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April 23, 1904.

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Commissioner, at his office in Artesia, New Mexice, on June 14, 1904.

Viz: Sarah Lattion, upon homestead application No. 1112, for the Sl. NE.

SE. NW. Sec. 24, T. 18 S., R. 18 E.

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She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Eugene Lattion, of Dayton, N.

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Tents, tarps and wagon covers, all izes. Ullery Furniture Co. Artesia.

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Department of the Interior.

Land office at Roswell, New Mexico
May 5, 1004.

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proof in support of his claim, and
that said proof will be made before
U. S. Commissioner, at his office in
Artesia, New Mexico, on June 20,
1904. viz. Albert A. Newell, upon
Homestead application No. 1118 for
the N. 12 NE 1-4 and N. 1-2 NW 1-4
Sec. 25, T. 18 S., R. 26 E. He names
the following witnesses to prove his
continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz. John
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Department of the Interior United States Land Office, Roswell N. W. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by William P. Anderson, contester, land entry No. 1307, made September 29, 1903, for the west half of Spray, contestant, against desertal and entry No. 1307, made September 29, 1903, for the west half of Spray, contestant, spainst desertal and entry No. 1307, made September 29, 1903, for the west half of Spray, contestant, against desertal and entry No. 1307, made September 29, 1903, for the west half of Spray, contestant, against desertal and entry No. 1307, made September 25, 1904, for the west half of Spray, contestant, against desertal and entry No. 1307, made September 25, 1904, for the west half of Spray, contestant, against desertal and entry No. 1307, made September 25, 1904, for the west half of Spray, contestant, against desertal and entry No. 1307, made September 25, 1904, for the west half of Spray, contestant, against desertal and entry No. 1307, made September 25, 1904, for the west half of Spray, contestant, against desertal and entry No. 1307, made September 25, 1904, for the west half of Spray, contestant, against desertal and entry No. 1307, made September 25, 1904, for the west half of Spray, contestant, against desertal and entry No. 1307, made September 25, 1904, for the west half of Spray, contestant, against desertal and entry No. 1307, made September 25, 1904, for the west half of Spray, contested the amount of one dollar per action of the said entry No. 1307, made September 25, 1904, for the west half of Spray, contested in the first tail and the said (Spray No. 1904, the said of the said entry No. 1904, the said of the said entry No. 1904, the said of the said entry No. 1904, t

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Lattion, of Register. stream of water comes like a cata-pult and very few, if any, standpipe pressures can equal the force as given straight from the well. Several two-inch pipes were bursted and as a precaution against a continuation straight from the well. Several twoinch pipes were bursted and as a
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of the breaks, two mains have been
left open to run constantly and a
four-inch waste pipe arranged at
the well to take away a portion of
the water before it gets into the
mains. This will be left open at
all times. It has been shown conclusively that by closing all mains,
enough force will be developed to
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two, giving us the cheapest and
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man produce the second of the second turned water upon any building in town, giving us the cheapest and most successful fire protection in the world. And this is the smallest deep artesian well in the valley. How much water one of the big wells would furnish can hardly be a commend of the world would furnish can hardly be a commend of the world would be a commend of the world would be a commend of the world would be a commend of the world wo computed.

Artesia is to be congratulated. Also the Water Power and Light Also the Water Power and Light Company. Also Secretary John R. Hodges, who has worked so hard to get the system in operation. It takes a superjor quality of enter-prise and "nerve" to build and equip waterworks in a town the size of Artesia, less than one year old, but out here in the west we get up early to do things. There is no hanging back about it, and nothing but the very best of everything

THE HALF WAS NOT TOLD.

Mains are Completed and Artesia now "The Largest Artesian Well in the World" now Doing Business at Artesia.

Last week the Advocate gave an extended notice of the mon extended notice of the monster welt which had been brought in by J. C. and Sidney Hale, one and a half miles east of town. A perfect tor-feut of water was crowding itself to the top and all beholders were amaz-ed at its capacity. To put it mildly, the well at that time was a wonder. the well at that time was a wonder. Today it is beyond description—standing like a huge ice-berg, its white profile in relief against the rock ribbed hills of the east. With ferocious velocity it mounts high above the casing to then spread like a great umbrella and fall

It is worth the expense of a thous-It is worth the expense of a thous-and mile trip to the Pecos valley in order to see such a well. Its physi-cal force is well nigh incalculable and its actual intrinsic value can not be imagined. Day and night, forbe imagined. Day and night, for-ever and forever, year in and year out, it empties the flood of pure, chrystal waters upon the land, giv-ing life to everything needed in the vegetable kingdom

In Justice Court.

but the very best of everything will satisfy us.

Artesia is built upon the solid foundation of soil and water and sunshine and we build for the glorious future that this combination is bound to produce. Come to Artesia and get in the game.

The Street Sprinkler,

Artesia's street sprinkler, with J.

A. Hitchins as motorman, conductor and general manager, made is first trip up Main street Tuesday aftermoon, amid the cheers of "admiring thousands." In commemoration of the prisoner was searched, a most the sum of the numerous Mexicans who have invaded the community tracently proceeding. And the vinced the numerous Mexicans who have invaded the community recently, Pancho Narantual juice Monday aftermoon and made a nuisance of himself on the street. With a bottle of whiskey in one hand a scak of candy in the other and his shirt tail flapping in the wind, he made merriment for a crowd of small boys—and some large ones. Agristrate McCreary was notified and he deputized J. T. Patrick to bug the game. A fine of ten delimated the prisoner was searched, a most the prisoner was searched. of the numerous Mexicans

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One hundred and thirty thousand

A 26-year-old woman in New York has had thirteen children. She has

If the czar ever does conclude to go to the front he will not have any trou ble in finding it.

Of all the birds of spring, however the most welcome song is the lay of the early pullet. Judging from the increase in prices are country is up against a peanut amine—or the peanut trust.

There are points of resemblance be-tween the czar's flying squadron and Prof. Langley's flying machine.

It is generally some one who does not have to live on fifteen cents a day who figures out how it can be done.

How we envy the man who con handle kerosene with one hand an violets with the other, and be happy

Women may not sing in church any more, but they'll hold fairs to raise the money to pay the choirs just the

Japan claims to have all the money she wants. Mr. Rockefeller will be likely to consider the Japs weak-minded.

A man of the name of Castor has been elected to Congress from Phila delphia. He is reported to be smooth

Eliza, the oldest hen in New York state, is dead at Middletown, at the age of 17 years. She was born one year after Ann.

Great gunning in far eastern waters when they toss projectiles seven and me-half miles and pink the enemy, at requent intervals.

Newark schoolboys are said to be "crazy to learn to sew." Well, they may not be crazy, but for boys they certainly are peculiar.

The fashion writers say that per-fumes are coming in again. When perfumes come in most of us feel a strong desire to go out.

"Let us merge," exclaimed the trusts. "Thou shalt not merge," re-marked the supreme court; and a very notable divorce was recorded.

