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S. D. Stennis, Jr., CARLSBAD, NEW MEXICO

Is forty years old
Has practised law twelve years
Is candidate for District Judge
Your vote and influence appreciated

Primaries, May 11, 1918

Ford Decorated

Thursday morning of this week J. D. McRea's Ford was found in the court house yard, chained to the southwest front porch of the court house. It was also handsomely decorated with yellow paint and cotton. On the rear was a Red cross poster which bore the following lines: "We have given our lives for our country, what have you given." In the steering wheel was a copy of a newspaper containing a write up of bond selling campaigns. The owner of the Ford was very indignant over the matter but, somehow, failed to find any sympathy in the crowd that had collected and was viewing the curiously decorated "jitney." After some talk he decided to sell the car auction and to invest the proceeds in Liberty Bonds. This was accordingly done and the car was put up and knocked down for the sum of \$301.00 and the bonds bought, the owner buying a new Ford to replace the one with the fancy trimmings. Mr. McRea has been visited many times and requested to buy his portion of Liberty Bonds but had consistently refused. It was also a well known fact that he was able to buy all that he had been asked to. Rumors are current this week that the yellow cure is to be applied to many other cars, not all of them Fords, whose owners are able but unwilling to buy Liberty Bonds. It is a strange man who will permit the young men of his country to sacrifice their lives on the battle field fighting their fight, yet refuse to help provide the means of feeding and clothing him while thus engaged, yet such men do exist in every community and if the yellow cure is the proper remedy for this disease, then by all means, do not spare the paint, neither play any favorites. A slacker is a slacker whether he rides in a Ford or in Packard twin six.

Bent B. Clayton

Bent B. Clayton is a candidate for the nomination of sheriff of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries. He desires to impress upon the mind of the public that he is making this race strictly on his own merits and not on the alleged demerits of any man on earth. If he can secure this nomination honorably and fairly he will appreciate it very much. He has not and will not resort to any means or methods that are not fair and above board. He has had considerable experience in the character of work that devolves on the sheriff and has always proved efficient and capable. He regrets that the illness of his boy has prevented him from seeing all the voters of the county and asks that he be given the same consideration and investigation as would have been accorded him had he been able to have met the voters personally. He realizes that his candidacy has been seriously handicapped by the illness of his boy but feels certain that those who are fathers and those naturally big hearted, western people, of which this county is entitled, will not hold against him what he was powerless to help. If he is selected on May 11th he promises to discharge the duties of the office faithfully, impartially and fearlessly; if defeated to give to the successful opponent that hearty support that he feels would be given him if he is the choice. He will appreciate your support and any assistance you may render him in his candidacy.

Holiness Church

Services will be held every Sunday in the Presbyterian church, in the morning at 11 o'clock and evening at 7:30. Sunday school at 10 a. m. All are invited to come and participate. Rev. A. K. Scott, Pastor.



SAM G. BRATTON, Clovis, N. M.

To the Democratic Voters of Roosevelt County

On Saturday, May 11th, 1918, you will be afforded the privilege and pleasure of casting a ballot for two district judges of the Fifth judicial district of New Mexico. There are six candidates, three being from Carlsbad, two from Roswell and myself from Clovis. The two receiving the highest number of votes will be the nominees.

I am the only candidate who resides in the northern part of the district. This part has never had any of the offices, either judge or district attorney. I believe one of the judges should reside in and from the northern part of this large district. Inasmuch as I am the only candidate from this section, and as your county has no local candidate from this section, and as your county has no local candidate, I feel warranted in asking you to support me for one of the judges.

I shall say nothing in regard to my fitness and qualifications to hold and fill this most important office, other than that I have the written endorsements of every Democratic lawyer, every county officer and every national and state bank in Curry county. These speak for themselves as to how I am regarded in my home county where I am best known. I invite your careful investigation concerning my character and ability.

On account of the limited time until the election is to be held, and the large size of the district I will be unable to meet a great many of you in person, and I take this method of saying that I shall certainly appreciate your support and influence.

