



# STUCCO HOME OF ENGLISH DESIGN

Half Timber Effect Makes Exterior Unusually Attractive.

HAS 6 LARGE, BRIGHT ROOMS

This Design Has That Quaint Old Appearance That Indicates Real Hospitality—Metal Lath Lib-erally Used.

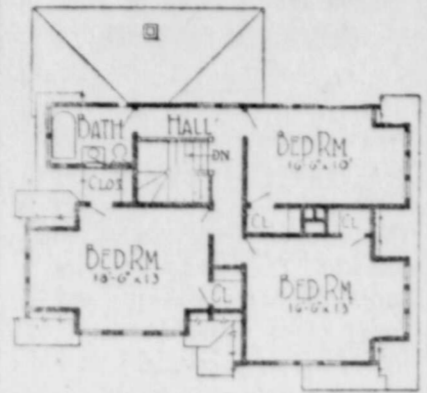
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Quaintness is a quality that makes a home doubly attractive. Many people are under the impression that it can only be acquired through great age, but architectural building skill can now make new homes with that characteristic. Certain designs always give this impression. Take for instance the colonial or old English. They both sit low in the site and have many features that emphasize informal comfort rather than newness, although the interior has all of the features that make a modern home so beautiful and comfortable.

Consider, for instance, the charming old English type house shown here. It has that quaint old appearance that indicates real hospitality. The well-broken-up roof of rather steep rafters, the wall projections and unique and

light from all these windows adds immeasurably to the cheerfulness of the living room and the small den or library in connection with the sun parlor. The sun parlor is 8 by 10 feet, and the den is identical in size.

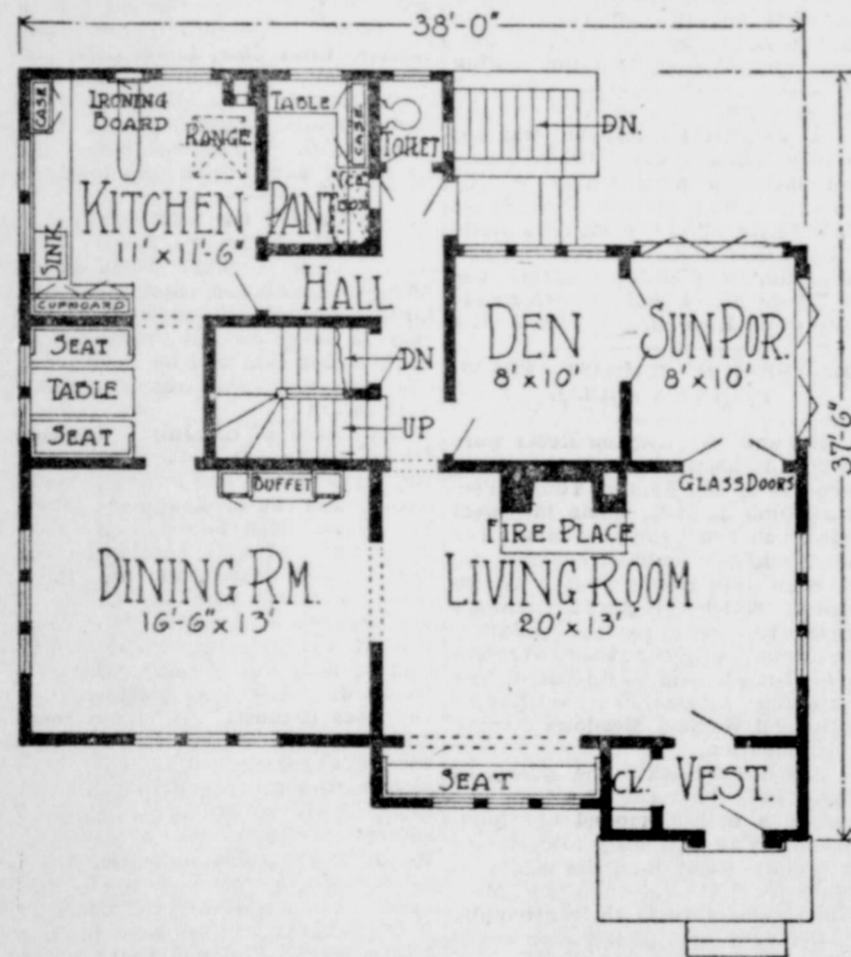
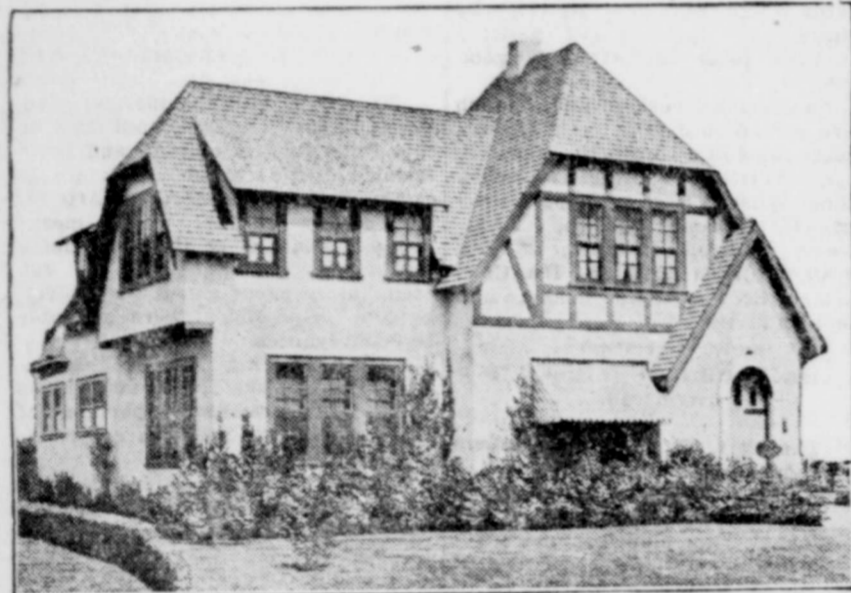
In the same side as the opening into the sun parlor but at the other end is a doorway leading into a small hallway which gives access to the stairway going up to the floor above and down to the cellar, also leading to the



Second Floor Plan.

bullet in the rear and turning L shape connects with the kitchen. To the left of the living room with front exposure and an abundance of light furnished by triple window in front and another on the side is the dining room, 16 feet 6 inches by 13 feet. A built-in buffet is installed in this room for china-ware, etc. It might be added that there is also a cozy little window seat in the living room just inside the vestibule.

A short passageway connects dining room and kitchen and on one side of this passageway is a small breakfast nook, fitted with bench and seats. The kitchen is small but ample for the requirements of a household of this size. It has many features that make it an ideal workshop for the housewife; for instance, built-in ironing board, cupboards for food and utensils, range,



First Floor Plan.

Inviting entrance all add to the charming picture. This home is built of frame with a stucco overcoating on metal lath. A critical examination of the wall construction shows that all parts of the building where fire is most apt to originate are protected by metal lath.

The under side of the stairway, the natural means of escape from the upstairs bedrooms in case of a night fire, the wall next to the fireplace, the partitions around heating ducts and other parts of the building where fire is liable to start, are protected by metal lath. The metal lath may be applied directly to the studding without the inclusion of sheathing and will make a reinforced wall of strength and rigidity.

The picturesque entrance has been placed to one side of the front elevation and consists of a single heavy door with arched top. This door opens into a small vestibule with closet for outdoor clothing. It is but a step from the vestibule into the large living room, 20 by 13 feet, with fireplace in the inside wall. This a great stretch of open space, an ideal lounging room for a large family. To the rear on the outside is a pair of glass doors opening into a sun parlor completely inclosed by glass windows, of the sliding and folding type. The

and outdoor iced refrigerator in the pantry.

On the second floor is located three good-sized bedrooms with windows in each room on two sides. This means plenty of ventilation and cross currents of fresh air for the rooms at night. As we said, the rooms are of very comfortable size, 16 by 10, 16 feet 6 inches by 13, and 18 feet 6 inches by 13 feet.

The house is 38 feet wide and 37 feet 6 inches long.

**Music's Effect on Dogs**  
Experiments on dogs show that music is capable of increasing the elimination of carbonic acid and of increasing the consumption of oxygen. It is also found that music improves the functional activity of the skin.

In view of these powerful effects of musical vibrations upon the nervous system, it is easy to understand how savages and animals, with their habit of quick response to external stimuli are acted upon by certain kinds of music.

If the savage hears a joyful sort of harmony, the vibrations of the music start tingling the particular set of nerves that produce "good feeling," and the agreeable sensations felt by his nervous system have a very soothing effect.