King Menelik is sending a bowling hyena to President Roosevelt. The president might add to the gayety of nations by turning it over to James J.

The mikado's household is to live stremuously while the war lasts, but we rather think the royal family can still have chicken pie about any day it

Well, let's allow the claim of the distinguished British athlete that the Britons can run faster than we can. The glory thereof is ambiguous, to say

The New York elevated road conductor who drew \$800 out of the bank to play poker with and admits having bet \$75 on a pair of fives evidently needs a guardian.

Buffalo Bill, after being married nearly forty years, wants a divorce. One difference between measles and divorce is that as a rule only the young have measles.

The empress dowager of China has ordered fifty more automobiles. She evidently intends to get even with the people who have been starting all these numers about her being dead.

St. Petersburg dispatches say that Admiral Makaroff's name is on every lip. It's easier to manage in that po-sition than some others—Col. Wnuchi-terinuyskivitch, for instance.

A preacher preached a violent ser-mon recently to prove that there were no female angels in heaven. This is important if true. We had always un-derstood that heaven was inhabited.

When a woman's bank account is overdrawn and she has to make it up she acts just the way she does when she says the grocer charges her for things she never bought.—New York

The maharajah of Jeypore, who is oming to the fair, wears \$3,500,000 oroth of diamond; when in full dress. It will be ideed in the safety deposit ault of that bank at the fair ground very night.

Memory.

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Only thoughts of you remain
In my heart where they have lain,
Perfumed thoughts of you, remaining,
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by the next train his terrapin will be ruined; and we'll have the night mare from late supper. How stupid of him to miss the train."

"I am sure Cousin Ron had a good reason," Miss Larcy began, suddenly earching the glint of her cousin's ere and finishing: Lucklily i did not cut the wine and ice for the Regent's punch before he came. He always likes it 'live,' as he says."
"He likes all things 'live' Mrs. Douglas responded meannely. "Why, Madge, you affect to understand Ron as well as his wife does."
"For which his wife should be duly thankful," the girl retorted—not without a blush. "I save her so much trouble by doing so. Ite recognizs it, at teast."
"Quite!" the young wife answered briefly. "Have were

it, at least."

"Quite!" the young wife answered briefly. "Have you seen my 'Choir Invisible' anywere? Oh, here it is. She buried herself in her book, and the down cushions, under the pink, shaded stand lamp, while Miss Marcy sat at the piano and let her taper hands stroil over the keys.

"Please play something German!" Miss, Douglas cred presently. Her voice was sharp, with a tests were in it.

"I was only thinking with my fin-gers, Nell," the girl answered, whirl-ing round on the stool, "What was I playing?"
"That stupid old 'Charlie is."

playing."

That stupid old 'Charlie is my darling." and you've played it five
times," the other answered irripably.

"I detest Soutch things;
"I detest Soutch things;
"I detest Soutch things."

Marige Marcy retorted quietly. "But dear
mel how agreeable we must have
been to each other, Nell. The clock
says twenty past eleven, and he'll be
here in ten minutes."

"You are nothing if not—correct,
Madge." This was frigid enough to
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"What is the matter with you to-

Madge!" This was cool the punch, san "What is the manight?" The tall, lis

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"What is the matter?"
piano and threw herself among the
down cushions; one long, gleaming
"Neil Bouglas, if you were not you—
and I were not it; if Cousin Ron were
not the 'doting cullard of a huchand'
that he is—I would really begin to
believe you were growing—isalous!"
"Jealous, indeed!" The young wife's
pretty cheeks were affame nov, and
the eyes she glued upon hey book
had aught but tenderness in them. 'I
am surprised at such a lint, Neil,
even from you, When Eleanor Marey changed her name to Dozfas—"

laugh



when you were worried. Ah! that's his cab! I'll run and 'live' the punch, while you turn the terrapin. Now, Nell, dear, don't scold the poor fel-

She wept through the portiere of the dining-room, just as the truant's passive y grated in, the latch. A puzzled look—half query, half content—swept the face Mrs. Douglass turned first to her and then to the tall mirror, as she smoothed the laces ruffled about her bosom. Next instant she was extricating herself from a bear-like hug.

like hug.

"You mean old runaway! To keep
"You mean old runaway! To keep
wo lone women ap all night, by carelessness about a train."
"Really couldn't help it, darling
wifey!" Dr. Douglas answered cheerlily: pronouncing the adjective dolil:—"You see the operation old Micerly wired me to come for was a
capital one. The subject was worn
to a thread; and heart complications
forbade anaesthetics. So we used
hypnotism."

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The foretold nightmare to be foaled by terrapin, seemed to be a mere myth. Silence as of Expytlan tombs wrapped the dark Douglas mansion as the clock chimed three. In the darkness the surgeon law wide-eyed, but restrui, thinking were the new experience of the day.

Suddenly his wife spoke; he caught his name—her cousin's. His hand intuitively went out to wake her, as he muttered: "My fault." Terrapin—" but she spoke again and the scientist paused to listen, smiling broadly in the inhy darkness. Then the French clock chimed the quarter.

Mrs. Douglas sat boit upright in

bed, a sense of berror—of hideous doom upon her. She reached out her arm, the plump little hand feeling for her protector's pillow. It was empty his pile to be sense that a gonized sobs. No answer cans after; a dim gleam from the hall lamp reflecting upon his empty place. Shuddering with cold dread—burning with shame at her own act—the moving with shame at her own act—the moving ghostlike to his doom, "crept what to the hall. Before her moving ghostlike to his doom," crept have feet that made no echo on the earpert. Hesitant, slow, with mein of a gality thing—he passed the length of the corridor—paused at Madge Marcy's door—tapped softly, it was opened as of itself. In the broad light flooding behind her—with doating marses of fair hair—seulptured throat and gleaming bust too lighting draged—her cousin stood, with eager arms extended. Next instant, they were close about the sinning husband's neck; her soft cheek pressing his in octassy—the blonde hair meshed about him as the web of Fate!

meshed about him as the web of Fate!
Frozen as to stone the wife stood daned and voiceless; her eyes were riveted upon the hideous sin before them; her blood froze in horror, congelation heat could not melt. And then soft, long drawn kisses broke the dendened stillness—each one smiting dull upon her brain and driving through it the hideous truth. And then Madge Marcy's eyes, piercing the gloom beyond, found them fixed by her cousin's cold stare, as by a Basilisk's. But, bold and reckless, the girl only smiled and whispered: "He is my cousin, Nell. Go back

Basilisk's. But, bold and reckless, the girl only smiled and whispered:
"He is my cousin, Nell. Go back to bed and be good!"
Her voice melted the frozen charm. The wronged wife burled herself toward the guilty pair—a Vengeance implacable. In the broad light gleaned the long, sharp dagger she found somehow in her hand; its uplitted blade directed not at her rival's but her husband's heart! Then, as that blade descended like a flash, Nell Donglas fell upon the carpet—prone—lifeless. And even then one word crashed down upon her brain—potent, commandful: "Remember!" Simultaneously Mrs. Ronald Douglas was sitting bolt upright in bed; her husband's voice asking quietly:
"Are you ill, dollin' wife?"
"Oh, Ron, it was dreadful! I had such an awful—awful nightmare. J an sure it was the terrapin."
"No, Nell; I am sure it was not."
"Then, love, what could it have been."
"Sweetheart, it was 'that silly fad

"Sweetheart, it was 'that silly fad again'!"