Assuring you that I shall cheerfully abide your decision made on May 11th, I am,
Sincerely yours,
Sam G. Bratton,
Clovis, New Mexico.

Arch L. Gregg

Mr. Gregg is before the Democratic voters of Roosevelt county asking for a re-nomination for sheriff. He feels that he has made good in his first term; that he has honestly and conscientiously discharged his duties; that he has been fair and impartial, that he has at all times been gentlemanly and courteous to those upon whom he has had to serve the process of the law; that he has taken no unfair advantage of any man, neither has he failed in his duty in any instance. He has conducted his campaign in a manner that was



Charles R. Brice, Roswell, N. M.

Few men are better known or have higher rating in New Mexico, Texas (his native state) or the Pecos Valley than Charles R. Brice of Roswell, the dean of the contesting delegation for the nomination as judge of the Fifth judicial district.

Owing to his steady devotion to the service of Uncle Sam as chairman of the district exemption board, Mr. Brice has not made a very active canvas, but it may be admitted as scarcely necessary. In his fourteen years of life in the valley, he has practiced in all of the counties, forming a large acquaintance, and gaining recognition as a lawyer of the highest class. Also he served in the constitutional convention with extreme value to the people, and two terms in the state legislature. He is recognized everywhere for his solid worth as a man, his ability as a lawyer and a Democrat of unclouded history. On the basis of merit and character he submits his claims for the votes of the people of this county and district.

The following endorsement from the lawyers:

All business in courts must be transacted through the members of the bar, and his endorsement by the lawyers of the several counties of the district which follows indicates their confidence in him.

fair and honest. He has not attempted to discredit any one who is opposed to him, either as candidate or as a voter. His record as an officer and citizen is an open book which all who desire may read. He asks for your support solely upon the ground of his record while serving you. If the people of this county still have the confidence in his ability and honesty they had in the former campaign he will appreciate it if they will give him their endorsement for the second term. Should he be successful he promises the same attention to duty, the same fairness and gentlemanly conduct that he has characterized his conduct in the past. If defeated, he is still a Democrat and will give his hearty

To the members of the Fifth judicial district:

The undersigned members of the bar of the Fifth judicial district of New Mexico, knowing the necessity of filling the vacancies in the offices of district judge with lawyers whose ability learning and integrity will secure to them the confidence of the bar and the people alike;

And knowing that Hon. Charles R. Brice of Roswell, New Mexico, fully measured up to this high standard, we have endorsed him as a candidate for the nomination to one of the judgeships:

Chaves County Bar

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| Hiram M. Dow | Ed S. Gibbany |
| C. J. Neis | A. A. Strickland |
| O. O. Askren | J. C. Gilbert |
| H. C. Maynard | D. W. Elliott |
| Tomlinson Fort | J. L. Eppstein |
| C. H. Reynolds | J. E. Clayton |
| Harold Hurd | C. C. Thompson |
| J. M. Harvey | W. W. Gateweed |
| A. J. Nesbit | J. M. Peacock |
| W. C. Reid | E. C. Iden |
| W. A. Dunn | L. O. Fullen |
| | U. S. Bateman |

Eddy County Bar

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| Guy A. Reed | E. P. Bujac |
| Chas. H. Jones | D. G. Grantham |
| C. B. Livingstone | J. B. Atkinson |
| S. E. Ferree | J. M. Dillard |

Roosevelt County Bar

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| George L. Reese | James A. Hall |
| C. M. Compton, Jr. | J. C. Compton |

Curry County Bar

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| W. A. Gillenwater | W. A. Havener |
| J. S. Fitzhugh | R. E. Rowells |

De Baca County Bar

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| J. E. Pardue | Keith Edwards |
| H. R. Parsons | K. W. Se Legue |
| | T. M. Noble |

support to his successful opponent.

A Reminder

Mr. voter don't forget that I am still in the race for sheriff and will appreciate your vote May 11th.

