

Pecos Valley News.

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ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO JANUARY 17, 1907

NO 19

About the City

Stock food for sale at the Artesia Milling Co.

J. W. Price was in Roswell on business last Friday.

C. L. Heath went to Roswell on business Tuesday.

Why patronize a Chink when you can have Americans do it. 17ff

E. F. Hardwick was down from Roswell Tuesday on business.

Nathan Jaffa was in the city Tuesday looking after business interests.

Judge A. V. Logan left yesterday morning for Santa Fe on business.

Dr. King and wife of Lake Arthur made a flying trip to our city yesterday.

Mrs. L. A. Bruce visited in Roswell Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Mrs. Dyer went to Roswell Friday to visit her brother who is confined at the hospital in that city.

W. R. Allison returned Monday from Carlsbad where he had been visiting his family over Sunday.

G. S. Blake went to Roswell last week. His foot is much better and he hopes to be at work again soon.

Horace Lay of Roswell was in Artesia Friday and Saturday of last week looking after his insurance business.

Jack Dearing, late of Lakewood, passed through here enroute for Hagerman Thursday. He goes to work on the Messenger.

If you want prompt work and the sanitary conditions perfect send your laundry to Roswell Steam Laundry. 17ff

FOR SALE.—Five well located lots for sale cheap. Nicely located. Apply to D. W. Robertson. 4t

Miss Eva McNaught left Wednesday morning for her home in Girard, Kansas. She had been being visited D. L. Newkirk and family.

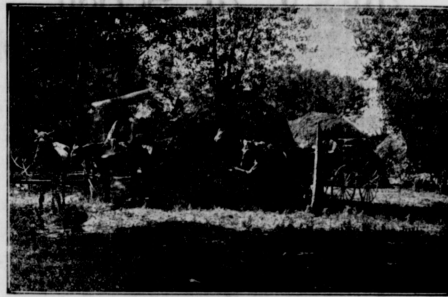
J. R. Blair will sell those Hurd Oak and Snap heaters the next few days at greatly reduced prices. They are an ornament to any parlor.

O. J. Adams bought a house and five acres of land of H. L. Mitchell last week. It is in the College addition and the consideration was \$2,000.

The Nonpariel Entertainment given at the Presbyterian church on last Tuesday evening was beautifully rendered and highly appreciated by all present.

Quite a number of Woodmen went to Dayton Monday night to teach some candidates the art of goat-riding. The Woodmen have no hall in Artesia and borrowed the one of their neighbors at Dayton.

Speltz is a Russian plant that grows with a small amount of moisture and is becoming very popular in semirid regions where it has produced from 40 to 60 bushels per acre and upward. It is excellent feed. D. M. Elder has it for sale. 2t



A PECOS VALLEY FARM SCENE

J. W. Conn left Tuesday morning for Dexter on business.

H. I. Bloomfield went to Roswell the fore part of the week.

J. H. Armstrong is putting in an orchard on his homestead west of town.

W. O. Thomas returned last week from Texas where he spent the holidays with home folks.

Dr. and Mrs. C. Thomas visited in Roswell Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Denning.

A wandering minister preached on the streets Monday and Tuesday but did not seem to draw much of a crowd.

Mr. J. C. Emerson and family left for Lawton, Okla., Tuesday to make their home. They will be missed by many friends.

J. K. Walling lost a valuable mule last Wednesday. It ran into a pitchfork and hurt itself so bad that it had to be shot.

Invitations are being sent out for a public installation of officers of the W. O. W. Thursday night at the old J. P. Dyer building.

The southbound passenger is generally only two or three hours late on Sunday (but last Sunday there was trouble somewhere and it pulled in at 2:30 Monday morning).

For sale at a bargain, lots 1, 2, 3 five room house, one business house on Main street, lot 12, block 8. Address C. F. Herlacker, Artesia, N.M. 4t

Artesia Machine Shop is in receipt of a large Standard Regulator arriving yesterday from Chicago, so you can now get the correct time there as well as correct work.

J. R. Stanley of Dexter has purchased the well drill of J. C. Elliott and will move it to Dexter. Mr. Stanley now has three drills and expects to do some good work for the valley.

FOR SALE, North East 24-16-25, 5 miles from Artesia, all fenced, 65 acres in cultivation, flowing wells surround this land. Price \$2500.00. For quick sale address. 19 4 John W. Baughman, Plains, Kan.

HORSE SHOENING.

We will put on four new shoes for \$1.25. Shoes reset 75c. tf Artesia Machine Shop.

DELEGATES NAMED.

ELEVEN DELEGATES AT LARGE FROM NEW MEXICO TO DENVER MEETING APPOINTED BY GOV.

HAGERMAN

Santa Fe, N.M., Jan. 12.—Governor Hagerman today announced the appointment of the delegates at large from New Mexico to the Dry Farming Congress, to be held in Denver the 25th of this month. The delegates named are as follows: Luther Foster, president of the Agricultural college at Mesilla Park; Prof. J. D. Tinsley, of the Agricultural college; Solomon Luna, of Albuquerque; John L. Zimmerman, of Santa Fe; I. F. Osborne, of Carlsbad; N. S. Belden, of Las Vegas; R. L. Patterson, of Tucumcari; J. C. Carrera, of Las Cruces; R. C. Reid, of Roswell; W. H. Gillenwater, of Albuquerque; A. W. Thompson of Clayton.