JAPANESE MAID IS REVENGEFUL

JAPANESE MAID IS REVENGEFÜL
When Jitted She Systematically Prays
for Ocath of the Traitor.
A Japanese woman when abandoned by her lover takes a peculiar and
picturesque revenge.
When she no lorger has any doubt
as to his faithfulness, she gets up in
the middle of the night and puts on a
pleasing dress and wooden sandals.
Attached to her headdress she carriesthree lighted candles, and suspended
to her neck hangs a small mirror.
She takes in her left hand a small
scraw effigy of the faithiess one, and
in her right a hammer and nails.
Walking gravely to the sanctuary,
she selects one of the sacred trees,
and nails the effigy securely to the
trunk. She then prays for the death
of the traitor, vowing that if her wish
is granted she will take out the nails
which trouble her god, sine they are
fastened to a sacred tree. Night after
night she comes to the tree, adding
one or two nails, and repeating her
prayers, persuaded that the god will
not hesitate to sacrifice the man to
save the tree—London Mail.

Assistance.

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Viceroy Alexieff, the Russian soldier, visited America in 1878. A Washington official said of him the other day:

"Alexieff came here on the Cimbria with a number of Russians of high rank, and the quantity of when these men could consume without being affected by it was the talk of the day. There were even editorials in the newspapers on this matter.

"I remember entering the Russians' saite in Washington one day with Alexieff, and coming upon a young colonel who sait at a table smoking with four empty champagne bottles before him.

him.

Alexieff looked at the empty bottles and laughed.

"Did you drink all that without assistance?" he asked.

"No," said the young officer, said the young officer, I had the assistance of a

Comparisons

No wild bird That some Its melody co With music ever sang so sweet who listened would ould not compete of another day.

languidly.

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"See here," he se you on to somethin taken off your ha and looked kind the feller came tit have asked you for right," he added, credulity on Me. right, he added, no credulity on Mr. Hs right. I've been to down on this here ten years now, and asked for a cent Magazine.

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Senator Mcc on himself. It "While profe. Washington I one night, and marks had occ. He smallness of men,' I said ter example world than staying at home. In Europe uct lor and here I saw is town, John X I was in Venice, then again in Lo I ran across him while visiting at met him again, at "I say, Profes the class, with a 'wouldn't it have end to have paid

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his one is peculiarly used to the sholonable shirrings that give the broad effect with the fancy shaped colar that can be used or omitted as preferred. The model is made of pastel blue broadcloth, trim me d with fancy braid and orna mented and stitched with corticelli silk, but there atterials equally ap-

asista of the yoke, the back which are shirred reto. The sleeves are t their upper portions shallow caps, and are thaped cuffs that har-e collar.

th Hood for Baby, somical wrap for a child, day to several years old, a bood, made of a good h fannel, writes a corThe hood is lined with flamel, the woolly side had one for two hables, as good as new. The psky blue, with white cost of mine was \$1.50, as slik, but not canton id a five-year size, milliern, which can be taken re a the neck. Hood for Baby

and Irish potatoes i colander, one pound in pound butter, six well beaten and the beel of one lemon. Let fall from the colan-rand mix well. Add eggs and the sugar ther, the lemon, and of the eggs stirred in to a paste lined dish makes two nies.

Readers—Patterns and Descriptions of the Latest Fashions—Lavender Sachet Easily Made—Cape with Hood for the Baby.

of velvet, 3% yards of braid to trim as



Rugs that have a tendency to curl may be straightened by sewing hair-cloth or buckram to the corner or on the under side.

If your window glass is lacking in brilliancy clean it with liquid paste made of alcohol and whiting. A little of this mixture will remove specks and impart a high laster to the glass. Old stockings cut down the seams make splendid clottis for polishing furniture, and they make up into soft iron bolders also.

Asbestos cloth should be kept on hand to use as a pad under the hot platter, small squares should be put as interlining for from holders, and a piece should be used on the ironing board to save the shect.

In making down pillows the inside of the lining should be gone over with an iron rubbed well with becaward this will prevent the down working through the cloth. But it is not a support of the lining through the cloth is washed once a week and kept in a clean, dry place; wax should be used frequently when ironing and the irons should not be allowed to become red hot or they will never again retain heat.



The old-fashioned ruche is pretty at the neck and throat. High girdles are shown on street and house costumes.

High girdles are shown on street and house costumes. Black zibeline, with mber braid, makes a stylish blouse or born in Fancy buttons of bone or born in Fancy buttons of bone or born in Fancy buttons of bone or born. A touch of gold in the decoration of an all-black gown is effective. Cuffs and collars in bends of bright embroidery make a plain shirt waist look smart. The close-fitting turban, the toque and the round hat shape are accepted models for general wear. An exceptionally smart example of military modes to a costume or army blue serge trimmed with black braid and brass buttons.



A paint brush makes a good swah for greasing cake ties. Of course the butter applied must be melted. If the bread kinfe is hot new bread can be cit as easily as old. But, if you would not spoil your kinfe, do not make it too bot. One reason that an omelet is so often a failure is the use of too many eggs. The more eggs the more digit cult the matter of turning and folding. Four eggs are all that should ever be used at one time. Always keep your celery roots and dry them. They are good for seasoning roups and sauces.

Instead of ricing the potatoes directly into the serving dish, mash them first and season, and then rice them ready for the table.

ready for the table.

Some New York women have set a style of wearing flowers made of silver flagree in the hair after the style introduced in Paris by Queen Helena of Italy last October. But it is not a success. The silver, except in jet black hair, looks too dead. For either youth or age nothing is prettier than colored flowers or bows of ribbon. Middle-aged women should avoid either black or white in their colffures, but algrettes are always in good taste and always becoming.



Evening Boarces.

The most recent evening bodiecs are made with elbow sleeves, from which fall wide, Jowing frills of net, lace or chifton. Many have an over-frill of sequined or beaded lace, or a border of silk fringe. Separate berthas are most useful to vary the bodiec, and one elaborate bertha made up of lace. motifs and a deep frill serve for several gowns.



lace, will serve for several gowns.

Farcy Blouse.

Blouses of all sorts are greatly in vogue and make an important feature of the latest styles. This one is adapted to a wide range of materials and to almost numberless combinations, but its shown in checked black and white silk, with trimmings of black velvet and white cloth bands that are stiched with corticelli silk, and is combined with a chemisette and under-sleeves of cream lace.