W. E. (Emzy) Roberts.

FOR SALE—A Ft. Worth well drill, 750 ft. capacity, new, good condition. Also 8-h.p. Cushman engine mounted on trucks, 400 feet of steel cable. Complete outfit including belt and tools. M. P. HARDT, Kermit, N. M.

Turner & Terry have one hundred sacks of choice white corn for sale. See them for prices.

FOR SALE—One all round work house, also kaffir seed heads. See W.C. Thompson, 11 miles south of Portales.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A good young jack. Jas. B. Smiley or phone or write Frank M. Beard.

The Deep Sea Peril

By VICTOR ROUSSEAU

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CHAPTER I—Continued.

Paget nodded, and resigned himself to his friend's guidance.

"We'll have a little dinner first," said the captain. "We have an excellent chef here, and, between ourselves, I have eaten nothing but ship's biscuit for the past three weeks. And afterward, when we have got our cigars alight, I'll take you into the cardroom, which is never in use, and give you my message to the world. It is embodied more fully in my manuscript, which I shall hand you before you go. And now let us forget that melancholy exhibition of human folly and fall to."

Pleased with his phrase, he led the way into the dining room, where he did full justice to an excellent meal. After dinner the two lit their cigars, and the captain led the way out of the dining room across a small hall and into the cardroom, a little, deserted place, through the opposite door of which they could see the smoking room and hear the noisy cries of the members.

Masterman closed it, and the sound subsided to a distant rumble.

"The cardroom was built to be sound-proof," he explained. "It is, except in the case of voices of unusual timbre."

"Quite so," said Donald. The old sea captain hesitated queerly, tried the chairs, and at last stretched himself out in a comfortable one before the fire, inviting Donald to be seated opposite him.

"You're my only hope now, my lad," he said in an even voice. "I've sailed on my last voyage, Donald. I'm going to die."

CHAPTER II.

In the March Hares' Club.

"I hope not, captain," answered Donald.

"I'm afraid there isn't any doubt of it," answered Masterman. "It's an old organic trouble, likely to carry me off at any time, and progressive in character. Before I left for the Shetlands, the doctor gave me a year. That was ten months ago, and my experiences haven't lengthened the respite. You've followed deep-sea exploration, haven't you?"

"A little," answered Donald. "We Americans seem to have taken the lead since the days of the Challenger." "Yes, Yankees have done good work," said Masterman. "But I've got them all beaten now. Nobody will bother his head about the earlier discoveries after the next few weeks. You've heard about the known forms of deep-sea life, haven't you?"

Without waiting for a reply, he began to speak about the strange organisms that had been dredged from the ocean bottom, so that Donald saw the whole picture in Masterman's brain. He saw the eyeless fishes that had abandoned the effort to see, and fishes with eyes as large as dinner plates, with which they caught the gleams of phosphorescence that betokened the pursuit of wandering sea scavengers. There were fishes that carried their own lures in the form of luminous tentacles.

In the abyssal depths, in a realm of perpetual night, these organisms perpetuated an inferno of slaughter, preying upon each other, roving on their insatiable quest for food.

Masterman leaned forward and spoke emphatically.

"When they are brought up—through three miles of water—they explode mostly, Donald," he said. "If they didn't—well, I've seen things that would make a stout man faint, my lad."

Paget shuddered as his mind conceived the picture that the old captain painted. He saw the giant monsters of the abyss lurking among the yellow, carnivorous lilies that bend and sway in league-long gardens, catching the plankton, the floating or drifting organic life of the sea, that comes down like finest meal from above, but always ready for larger prey.

"It's murder enthroned, Donald," said Masterman. "There isn't love—not even maternal love. Nor pity, either. Suppose our world were like that?"

He was watching Donald keenly as he spoke.

"We take life as we find it," Lieutenant Paget answered. "But, thank heaven, life has its compensations, which make it worth the living."

MASTERMAN EXPLAINS TO LIEUTENANT PAGET HIS THEORY REGARDING THE STRANGE RACE.