# "CLAIM-JUMPERS"

Historic Iowa Incident from "Vandemark's Folly"



**F**OR good Americans there is no more interesting period in United States history than that which covers the settling and early development of the Upper Mississippi valley states which covers the third quarter of the past century. The immigration into Iowa is typical of that into other states at about the same period, and a paragraph from "Vandemark's Folly," by Herbert Quick, adequately describes the scenes of that time. He says of that tremendous trek:

Here we went, oxen, cows, mules, horses, coaches, carriages; blue jeans, corduroys; rags, tatters, silks, satins, caps, tall hats, poverty, riches, criminals escaping from justice; couples fleeing from the law; gold-seekers bearing southwest to the Overland Trail; politicians looking for places in which to win fame and fortune; adventurers on their way to everywhere; Abolitionists going to the Border War; innocent-looking outfits carrying fugitive slaves; and, most numerous of all, homeseekers "hunting country"—a nation on wheels, an empire in the commotion and pangs of birth.

There were many, very many, interesting incidents that went to make up the history of these pioneer days in Iowa that are covered by Mr. Quick in "Vandemark's Folly," but one of the most interesting is that dealing with the treatment of "claim-jumpers." The local newspaper, in an effort to secure an advantage for its political clique had in those early days referred to "Cow" Vandemark as a man with a "criminal record," and in later days in refuting the statement he tells the story of the "claim-jumpers" as follows, in part:

The story grew out of my joining the Settlers' club in 1856. The rage for land speculation was sweeping over Iowa like a prairie fire, getting things ready for the great panic of 1857 that I have read of since, but of which I never heard until long after it was over. All I knew was that there was a great fever for buying and selling land and laying out and booming town-sites—the sites, not the towns—and that afterward times were very hard. The speculators had bought up a good part of Monterey county by the end of 1856, and had run the price up as high as three dollars and a half an acre.

This made it hard for men who came in expecting to get it for a dollar and a quarter, and a number of settlers in the township, as they did all over the state, went on their land relying on the right to buy it when they could get the money—what was called the pre-emption right. I could see the houses of William Trickey, Ebenezer Jenkins and Absalom Frost from my house; and I knew that Peter and Amos Benisdarfer and Flavius Bohn, Dunkards from Pennsylvania, had located farther south. All these settlers were located south of Hell Slew, which was coming to be known now, and was afterward put down on the map, as "Vandemark's Folly Marsh."

And now there came into the county and state a class of men called "claim-jumpers" who pushed in on the claims of the first comers, and stood ready to buy their new homes right out from under them. It was pretty hard on us who had pushed on ahead of the railways, and soaked in the rain and frozen in the blizzards, and lived on moldy bacon and hulled corn, to lose our chance to get title to the lands we had broken up and built on.

My land was paid for, such as it was; but when the people who, like me, had trailed out across the prairies with the last year's rush, came and asked me to join the Settlers' club to run these intruders off, it appeared to me that it was only a man's part in me to stand to it and take hold and do.

I did not look forward to all the doings of the Settlers' club, but I joined it, and I have never been ashamed of it, even when Dick McGill was slawghanging me about what we did. I never knew, and I don't know now, just what the law was, but I thought then, and I think now, that the Settlers' club had the right of it. I thought so the night we went over to run the claim-jumper off Absalom Frost's land, within a week of my joining.

It was over on Section Twenty-seven, that the claim-jumper had built a hut about where the schoolhouse now is, with a stable in one end of it, and a den in which to live in the other. He was a young man, with no dependents, and we felt no compunctions of conscience, that dark night, when two wagon-loads of us, one of which came from the direction of Monterey Center, drove quietly up and knocked at the door.

"Who's there?" he said, with a quiver in his voice.



"Open up, and find out!" said a man in the Monterey Center crowd, who seemed to take command as a matter of course. "Kick the door open, Dutchy!"

As he said this he stepped aside, and pushed me up to the door. I gave it a push with my knee, and the leader jerked me aside, just in time to let a charge of shot pass my head.

"It's only a single-barrel gun," said he. "Grab him!"

I was scared by the report of the gun, scared and mad, too, as I clinched with the fellow, and threw him; then I pitched him out of the door, when the rest of them threw him down and began stripping him. At the same time, some one kindled a fire under a kettle filled with tar, and in a few minutes, they were smearing him with it. This looked like going too far, to me, and I stepped back—I couldn't stand it to see the tar smeared over his face, even if it did look like a map of the devil's wild land, as he kicked and scratched and tried to bite, swearing all the time like a pirate. It seemed a degrading kind of thing to defile a human being in that way. The leader came up to me and said, "That was good work, Dutchy. Lucky I was right about its being a single-barrel, ain't it? Help get his team hitched up. We want to see him well started."

"All right, Mr. McGill," I said; for that was his name, now first told in all the history of the county.

"Shut up!" he said. "My name's Smith, you lunkhead!"

The next and the last stop, was away down on Section Thirty-five—two miles farther. I was feeling rather wamble-cropped, because of the memory of that poor fellow with the tar in his eyes—but I went all the same.

McGill pounded on the door.

"Come out," he shouted. "You've got company!"

There was a scrambling and hustling around in the shanty, and low talking, and some one asked who was there; to which McGill replied for them to come out and see. Pretty soon, a little doddering figure of a man came to the door, pulling on his breeches with trembling hands as he stepped, barefooted, on the bare ground which came right up to the door-sill.

"What's wanted, gentlemen?" he quavered. "I can't ask you to come in—just yit. What's wanted?"

He had not said two words when I knew him for Old Man Fewkes, whom I had last seen back on the road west of Dyersville, on his way to "Negosha." Where was Ma Fewkes, and where were Celebrate Fourth and Surajah Dowlah? And where, most emphatically, where was Rowena? I stepped forward at McGill's side. Surely, I thought, they were not going to tar and feather these harmless, good-for-nothing waifs of the frontier; and even as I thought it, I saw the glimmering of the fire they were kindling under the tar-kettle.

"We want you, you infernal claim-jumper!" said McGill. "We'll show you that you can't steal the land from us hard-working settlers, you set of sneaks! Take off your clothes, and we'll give you a coat that will make you look more like buzzards than you do now."

"There's some of 'em runnin' away!" yelled one of the crowd. "Catch 'em!"

There was a flight through the grass from the back of the shanty, a rush of pursuit, some feeble yells jerked into bits by rough handling, and presently, Celebrate and Surajah were dragged into the circle of light, just as poor Ma Fewkes, with her shoulder-blades drawn almost together came forward and tried to tear from her poor old husband's arm the hand of an old neighbor of mine whose name I won't mention even at this late day.

"Say," said a man who had all the time sat in one of the wagons, holding the horses. "You'd better leave out the stripping, boys!"

They began dragging the boys and the old man toward the tar-kettle, and McGill, with his hat drawn down over his eyes, went to the slimy mass and dipped into it a wooden paddle with which they had been stirring it. Taking as much on it as it would carry, he made as if to smear it over the old man's head and beard. I could not stand this—the poor harmless old fool!—and I ran up and struck McGill's arm.

"What in hell," he yelled, for some of the tar went on him, "do you mean?"

"Don't tar and feather 'em," I begged. "I know these folks. They are a poor wandering family, without money enough to buy land away from any one."

"We jist thought we'd kind o' settle down," said Old Man Fewkes whimperingly; "and I've got the money promised me to buy this land. So it's all right and straight!"

The silly old leatherhead didn't know he was doing anything against public sentiment; and told the very thing that made a case against him. I have found out since who the man was that promised him the money and was going to take the land, but that was just one circumstance in the land craze, and the man himself was wounded at Fort Donelson, and died in hospital—so I won't tell his name. The point is, that the old man had turned the jury against me just as I had finished my plea.

"You have got the money promised you, have you?" repeated McGill. "Grab him, boys!"

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I clinched with our man, and getting a rolling hiplock on him, I whirled him over my head, as I had done with so many wrestling opponents, and letting him go in mid-air, he went head over heels, and struck ten feet away on the ground. Then I turned on McGill, and with the flat of my hand, I slapped him over against the shanty, with his ears ringing. They were coming at me in an undecided way; for my onset had been both sudden and unexpected; and when I saw Rebecca running from the rear with a shotgun in her hand, which she had picked up as it leaned against a wagon wheel where one of our crowd had left it. "Stand back!" she screamed. "Stand back, or I'll blow somebody's head off!"