476 Fancy Blouse, Both fronts and 22 to 40 but the former at the extreme outer edge of the shoulders, so giving the broat effect and concealing the arms-eye store that the center. The sleeves are movel and reached and are finished with narrow bands of black velve ribbon.

The blouse is made over a fitte lining which is closed at the center.

with mirrow bands of black velvet ribbon.

The blouse is made over a fitted lining which is closed at the center front. On this lining are arranged the chemisette, the back and the fronts and the closing is made invisibly beneath the band. The sleeves are sung above the elbows with deep box platted frills below which fall gracefully over the big puffs beneath. The quantity of material required for medium size is 3% yards 21 inches wide or 1% yards 44 inches wide, with 2% yards of allover lace, % yards of blas velvet and % yards of cloth for bands.

The pattern 4576 is cut in sizes for 32, 34, 36, 38 and 40 inch bust measure.

The New Bulgarian Embroidery.
The new Bulgarian embroidery will be still more popular as the season advances. It is done on heavy linen in all colors. A favorite combination is red and blue. The embroidery is done with a heavy linen floss, which is

An attractive Bulgarian centerpiece ceru linen had a scalloped edge, attorhole stitched with red linen. A order of poinsettas around the edge as also worked with the red. Dresser-earfs, table and couch spreads, por-eres and all sorts of house-furnish-

Making a Lace Gown.

Darned lace is greatly esteemed by connoisseurs. A whole dress made in this way is very beautiful. Take white we have the second of the

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GRASS TO HOLD CANAL BANKS.

in Charge of Litch at Sucz.

It has been discovered by the engineers who are occupied with the main tenance of the Sucz canal that the best of all methods of protecting the banks from crumbling and decay is provided by the natural growth of reeds which fringe the channel for some distance below Ismalila on the African side and some rather interesting attempts have been lately made to plant new beds in other parts of the canal.

stages of its growth, though it will stages of its growth, though it will bear transplanting later, and that at present the serviceableness of the nat-ural means of protection is conse-quently limited.

quently limited.

Where the water is sufficiently free from brine, however, the network of roots is found to put a facing on the loose soil of the banks more successful "and permanent than a wall of brick or stone, and it would probably not be difficult to discover and establish some coarse sedge or other plant of the sea marshes.—Country Life.

HIS IDEA OF PLYMOUTH ROCK.

Small Pupil in Doubt as to Whether It Was a Hen or a Rooster.

It Was a Hen or a Rooster.

"During one of my visits through the country districts," said the professor, "I happened to reach a small village where they were to have a flag raising at the schoolbouse. After the banner had been flung to the breeze, there was an exhibition of drawings which the pupils had maoe, and of the work they had done during the year.

"The teacher recited to them. The Landing of the Pligrims," and after ahe had finished she requested each pupil to try and draw from bls or her imagination a picture of Plymouth Roock.

Rock.
"Most of them went to work at once, but one little fellow hesitated, and at length raised his hand.
"Well, Willie, what is it?" asked the teacher.
"Please ma'am, do you want us to draw a hen or a rooster?"

"Please ma'am, do you wan' us to draw a hen or a rooster?"

Overstepping the Limit.

When Meredith P. Gentry was defeated for the soversomen of the read president, he sale because he "had been run over by that great calf," as he contemptuously designated Johnson. Gentry's melancholy over the result of the election increased as time passed and he went into a decline. So some of his friends visited him in order to cheer him up and, as was the custom in those days, emptide several demiljohns of whisky during the evening. It was very late before they thought of retiring and then Gentry announced that, as there was a ciergyman present (Parson Brownlow), he would request him to offer up a prayer before the company went to-cality was exhortation, began to pray. He included everything in his petition and at last said: "and O Lord, if in thy infinite mercy it be possible, have mercy also upon Andrew Johnson." Gentry was on his feet in an instant. "Stor, Mr. Brownlow, stop!" he exclaimed. "You will exhaust the fount of infinite mercy."

Lack of Cuss Words in Japan.

there In Japan.
When the wind blows off their hats.
When their darlings prove untrue.
When they slip and crack their slats,
O I wonder what they do
In Japan?

Does the hammer never fall

thumb In Japan? Do insistent bill collectors never come In Japan? When they fin Japan? o got downstairs And the bottom's far away, If the Jap man never swears, O I wonder what they say, Do they never miss the last car at night

and never miss the last car out at at night at night.

Do they never hit the sidewalk when they light, happen?

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tucks In Japan?
Do they never get their fir

cracks.
In Japan?
When they don new clothes and find
At the office, far away.
That they've left their keys behind,
O I wonder what they say,
In Japan?

"John Henry, why did you go to bed with your clothes on last night?" asked Mrs. Gibbins.
"Because it was cold," bravely answered John Henry, who couldn't remember anything at all about hav-ing gone to bed, but who was quick witted.—Buffalo Express.



Winter Manuring.

As the country becomes older, the hid, unless carefully priected, will be come deteriorated and will produce seas and less each year. But I believe t we are careful we can keep it up o a high standard and even increase its producing power by applying the proper ingredients. One sure and proper ingredients one sure and the surface of the proper ingredients of the surface of the proper ingredients. One sure and the surface of the proper ingredients of the surface of proper ingressspeedy way of building up the seby sowing clover. Another, but not
quite so effective, is a rotation of
crops. For instance, a good corn ero
nearly always follows oats, and a bet
ter one is rape. A third way that i
very effective, but is a little slowe
is hauling out manure. And what
want to speak of especially is appl,
ing it in the winter. Many a ms
who has but little stock to care for
not doing much all winter. Ho man has but little stock to care for is not cloing much all winter. How much better, be he renter or land owner, if he would haul out every load of manure he could scrape up and apply it to the land. If he got the use of it one year as a renter and it increased his yield 10 bu, at 40c, the present price for corn, it is time well spent.

It have caused in yield 10 oh. at sec, the present price for corn, it is time well spent.

It has been our practice for years to always have a sled or low wagon with an old box on, and clean out the barns and sheds and haul to the fields and scatter pretty heavily on the ground. We give an abundance of bedding, and talis in turn goes to manure. It is easily forked or scraped up from the floors and is readily applied. We scatter the higher ground first and then as that is completed, so to the lower which does not need it so badly but is materially benefited. We plow this under in the spring and it never fails to produce a good crop of corn. We often scatter fine manure from the sheep of cattle yards on fall plowing with good results. Haul out two or three loads of straw or hay and let the cattle on good days when the ground is frozen feed on it and you will be surprised at the amount of manure they will leave on the weak places. While pursuing this plan, since having our present farm, its condition hay oeen improved, rather than weakened, although it has produced a good crop every year. Such labor inevitably brings good profits.

Edwin E. Sedwick.

Warren County, Ill.

Shrinking of Soils.