Naval Lieutenant Donald Paget, just given command of a submarine, meets at Washington an old friend and distinguished though somewhat eccentric scientist, Captain Masterman. Masterman has just returned from an exploring expedition, bringing with him a member of the strange race, the existence of whose species, he asserts, menaces the human family.

He was thinking of Ida Kennedy as he spoke.

"But once our life was like that," persisted Masterman. "And we've risen above it. Don't tell me there isn't a God when we've done that, just as the beautiful birds evolved out of vicious reptiles. You know, of course, our ancestors were sea creatures. That's why the specific gravity of the human body is about the same as that of salt water. We were made to live in the sea. We come from fishes. You believe that?"

"Yes, science tells us so."

"Good. Now you've studied at school what I've only read in books, but you know that there was a time when the seas were warm, steaming baths, and the steam formed clouds, so that the sun had never been seen. Before the sun appeared, the world was just diffused light and darkness. There's an answer to your Bible critics who say Genesis is all wrong, because it says light was made before the sun. Light did exist, before the sun was dreamed of, so far as man is concerned."

"You're right, sir," answered Donald, who like most sailors, was a religious man.

"And then," continued Masterman, "what does the record tell us? The moving creatures that have life were made, and the great sea monsters, Leviathan and his kind, and the fowls of the air. And afterward the earth monsters, and creeping things. And man not till the last. Now don't tell me, lieutenant, that the man who wrote the story of the creation wasn't an up-to-date scientist."

"Well, sir, at last the day came when the waters had cooled, the clouds opened, and the sun streamed through. By that time the ocean wasn't so pleasant a place to live in as formerly, especially as the climatic zones were appearing. No doubt there was a rush to the equator on the part of the surface monsters. But the ocean beds were still warm from the hot rocks, and the heat down there was good for several thousand, or hundred thousand years yet."

"So some of the sea creatures remained in the depths, and others preferred to bask on the rocks in the sunlight. Then their gills began to be replaced by lungs, or else they had gills as well as lungs, or an intermediate apparatus."

"Common today, captain. Certain lizards develop either lungs or gills, according to the medium in which they live."

"Well, sir, as I understand it, the first organisms that came out on land were armor plated, like the crabs and spiny fossil fishes. Their bones were on the outside, to protect them against being eaten. But after a while the progressive ones turned themselves inside out. Those that didn't, remained like the turtles and degenerated. The rest found that it was easier to escape their enemies by using their bones as props and developing speed."

"Now, lieutenant, suppose men had developed that way in the depths of the sea. Suppose you had a race of men who had discovered, not necessarily turning themselves inside out, like us, although they might have done so, but other means to avoid being eaten—say invisibility."

"There I can refute you," answered Donald. "Man has developed from an extinct ape, an ancestor of his chinsins, the four anthropoids, supposedly a chimpanzee-like creature with the structure of a gibbon, from which he obtained his erect posture. Your sea creatures would have had to go through the lemur-ape forms."

"But let us suppose a man who developed off the line," persisted Masterman. "A manlike organism with webbed feet—something like a man-seal. How about mermen? Do you believe there is anything in that story?"

"I hardly think so, captain."

"How about the old legends of the Cyclopes?"

"A myth, Masterman. Besides, the Cyclopes kept cattle and lived upon land."

"But they ate men, lieutenant. However, let us call our men of the sea imaginary. Grant that there might be such creatures, though. You'll admit that, with life so hard under the ocean, they'd have developed more cunning along certain lines than the human race. And they wouldn't know much about pity or love, or anything except how to find their food."

"I'll grant that," answered Donald. "If we accept the hypothesis that such creatures exist."

"Good! Put a pin there, my lad. Now, as we were saying, after thousands of years the heat at the bottom

of the sea would disappear by its diffusion through the oceans everywhere. The depths would grow too cold for them. It's bitter cold in the water at 81 to 82 degrees Fahrenheit. Wouldn't the time come when they, too, would feel the impulse to migrate into the sun?"