I heard a chuckling laugh from a man sitting in one of the wagons, and a word or two from him that sounded like, "Good girl!" Our little mob fell back, the man I had thrown limping, and Dick McGill rubbing the side of his head. The dawn was now broadening in the east, and it was getting almost light enough so that faces might be recognized; and one or two of the crowd began to retreat toward the wagons.

"I'll see to it," said I, "that these people will leave this land, and give up their settlement on it."

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Charter No. 7043  
Reserve District No. 11  
Report of Condition of the  
**First National Bank**  
at Artesia, in the State of New Mexico,  
at the Close of Business on June 30,  
1922:

**RESOURCES:**  
Loans and discounts, including rediscounts...\$317,710.12  
Total Loans... 317,710.12  
Overdrafts, unsecured \$282.79 282.79  
U. S. Government securities owned:  
Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value) \$50,000.00  
All other United States Gov Securities...\$19,833.65  
Total... 69,833.65  
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc... 11,400.00  
Banking House, \$4,908.48;  
Furniture and fixtures \$1,369.20 6,277.68  
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank... 26,281.04  
Cash in vault and due from national Banks... 80,563.86  
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank other than Item 10... 557.33  
Miscellaneous cash items \$3.40 3.40  
Total of Items 22, 23 and 24...\$81,121.19  
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer... 2,500.00  
**TOTAL...\$515,429.87**

**LIABILITIES:**  
Capital stock paid in...\$50,000.00  
Surplus fund... 10,000.00  
Undivided profits \$1,179.91 1,179.91  
Circulating notes outstanding... 50,000.00  
Amount due to national banks... 17,314.71  
Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding... 1,469.97  
Total of Items 22, 23 and 24...\$18,784.68  
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):  
Individual deposits subject to check... 294,201.35  
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed) 22,043.00  
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 26, 27...\$316,244.35  
Time deposits subject to Reserve payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):  
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed) 69,220.93  
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, Item 32...\$69,220.93  
**TOTAL...\$515,429.87**

State of New Mexico, County of Eddy, ss  
I, J. E. Robertson, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
J. E. ROBERTSON, Cashier.  
Correct—Attest:  
S. S. Ward,  
D. W. Runyan,  
Mark A. Corbin  
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3th day of July, 1922.  
S. E. Ferrer, Notary Public.  
My commission expires February 8, 1926

Miss Dorothy Batton of Carlisbad was visiting Miss Herma Welsh during the first of the week.

We deliver parcels and light freight and collect and deliver laundry. Trunks and baggage called for and delivered.  
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**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, June 14th, 1922.  
Celia Margaret Henriksen, of Artesia, New Mexico, who, on 29th May, 1920, made Homestead, No. 047628, for Southeast Quarter Section 11, Township 17 S, Range 25 East, N. M. P. Meridian has filed notice of intention to make commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert at Artesia, New Mexico, on the 1st day of August, 1922.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Robert K. Caraway, of Artesia, N. M.; William J. Williamson, of Artesia, N. M.; Samuel G. White, of Artesia, New Mexico; Riley Norris, of Artesia, N. M.  
JAFFA MILLER, Register.  
6-23-7-21

**FORFEITURE NOTICE**  
Artesia, N. M., May 5, 1922.  
To A. A. Ward and J. H. Alberts:  
You are hereby notified that I have expended \$100 in 1921 upon the Placer Mining Claim, located in the Northwest quarter of Section 13, Township 19, Range 21 East, N. M. P. M., Eddy County, New Mexico, and that unless within 90 days from the service hereof you pay your portion of said sum, your interest therein will be forfeited to me under section 2324 Revised Statutes of the United States, no notice of a desire to hold said claim having been filed as provided under resolution of Congress suspending the provisions of said section 2324.  
JAMES MEADOWCROFT, Advertiser.  
Nowata, Oklahoma.  
May 5-July 23, 1922.

# PUBLIC SALE

I will sell at public auction at my farm 3 1-2 miles northeast of Lakewood, 5 miles southeast of Dayton, on Thursday July 20th, 1922, at 10 o'clock the following described property:

- 1 work mare 5 years old
- 1 work mare 7 years old
- 1 work horse 11 years old
- 1 old all purpose horse
- 1 saddle pony 5 years old
- 3 milk cows, two giving milk, one fresh soon.
- 1 yearling heifer
- 2 heifer calves
- 1 good Poland brood sow bred
- 5 Poland China pigs
- 1 good farm wagon
- 1 spring wagon
- 1 Road Cart 1 riding plow
- One 2 section harrow
- One walking plow
- 1 middle buster

- One 3 horse power gas engine
- One 7 1-2 h. p. US oil engine
- 1 pump jack
- 1 8 ft. windmill tower, pump
- 2 pump cylinders and casing
- 30 ft. 1 in. shafting, pulleys and a lot of junk iron
- One 2 room house 14x28
- One 2 room house 16x32
- All out buildings
- 2400 lbs galvanized barb wire good as new
- 100 rod poultry fencing
- A lot of posts and other fencing
- Four 5x5 30 ft. timber for mill tower
- Some scrap lumber
- 1 Hand power concrete mixer

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The Methodist Ladies will serve Lunch

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**TERMS: 6 months time on all bills over \$10.00**

**WE NOW HAVE THAT LITTLE CHICK FEED**  
E. B. BULLOCK.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, June 12th, 1922.  
NOTICE is hereby given that William J. Gushwa, of Lakewood, New Mexico, who, on December 18th, 1918, made Homestead Application (Act Feb. 19th 1909), No. 036113, for E 1/2 NW 1/4; E 1/2 SW 1/4; W 1/2 SE 1/4 and SE 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 2, Township 19 S, Range 25 East, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, at Artesia, New Mexico, on the 1st day of August, 1922.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Isaac W. Floyd, of Dayton, New Mexico; Joe C. Huffman, of Lakewood, New Mexico; Alvin V. Lindsay, of Lakewood, N. M.; George L. Howell, of Lakewood, N. M.  
JAFFA MILLER, Register.  
6-23-7-21

Mrs. J. C. Floore left on Wednesday night for Alit, Texas, where she will visit her mother. She intends to spend the greater part of the summer in Texas.

Misses Oma Hardin and Fannie Mae Beckett are visiting from this week. They are the guests of Miss Timie McPherson.

We want your hens, eggs and cream. COWARD GROCERY.

Sheriff Sam Batton was in Artesia this week attending to business matters.



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**ARTESIA ADVOCATE**

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**TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION**  
One Year ..... \$1.50  
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The Penasco Valley Press of Hope states in their last issue that the Hope-Artesia pike will be extended to Main street, in time for the cowboy reunion and fair, August 9, 10, 11.

By special enactment of Congress the land offices at Ft. Sumner and Clayton and will be continued. Without the enactment of this special act these offices would have ceased to exist July 1, and their records transferred to offices in adjoining districts.

An Artesia man whose wife is out of town waxed real devilish at Carlsbad on the Fourth. He had dinner at the Methodist booth on the midway, went to Brunk's show and saw a couple of gals dance the Highland fling (great schools of fishes), and drank a cherry phosphate and ate a hamburger on the way home to Artesia.

Press reporters ran down to the hub of the Pecos Valley and found things jumping. Everyone had a good word for Hope and said reserve a ten acre lot out at the big park for the Artesia delegation on August 9th, 10th, and 11th, for the big cars that are sure coming, and the reservation is made.—Hope Press.

You're right, brother Burnett, and it may take more than the ten acre tract to take care of the large Artesia crowd, for we're all coming and intend to see the whole show through.

The American Legion Weekly offers \$1,385 in cash prizes to the eight members of the American Legion and the five members of the Legion Auxiliary who between July 1 and August 31, enroll the largest number of new members for the American Legion. The eight prizes to the Legion members securing the most members ranges from a first prize of \$500 down to an eighth prize of \$10. The five prizes to the Auxiliary members for securing the largest number of Legion members runs from a first prize of \$200 down to a fifth prize of \$10.

**"HERE'S TO YOU, DAD."**

We happened in a home the other night and over the parlor door we saw the legend worked in letters of red. "What is home without a mother?" Across the room was another brief "God Bless Our Home."

Now what's the matter with "God Bless Our Daddy?" He gets up early, lights the fire, boils the eggs, grabs his lunch and wipes the dew of the dawn with his boots, while many a mother is sleeping. He makes the weekly handout for the butcher, the grocer, the milkman and the baker, and his little pile is badly worn before he has been home an hour. He stands off the balliff and keeps the rent paid up.

If there is a noise during the night, dad is kicked in the back and made to go down stairs and find the burglar and kill him.

Mother darns the socks, but dad bought the socks in the first place, and the needle and the yarn afterwards.