The shrinking of soils on drying is a matter of no little practical importance. This shrinking is of course off-set by an increase of bulk when the toil becomes wet. In variable weather we have therefore constant changes of volume occurring, casp Professor Johnson in "How Plants Feed." Soils rich in hums armariance these. Johnson in "How Piants Feed." Solis-rich in hums experience these changes to the greatest degree. The surfaces of moors often rise and fail with the wet or dry season, throughest ilight soils, containing but little humus no change of bulk is evident. Others when wise, it is in clay solis that shrinking is is most perceptible; since these solis only dry superficially, they do not ap-near to settle much, but heccome fails only dry superficially, they do not ap-pear to settle much, but become full of cracks and ritts. Heavy clays may lose one-tenth or more of their vol-ume on drying, and since at the same time they harden about the rootlets which are embedded in them, it is plain that these indispensable organs of the plant must thereby be ruptured during the protracted dry weather. Sand, on the other hand, does not change its bulk by wetting or drying and when present to a considerable extent in the soils, its particles, being interposed between those of the clay. and when pleased to a Goldstein state of the clatter, that adhesion of the latter, that, although a sandy loam ship the moti moti more state of the clatter, that, although a sandy loam ship the more numerous and less wide than purce clays. Such a soil door a revalue of the clays of the clays of the clays of the clays and the clays are specially prone fall to a fine powder during dryi since the carbonate of lime, whilk like sand, shrinks very little, is its in a state of extreme division, a therefore more effectually separateles. The unequilibrating of these two intimate mixed ingredients accomplishes a p

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Advocate is authorized to an-nounce the following gentlemen as candidates for office in Eddy county, subject to the action of the Demo

For Collector and Treasurer.

J. H. JAMES. J. D. WALKER, (Re election.)

For Tax Assessor, JOHN O. McKEEN.

J. L. EMERSON

M. C. STEWART.

For Commissioner, District No. 3 C. W. BEEMAN.

ALLEN HEARD.

### Democratic Committee Meeting.

The Democratic Executive Committee of Eddy county met at Carls bad last Friday pursuant to the call of County Chairman, J. T. Cooper It was a special meeting called for the purpose of determining upon a safe and proper manner of recording safe and proper manner of recording the Mexican vote on the day of the Democratic primary, June 25th., without unnecessary delay at the polls. It was decided that all Mexicans who are citizens of the United States, Democrats, and otherwise qualified to vote, will be allowed to do so after proper registration. An interpreter has been employed who, with the precinct chairman will make it his business to see the Mexicans of Malaga, Carlsbad and Artesia precincts and enrol the names of all those qualified to vote, so that no time will be lost on June 25th, investigating the qualifications of applicants at the polls. It is not supposcants at the polls. It is not supposed that there will be many voters among the Spaniards, but all se ers among the spaniards, but all so qualified are invited to participate in the primary. Due notice will be published in each precinct of the time set for registration and those who do not avail themselves of the opportunity will not be allowed to

A fine rain fell at Hope Wednes

Allen Heard, a well known and substantial citizen of Carlsbad, an-nounces this week as a candidate for Commissioner of District No. 1. He is thoroughly identified with the interests of the county and is qualified to make a good commissioner.

A petition is in circulation this A petition is in circulation this week asking Sheriff Stewart to ap-point J. T. Patrick a deputy for this precinct. Constable Tom Beckett moved away some time ago and this community is now without a peace officer. We should have a deputy by all means, and there is no reason why Mr. Patrick should not fill the bill.

A little more than one year ago, a town was not dreamed of in this portion of the valley. Suddenly from out the depths came rushing and surging the life giving waters and today what do we see? One of and today what do we see? One of the most enterprising little cities, in the west; with handsome edifices, schools, waterworks, comfortable homes, growing trees and a popula-tion that vie with each other in building better every day. And the start has not been made yet.

While in Carlsbad Friday, the Advocate editor was enabled to see the many beautiful sights around that beautiful city through the kindss of John Emerson and J. D. Walker. Both of these gentlemen were pioneers in the valley and have seen Carlsbad's rapid transforma-tion from a field of cacti to a verita-ble garden spot. One thing that impresses the visitor to Carlsbad, that is the homeilke appearance of things—like some one lived there and enjoyed the living. We had the pleasure of meeting a number of her progressive citizens and they talk Carlsbad first, last and all the time.

The many friends of Miss Anna Able, who visited her cousin. Mrs. J. P. Dyer, of this place; a short time ago in search of health, will regret to learn tnat on Monday, May 9th. she passed quietly away at her home in Kannas. Miss Able was a lovely character—just budding into womanhood and a few short months ago was in the bloom of health and youth with life's sweetest joys before ther, when she was suddenly stricken The many friends of Miss Anna youth with the s sweetest joys before her, when she was suddenly stricken with that dread disease—consump-tion, which proved too much for her frail body, and her spirit has gone to the God who gave it.

'Squire McCreary had a very in-teresting case Thursday afternoon in the person of a demented Mexican. His exact condition was not diag-dosed officially. Some witnesses tiffonght it was a case of loco, while others thought the greaser was "alkalied."

Wanted—a helper, by Sperry & Chapman, well drillers.

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# HOFFMAN HARDWARE Company.

We are informed that two Kansas men, one Texan, and one Oklahoma man met and fixed the bad crossing on the Penasco yesterday. They made a fine working combination.

to his patrons that Mr. Silas Richardson, of Hobart, Oklahoma, is now holding down the front chair in his barber shop. He is a splendid work-man and the public is invited to call and give him a trial.

his judgment with his money.

Manager, E. E. McNatt, of the Pecos Valley Drug Company, has shown artistic taste in the arrangesnown artistic taste in the arrange-ment of the new store in the Gibson block. With handsome oak furni-ture throughout, this makes as handsome an establishment as any town can boast of.

Mr. Johnathan Moore arrived home from Temple, Texas, Wednes-day, where he has been detained since last October by the illness of a since last October by the illness of a daughter. He is both astonished and pleased at the growth of Artesia since his departure, and can't say enough for the country, "the most wonderful in the world." M. Moore has 100 acres of land south of town and says he wants to put in fifty acres of cotton this year.

Bert Roby returned home to Por tales Tuesday and took along a car fish he had caught out of the river the afternoon previous, "just to save his reputation for veracity." The fish measured three feet long and and line. Mr. Roby says he has fished in many waters but for gen-uine sport nothing can equal the big channel cat at Arteva Most of his seighbors at Portales are from Missouri. He'll show 'em.

### School Trustee.

An election will be held at Artesia June 6th. to choose a school director in place of J. Mack Smith, who declines to serve longer. Mr. Smith has been a good man in the place and the people should see that he has a worthy successor. A man should be chosen who is progressive and thoroughly in sympathy with the ideas of the community. and thoroughly in sympath the ideas of the community.

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Silas Richardson, of Hobart, Okla-homa, arrived in the city Tuesday evening to accept a position in the Munson barber shop. A. A. Glover, of the firm of Glover Welsh & Maxwell, this week bought two residence lots in Artesia Im-provement Company Addition.