It is understood that the full delegation will attend the Congress, which will consider a question of vital importance to New Mexico and which will bring together the farming experts of the entire west, those who have succeeded both with irrigation and dry farming.

A LONG FELT WANT SUPPLIED BY PRICE & CO.

Mrs. E. M. Schott, of Philadelphia, has been engaged to take charge of a fashionable dress-making department established by the great dry goods and clothing store of Price & Co. The new establishment will cater only to the high class trade, obviating the necessity of sending to St. Louis, Chicago or New York for such gowns as heretofore could not be made in Roswell. Thus a long felt want is supplied, and ladies who are not satisfied with cheap and doubtful styles can procure the services of a modiste right here at home. After seeing and selecting the choicest fabrics from the store of Price & Co. they can have their gowns made and perfectly fitted, without sending money away and taking chances

J. D. Christopher was in town Wednesday on business.

School was resumed last Monday.

Mr. Linell and Albert and Ben Esley went hunting on the bogs last Sunday with the usual result.

T. B. Roby is here from Alva, Okla., looking after his farm lands. He expects to return home next week.

L. C. Robertson and Capt. Hunt were out west of Hope the fore part of the week looking into the water situation.

Mrs. W. C. Burrus and Mrs. James Garrard of Roswell who visited friends in Artesia part of last week, returned home Monday, declaring themselves charmed with Artesia, and we are sure that both old friends and newcomers will always be glad to welcome such pleasant visitors.

A large crowd of "Choppers" went to Dayton last Monday night to work over some timber. Gordon Allen and Joe Morrison were the unfortunates. A general good time was reported by all who attended. Allen may not be a broncho buster but he is no novice when it comes to staying with the goat. Morrison did well until the "Butter" began some "Three Corned Buck Jump Movements" when poor old Joe bid farewell to the joys and sorrows of Mother Earth and momentarily joined the ranks of those gone before into the realms of the sweet subsequently.

of dissatisfaction. The new establishment, while not so large, will be in other respects what the dress-making establishment of Marshall Field & Co. is to Chicago, or Fourier's to Philadelphia.

Price and Co. will continue to handle ready-made apparel for women, and will not neglect to supply the needs of those who feel that they cannot afford New York or Paris creations even at the saving of time or rail road and express charges. However, the department provided over by Mrs. Schott will be devoted to supplying a demand that has not heretofore been attempted in Roswell.

BASE BALL FOR 1907

THE OLD TEAM WILL REORGANIZE WITH A FEW NEW MEN ON THE LIST

OTHER TOWNS GETTING IN LINE

The valley champions of 1906 are starting in early in the season to make a trial for the top place in 1907. A meeting has been called for Saturday night of this week at Dr. Baker's office and all the old players and all interested in the national game are requested to be present. The officers for the coming season will be elected and arrangement made for the practice to begin at once.

Baker, Esley, Linell and Graham are known to remain on the team and several of the old players will be as strong if not stronger than that of last year.

Carlsbad and Roswell have already organized, both claiming stronger teams than those of last year. It is time the boys were working out if they expect to hold the record made last year: that of the best team in the valley.

LEFT FOR THE MOUNTAINS.

Mr. White and Mrs. Elliott left Monday for the mountains near Weed, to join Mr. Elliott at the lumber camp. Mr. White has a homestead in the mountains and will shortly move his family there.

TWO ENJOYABLE OCCASIONS.

AT MRS. S. W. GILBERT'S.

Mrs. S. W. Gilbert entertained a few ladies Friday to meet her guests, Mrs. Burrus and Mrs. Garrard of Roswell. A five course dinner was served and all enjoyed a most pleasant day. Those present were: Mesdames Garrard, Burrus, Bowman, Stull, Mathes, Orr, Martin, Hodges and Ilder.

AT MRS. J. R. HODGES.

Mrs. John R. Hodges entertained Saturday afternoon from 3 to 5 in honor of Mrs. Burrus and Mrs. Garrard of Roswell. Mrs. Hodges is an ideal hostess and all deemed the occasion most enjoyable. A literary contest gave zest to the hour. Mrs. Orr won the first prize, a handsome copy of Mrs. Browning's poems; Mrs. Beesham the second prize, a fine copy of Rip Van Winkle. Elegant refreshments were served.

Mr. Mitchell and family expect to leave next Tuesday for Oklahoma City, where they will make their home.

WANTED WORK

I am prepared to do plowing or ditching for assessment or crops. 18-1f-#4

M. O. Tuttle.

The Artesia Hotel and Mr. Geo. Kauffman are agents for Roswell Steam Laundry. Send your laundry to them. 17ff

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THE COUNTRY EDITOR

The country editor is eager to print all the news in his paper. Does he do it? Hardly. "This would be a very newsy paper," exclaimed one of them to his subscribers, "were it not for the fact that each of the four men who work on it has many friends. By the time all the items that might injure some of his friends are omitted, very little is left."

"I wish you would print a piece about our school teacher," said a farmer's wife to me one afternoon. "Say that she is the best teacher in the county."

"But I can't do that—two hundred other teachers would be angry. You write the piece, sign it, and I'll print it."

"What are you running a newspaper for if you can't please your subscribers?" she demanded—and canceled her subscription.