Mother does up the fruit; well, dad bought it all, and jars and sugar cost like the mischief. Dad buys chickens for Sunday dinner, carves them himself and draws the neck from the ruins after everyone else is served. "What is home without a mother?" Yes, that's all right; but what is home without a father? Dad, here's to you. You've got your faults—you may have lots of 'em—but, oh you Daddy!—The Staley Journal.

**WOOL SALES SLOW**

The wool sales scheduled for July 5th at the Roswell Wool and Hide Company came to a sudden end at 10 o'clock Monday when further consideration of the sealed bids was deferred owing to the limited number of tenders.

Only two bids, covering about 75,000 pounds from the Buckeye Sheep Company, and the Acree Brothers were accepted and the price, 33 3/8 and 36 cents respectively.

A large number of buyers were in attendance at the offices of the Bond, Baker Company, when the sealed bids were opened, but they seemed to be classable more as spectators and the management concluded that the best interests of the growers would be conserved by calling the sales off.

Both of the bids accepted were from the Westenhelm manufacturing interests at Philadelphia.—News.

The Roswell Giants played the Carlsbad team in Carlsbad Sunday, the boys from the lower valley town winning the game by a four to nothing count. Many from here attending the game declare it was the best game played in the valley this year.

**TUNE UP AND LISTEN IN ON THIS**

Mammy, Mammy, We've got moonshine in the East, We've got moonshine in the West, And everybody claims that their moonshine is best.

Mammy, Mammy, They're making it hard for Uncle Sammy.

He's a coming, trying to get the boys to wait, He's a coming, but he's always just a bit too late.

Mammy, Mammy, He'd climb a million hills for one of these stills, my mammy! —Tucumcari News.

Mr and Mrs. Ernest Hyatt are the proud parents of a nine pound baby girl, born on last Friday. The new arrival seems to be well satisfied with the world, according to reports by "Pa" Hyatt.

Miss Mary McCaw of Artesia is spending her vacation in Roswell, the guest of Miss Ruey Jeffries. Miss Jeffries will be hostess this evening at a picnic supper and swimming party on the Berrendo complimentary to her guest.—Roswell Evening News.

Mrs. R. A. Brewer and Miss Etie Glover were shopping in Roswell Tuesday.

A large number of the young people of the Presbyterian church and their friends enjoyed a swimming party at the Cottonwood dam on Tuesday afternoon. The merry group left Artesia in the afternoon for the Upper Cottonwood and returned after enjoying several hours of fun and a regular picnic supper.

W. L. Turner has purchased the Leader published at Lovington, N. M., and we can already see a difference in the sheet. He is a live newspaper man and will make things hum out Lovington way. The Advocate welcomes Mr. Turner to the press gang and wishes him all the success in the world.

**Number 75  
Report of condition of  
Citizens State Bank**

at Artesia, in the State of New Mexico at the close of business, June 30 1922:

RESOURCES:

Loans and discounts	.....	\$117,321.11
Overdrafts, unsecured	.....	267.94
Other stocks (other than Federal Reserve Bank Stock)	.....	1,000.00
Total bonds, stocks, etc.	.....	1,000.00
Value of banking house (if unencumbered)	.....	\$11,000.00
Equity in banking house	.....	11,000.00
Furniture and fixtures	.....	5,000.00
Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than included in 10 or 11)	.....	21,180.21
Checks on banks in the same town as reporting bank	.....	251.90
Checks on banks outside of same city	.....	741.45
Cash items	.....	238.49
Coin and currency	.....	8,110.60
<b>TOTAL</b>	.....	<b>\$165,131.79</b>

LIABILITIES:

Capital stock paid in	.....	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund	.....	3,000.00
Undivided profits	.....	\$9,232.01
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	.....	\$8,502.82
Net amount due to other banks or bankers	.....	232.44
Demand Deposits:	.....	
Individual deposits	.....	\$4,537.85
Cashier's checks	.....	1,826.61
Total Demand Deposits	.....	6,364.46
Certificates of deposit	.....	8,825.70
Total time deposits	.....	8,825.70
Bills payable, including obligations representing money borrowed	.....	15,910.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	.....	<b>\$165,131.79</b>

State of New Mexico, County of Eddy, ss.  
We, C. E. Mann, Act Vice-President, and A. C. Keinath, Cashier, of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.  
C. E. Mann, Act Vice-President.  
A. C. Keinath, Cashier.

Correct-Attest:  
C. E. Mann,  
W. M. Todd,  
A. C. Keinath,  
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of May, 1922.  
(Seal) Stephen W. Gilbert  
Notary Public.  
My commission expires May 3, 1925.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, July 5, 1922.

NOTICE is hereby given that Walter T. Blakey, of Artesia, New Mexico, who, on May 28, 1918, made Homestead entry, No. 043696, for N 1/2 SE 1/4, Section 31, Township 16 S., Range 23 E., N. M. Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. W. Gilbert, U. S. Commissioner, at Artesia, New Mexico, on the 19th day of August, 1922.

Claimant names as witnesses: John J. Buel, Robert O. Cowan, LuAllen Davidson, and Thomas J. Stagner, all of Artesia, New Mexico.  
J. JAFFA MILLER,  
Register.

**KILLED A BEAR NEAR CLOUDCROFT**

A. J. Sewell, of Cloudercroft, last Friday, brought to an end the career of a big black bear six miles from Cloudercroft. Bruin's body was conveyed to Cloudercroft Saturday, and after being photographed, the meat was sold, and folks at the summer resort were feasting on bear meat. The bear weighed 200 pounds dressed. As far as we can learn, this is the first bear to be killed in this section this season. Several were killed last year.—Alamagordo (N. M.) Cloudercrofter.

**COOKED FOOD SALE.**

The Library Board will hold a cooked food sale at Joyce-Fruits Saturday July 15th, beginning at two o'clock.

J. C. Floore, Jr., has accepted a position with Kiplings at Roswell and has gone to that place for the summer.

The following from Roswell attended the play at the Christian church last Saturday: Misses Ruth Huff, Janice Huff, Flora Huff and Mr. Hugh M. Huff. Miss Dorothy Barnett; Messrs. Hallam Shepard, Clayton Ferrin, and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Shepard. Miss Madge Shepard of Roswell directed the play.



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ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO

Miss Irene Gage returned to Artesia on Sunday from Las Vegas, where she has been attending school.

Misses Bibbany and Burnett of Roswell were Artesia visitors last week.

D. M. Jackson came up from Carlsbad Saturday and spent the day here attending to business.

Jesse Harper, for many years a resident of this place, was here for a short time Sunday.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION  
OF THE  
**First National Bank**  
OF ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO

As made at the call of the Comptroller of the Currency  
June 30, 1922

Resources	
Loans and Discounts	\$317,710.12
Overdrafts	282.79
U. S. Securities	69,853.65
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	6,277.68
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank and Due from U. S.	
Treasurer and other Stocks	13,900.00
Cash and Sight Exchange	107,405.63
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$515,429.87</b>
Liabilities	
Capital Stock	50,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	11,179.91
Circulation	50,000.00
Deposits	404,249.96
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$515,429.87</b>

I certify the above to be correct.

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ARTESIA MEXICANS DEFEAT  
ATOKA MEXICANS

While the Artesia baseball team was defeating the Dexter baseball aggregation at the Roselawn ball park, the Artesia Mexican team was administering defeat to the Atoka Mexicans in glorious style.

The score of 21 to 12 is evidence that a loose game was played but the interest was high and a great afternoon was enjoyed by the Mexicans. Both teams were confident of winning the game, until the heavy hitting Artesia men began to connect with the ball for long hits.

The batteries were: Artesia Vito Molino and Eredia; Atoka, Joe Molino and Martinez.

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FOR SALE—Lot 8, Block 9, Artesia Improvement Company Addition to Artesia, New Mexico, with modern concrete block cottage. Cash or terms, or will consider exchange for Texas or Eastern property. Address SMITH MILLING CO., Houston, Texas.

LOST—Blue serge coat at the baseball park. Finder please return to Cunningham's Shop.

Bun Muncy and John Runyan were visitors to Roswell during the past week.

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The World's Greatest Baking Powder

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Walker and children left this week for Moline, Illinois, where they will make their home. Misses Lelia and Marian Walker will attend College near their home. The Walker family have been residents of the Pecos Valley for many years and their many friends regret to hear of their departure.