G. U. Mc

ATTURNEY-

# SCREENS! SCREENS!

You know that some FLIES are here, and many more will arrive. Therefore you need Screens, and if you want good ones, at prices that are just right, I can supply you. Let me also remind you that at this season

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1.C. Gage preached at Hope et sprinkler says to the am on to you and your

Neal, of Dublin, Texas, Tuesday to look after his interests and probably rinvestments.

Chambers and two chil-Monday for their future ong Beach, California. 15 cents. Very refresh-V. Drug Co's. fountain.

sses Venable are visiting Reckham left Sunday for

s Major returned Tuesday sit to his old home in Mis-ore thoroughly convinced that Artesia is "it."

DeFreest, the well nday in Artesia.

sian well has been brought the Congrant miles southwest of Por-

Naylor this week bought 160

Smith, S. P. Denning and Hardwicke came down from nesday afternoon.

Cleveland, Jr. is attending litary Institute at Roswell

Wasnon the "alfalfa man" n, was soliciting orders

d Mrs. E. C. Cook, of Mc-

d Monday to visit his havin This is his first visit to the

store building is progressing and, from indications, it will of the most substantial and houses in the valley.

sell Hynes buggies, Columbus es and James W. Moon bug-Prices to please.

J. T. Cooper, M'gr.

Carlsbad.

in R. Hodges has bought a salf interest in the cement works from Bert Roby.

To Exchange—For property in Artesia. A good six-room house, 2-room house, good garden ground well, windmill etc., with 22 acres of land, in Hereford, Texas. For particulars see E. N. Heath.

Call on E. N. Heath.

I am not over-stocked and have got plenty of room—but I need money. So I am going to give a special discount or all of my rauch buggies. Now is the time to buy. buggies. N

New Saddle Store, J. T. Cooper, Mgr. Carlsbad, N. M.

Messrs. Will Prager and F. W. Rankin came down from Roswell Wednesday afternoon.

Fred Clayton spent three days in Roswell this week attending the Military Institute Commencement exercises

Tobe Odem was nominated Saturday for sherift of Chaves county.

Found-A putty knife. Enquire at this office.

The Board of Lady Managers of the Artesia Library Association wish to extend thanks to the Carpenters' Union for a commodious book case which they so kindly donated to the association

MRS. CLEVELAND, Pres. ELIZABETH M. ROGERS, Sec.

Mrs. Ida B. Innis, of Los Angeles, Cal., is in the city guest of her uncle G. P. Cleveland. Mrs. Innis says the Pecos valley is very similar to California, only our wells are far ahead of anything to be found there

Rev. Ernest Geo. H. Jackson, until recently pastor of the Presbyteri-an church of Artesia, is now serving the Congregational church at Yampa

We buy our buggies and wagon E.F. Ousley, of Carlsbad, in car load lots, paying cash for same salay in Artesia. He has —therefore it gives us the inside sensit P. V. D. Co.

Sport this week bought 160

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New Saddle Store,
J. T. Cooner, Mgr.

J. T. Cooper, Mgr.

J. R. Blair and family spent Sunday with friends at McMillan. Several hundred pounds of fish were caught by the party—the largest being a 22-pound cat by Mr. Blair.

Mr. K. S. Caraway, of Sweetwater, Texas, arrived Wednesday to be at the bedside of his son, Thomas, who the bedside of his son, Thomas, who has been very sick. We are glad to say, the young man is better.

were visitors to the city and Toesday.

If at the Pecos Valley Drug thain.

Yeargin of Lexington, Oklaive of Lexington, Oklaived Monday to visit his R. W. Yeargin and J. T.

R. W. Yeargin and J. T.

Boisdare wagons, the best on earth. I am prepared to make you the lowest Cash prices for two reasons. I pay cash and discount my bills, and buy them in car load lots.

New Saddle Store J. T. Cooper, Mgr. Carlsbad.

Drilling began Wednesday after-noon on the Smith & Beckham well.

Excavations were made this week for the Baskin store building on Main street.

FOR SALE—A good Jersey cow and heifer yearling. Call on Mrs. Wil-

# lew Meat Market AND COLD STORAGE.

We have opened in the Clayton building, opposite First National Bank, a first-class Market and Cold Storage plant where he citizens of Artesia may find at all times the very best of BEEF, FORK, SAUSAGE and FISH and GAME in season. Also Ice Cold Soda, Candies Fruit, Vegetables. Also Ice Cold Soda, Candies Fruit, Vegetables.

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Arga Refrigerator and everything kept fresh and sweet. Your

betronage soleicited.

ANRE, Props.

E. M. Rust. of Leesburg, Va., has been among the prospectors in Arberia this week.

There is no doubt but what the been among the prospectors in Arberia this week. There is no doubt but what the We toe the mark or Don't you think of buying till you see my saddles.

New Saddle Store, Carlsbad, N. M.

Sperry & Chapman bought two lots n west Main street Thursday.

Mrs. J. B. Cecil left Thursday for a visit to friends in Ohio.

W. M. Enlow, of Mooreland, Ok. is this week building a residence up on his land two miles northeast o Artesia and will go after his family in a day or two. They will make Artesia their home.

Hart Crouch has bought the Cara way property, corner Third street Richardson avenue.

Three good work mules for sale

E. A. Clayton.

Tony Day came in from Roswell

### Not For Sale.

This is to notify all land agents that my land is off the market.

## Let Me Do Your Plumbing

I have had years of experience and guarantee to do first class work.

J. E. DEARCY.

### Cattle Sales.

J. C. Gage this week sold 105 3-year-old steers for \$19.00 around.

Dave Runyan, R. A. Eaton and Hub Brogden sold their twos and threes at \$14 and \$17.50.

### A Lincoln County Ranch Sold.

J. E. Hinton, of Benjaman, Knox County, has purchased the ranch of J. E. Morrison, 50 miles southwest of Roswell, in the Picacho country He will go into the goat business or an extensive scale. The sale includes an extensive scale. The sale includes the residence, barns, a large orchard and alfalfa field. Mr. Hinton will, however, make Roswell his residence on account of the city's superior public school facilities.

### Will Move to Artesia.

Will Move to Aricsia,

J. S. Venable, of Brownwood, Texas, who recently bought land and is having a well put down three miles west of Artesia, will move his family here immediately. He has rented one of the stone cottages which Mr. Roberts has contracted to erect in the Artesia Improvement Company Addition. Mr. Venable will develop his ranch property as fast as possible.

### Given by the Carpenters.

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The Artesia Library Association has been presented with a pretity and spacious cabinet by the Carpenters' Union of Artesia, in which to place the books of the association. The boys have done a handsome act and one, that the entire community appreciates. The number of books have increased until the the former shelves could not hold them.

The lumber for the cabinet was generously donated by E. B. Kemp. The following new books have been received by the library:

Darrell of the Blessed Isles, The Little Minister, In the Fog. Cap tain Macklin, Dorothy Vernon Donovan Pasha, Lady Rose's Daugh ter, Red Rock, Ramona, Via Cru cis.