No, the country editor leaves out certain good things and certain bad things for the very simple reason that the persons most interested are close at hand and can find the individual responsible for the statements. He becomes wise in his generation, and avoids chastisements and libel suits. He finds that there is no lasting regard in a sneer, no satisfaction in gratifying the impulse to say things that bring tears to women's eyes, nothing to gloat over in opening a wound in a man's heart. If he does not learn this as he grows older in the service he is a poor country editor.—Atlantic Monthly.

ABOUT A NEW COUNTY.

The Progress cannot see any benefits to be derived from forming new counties. On the contrary, it will undoubtedly increase the burdens of the taxpayers to support two governments instead of one; and we think that the scheme of ambitious towns and designing office hunters should be sat down on good and hard.

Right you are, and when the scheme is presented to the legislature there will not be a corporal's guard who will do it the honor of listening. The new county idea is fathered by a lot of real estate dealers who have only their transitory interests at heart, and by a set of scheming politicians who failed to break the combination of the recent democratic primaries. Like numerous other small county schemes in the territory, the one proposed from the Pecos Valley is all buncomb.—Carlsbad Argus.

When in the course of human events a good man goes wrong through ignorance of what he is talking about, it is a source of annoyance to the people of his vicinity. Such is the case of W. T. Reed in the foregoing editorial in the Carlsbad Argus. The new county is not backed by real estate men by means and under the standard set by the Argus, nearly every man in Artesia is a "scheming politician." All are working for the best interests of Artesia and the people living near Artesia in trying to get them loose from the rule of Carlsbad. As to the

idea that the legislature will not even fly to the bill, that is all rot or else Carlsbad would not go to all the "trouble and expense" that the Argus speaks of in another column.

HAGERMAN WANTS HIS NEW COUNTY

Editor Wimberly of the Hagerman Mesenger set forth at length last week the reasons why a new county should be formed with Hagerman as the county seat. While we differ with our neighbor as to the location of the county seat we must confess that he said some things that are true of Eddy county as well as Chaves. In his argument however he overlooked the two main points; size and location. In regard to size Artesia is three or four times larger than Hagerman and the size must be taken into consideration when a town is to be made a county seat. Artesia is located nearly half way between Roswell and Carlsbad while Hagerman is twenty miles nearer Roswell. It would seem that these two things would result in giving the county seat to Artesia were all other things equal in the two towns, which is not so. Taking it anyway you can look at it Artesia is the place for the county seat.

And now comes T. Turner Meade with his Lake Arthur Times with the front page headline upside down in mourning for the death of the new county. We didn't think it of T. Turner, really we didn't. The whole front page of the Times was given up to the ridicule of the new county and the worse part of it was the blank verse on the subject. We suppose it was blank verse. We publish one verse of it for the benefit of the morbidly inclined and would have used more but the compositors kicked. In his brilliant, fascinating style T. Turner told us why Lake Arthur turned us down. From the wealth of sarcasm it is gathered that they are also looking for a county seat. The Times also advised Roswell and Carlsbad to look out for their own, which they would no doubt have done without being reminded of it by T. Turner Meade. Following is a "verse" of the "poem."

"Lake Arthur loves her sweethearts
And indeed 'tis kind of sad
That both Hagerman and Artesia
Our town the courthouse forbade."

The House passed 628 pension bills in one hour and a half.

Wonder what the Washington Post thinks about the new county.

From what we read of Senator Tillman he must be built something like Capt. Bujac.

The Progress is not versed in the doings of territorial Legislature assemblies, but cannot even for a moment believe that that body can be influenced by a little paper or two.—Lakewood Progress.

Then why don't you keep still?

NO GRACE IN GALLOWS

In his lecture on "Capital Punishment" the Church of This World yesterday Dr. E. Roberts not only opposed the affliction of the death penalty, but, at least abstractly opposed the affliction of any punishment whatever. He would leave all criminals and offenders to the operation of the inexorable law that what men sow they shall also reap. His views on capital punishment were frequently applauded, but for some time to come it is not probable that society will be content with the precarious protection of moral law alone. In the course of his lecture Father Roberts said:

"The instincts of civilized man revolt against the infliction of death. It is obnoxious to the moral sense. It cheapens human life. It tends to degrade and debase the community. The theories and teachings of religion condemn it by implication. The gallows is a monument erected by the community whereby it proclaims its own weakness, cowardice and vindictiveness. The rabbit is the finger of shame which the state points to itself."

"Barbarians kill to satisfy the feelings of hatred and revenge. Tyrants kill for the same reasons, and for the added one of putting troublesome persons where they will do the least harm. Civilized communities kill because they are not yet wholly civilized. Sixty years ago every nation, excepting one, and every state in the Union, prescribed death for certain offences. Of all the states, at that time, only two, New Hampshire and Pennsylvania, had reduced the number of capital offences to one, while Missouri had four, Georgia seven, Louisiana eight, North Carolina twenty-two and Virginia twenty-four. Under George II, the criminal law of England prescribed death for 23 offences. Under the Mosaic code there were thirty-five offences punishable by death. The death penalty rested primarily upon the idea of revenge."