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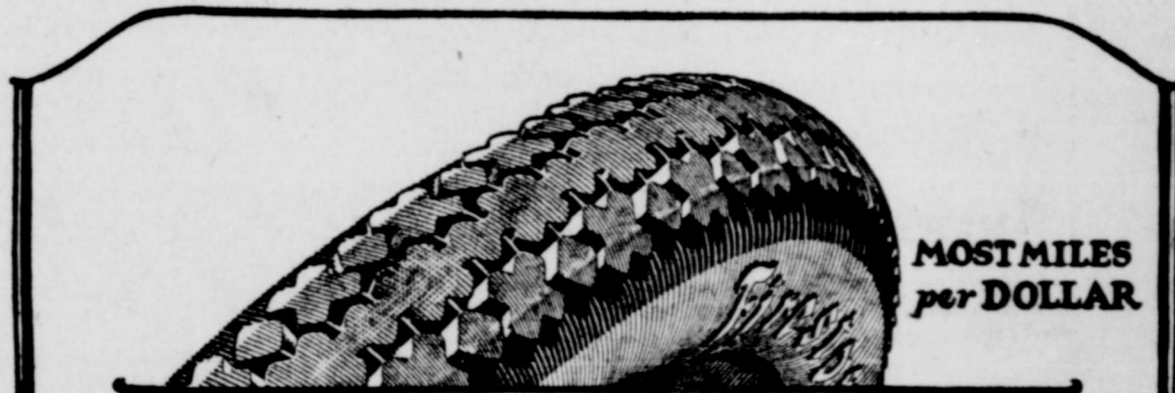
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WATER, FIVE CENTS  
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The Artesia Utility Company has just installed a new condenser and is prepared to furnish the public absolutely pure distilled water at five cents per gallon, delivered at the Plant.

Mrs. Hugh Gage of Hope was an Artesia shopper Saturday.



MOST MILES  
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Firestone  
GUM-DIPPED CORDS  
-and Their High Mileage Records

The high mileage records of Firestone Cords continue to emphasize the fact that Firestone methods are different and better. These records, steadily increasing in number and in mileage totals, justify the Firestone contention that there is one best way to build tires.

Among the primary sources of Firestone extra mileage is double gum-dipping—the saturation of the cord plies in a vat of liquid gum—thus coating each cord and virtually eliminating internal heat and friction.

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FABRIC	CORD	Regular Size	Extra Size
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20 x 3 1/4	1.50	\$12.00	\$15.00
20 x 3	1.25	\$10.00	\$12.50

Artesia Machine Shop

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# MARY MARIE

By Eleanor H. Porter

Illustrations by R. H. Livingstone

### VICTORY!

**SYNOPSIS**—In a preface Mary Marie explains her apparent "double personality" and just why it is a "cross-current and a contradiction"; she also tells her reasons for writing her diary apart through misunderstanding, each too proud to in any way attempt to smooth over the situation. Mary tells of the time spent "out West" where she was "perfectly all right and content" and respectable "divorce" was being arranged for, and her mother's (to her) unaccountable behavior. By the court's order the child is to spend six months of the year with her mother and six months with her father. Boston is Mother's home. Mary describes her life as Marie with her mother in Boston and about her mother's "prospective suitors." Then Mary goes to her other home, to visit her father. He is the same queer stick. Mary goes to school. Mary refuses to keep on at school.

### CHAPTER V—Continued.

"But she says you refused to go back to school, Mary," said Father then.

"Yes, sir."

"Then you did refuse?"

"Yes, sir."

"Well, you may go and tell her now, please, that you are sorry, and that you will go to school this afternoon. You may go now." And he turned to the table and picked up his book.

I didn't go, of course. I just stood there twisting my handkerchief in my fingers; and, of course, right away he saw me. He had sat down then.

"Mary, didn't you hear me?" he demanded.

"Yes, sir, but—Father, I can't go back to that school," I choked. And I began to cry.

"But I tell you that you must."

I shook my head.

"But, Father, I can't," I choked; and I guess there was something in my face this time that made even him see. For again he just stared for a minute, and then said:

"Mary, what in the world does this mean? Why can't you go back? Have you been—expelled?"

"Oh, no, sir."

"Then you mean you won't go back?"

"I mean I can't—on account of Mother."

I wouldn't have said it if I hadn't had to. I didn't want to tell him, but I knew from the very first that I'd have to tell him before I got through. I could see it in his face. And so, now, with his eyes blazing as he jumped almost out of his chair and exclaimed:

"Your mother?" I let it out and got it over as soon as possible.

"I mean, on account of Mother—that not for you, or Aunt Jane, or anybody will I go back to that school and associate with folks that won't associate with me—on account of Mother."

And then I told it—all about the girls, Stella Maybaw, Carrie, and how they acted, and what they said about my being Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde because I was a Mary and a Marie, and the ice-cream, and the parties they had to give up if they went with me. And I know I was crying so I could hardly speak, before I finished; and Father was on his feet tramping up and down the room muttering something under his breath, and looking—oh, I can't begin to tell how he looked. But it was awful.

"And so that's why I wish," I finished chokingly, "that it would hurry up and be a year, so Mother could get married."

"Married!" Like a flash he turned and stopped short, staring at me.

"Why, yes," I explained; "for if she did get married, she wouldn't be divorced any longer, would she?"

But he wouldn't answer. With a queer little noise in his throat he turned again and began to walk up and down, up and down, until I thought for a minute he'd forgotten I was there. But he hadn't. For after a while he stopped again right in front of me.

"So your mother is thinking of getting married," he said in a voice so

clear it sounded as if it had come from away off somewhere.

But I shook my head and said no, of course; and that I was very sure she wouldn't till her year was up, and even then I didn't know which she'd take, so I couldn't tell for sure anything about it. But I hoped she'd take one of them, so she wouldn't be divorced any longer.

Father turned, and began to walk up and down again, with his hands in his pockets; and I didn't know whether to go away or to stay, and I suppose I'd have been there now if Aunt Jane hadn't suddenly appeared in the library doorway.

"Charles, if Mary is going to school at all today it is high time she was starting," she said. But Father didn't seem to hear. He was still tramping up and down the room, his hands in his pockets.

"Charles!" Aunt Jane raised her voice and spoke again. "I said if Mary is going to school at all today it is high time she was starting."

"Eh? What?" If you'll believe it, that man looked as dazed as if he'd never even heard of my going to school. Then suddenly his face changed. "Oh, yes, to be sure. Well, or—Mary is not going to school today," he said. Then he looked at his watch, and without another word strode into the hall, got his hat, and left the house, leaving Aunt Jane and me staring into each other's faces.

But I didn't stay much longer than Father did. I strode in to the hall, too, by Aunt Jane. But I didn't leave the house. I came up here to my own room; and ever since I've been writing it all down in my book.

For that matter, so am I. What is going to happen next? Have I got to go to school tomorrow? But then, of course, I shan't do that. Besides, I don't believe Father'll ask me to, after what I said about Mother. He didn't like that—what those girls said—any better than I did. I'm sure of that. Why, he looked simply furious. But there isn't any other school here that I can be sent to, and—

But what's the use? I might surmise and speculate all day and not come anywhere near the truth. I must await—what the night will bring forth, as they say in really true novels.

### FOUR DAYS LATER

And what did the night bring forth? Yes, what did it bring? Verily it brought forth one thing I thought nothing ever could have brought forth. It was like this.

That night at the supper table Aunt Jane cleared her throat in the I-am-determined-I-will-speak-kind-of-a-way



"I Have No Cause to Complain—of My Daughter's Lessons Today," He Said Very Quietly.

that she always uses when she speaks to Father. (Aunt Jane doesn't talk to Father much more than Mother used to.)

"Charles," she began.

Father had an astronomy paper beside his plate, and he was so busy reading he didn't hear, so Aunt Jane had to speak again—a little louder this time.

"Charles, I have something to say to you."

"Eh? What? Oh—er—yes. Well, Jane, what is it?" Father was looking up with his I'll-be-patient-if-it-kills-me air, and with his forefinger down on his paper to keep his place.

As if anybody could talk to a person who's simply tolerating you for a minute like that, with his forefinger holding on to what he wants to tend to! Why, I actually found myself being sorry for Aunt Jane.

She cleared her throat again.

"It is understood, of course, that Mary is to go to school tomorrow morning, I suppose," she said.

"Why, of course, of course," began Father impatiently, looking down at his paper. "Of course she'll go to—" he stopped suddenly. A complete change came to his face. He grew red, then white. His eyes sort of flashed. "School?" he said then, in a hard, decided voice. "Oh, no; Mary is not going to school tomorrow morning." He looked down at his paper and began to read again. For him the subject was very evidently closed. But for Aunt Jane it was not closed.