The Crusadors, The Early Plantagents, The Tudors, The Fall of the Stuarts, The Aztecs, The Colonial Era, Chins, the Orient and the Yellow Man, Ireland, American Indians, Shakesperian Synopsis, Through Nature to God.

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er wall, precipitous and high: the snowy peak invades the

Toward the summit, eager and intent.
He weighs his perilous task; and then,
with eye
And hand alert, toils upward steadily,
Until he stands victorious and content.

So do thou climb, O soul! the steep of

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eath, far down -Charles Goff.

### Floating Prairies.

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A curious phenomenon, known as prairies tremblantes, or floating prairies, prevails in Southern Louisiana, and is responsible for much damage during the annual overflow of the Missascippi river. All along the gulf coast the large border of land floats on the surface of the water. The land is made by failen timber and grassos. It gradually accumulates earth and becomes in the course of time sufficiently firm to support bushes and even trees, but the soil is only three inches or a little less thick, and below it is the water, upon which it floats on account of its lightness. Occasionally pieces of trembles, prairies and even for the measurement of the lightness of the soil of

Soldiers on Ski.

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The Norwegian government har lately been setting soldiers in marching order to travel for several consecutive days on ski. The result has been to show that the military skirunner of ordinary proficiency can travel over snow in fair condition just about as far as soldiers in marching order can move over ordinary roads free from snow. For several days the average distance was about seventeer milee.

The idea of ski-running, and of all The idea of ski-running, and of all forms of movement over snow and ice, is so associated with speed in our minds that it is difficult not to feel a sense of disappointment at this relatively poor rate of progrees; but it is to be remembered that it is made over country where the soldier in his common footgear would make practically no way at all.—Country Life.

Tibetan Customs.

Kawaguch! Kei-Kai, a Japanese priest, who Journeyed into Tibet, in describing the customs of the people, says that as a substitute for soap the men ordinarily anoint their faces with butter instead of washing them. The combination of the butter with the natural secretions of the skin gives the coastenance a lustrous black polish. The females do not use butter in this way, but boil down chips of tocks wood, which is a species of mahogany, and with the resinous wax tius obtained, usually of two tints, black and red, they color their checks in a fashion that they doubtless believe renders them exceedingly attractive to the Tibetan males.

swegler's Clever Trick.
Smugglier's Clever Trick.
Smuggling from Geneva into France
nsed to be carried on at a great rate.
Alexandre Dumas tells how Beaute, a
famous watchmaker of that city renowned for his skill in smuggling, got
the better of the Count de Saint Cricq.
King Louis Philippe's director of customs, who was traveling as a detective. The count bought 20,000 france's
worth of jewelry on condition that it
should be delivered free of duty in
Parls. When he went up to his bedroom on arriving at the French capital he found his purchases on the
dressing table. Beaute had bribed the
count's valet to stow them away
among his luggage.

Queer Underclothes.
Esquimant women wear the most
executions kind of underclothing, its
peculiarity being that it is made of
the skins of birds. These skins before being sewed are chewed well by
the women in order to make them
soft. About a hundred skins are requiered to make a shirt, and the labor
of chewing the skins which form their
earments is guite enough to account

Set of Valuable Dishes.
Mrs. Freelon Starbird of West
trainiston. Mr. has a whole set—
a blue rosebud pattern—of oldshioned dishes. They have been in
r family for more than 100 years,
sey were given by an old aunt to her
andfastler at the age of four years,
1794. She has many old pieces,
song the rest a pewter plate—the
yone loft from a set which were
a into bullets in 1812.

### PROTEST THAT WENT

JACKIE NOT INCLINED TO BE SENTIMENTAL.

Had Never Seen His Father, But That Did Not Prevent Him Asserting Himself Strongly on the Subject of Onions.

"I met a relative of mine—pretty close one—that I'd never seen before, when I got back to Washington the other day," said an army officer, who returned from a tour of duty in the Philippines recently. "The relative happened to be a son of mine. He was born a couple of months after i made the start for the islands three years ago.

"I was due in Washington about 11 officed at night, and they tacked the close of the couple of the start for the islands three years ago.

"I was due in Washington about 11 officed at night, and they tacked the close that is a start for the islands three years, and 1 didn't seem to be able to get enough of it. One of the things that made an instant hit with me en the table was a nice long dish full of fine looking spring enlors, littered up with little particles of ice.

"I simply couldn't resist them. I gobbled up the whole plateful, resolved that when I met my wife and the naticed the aroma I'd simply have to throw myself on the mercy of the court.

"Well, my wife was at the station, of course, to meet me—It was pretty night midnight. She was too buay looking me over and commenting upon my coat of brouze to mention the onions, even if she had noticed 'em, and she had too runch to tell we about the kid, anyway, as we sped uptown on the "The kid was salcep, of course, and when we slipped into the room and turned up the gast suppose, maybe, I didn't take a good long look at the little tyke—and maybe, of course there wasn't a lump about the star of an old fashioned gourd just at the point where my front collar button presses against my neck. "Then I grabbed the scill sleeping kid out of the bed. He opened his eyes and surveyed ne with a calm scrutiny while I gave him a hug. Then he turned his head away from me, with a very decided expression of disapproval. This hurt his mother, and she instantly told him:

"Why, "Jackie," that's your papa!"

The kid turned his head away from me in the other direction and struggied to be turned ones.

The Garden of Eden.

According to the best authorities, it was in Armenia that the "Garden of Eden," spoken of in the book of Genesis, was planted. Most of the evidence in support of this theory is topographical. The Bible says that the garden was watered by a river running through it which afterward divided into four heads. The names of these are given as Pison, Gibon, Hiddele and Euphrates. There is little difficulty about the latter, and Hiddele is commonly identified with the Tigris, both of which rivers rise in the mountains of Armenia. The others are located by assuming them to be Aras and the Kur, streams which also rise in the Armenia is often referred to as the "land of the four rivers," or "the cradle of the human race." Though Armenia does not go quite she to the time of Adam, the court of the country of the cradle of the human race. Though Armenia does not go quite she of the time of Adam, the cuttler, Halig, the great grandson of Japheth.

Opposites.

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Opposites.
"I have carefully studied the matter, and it seems to me that we are fitted for each other."
She gazed up at him with her large,

fitted for each other."

She gazed up at him with her large, dark eyes.

"Explain yourself," she said.

"Simply this," he replied, "looking at the matter as we should, in the strictly scientific sense of the word. You are light, and I am dark. You are short and I am tail. You are sprightly, viacious. I am somewhat sober and phiegmatic. In fact, we are opposites, and opposites should marry."

"Yes," she said, "opposites except in one respect, but that is enough. I cannot marry you."

"In what respect do you mean?" he assessed in the said. "You are like me in this," she said. "You are like me in this," she said. "In over could earn my own living."