"The argument that the safety of society requires and justifies the death penalty is the argument of the coward. Men rarely kill again. There are men who believe, and their number is increasing, that the few citizens who are possessed of swollen fortunes are the most dangerous class of all. Will the advocates of capital punishment argue that we must kill the very rich? An ex-president of the United States once declared in a speech in Chicago that the great danger to this country lay in the fact that rich men evade just taxation. Shall we for that reason advocate the killing of tax dodgers? Who would be left? The man who, in hot blood, and under the stimulus of a resistless passion, has killed a fellow being is not the most dangerous man in society. The man who adulterates milk, the food that is fed to babes, the man that sells diseased or unwholesome meats, the man who makes short weights or measures, the man who oppresses the poor by usury, the man who destroys his competitors by rebates and illegal discriminations is vastly more dangerous. The murderer kills a single man. The number of victims of those other God alone can know."

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SEWING WANTED.

I am prepared to do sewing at residence one block east of depot. Mrs. Ada Ricketts.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roswell, N. M., Dec. 11, 1906. A protest having been filed in this office by the Territory of New Mexico, against Forest Lenu Selection No. 512, made September 5, 1899, for the NE 1/4 Sec. 12, T. 16 S., R. 28 E., by C. B. Willingham, selector defendant, in which it is alleged that said land is saline in character; said parties are hereby notified to appear and respond and offer evidence touching said allegation, to determine whether at and prior to September 5, 1899, the tract of land described was known to be saline land and therefore excepted from appropriation under the Act of June 4, 1897, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roswell, New Mexico, at 10 o'clock a. m. February 14, 1907.

The said contestant having in proper affidavit, filed December 31st, 1906, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

Howard Leland, Register.
David D. Geyer, Receiver.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, N. M., December 14, 1906. Notice is hereby given that Noel L. Johnson, of Hope, New Mexico, has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, viz., Homestead Entry No. 1335 made March 1, 1900, for the SW 1-4 NW1-4, SW1-4 SW1-4 of Section 1; NE1-4 SE1-4 and SE1-4 NE1-4 of Section 2, Township 17 South, Range 21 East, and that said proof will be made before the Register or Receiver, at Roswell, New Mexico, on January 26, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of the land, viz:

Willard Wright, of Hope, N. M.; H. M. Gage, of Hope, N. M.; Lucius Johnson, of Hope, N. M.; W. I. Skrier, of Hope, N. M.
Howard Leland, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

DESERT LAND—FINAL OFFICE, United States Land Office, Roswell, N. M., Dec. 22, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that Frank Wyckoff, of Hope, N. M., has filed notice of intention to make proof on his desert-claim No. 1152, for the S 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Sec. 5, T. 18 S., R. 23 E., before the Register or Receiver at Roswell, N. M., on Friday the 8th day of February, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove the complete irrigation and reclamation of said land:

Richard M. Bell, of Hope, N. M.; Chas. A. Cole, of Hope, N. M.; Stonewall J. Wilburn, of Hope, N. M.; Ezekiel N. Reeves, of Hope, N. M.
2-5-07 Howard Leland, Register

ELECTRIC LIGHT ORDINANCE

An ordinance authorizing and granting to the Artesia Ice and Light Company, their heirs or assigns, the right to construct, acquire, operate and maintain an electric light plant in the town of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, for the purpose of supplying light and power to the citizens and inhabitants of said town, and a right to construct and maintain electric light wires, lines, etc., along and through the streets and alleys of said town. Said Rights and Franchises to continue effectual and useful for the period of Twenty-one years.

Section 1. That the Artesia Ice and Light Company, their heirs, representatives or assigns, are hereby granted the right and privilege to construct, acquire, operate and maintain an Electric Light Plant, with all the necessary poles, wires, lamps and apparatus, in the said town of Artesia and they are granted the right and privilege, and especially authorized, to use all the streets, alleys, lanes, bridges, viaducts and public grounds of the said town of Artesia, for the purpose of laying beneath the surface or suspending on suitable poles on and along said streets, alleys, lanes, bridges, viaducts and public grounds from time to time as they may desire, wires, cables and conductors of electricity, together with lamps, lamp-fixtures and appurtenances and devices suitable for distributing and supplying said town of Artesia and the inhabitants thereof, with an electric current for light and power; and any and all other purposes to which electricity may now or hereafter be applied. Said rights and franchises to continue useful and effective to the said company, their heirs or assigns for a period of twenty-one years.

Section 2. Said grantees, their heirs or assigns, shall not unreasonably obstruct the passage on any street, alleys, lanes, viaducts or public places, and shall place the wires on substantial poles, said wire to be hung, at least eight feet above the ground. Should it become necessary for the said grantees to make an excavation of any kind in the construction of the said plant or works, they shall be required to fill, repair and level up the same, within a reasonable time, with the streets, alleys and grounds.

Section 3. When the poles are set in or along an alley, they shall be set and located as near the side of the alley as practicable, and when erected on and along the streets of said town, they shall be set and located, when practicable, along the outside edge of the sidewalk, so as not to interfere or obstruct the drainage, with all the poles placed in such a manner as to least discomode the public and property owners.

Section 4. Said grantees, their heirs or assigns, shall not charge during the life of this ordinance, for a 16 candle power incandescent lamp, greater sum than \$1.25 at a flat rate, or more than \$10.00 per month for arc lamps, the same to be used all night, and shall not charge a greater sum than fifteen cents per kilowatt hour, meter rate.