"You don't mean, Charles, that she is not to go to school at all, any more," she gasped.

"Exactly." Father read on in his paper without looking up.

Aunt Jane's lips came together hard.

"Charles, I'm amazed at you—yielding to that child's whims like this—that she doesn't want to go to school! It's the principle of the thing that I'm objecting to. Do you realize what it will lead to—what it—"

"Jane!" with a jerk Father sat up straight. "I realize some things that perhaps you do not. But that is neither here nor there. I do not wish Mary to go to school any more this spring. That is all; and I think—it is sufficient."

"Certainly." Aunt Jane's lips came together again grim and hard. "Perhaps you will be good enough to say what she shall do with her time."

"Time? Do? Why—er—what she always does; read, sew, study—"

"Study?" Aunt Jane asked the question with a hateful little smile that Father would have been blind not to have understood. And he was equal to it—but I must tell over backward when I found how equal to it he was.

"Certainly," he says, "study. I'll hear her lessons myself—in the library, after I come home in the afternoon. Now let us hear no more about it."

With that he pushed back his plate and left the table without waiting for dessert. And Aunt Jane and I were left alone.

I didn't say anything. Victors shouldn't boast—and I was a victor, of course, about the school. But when I thought of what Father had said about my reciting my lessons to him every day in the library—I wasn't so sure whether I'd won out or not. Recite lessons to my father? Why, I couldn't even imagine such a thing!

Well, Aunt Jane and I didn't speak that night at the supper table. We finished in stern silence then; Aunt Jane went upstairs to her room and I went up to mine. (You see what a perfectly wildly exciting life—Mary is living! And when I think of how full of good times Mother wanted every minute to be. But that was for Marie, of course.)

The next morning after breakfast Aunt Jane said:

"You will spend your forenoon studying, Mary. See that you learn well your lessons, so as not to annoy your father."

"Yes, Aunt Jane," said Mary, polite and proper, and went upstairs obediently; but even Mary didn't know exactly how to study those lessons.

Charles had brought me all my books from school. I had asked her to when I knew that I was not going back. There were the lessons that had been assigned for the next day, of course, and I supposed probably Father would want me to study those. But I couldn't imagine Father teaching me all alone. I couldn't imagine myself reciting lessons to Father!

But I needn't have worried. If I could only have known. Little did I think—But, there, this is no way to tell a story. I read in a book, "How to Write a Novel," that you mustn't "anticipate." (I thought folks always anticipated novels. I do. I thought you wanted them to.)

Well, to go on.

Father got home at four o'clock. I saw him come up the walk, and I waited till I was sure he'd got settled in the library, then I went down. He wasn't there.

A minute later I saw him crossing the lawn to the observatory. Well! what to do I didn't know. Mary said to go after him; but Marie said nay, nay. And in spite of being Mary just now, I let Marie have her way.

Rush after him and tell him he'd forgotten to hear my lessons? Father? Well, I guess not! Besides, it wasn't my fault. I was there all ready. It wasn't my blame that he wasn't there to hear me. But he might remember and come back. Well, if he did, I'd be there. So I went to one of those bookcases and pulled out a touch-me-not book from behind the glass door. Then I sat down and read till the supper bell rang.

Father was five minutes late to supper. I don't know whether he looked at me or not. I didn't dare to look at him—until Aunt Jane said, in her chilliest manner:

"I trust your daughter had good lessons, Charles."

I had to look at him then. I just couldn't look anywhere else. So I was looking straight at him when he gave that funny little startled glance into my eyes. And into his eyes then there crept the funniest, dearest little understanding twinkle—and I suddenly realized that Father, Father, was laughing with me at a little secret between us. But 't was only for a second. The next moment his eyes were very grave and looking at Aunt Jane.

"I have no cause to complain—of my daughter's lessons today," he said very quietly.

"It does beat all how popular this house is with the ladies—after college hours."

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Many Varieties of Crows.

Many birds are crows—that is, they are members in good standing, or bad standing, in the crow family—and they are all birds of distinction or "personality," and all are remarkable for some talent or some vice. There are the raven, the rook, the blue jay and the green jay, the magpie and the jackdaw and many others. The crow has his kin scattered all over the world.

Fortunately, the world isn't able to see a society matron as her maid sees her.

# OUR COMIC SECTION

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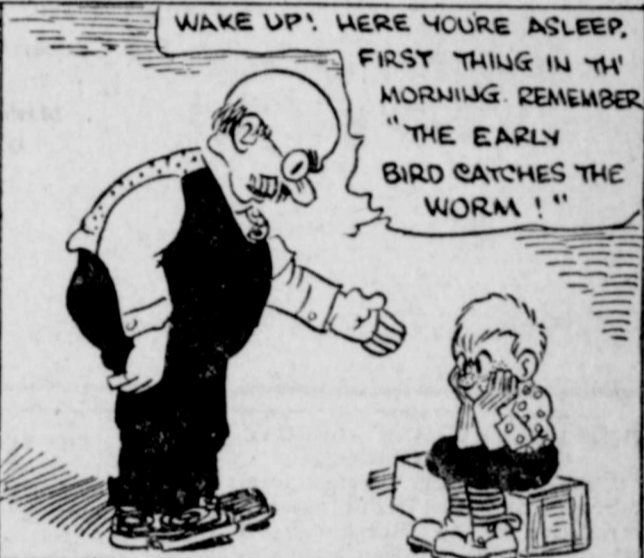
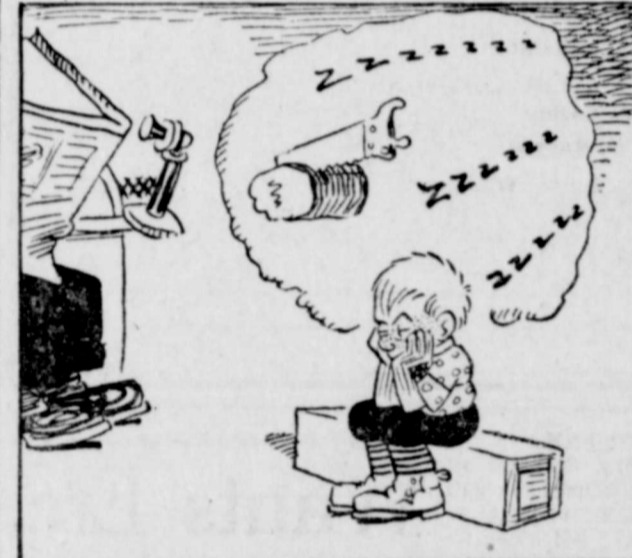


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**MUST BE GOOD LOOKING TO "CATCH" THE RICH**

J. W. Major returned to his home in El Paso Saturday. He spent several days in the city looking after property interests. While here he expressed his desire to see Artesia paved, sewers, and hoped to hear of the city having a real light plant soon. He says we must have paved streets to make a real town as the day is at hand when towns without pavements will not grow. Years ago there was a time when towns without pavements could go forward but that time is past forever. We must be up-to-date with city improvements, just the same as a lady keeps "up-to-the-minute" with her toggery. If her toggery is not up to the minute she stands a poor chance to catch a rich "guy."

Mr. Fred Clayton, who has been at Albuquerque for some time, returned to Artesia on Sunday for a few weeks.

Messrs. John Richards and "Toots" Garrett drove to Roswell on last Saturday evening, on a pleasure trip.

The Hope baseball team failed to appear for their game here with Cottonwood Sunday, disappointing many baseball fans.