—Life.

Glory lay on the hill-top,
Glory slept in the glade;
Oh! that morning and evening!
The first God ever made.

The blue of the sky seemed tangled. In sudden, silvery mist, And the new-made earth was shaken. By the first kiss ever kissed.

Bagie.

Russia's Naval Battles Few.
Russia can point to only two occasions in modern history when her ships were in action. One was the destruction of the Turkish squadron at Sinope, when the number of vessels was equal, thouch the latter were greatly inferior in size and armament. The other occasion was in the Crime an war, when the Black sea fleet the kind usual was a proper and the kind usual was a proper an

sank her finest ships like coal barges to block the entrance to Sebastopol.

In the Spring.

Lowndes, Mo, April 4th—Mrs. H. C. Harty of this place, says:

"For years I was in very bad health. Every spring I would get so low that I was unable to do my own work. I seemed to be worse in the spring than any other time of the year. I was very weak and miserable and had much pain in my back and head. I saw Dodd's Kidney Pills advertised last spring and began treatment of them and they have certainly done me more good than anything I have ever used.

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In the Hills Hills of Japan.

On every side of us, from our feet to the golden distance far away, the world-stretched mountains, peak upon peak, as thick as junks in a Chinese harbor, and range beyond range in exhaustible; no sounds of morial life came up inside the rock, while the river, gentlan blue, wound silent in transparent pools below. The panorama in Japan on a splendid summer day is impossible to describe to an English reader who has not been in the East, for such a now will read between the lines the local color in which he was bred, instead of the which he was bred, instead of the leightons the charm of the picture there—the brilliant, luminous air which invest our eye with telescopic power and brings the whole landscape to our feet; while a soft suspicion of sliky haze seems to float a halo round each foliage-hidden hill. Switzerland, too, is a mountain world, but small compared with this; the entire content from Instruck to Geneva only continuous nonance. And the quality of the sunshine is what separates, by a very wide gulf, a summer's day in these latitudes from one in more northerly Europe.—Cornhill Magazine.

### EMPTY NOW.

How One Woman Quit Medicine

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Sowed Mother's Liver Pills.

There is a woman in Phoenix, A. T., who has the correct idea, all right, but whether it will work out remains for the fature to disclose. Recently her husband bought a small ranch, and with him whe has been much interested in planning improvements, especially in the growing line, with which to adorn the place. The other day beds were prepared for sweet peas, and the lady of the house was busily engaged the lady of the house was busily engaged the little peckets out of doors, where their contents were transferred to the beds in regular order. As each variety was planted the name was placed on a small marker, as is the custom with gardeners. In a particularly choice location the contents of a packet were laboriously dropped, one by one, until the row was filled and the earth of the content of a packet were laboriously dropped, one by one, until the row was filled and the carful the ro

The Lippencott.

The Lippencett.

There is an elegance in the mechanical get-up of Lippencott's Magazine that stamps it as a publication of worth. It is one of those periodicals that come just "done enough." It which so much reminds one of bogus "colonal," mission" and other houses which can be best denominated as of the "too too" class. The trandard of subject matter is too well known and too well kept up to the light "Lippin-The main story in April nymber is "incognito," by Helen Sherman Griffith, and the short stories are by Baroness Von Hutten, George Siebel, Joseph Biethen, Seumas MeManus, Ella Middleton Tybout and "Wu MacGregor," which is of the Scotchest Scotch, and chuck full of fun and philosophy.

New York's "Jim Crow" Law.

New York city has a "Jim Crow" law, and it applies to women. The elevator, starters of the big downtown buildings have made the discovery that women without exception insist upon standing in the front of the elevator cars, making it difficult for the other passengers to get out at their floors. A woman passenger booked for car and take up a position directly in front of the side and maintain it against all nanner cft physical discompositions. No hist, order, admonition or even insult on the part of the elevator operator can persuade her to move back toward the rear. The operator will say, "You're blocking the channel, tended admonition is always taken as a prece of freshness on the part of the elevator man and always ignored. Lately the starters got together on the complaint of the men and agreed on a plan of action. It was decided to have cards printed and displayed in every car bearing this warning: "Women care." This is a plain case of Jim Crow. The women are relegated to the rear by official order.

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DRAGGED BY HIS HORSE.

Voing Dave Rechett Lies for Two Bays and Nights on the Prairie.

Last Sunday morning Dave Beckett, of Hope, left home to go to the Beckett sheep camp, seven miles morth of Ariesia. He was alone and traveled no road. Monday, his horse, saddled, came to the Turknost ranch, twelve miles west of Ariesia, for water. The horse was recognized and an examination of the saddle showed the deep prints of a spur upon the scat and it was at once correctly surmised that the gider had been injured. Word was at once correctly surmised that the gider had been injured. Word was a raried to Beckett's parents at Hope and also to Artesia. Scarching parties from both places were organized and a thorough hunt began. About II:30 Tuesday morning, the young man was found about a half mile to the properties.

Transformation. and a thorough hunt began. About 11:30 Tuesday morning, the young man was found about a half mile

Waco, Texas, May 13, 1904.
Editor Advocate:

I, in company with my wife, left Artesia May 3rd, on the south bound P, V, train with a well filled basels of grub, which Mrs. L—continued to pay her respects to. Shortly after leaving Pecos City we began to see signs of rain, and from there on the cridence was conclusive that the evidence was conclusive that the was conclusive that the evidence was conclusive that the wind of mighty, cleare the ether than the mighty, cleare the ether than the mighty cleare the ether than the mi four sisters. My mother and two of my sisters live here while two of them live in Comanche and Dublin. One sister, Mrs. Dr. G. B. Hall, lives in Gomanche and was not here, with this exception it was a complete family reunion. My sou, H. S. Logan, lives here and has a good job—head book keeper for a wholerale house. My mother is seventy-seven yeard old and is stout and healthy, can do more work today than the average middle-aged woman. I have my many of my old friends and they have treated me royally. It reminds me of the early days of Texas when everybody was everybody's friend.

I went over to Dallas (the metropolis of the state) where I was most agreeably surprised to find a city of 75,000, where in my boyhood days the population was numbered by the hundred. I am indebted to Schmidter, and the state where I was most agreeably surprised to find a city of 75,000, where in my boyhood days the population was numbered by the hundred. I am indebted to Schmidter, which was tendfastly observed in the procession. There were fiven wish to attain to any derive of dignity and success in the procession. There were the procession. There was the procession. The control of representing New Mexico in the procession. There are also the firm of the state where I was most agreeably surprised to find a city of 75,000, where in my boyhood days the population was numbered by the hundred. I am indebted to Schmidter work he applied to an old friend, who had sold land a good many spars, for advice. The old veter-an sized him up carefully and said: "Well, my young friend, there are five in the procession of a land agent himself it was the procession. There were also the procession of a land agent all my life and with renewed confidence in himself it was the procession of the firm of the second of the s

### Transformation.

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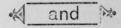
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