Section 5. The said grantees shall have sixty days from the taking effect of this ordinance, in which to commence the erection of the electric light plant; and one year from said date to have it fully completed and in operation. If said grantees should fail to commence work on said erection in the time above stated, or if they should fail to complete the same within the time specified above, without good cause shown, this ordinance shall be of no force or effect.

Section 6. The said grantees shall furnish free of charge to the said town, light in sufficient quantities to properly light the town hall, and sufficient light for the building to be used as the fire department of said town.

Section 7. The said town of Artesia hereby agrees and binds itself to use of said grantees, five 100 candle power arc lights during the life of this franchise. Said town further agrees, that in event it should at any time during the life of this franchise, acquire, operate and own a water works system, that it will supply to the said grantees sufficient water for the manufacture of ice for the period of ten years, free of charge to said grantees.

Section 8. Their heirs or assigns shall file an acceptance of this ordinance with the clerk of the Board of Trustees of said town within five days after the passage of this ordinance.

Section 9. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its publication in the Artesia Advocate, a newspaper of general circulation in said town of Artesia.

BY WAY OF ILLUSTRATION

A teacher in one of the primary schools of New York recently read to her pupils 'The Old Oaken Bucket.'

After explaining the song to them very carefully, she asked the class to copy the first stanza from the blackboard, where she had written it, and try to illustrate the verse by drawings in the

CURTIS WINS FIGHT

TOPEKA CONGRESSMAN SELECTED BY SMALL MAJORITY IN REPUBLICAN CAUCUS

Topeka, Kansas, Jan. 11.—Congressman Charles Curtis of the First Kansas district was nominated for United States senator to succeed Senator Alfred A. Benson upon the fourth ball-t by the republican members of the Kansas legislature in caucus here to night. The action of the caucus is equivalent to election, as the republican majority in the legislature is overwhelming.

On the first ballot Mr. Curtis received thirty-four votes. This number was increased on each succeeding ballot until the fourth when Mr. Curtis received 61 votes, 66 being necessary to nominate. Five men who had voted for Congressman Campbell immediately rose and changed their votes from Campbell to Curtis giving the Topeka man a bare majority.

Mr. Curtis is an attorney, 47 years of age, and is serving his seventh term in congress.

CONTEST NOTICE

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roswell, N. M., Dec. 21, 1906.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Ezekiel N. Reeves of Hope, N. M., contestant, against Homestead entry No. 7369, made March 26, 1906, for SW1-4 Section 27, Township 17 S., Range 23 E. by Lorin Randall, Contestee, in which it is alleged that said Lorin Randall has never established his residence upon said tract, but has wholly abandoned same, and has never resided upon and cultivated same, and that said alleged absence was not due to entrymans employment in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps of the United States in time of war. Said parties are hereby notified to appear and respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on February 23, 1907, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roswell, N. M.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed January 14, 1907, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

Signed, Howard Leland, Register.
5t David L. Geyer, Receiver

same way a story is illustrated.

In a short while one little girl handed up her slate with several little dots between two lines, half a dozen dots, and three buckets.

"I do not quite understand this Maimy," said the teacher, kindly.

"What is that circle?"

"Oh, that's the well," Mamie replied.

"And why do you have three buckets?"

"One," answered the child, "is the old oaken bucket, one is the iron bound bucket, and the other is the moss covered bucket that hung in the well."

"But, Maimy, what are these little dots for?"

"Why, those are the spots which my infancy knew," replied Maimy,—"Harper's Weekly."

At The Churches

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—T. C. James, Pastor. Sunday School, 10 a. m.; Preaching, 11 a. m.; B. Y. P. U., 6 p. m.; Preaching, 7 p. m.; Prayer Meeting, Wednesday 7 p. m.

There will be preaching at the Baptist church next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. All are invited.

T. C. James.

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH.—J. H. Messer Pastor. Sunday School 9:45 a. m.; preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Junior Epworth League 3 p. m.; Senior Epworth League 6:45 p. m.; prayer every Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.—James A. Challenger, Pastor. Sunday morning Bible School 9:30; song and praise service 10:50 to 11:10; Lords supper and offering 11:10 to 11:30; Sermon 11:30 to 12; evening Junior endeavor 3, Y P S C E 6:30; night service 7:30; Ladies Aid Society Wednesday, 3:30 p. m.; Prayer and Teachers meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.; Choir Practice Mrs. D. W. Robertson, Chorister. Friday 7:30 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. E. E. Mathes, Pastor. Sunday School 9:45 a. m.; preaching 11 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. 6:30 p. m.; preaching 7:30.

CATHOLIC CHURCH.—Rev. Father Robert, Pastor. Mass at 10 a. m. on the first Sunday of each month.

EPISCOPAL.

Rev. E. McQueen Gray, of Carlsbad, Rector in charge. Service at the Baptist church the second Sunday of each month at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The regular Sunday school and evening services. In the morning Rev. Ward will preach a special sermon for the K. of P. Everybody welcome.

K. OF P. SERMON

Rev. E. Ward will preach a special sermon next Sunday at the Presbyterian church for the K. of P. Time, 11:00 a. m. Everybody invited.

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J. H. Messer, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Bro. Storer will preach Sunday morning. All the other regular services as usual. A Bible class has been organized and meets every Friday evening at the church at 7 o'clock. Everybody welcome and the young people especially urged to attend.

