English fluently.

It is customary for all hostesses of embassies and legations to be assisted at receptions, teas or whatnot by the members of the staffs, their wives, sisters, daughters and mothers if they happen to possess them. One rarely hears of an entertainment being given by a diplomat outside of the official residences. It naturally follows that these official homes must be of generous dimensions. Some few are owned by the home governments, but the majority are leased. The Mexican government has purchased the residence on Sixteenth street of former secretary of the treasury, Franklin MacVeagh, for use as an embassy. Russia, whose emissary occupies an anomalous diplomatic position, owing to the chaotic condition of Russian governmental affairs, purchased the great Pullman residence some years ago. It stands on Sixteenth street a few blocks north of the White House. Just across the street from the Mexican embassy, the Cuban government has erected a most pretentious legation to house its representatives. The British government owns its embassy and the legations of China, the Netherlands and Siam are the property of the countries which they represent. All the foreign official residences are located within a certain radius, a wide one to be sure, in the northwestern part of the national capital.

During the past few years and since the war the embassies and legations have increased materially in number. There are 44 official foreign homes here. Twelve of them are embassies and 32 are legations. As soon as international relations are thoroughly established between the United States and Germany and Austria there will be two more.

Before the limitation of armaments conference brought the vast number of temporary diplomats to Washington there were approximately 400 members of the corps in residence here. Four embassies and one legation are presided over by women who, before their marriages, were Americans. This is not a large number compared with some former years, when the number ran up to more than twice that. It is interesting to learn what a mixture of nationalities through intermarriage there is in the diplomatic corps of Washington. For example, Rumania is represented by Prince Bibesco, whose wife, the princess, is the daughter of former Premier Asquith of Great Britain.

The assistant military attache of the Italian embassy is Captain Carlo Huntington, whose last name indicates his American ancestry. Many European diplomats have contracted international marriages, but those from the Latin-American countries and from Asia almost invariably marry women of their own race. However, the counselor of the Chinese legation, Mr. Yung Kwal, has, for his wife, a Massachusetts woman. They have a large family of children who, unlike the majority of foreign children in Washington, are being brought up as Americans.

The past year has seen many changes in the personnel of the diplomatic corps. Italy has sent a new ambassador, Senor Ricci, who with his wife, the ambassador, are taking an important part in the social side of the capital city life.





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ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO

Santa Fe, Feb. 2.—The Atchison Topeka and Santa Fe Railway company has refused to pay taxes in Torrance and Curry counties aggregating \$175,000 and will likely refuse to pay the two mill road tax levy in all the thirty-one counties. It was learned at the offices of the state school auditor today based on reports received by him from the two counties.

In Curry county the company has refused to pay the five mill special school levy and in Curry and Torrance has protested fifty per cent of the rest of its tax bill. Unless suits be brought immediately to force the company to pay, Torrance county stands to lose \$105,000 and Curry \$71,000.

East Las Vegas, Feb. 2.—The second and third floors of the main building of the Normal University were entirely destroyed by fire of unknown origin that burned fiercely from 10:30 o'clock last night until 5 o'clock this morning. The first floor and basement were flooded with water and are now a mass of ice. The stone walls are standing and are unharmed. President Wagner and the board of regents recently increased the insurance of the building \$40,000, bringing the total protection to about \$120,000. The loss is believed to be almost fully covered. The Normal will continue to operate. There are several buildings in the city including the armory, the Duncan opera house, the Elks club, the Masonic club and several churches that may be used. A supply of necessary books and equipment was warehoused for last night.

Miss Leah Secoy, who has recently returned from the university of Oklahoma at Norman, taught in the high school during the week. She served as substitute English for Miss Anna Kemp, during the days that she was out of the school.

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**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico January 4, 1922.

NOTICE is hereby given that Annetta K. Pearson, Assignee of Willis G. Gutierrez, who, on March 16, 1910 made desert entry No. 051004, for NW 2, Section 5, Township 10S, Range 20 East, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, at Artesia, New Mexico, on the 7th day of February, 1922.

Claimant names as witnesses: John Olson, Jesse I. Funk, Azile Funk, Horace B. Worley, all of Lake Arthur, New Mexico. EMMETT PATTON, Register.

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**STATE LAND SELECTIONS**  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, January 14, 1922.

Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico, by virtue of Acts of Congress, has selected, through this office, the following lands:

List No. 8715. Serial No. 049718. SE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 1 N 1/4 NE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 20 T. 16-S. R. 28-E., N. Mex. Mer. 30 acres.

List No. 8716. Serial No. 049719. SE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 20 T. 16-S. R. 28-E., N 1/2 NE 1/4, SW 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 14 T. 18-S. R. 29-E., N. Mex. Mer. 100 acres.

Protests or contests against any or all of such selections may be filed in this office at any time before approval.