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO**  
**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**  
**OIL AND GAS LEASE OF PUBLIC LANDS**  
**EDDY COUNTY.**

Office of the Commissioner of Public Lands,  
 Santa Fe, New Mexico.  
 Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the provisions of an Act of Congress, approved June 20th, 1910, the laws of the State of New Mexico, and the rules and regulations of the State Land Office, the Commissioner of Public Lands will offer for lease, for the exploration, development, and production of oil and gas, at public auction to the highest bidder, at 9 o'clock A. M., on Monday, September 25th, 1922, in the town of Carlsbad, County of Eddy, State of New Mexico, at the front door of the Court House there in, the following described lands, to-wit:

Sale No. L-58. T. 18 S., R. 28 E., Sec. 2, W 1/2; Sec. 3, All; Sec. 4, E 1/2 NW 1/4, NE 1/4 SW 1/4, SW 1/4 NE 1/4; Sec. 5, N 1/2; Sec. 6, N 1/2, SE 1/4; Sec. 7, N 1/2, N 1/2 S 1/2, SW 1/4 SW 1/4; Sec. 9, All; Sec. 15, All; Sec. 16, All; Sec. 17, S 1/2, NE 1/4, S 1/2 NW 1/4, NE 1/4 NW 1/4; Sec. 18, S 1/2, S 1/2 N 1/2, NW 1/4 NW 1/4, NW 1/4 NE 1/4; Sec. 19, All; Sec. 20, All; Sec. 21, All; Sec. 22, All; Sec. 27, All; Sec. 28, All; Sec. 29, All; Sec. 30, All; Sec. 31, All; Sec. 32, All; Sec. 33, E 1/2; Sec. 34, All; Sec. 14, E 1/2, SW 1/4; Sec. 23, All; Sec. 26, All; T. 17 S., R. 28 E., Sec. 27, W 1/2; Sec. 28, NW 1/4, N 1/2 NE 1/4, SW 1/4 SW 1/4, S 1/2 SE 1/4, NW 1/4 SE 1/4; Sec. 29, N 1/2 N 1/2, SE 1/4 NE 1/4, SE 1/4; Sec. 30, All; Sec. 31, All; Sec. 32, N 1/2, SW 1/4; Sec. 33, All; Sec. 34, All; Sec. 25, All; Sec. 26, All; Sec. 35, All; Sec. 36, All; Sec. 21, S 1/2; Sec. 8, S 1/2; All N. M. P. M., containing 21,423.11 acres.

Sale No. L-59. T. 19 S., R. 27 E., Sec. 1, All; Sec. 2, All; Sec. 11, All; Sec. 12, All; Sec. 13, All; Sec. 14, SW 1/4, E 1/2 SE 1/4, NE 1/4 SE 1/4, E 1/2 NW 1/4, NE 1/4 NW 1/4; Sec. 24, All; Sec. 23, NE 1/4 NW 1/4, SE 1/4 SE 1/4; Sec. 25, NE 1/4 NE 1/4, S 1/2 SE 1/4; Sec. 26, All; Sec. 16, All; Sec. 32, All; Sec. 36, All; T. 19 S., R. 28 E., Sec. 2, All; Sec. 3, All; Sec. 4, All; Sec. 5, All; Sec. 6, All; Sec. 7, E 1/2, E 1/2 W 1/2; Sec. 8, All; Sec. 9, All; Sec. 10, All; Sec. 11, N 1/2, SW 1/4; Sec. 14, All; Sec. 15, All; Sec. 16, All; Sec. 17, All; Sec. 18, E 1/2, E 1/2 W 1/2; Sec. 19, All; Sec. 20, All; Sec. 21, All; Sec. 22, S 1/2, NE 1/4; Sec. 23, All; Sec. 26, All; Sec. 27, All; Sec. 28, All; Sec. 29, All; Sec. 30, All; Sec. 32, N 1/2, SW 1/4; T. 18 S., R. 27 E., Sec. 14, All; Sec. 23, All; Sec. 24, All; Sec. 25, All; Sec. 26, E 1/2, SW 1/4; Sec. 35, All; Sec. 36, All; All N. M. P. M. containing 27,204.98 acres.

No bid will be accepted for less than five cents per acre, which shall be deemed to include and cover the first year's rental for said land, and no person will be permitted to bid at such sale except he has prior to the time set therefor, deposited with the Commissioner of Public Lands, or with his agent in charge of such sale, cash or certified exchange to the amount of the above minimum bid. Deposits of all unsuccessful bidders will be returned. The deposit of the successful bidder will be held by the Commissioner of Public Lands and by him applied in payment of such bid but if the successful bidder shall fail to complete his purchase by paying on demand any balance due under his purchase including the cost of advertising and the expenses incident thereto, then and in such event such deposit shall be forfeited to the State of New Mexico as liquidated damages. Lease will be made in substantial conformity with oil and gas lease form No. 35, on file in the office of the Commissioner of Public Lands, copy of which will be furnished on application.

Each of the above designated sales will be offered separately. The right is reserved by the Commissioner to reject any and all bids, either at the time of sale or subsequent thereto. Witness the hand and official seal of the Commissioner of Public Lands of the State of New Mexico, this 3rd day of July, 1922.

N. A. FIELD,  
 Commissioner of Public Lands,  
 State of New Mexico.  
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**CITY MARKET**  
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Vernon and Veto George went to El Paso Monday, Veto on a pleasure trip and Vernon to accept a position in the pass city.  
 Miss Margaret Peemster is visiting in Roswell, the guest of Miss Bobbie Bond.  
 Last chance for this grade of oil this year. We will have a car of distillate in Artesia about July 17. If you want any now or will need any before next spring, better place your order early.  
 ARTESIA ALFALFA GROWERS ASS'N. Phone 79, or 107 F 12.

**DANCE SATURDAY NIGHT**  
 The local post of the American Legion will entertain with a dance Saturday evening, July 15th, at the I. O. O. F. Hall. Music will be furnished by Ham's Jazz Hounds.  
 Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Shepard and son Hallam, were in Artesia last week, attending the play, which was directed by Miss Madge Shepard.  
 Miss Madge Shepard returned to Roswell Friday after directing the play, "Aaron Slick from Pumpkin Creek," which was staged here Thursday night to a capacity house.

Neal A. Brown, general manager of the Quick Way Stage Line, went to Hope last Wednesday. He was looking over the route and may put on a stage between Hope and Artesia, connecting with the stage now running between Roswell and Artesia.  
 Mrs. Charlie Mann is spending the week in Cloudercroft, going to the mountains several days ago. She will remain for some time at this summer resort.  
 John B. Muncy has returned from a trip to Ft. Worth, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Terry and baby daughter, Mannie Isabel, enjoyed several days outing in White mountains. They visited Ruidosa and other points, returning Friday, and state they had a very good time, seeing several Artesia people up there, and they also visited the Brainard cabin.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Dan Elpper left this week for points in Colorado, where they will visit for several weeks. Alderman Elpper made the trip in his Ford car, knowing that a Ford can travel on any roads after practising on unpaved city streets.

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 It is a Good Cash Crop. Bags furnished free if I Buy your Seed. High Grade Recleaned Rye Seed now in Stock. Strictly Wholesale Only.  
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**R. L. PARIS, Artesia, N. M., Local Representative**

The Ladies Choral Society was held in the Methodist Church Tuesday night at 8:30.—Exchange.

**Somebody Made a Mistake.**

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Michelin Regular Cords cost only a little more than fabric tires, yet they give about a third more mileage.

**Artesia Auto Co.**  
ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO

# Legion Dance July 15 I. O. O. F Hall

LOST—Span of mare work mules, one black, one brownish, branded MH Bar on left hit. Each had a trace chain around neck. Anyone finding them please notify C. V. Brainard, Artesia.

Mr. Charlie Mann and daughters, Helen, LaRue and Jennie Besa, left on Wednesday morning for Cloudcroft, where they will join Mrs. Mann. They will be gone for several days.  
Dr. P. M. Baker, Albert Vorel and Jerry Hale left Sunday for a two weeks fishing trip in the Black river, seventy-five miles from Pecons.

## BUILD HAY BARN. SOME ARE DOING IT

Ask those who stored their hay last year what profit they made over the September 1st price and the February 25th price. You hay growers are all brainy men, figure this out for yourself. You could have paid for several barns with the difference in the prices of hay between these two dates.

**Big Jo Lumber Company**  
Artesia, New Mexico

## Churches

**METHODIST CHURCH**  
Sunday School at 9:45.  
Morning Sermon at 11:00.  
Sacramental Service,  
Epworth League, 7:00.  
Union Service at the Presbyterian Church at 8:00 P. M.  
R. F. DAVIS, Pastor.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY.**  
Opposite Hardwick Hotel.  
Sunday service at 11 a. m.  
Wednesday service at 8:00 p. m.  
The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

**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.

**AT THE FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Sunday School promptly at 9:45 A. M.  
Preaching at 11:00 A. M.  
Subject, "What Think Ye of Christ and His Authority?"  
Intermediate Endeavor at 2:15 P. M.  
Subject for 8:00 P. M.: "The Motive Power of Christ and His Church."  
Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8:00 P. M.  
Everybody welcome. Come with us and we will do you good.  
R. R. COFFEY.

**NAZARENE CHURCH**  
REGULAR SERVICES.  
Sunday School at 9:45 A. M.  
Preaching at 11:00 A. M.  
Children's service at 2:30 P. M.  
N. Y. P. S. at 6:45 P. M.  
Preaching at 7:30 P. M.  
Prayer meeting each Tuesday evening at 7:30 P. M.  
Bible Study Class meets every Thursday at 7:30 P. M.  
Everyone is invited to attend these services. Come and you will want to come again. And you are welcome.  
REV. T. V. COX, Pastor.  
A. W. WILDE, Sunday School Supt.