Lee Turknett is prepared to do all kinds of well rig moving as he is now moving Bob Ramey's well rig.

PECOS VALLEY NEWS.

Happenings of interest occurring up and down the Valley.

A GOOD MOVE FOR DAYTON

H. B. Pearson has arranged to put in two big hay presses and to erect a large warehouse on the railway switch, and will be ready to bale, purchase and stow all the coming crop. This is the kind of men to make a town and develop a country. Wish we had a train load like Pearson.—Pecos Valley Echo.

THE COPPER MINES

J. H. Baker was in Lakewood Monday with some samples of the copper ore taken from Chalk Bluff mines.

We are not a mineralist, but the sample left at this office looks good to us, and those who profess to know say the samples exhibited by Mr. Baker will assay 50 per cent or more.—Progress.

A SPLENDID SEASON FOR CROPS

There has been much rain and snow this winter, so much so that the ground is thoroughly soaked making conditions for a large crop this year as good as could be desired. All those who will farm this coming season should prepare the land as soon as possible so as to put in a large crop next spring. This country grows good corn, oats, sorghum, kafir corn, milo maize and millet. We hope that a good acreage will be planted in cotton.—Lake Arthur Times.

JUDGE DYE RETURNS

Judge James M. Dye, of Lamar, Mo., who visited here for some time about a month ago, at which time he purchased from Freeman, Cameron and Pierce, the books and business of the Security Abstract Co., incorporated, returned from a trip to Missouri Monday. The judge will endeavor to get settled as soon as his car arrives, intending to become a full fledged Carlsbad citizen and he will no doubt make a valuable acquisition to the town, being an abstractor of over twenty years experience in Missouri, and a genial gentleman in addition.—Sun.

A TRIBUTE OF LOVE AND APPRECIATION.

The new solid black walnut altar for Grace church was placed in the chancel this week. It is a very handsome piece of ecclesiastical art work. The mensa is six feet long and two feet seven inches wide. The retable has the Tes Sanctus, and the three front panels hold the symbols Alpha and Omega, being a reference to Christ as the First and the Last, the center one containing I. H. S. and the cross. "I. H. S." stands for "Iesus Hominorum Salvator." This altar is a tribute of affection from the congregation to the usefulness of Mrs. Josephine Anderson. The sermon next Sunday morning will be from Hebrews, 13:10. "We have an altar," by the rector, Rev. Norman Fitzhugh Marshal.—Carlsbad Argus.

FOR SALE.—Two seated surrey and single harness. Enquire at the News office.

THE CITY ELECTION.

PASSED OFF QUIETLY CONSIDERING THAT THERE WERE NINE CANDIDATES FOR TWO OFFICES

SWEPSTON AND BANE WIN OUT

The city election for Justice of the Peace and Constable passed off quietly Monday. The saloons were all closed and Artesia was dry on what is generally considered a very thirsty day. A large crowd was on the streets all day but there was no disturbance whatever. The candidates all worked hard and through the day it was thought that Martin and Swebston and Bane and Connor would run a close race. Swebston's majority was 104 and Bane's majority over Connor, his nearest opponent, was 70. All were good men and there was not much choice between them.

OF INTEREST TO THE PUBLIC.

Department of the Interior-SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Washington, D. C. Jan. 3, 1907.

The Commissioner of the General Land Office.

Sir: Referring to the circular of instructions to special agents of your office, approved by me on January 29, 1904, relative to their duties under the act of February 25, 1885 (23 Stat., 321), entitled, "An act to prevent unlawful occupancy of the public lands," you are advised that said circular is hereby amended and modified as follows:

Strike out from said circular paragraphs 5 and 6, and in lieu thereof the following:

"It shall be the duty of the special agent on receipt of any charge or complaint or upon information being acquired by him from any source, that an unlawful inclosure is being maintained by any person or persons, association, or corporation, to at once proceed to secure sufficient data, including a description of the lands inclosed, with reasonable certainty, not necessarily by metes and bounds, nor by Governmental subdivisions of surveyed land, but only so that the inclosure may be identified and the person or persons guilty of the violation as nearly as may be, and by description if the name can not, on inquiry, be ascertained, and to at once submit such case, with the data thus obtained, to the United States attorney for prosecution.

It shall be the duty of the special agent, and he shall be so instructed, to be alert and vigilant to detect the existence of unlawful inclosures in his district and to proceed in accordance therewith as hereinabove directed, and that he is not to construe his duties as requiring that before proceeding in the matter of an unlawful inclosure, there must first be filed with him a formal complaint by some persons acquainted with the facts, but it shall be his duty, as hereinabove stated, to take the initiative himself."

In this connection you are further instructed, by direction of the President, to at once notify all of the special agents and receivers and registers of local land offices throughout the United States, and to give the widest publicity thereto that the provis-

ions of said act of February 25, 1885, for the summary destruction of inclosures and obstructions existing in violation of said act will be rigidly enforced on and after April 1, 1907.

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E. A. Hitchcock, Secretary of the Interior.

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The Bath Comedy

By AGNES and EGERTON CASTLE

Authors of "The Pride of Jennico"

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stead of his guilty wife, was indicted in the selfsame "bathing" hall as marked the crumpled rug that even now burned him through his breast pocket like a fly blister.