EMMETT PATTON, Register.

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**NOTICE.**  
State Engineer's Office.  
Number of Application 1494.

Santa Fe, N. M., January 23, 1922.  
Notice is hereby given that on the 23rd day of January, 1922, in accordance with Section 26, Chapter 49, Irrigation Laws of 1907 A. J. Crawford of Carlsbad, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, made formal application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the Public Waters of the State of New Mexico.

Such appropriation is to be made from Cottonwood Creek at a point which bears S. 13 degrees W. 2370 feet distant from the NE corner of Sec. 6, T. 16 S. of R. 26 E. N. M. P. M. by means of ditch below level of water in creek bed without diversion dam and 315 acre feet is to be conveyed to Lot 6, 13 acres; Lot 7, 16 acres; Lot 8, 36 acres and Lot 9, 40 acres, Sec. 5 T. 16 S. of R. 26 E. N. M. P. M. by means of main canal and laterals and there used for the irrigation of above described 105 acres and domestic purposes.

Any person, firm, association or corporation deeming that the granting of the above application would be truly detrimental to their rights in the water of said stream system shall file a complete statement of their objections substantiated by affidavits with the State Engineer and serve a copy on applicant on or before the 20th day of April, 1922, the date set for the Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless protested. In case of protested applications all parties will be given a reasonable length of time in which to submit their evidence in detail or arrange a date convenient for a hearing or appoint a referee satisfactory to all to take testimony. Appearance is not necessary unless advised officially by letter from the State Engineer.

CHAS. A. MAY, State Engineer.

Las Vegas, N. M., Jan. 28.—Advantages almost equal to those offered by actual attendance at the Normal University are now available to absentee students through the extension department.

The plan is this—Classes of 12 to 25 are formed in any locality. Twelve groups of lessons and assignments will be prescribed through extension courses, to be the equivalent of the 12 weeks of the regular term at the Normal. At regular intervals, heads of departments at the institution will visit these classes and give the members the advantage of personal contact in lectures and in teaching methods. Cost of this service, which may be slightly in excess of the fees charged, will be borne by the school in the interest of the cause of education.

Professor Clark E. Persinger, who has charge of the extension and correspondence courses, hopes to be able to set a standard for New Mexico in that class of work. President Jonathan H. Wagner believes the work will grow swiftly to the point where it will be necessary to have one or more men devote their entire time to it. A bulletin on the extension course will be sent to anyone asking for it.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, February 1, 1922.

NOTICE is hereby given that Edward S. Wilkins of Lake Arthur, New Mexico, who, on February 12, 1919, made Homestead Entry, No. 044990, for NE 1/4, Section 12, Township 16 S, Range 24 East, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, at Artesia, New Mexico, on the 15th day of March, 1922.

Claimant names as witnesses: Austin H. Stroup, of Artesia, New Mexico; George W. Henderson, of Artesia, New Mexico; Nelson C. Dering of Lake Arthur, New Mexico; Frank E. Bixley, of Lake Arthur, New Mexico.

EMMETT PATTON, Register.

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## NOTICE!!

TO THE PROPERTY OWNERS OF ARTESIA

You are hereby notified that March 1, 1922, is the last day which property may be rendered for assessment for taxes. Therefore you are requested to come to the City Hall and give in your property for taxation before this time.

Will be at City hall Feb. 14 to 18

Respectfully,  
JOE JOHNS,

Tax Assessor, Eddy Co., N. M.

## Strap Goods Harness Collars

These Three subjects are of interest to every farmer at this season of the year—We are adding to our stock everyday now and at "BEFORE THE WAR PRICES"

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Artesia ---: New Mexico

Misses Cynthia Waite and Dona Davis of Hope were Artesia visitors last Saturday and Sunday.

J. W. Henderson, day engineer at the light plant, has been very seriously ill with pneumonia.

Herman Cole, E. A. Boans, and the young three year old son of Mr. Finch are listed among the pneumonia cases in the town. Their condition has been very serious.

Russell Rogers, Lawrence Wilde and Sterling Henry are improving after a severe illness.

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**First:** It is sold at a moderate price. You save when you buy it.

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 1 cup butter,  
 1/2 cup sugar, 2  
 eggs, 1/2 cup  
 flour, 1 level tea-  
 spoon Calumet  
 Baking Powder,  
 3/4 cup chopped  
 nuts, 1 teaspoon  
 lemon juice.  
 Then mix in the  
 regular way.

**WIDE AWAKE.**

Geo. S. Flanders, manager of the Artesia Alfalfa Growers Association, having had difficulty in getting a satisfactory stenographer, as a last resort put the following ad in a Texas daily paper recently:

**WANTED**—First class, high-grade stenographer; salary no object. This stenographer must get it as fast as I dictate, and get it right; must be absolutely accurate; must have human intelligence. If you are not a cracker-jack don't bother me.