**AT CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Sunday School at 9:45 A. M.  
Preaching, "Spiritual Ambition" at 10:00 A. M.  
Intermediate Endeavor at 7:00 P. M.  
Union meeting at 8:00 P. M.  
Preaching by Rev. Mathes.  
Our meetings thus far have been enjoyable and profitable to all who attended them. Will be glad to welcome all who may come.  
R. R. COFFEY, Pastor.

**AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH JULY 16TH**  
Beginning with the first of this month we will be here for all time and we invite your hearty cooperation in all the work. During the hot summer evenings we will have our services on the church lawn. We are doing this for your comfort and to prove to you that we want you. Even though it is hot none of our services are lagging in interest, or in attendance. A lovely smile is breaking over our Superintendent's face, and you should come and learn the reason why. So be on hand next Lord's Day morning.

**NOTICE OF SUIT**  
IN THE DISTRICT COURT,  
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.  
No. 3553.  
J. T. Collins, Plaintiff, vs. Otis Reney, A. W. Auffenhide and D. W. Dawikin, Defendants

You and each of you, Otis Reney, A. W. Auffenhide and D. W. Dawikin, defendants, are hereby notified that said plaintiff has filed a suit against you as aforesaid.  
The object of said suit is for the establishment of plaintiff's estate in and to Lots Six (6) and Eight (8) in Block Thirty-Six (36) in Artesia Improvement Company's Addition to the Town of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, against the adverse claims of defendants, and that the defendants be barred and forever stopped from having or claiming any right or title to the said premises, adverse to the plaintiff and that plaintiff's title thereto be forever quieted and set at rest and for such other and further relief as may seem just and equitable.  
You are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause in said Court on or before September 4th, 1922, judgment will be rendered against you and each of you as prayed for in the complaint herein filed by default.  
S. E. Ferree of Artesia, New Mexico, is the attorney for the plaintiff.  
Witness my hand and the seal of said District Court this 10th day of July, 1922.  
D. M. JACKSON,  
County Clerk.  
(SEAL) July 14 Aug 1

## BUREAU BIG AID TO EX-SOLDIERS

Government Is Finding Places for Disabled Men Who Have Been in School.

### ALL VOCATIONS REPRESENTED

More Than 100,000 Are in Training Now, and Ultimately 318,000 Will Have Been Rehabilitated—Find Job to Fit Man.

Washington, D. C.—A new kind of employment agency is being opened by the government. Most offices of the sort start out in business with a list of alluring positions and invite jobless men to apply for them. The government is beginning at the other end. It has a group of well trained men on its hands and its employment agency will try to fit them into the jobs which are no doubt available about the country, but which are just now singularly elusive.

The new agency is in the veterans' bureau, and its efforts are to be put forth in behalf of the disabled war veterans who are being rehabilitated under the direction of the bureau.

Although it is more than three years since the war ended, the peak of rehabilitation has not been reached, largely because so many of the veterans have been taking three and four-year courses.

To date 10,485 men have completed their training and are employed. More than 100,000 are in training now, and ultimately 318,000 will have been rehabilitated. Many of the disabled men have not begun training. They are not yet physically able, their cases are pending, or for some other reason training has been deferred.

The new agency, which calls itself by the mouth-filling title of the Trainee-Employment Section of the Rehabilitation Division of the Veterans' bureau, has just begun its task. It has men of practically every vocation on its hands, from dentists and farmers to stenographers and shoemakers.

The employment section has begun to establish contracts with organizations that are in touch with all angles of the job market.

Where Men Are Needed. Employment experts of the Veterans' bureau are making a study of the professions and trades to determine which are crowded. A partial survey indicates that training has been provided in the past in some vocations which are badly overcrowded, while other lines in which trained personnel is needed have been overlooked. In future the bureau will consider supply and demand in starting its disabled men on new work.

A number of doctors are on the list of rehabilitated men, and these, at least, should have no difficulty in establishing connections, since small towns all over the country have been calling for doctors.

Considering the need for farmers, it is also encouraging to learn that 15,000 veterans are studying some phase of agriculture. Some of them have already found positions which they will enter on graduation. A number are going to teach agricultural subjects in high schools and colleges. One man is going to South America as salesman of agricultural implements. The students of farming are being urged to buy land and start in business for themselves, and many are planning to do so.

The men who have been studying trades are placed in union shops for practical experience. When they are able to do a full day's work they are considered rehabilitated and given positions.

A man learning a trade or business is rehabilitated when he has a position, and the government's responsibility toward him ends. It is more difficult to say when an artist is rehabilitated. Is he a full-fledged artist when he paints his first promising picture or when he makes his first sale? All of the men whom the government has undertaken to have trained were unable to return to their old positions on a competitive basis with other men.

Right Men for the Jobs. The bureau is trying to impress on the public the fact that it need not hesitate to employ the rehabilitated men. The government is not sending out any one-legged park gardeners. A man who was so badly injured about the face that he is at a disadvantage in meeting people is not trained to be a traveling salesman. On the other hand, the loss of a leg does not affect the work of a draftsman and a disabled face is not a handicap to a stock breeder.

The employment section is distinctly proud of the fact that so many of the bureau's trainees have a greater earning capacity now than they had in their pre-war occupations. A typical case is that of a man who had been a landscape gardener on a large estate. He lost one arm, and is now an auditor in the government service at \$1,200 more a year than he was earning before the war.

The Veterans' bureau says that it is starting its employment services with men of fine caliber. A report has just come from the University of Florida stating that the average scholarship in its law department is 85.5 per cent for trainees of the Veterans' bureau, while other students averaged 79 per cent.—Frederick J. Haskin in Chicago Daily News.

## Candy Will Contribute to Summer Comfort

Any outing or party is not complete without a liberal supply of confections.

## Luffs Candies

are made of pure materials and heat does not effect them like it does cheaper grades. We've a nice assortment of Kings chocolates, too, which are popular at this season. Our candy is kept in a refrigerator and is always pure, fresh and cool.

The children like to buy candy at our Store.

## PALACE

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The **Rexall** Store

### MISS CARROLL IS HOSTESS

Miss Bernal Carroll was hostess to the members of her Sunday School class of young ladies from the Methodist Sunday School at her home on last Friday afternoon. The class of young ladies, taught by Mrs. Joe Richards is entertained by some member each week.

A very delightful evening was spent in the great pastime, which is characteristic of the class, but remains a secret to the great outside world. Delicious punch and cake was served to the guests.

Among those present were Misses Gladys Cowan, Mattie Mae Jackson, Beverly Kirkpatrick, Ethel Bullock, Lorrie Davis, Marian Walker, Lella Walker, Mildred Frisch, and Mrs. Joe Richards.

R. A. Brewer, director of the Artesia Concert band, announces that the band will give a concert on Saturday evening on Main street. This is the first concert to be given in Artesia this season. A large number of persons are expected to be in town on that occasion attending band rehearsals regularly and a good program is assured.

Mrs. Mayo Alexander, of Roswell was in Artesia this week, visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Bert Smith.

### THE TERM "UNCLE" AND "GRANDDAD" SOUND PECULIAR

Mr. A. L. Terpening announces that he does not know how to act whenever he is called "granddad" by anyone. Since A. N. Burkland, well-known Artesia ball player, has become the father of a fine boy, Grandfather A. L. Terpening has been rapidly aging. "Uncle" Ralph Terpening seems to be getting larger since he can honestly be called "Uncle." He is rapidly advancing toward the three hundred pound mark, having passed the two hundred and fifty pound mark several days ago. It is hoped that the new arrival will make as large a citizen as his granddaddy or uncle.

### BAND CONCERT

Artesia's Senior Band will give a public concert once a week. These concerts, during the summer season, will be given in front of the different business houses, and the first will be in front of the Palace Drug Store on Saturday night, July 15th, beginning promptly at 8:00 o'clock. Everybody is respectfully invited and urgently requested to attend.

Mr. Kuykendall, the father of Mrs. M. Stevenson and Mr. Charlie Kuykendall of Artesia, is visiting them at this place. Mr. Kuykendall's home is at Crowell, Texas.

## Dr. Loucks' Says:

HE has every flavor of Electric Lighting Bulbs from 10 to 500 watt, and that they are all good bulbs, he knows because Edison superintended the manufacture.

A complete line of electric lighting material. Also his auto electrical material is as complete as any in the Valley. It would surprise you to come to his place of business and see the variety of auto accessories and supplies to numerous to mention.