I never get a wink of sleep, dreaming of you, dearest dear, so soon to be my own at last! The chrysalis he draws by horses such as Phobos himself, my darling, would have envied. And, so you fall me not, we shall soon be dashing through the night—a world of nothing but happiness and love before us. How could I find it in my heart to bless the poor foolish individual, who shall be nameless, since, had I not been for my lovely one's weariness of him, she might never have turned to the arms of her own devoted

RED CIRCLE.
P. B.—I'll have as good a team as there is in England (barring the one that shall bring us there) waiting for me at the Black Bear, Devizes. We ought to arrive before midnight, and there shall be a dainty trifle of supper for your beauty-ship—while the mugs are changed. Ah, my dear, what rapture!

Indescribable were the various expressions that crossed Sir Jasper's countenance upon the perusal and repusal of this artless missive. Now he gashed his teeth; now snorts of withering scorn were blown down the cheeks of his fine aquiline nose; now smiles of the most deadly description curled and parted luridly his full lips. "Ha, ha," said Sir Jasper, "and perhaps the poor foolish individual may give you cause for something less than blessings, Master Carrots! And I think, madam, your beautyship may find at Devizes something harder to digest than that trifle of supper! Till then, patience!"

He folded the letter, placed it beside its fellow and once more, with a sort of belated, he cried, "Patience!"

"Well, Lydia?" said Mistress Bellairs. She had but just finished her chocolate and looked like a rose among her pillows.

"Well, madam," said Lydia, still panting from her hurried quest, "tis safe delivered. I gave it into Mistress Megrin's own hands and"

"Did you see her?" said the lady, smiling at the amusing thought, "upon her bringing it straight to Sir Jasper?"

"Ah, Lud, ma'am, yes! I told the sour, ugly old cat that if her master caught sight of it Lady Standish would be hanged. You should have seen how she grabbed at it, ma'am!"

"Lydia," said her mistress, looking at her admiringly, "I question whether I'd have risked it myself. You're a bold girl, but, say you, that that rose colored pelisse remains hanging in my closet."

"Never fear, ma'am," said Lydia, smiling quietly to herself as she pulled her mistress' long pink silk stocking over her hand and turned it knowingly from side to side looking for invisible damage. "The pelisse is as good as mine already."

"But, think you, was Sir Jasper at home?" said Mistress Bellairs after a few moments' reflection.

"I made sure of that," said Lydia triumphantly, peeling off the stocking. "I thought it best to go in by the mews, ma'am, and I heard that Sir Jasper had not left the house since that little—that little affair with the bishop, you know, ma'am. But all the night and all the morning he kept William and Joseph (those are the grooms, ma'am) going backward and forward with challenges to the bishop's lodgings."

"Oh," cried Kitty, and kicked her little toes under the silk counterpane with exquisite enjoyment, "and what does the bishop answer, I wonder?"

"Sends back the letter every time unopened, ma'am, with a fresh text written on the back of it. The texts it, William says, that drive Sir Jasper mad!"

"Oh, oh, oh!" cried Mistress Kitty faintly, rolling about her pillows. "Child, you'll be the death of me! Well, then, to business. You know what you are to do tonight?"

"Yes, ma'am, of course! When you're safely on the London road I'll go and give the alarm at the assembly rooms."

"Remember, you ask first for Lord Verner."

"Oh, ay, ma'am. My mistress carried off, is carried off! Help, my lord! I'll say, Oh, ma'am, I scream it well out, trust me!"

"Don't forget," said her mistress, whose mood became every moment merrier, "don't forget to say that you heard the abductor mention London, by Devizes."

"Well, ma'am," said Lydia, "I thought of saying that he first dived you swooning upon the cushions of the chrysalis, then, stepping in himself, cried out to the coachman with a horrible oath, 'If you're not in Devizes before 12 I'll flay you with your own whip and then hang you with it to the shaft!'"

"Aha, ha, Lydia," laughed her mistress. "You must give you a gold chain to hang that racket upon. But pray, child," she added warningly, "be careful not to overdo it."

CHAPTER XVIII

THE lively day Lady Standish had not beheld the light of her lord's countenance.

Upon their last meeting, his behavior to the bishop having roused in her gentle bosom a feeling as nearly akin to resentment as it was capable of harboring, she would not be taken had resolved, the one to seek him first. She had, therefore, passed the day in her own apartment in writing to her mother and in practicing her last song to the harp—a piece of audacity and independence which she expected would have gounded Sir Jasper into an instant interview with herself.

When the dusk rose, however, and the candles were brought in by the round eyed handmaid, whose ministrations replaced those of Megrin (the latter was still packing and seemed like to take some weeks in the process), and the said round eyed damsel immediately began to inform her mistress that Sir Jasper had set forth in his coach, Lady Standish's small flame of courage began to flicker woefully.

"Alone?" she asked in white dismay.

"Please, my lady, Mr. Bowles was driving, and there was Mr. Thomas behind, say lady!"

"Bahay, girl! Had Sir Jasper no friend with him?"

"Oh, yes, my lady: there was Mr. Stafford, a box of pistols, Mr. Toombs says, and a bag of squibs!"

"Heaven!" cried Lady Standish. "Again! And whither went they?"