This is one of the replies he received in the mail:

"I note your requirements, as aired in the newspaper, and hasten to make inquiry as to this strenuous business that takes such an extraordinary stenographer.

"Your advertisement appeals to me strongly—stronger than mustard—as I have searched Europe, Air-ope, Irope, and Hoboken in quest of some one who could use my talent to advantage.

"When it comes to this chin music proposition, I have never found man, woman or dictophone who could get to first base on me, either fancy or catch as catch can. I write shorthand so fast that I have to use a specially prepared pencil, with a platinum point, and a water-cooling equipment that I have constructed at exorbitant expense, a note pad made of asbestos composition, covered with human hide, ruled with sulphuric acid, and stitched with catgut.

"I use the A. W. ignition, double unit, high-tension system exclusively, and will guarantee to deliver my rated horsepower under either A. L., A. M. or S. A. E. standard. I have been passed by the National Board of Censorship and guaranteed under the Pure Food and Drug Act of June 30, 1906.

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"If you wish to avail yourself of the opportunity of a lifetime, wire me; but unless you are fully prepared to pay the tariff for such services, don't bother me, as I am so nervous that I can't stand still long enough to have my dressmaker measure my clothes. Spare your time and money unless you want to pay at least \$5.00 per week in cash or its equivalent.

"I. M. WIDEAWAKE."

**BOARD MEETING.**

The monthly meeting of the Library Board was held Monday, Feb. 6th. The following magazines will be found on the reading table:

Pictorial Review, Ladies Home Journal, American Magazine and American Boy.

Library hours from 2:30 to 5:30 P. M., also Saturday evening from 7 to 9:30 P. M.

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**IN THE PROBATE COURT, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO No. 432.**

In the Matter of the Estate of Herbert O. Stahl, Deceased.

**NOTICE OF THE HEARING OF ADMINISTRATOR'S FINAL REPORT**

Notice is hereby given that John C. Stahl, Administrator of the Estate of Herbert O. Stahl, deceased, has presented to and filed in said Probate Court his Final Report as such Administrator; and that the 9th day of March, 1922, at 10:00 A. M. of that day, at the Court house in the Probate Court Room at Carlsbad, Eddy County, New Mexico, has been fixed and appointed by the Court for the hearing of said Report, when and where all persons interested in said Estate or said Report, may appear and file his exceptions in writing to the said Report and contest the same.

Dated this 9th day of January, 1922.

D. M. JACKSON,  
County Clerk.

(Seal) By Inez E. Jones,  
Deputy.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, January 4, 1922.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mabel J. Kepple, of Lakewood, New Mexico, who, on January 16th, 1916, made Homestead, No. 036745, for NE 1/4 NW 1/4, S 1/4 NW 1/4, NW 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 31, Township 17S, Range 27 E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, at Artesia, New Mexico, on the 15th day of February, 1922.

Claimant names as witnesses: Perry C. Logan, of Artesia, New Mexico; John J. Clarke, of Artesia, New Mexico; George W. Lewis, of Artesia, New Mexico; Raleigh L. Paris, of Artesia, New Mexico. EMMET PATTON, Register

**DR. LOUCKS SAYS**

Last week I told about my new location, one-half block south of the monument. This new location was partly for my own convenience and partly for the accommodation of the public. The people are all interested in my enterprises and they have come to recognize that I have done, am now doing and will continue to do everything I can conceive of for their convenience and comfort. They know I never miss a cog in the anticipation of their transportation necessities.

In assuming the responsibilities of such a situation I am constantly studying the peoples' wants and thinking up schemes for relieving them. These schemes come so fast that I am hardly able to acquaint the public with them. I haven't time to tell about them or advertise them. I find I have to use for my assistance the services of an amanuensis. I'm a very busy man. All philanthropists are busy.

I am preparing what I call a free auto camp, where tourists and motorists may drive their cars. I shall have an inclosure 60 x 150 feet, with running water, a shed and camp house. All this will be as free to the tourists as the air they breathe. I want them to take advantage of the generosity which it is a rare pleasure for me to extend. I could not live if I could not be generous, and that in a practical way.

All who come to my camp will be most welcome and they may feel free to consult me for expert advice concerning the condition of their cars. Should repairs or new parts or gas or oil or tires be needed, I have a big stock of everything. And my customers know I keep only the best, and that no one can duplicate my work.

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The regular monthly meeting of the Methodist Missionary Society was held at the home of Mrs. E. B. Bullock last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Landis Feather joined with her mother in entertaining the Society, delicious refreshments being served during the social hour following the business meeting.

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

H. D. WILSON. Phone 207.

Mr. F. L. Austin, vice-president of the Kemp Lumber Company and general manager of the Roswell house of the company, was in Artesia during the week, attending to the affairs of the local yard.

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