"Please, my lady, Mr. Toombs says they took the London road."

Pain would the round eyed maid have lingered and told more, but Lady Standish waved her hand faintly, and so dismissed her.

An hour later Lydia, brisk with importance and sparkling with conscious power, found the much tried soul sunk in a sort of apathetic weariness of misery.

"Mistress Bellairs' love, my lady, and will you read this letter at once?"

Lady Standish took the letter from her black mittened hand.

"Please, my lady, 'tis of the utmost importance," said Lydia, "and I was to wait and see if I could not be of use to you." Something magnetic in the girl's lively tone gave impetus to Lady Standish's suspended energies. She broke the seal.

My sweet child—wrote Mistress Kitty—if you want to know what has become of your husband you will instantly take a chaise and start off for the Black Bear at Devizes. Your true friend, K. B. P. S. Postscript—Do not go alone. Get some old hag (if possible, Lady Maria Pridaux) to accompany you. You will find her in the assembly rooms. She's as curious as our first mother—you can easily persuade her. This is good advice!

"I am much too ill," cried Lady Standish, upon a moan. "Tell your mistress," said she, looking vaguely in Lydia's direction, "that indeed 'tis quite impossible I should do as she suggests."

"Very well, my lady," said Lydia cheerfully. "I'm sure I shouldn't trouble myself if I was you. Gentlemen must have their diversions, I always say. If ladies would but shut their eyes a little more, 'twould be for the peace of all parties. Indeed, my lady, though my mistress would be angry to hear me say so, I'd go to bed, for you look sorely tired, and Sir Jasper 'll be glad enough to come home by and by."

"Wretched girl!" cried Lydia, and her eyes flashed, "what dost thou mean?"

"La, now!" said Lydia, all innocence. "How my tongue do run away with me, to be sure! Why, my lady, what can a poor servant maid like me know of the goings on of gentles? 'Tis but a few words of gossip here and there."

"Oh, merciful heaven, what gossip mean you?"

"My lady, have a sip of vinaille; do! Oh, my mistress would be like to kill me if she knew what I've been saying! 'Poor Julia,' she cried when she got the news. 'Poor Julia, my poor confiding Julia! Oh, the villain, the monster!'"

"And whom did she refer to?"

"Lud, madam, how can I tell? 'It shall not be!' cries my mistress, and down she sits and writes off to you, as if for bare life!"

Lady Standish, rising from her seat, rushed to the light, and with starting eyes and bristling hair began to read afresh her fond Kitty's missive.

"La, my lady," cried the guileless Lydia, "you're all of a shako! I'd never be that upset about Sir Jasper. Why, if your ladyship 'll allow me to say so, all Bath knows how jealous he is of your ladyship; and certain that shows a husband's affection."

"True," cried Lydia; "that's true girl!"

"And as for those who say, my lady, that some men are so artful that they put on a deal of jealousy to cover a deal of fickleness, I'd despise myself if I was to pay heed to such mean suspiciousness."

"My cloak!" cried Lady Standish "Megrin, Sbean!" She flew to the hall. "My cloak; let a post chaise be ordered immediately!"

"If I may make so bold, my lady," said Lydia, retiring gracefully with the conviction of a well accomplished errand, "don't forget to take Lady Maria with you, if you can. The gentlemen have such a way of turning tables on us poor women—at least," said the damsel demurely, "so I've heard said. And 'tis a long, lonely road, my lady!"

CHAPTER XIX

MISTRESS BELLAIRS took her departure early. Attired in unusually sober colors, fasting in an atmosphere of chastened matronly dignity, she had shown herself this evening thought Lord Verner, quite worthy to be his mother's daughter-in-law.

"Monstrous dull," Lady Flyte called the pretty widow's demeanor.

Beyond a caveat with Lord Verney she had not danced, but sat for half an hour on the chair next to Lady Maria, who presented her with the vision of a shoulder blade which had seen better days and an impenetrability of bearing which baffled even Kitty's undaunted energy.

When Verney had tucked her up in her sedan, she insisted upon the young peer allowing her to proceed home unescorted.

"Indeed," said she, "I pray—may I order you. People talk so in this giddy place, and have you not your aged aunt to wait upon? I am sure," said Mistress Kitty piously, "that your dear mother would wish it thus."

He subsided. He had no doubt that his mother would indeed entirely concur with such sentiments, and blessed his Kitty for her sweet reasonableness.

"Good night, then," she said, thrusting her pretty face out of the window with a very tender and gentle smile.

"Good night," he replied, with his young, gracefully awkward bow. She fully expected to hear his first step pursue the chairmen, for she had not been able to refrain from throwing her utmost fascination into that parting look. But nothing broke the silence of the parade save the measured slouching tramp of the bearers.

At once disappointed and relieved, she threw herself back in her seat.

"What, not a spark left," said she, "of the fine flame 'twas so easy to kindle?"



Kitty found it quite natural to scream, die this morning! 'Tis the very type of the odious British husband. Let him be but sure of you, and the creature struts as confident of his mastery as the cock among his hens. Lord, she shuddered, "what an escape I have had! We women are apt to fancy that very young men are like very young peacocks, the greater, the tenderer, the better; whereas," said the lady, with a sigh, "they are but like young wine, crude where we look for strength, all head and no body and vastly poor upon the palate."

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