"No, Masterman. Their breathing—" "I know what you're going to say, lieutenant. You're going to tell me that, even if they could breathe air, they couldn't live when the pressure of those miles of ocean was removed. But suppose nature has been busy preparing for the change during thousands of years, while she has been modifying their gills into lungs, as she worked on the brontosaurus. That's how nature works—quietly, softly, secretly, till she's ready to launch her thunderbolt."

"Suppose a second human swarm, man's poor cousins, is getting ready to overrun the earth, and put down man from his throne. Suppose the puny swarms of monkey-men, white, yellow and black, that crawl upon the face of the globe and imagine themselves its owners, are going to be obliterated, not from Mars or Venus, but out of the earth's own vitals!"

Captain Masterman sat bolt upright as he spoke; he looked like some old prophet spelling out the doom of man. The intense earnestness in his words shook Paget's incredulity for a moment, and left him sick with horror.

"Suppose that civilization, everything which has gone to make up the life we know—family love, books, monuments, parliaments, ships—all of it is to be at the mercy of this merciless horde, and that we are going to fight harder than we have fought since the days when we held our own against the saber-tooth! Who'd think or care then whether he was an Englishman or a Dutchman; who'd trouble whether his friends were white men, negroes, Hottentots or Chinese, so long as they were human? Wouldn't that make for the brotherhood of man, Donald? Wouldn't we set all our convicts free? Wouldn't kings shake hands with anarchists and college professors with coal heavers? Wouldn't class and race vanish like dreams when the night's over? And maybe that's what God's working for, lieutenant!"

"But the impossibility, Masterman! Granting the incredible supposition that these deep-sea organisms exist, and could live under a pressure enormously increased, and breathe—"

"We're supposing that, lieutenant."

"How could they survive the struggle for existence in an unnatural element?"

"Lieutenant, man has existed since tertiary times, but he never learned to fly till 1908. He never went up in a balloon until a hundred and fifty years ago. Our imaginations can't rise to the realization of what this generation has done, but our descendants will look on us as demigods, and the Wright brothers will become myths, like that chap that invented cooking, Prom—Prom—"

"Prometheus."

"Yes, sir. Well, then, after living for thousands of years at the bottom of five miles of air, an ocean of oxygen and nitrogen, we've found out how to get up on top of it. They are living at the bottom of an ocean of oxygen and hydrogen. Suppose they learned to fly, too!"

"You can see what they'd do. Some of their scouts, who had gone on ahead, would discover that the dry land was teeming with food. Food in such quantities as these hungry monsters had never dreamed about. Food in solid chunks, instead of dissolved particles of plankton, varied with an occasional cannibal dinner. And light by which to capture it—sunlight! No more hunting down their prey with phosphorescent torches!"

"At first they'd nibble the grass and leaves of the trees. But they'd find that cellulose is pretty indigestible stuff. Then one of them would discover a dead bird or rabbit, and another that sheep and cattle make good eating, and then—"

"Then man!" muttered Donald, gripping the arms of his chair. The madman's picture had become dreadfully real to him.

"Other bodies would follow the scouts, Donald. They wouldn't be quite adapted to dry land at first. They'd make their way along the river beds. They'd swarm up the Hudson, the Rhine, the Severn, the Mississippi. That's what we did, and even today we haven't got very far from the river banks. Well, they'd rest and recuperate, eating the fish they found, until the supply became exhausted. Then—"

"Good Lord!" gasped Donald, and then the reaction came. Of course Masterman was raving mad, the maddest member of the March Hares' club. What a fool he had been to let the old fellow's dismal prophecies get on his nerves!

He leaned forward and placed his hand on Masterman's knee.

"Did you go to the navy office with the idea of telling that to the secretary?" he asked.

"I did, sir," answered Masterman.

"Then, if I may say so without giving offense, it is a mercy that you failed to secure an interview with him," said Donald. "Why, Masterman—er—you know how hard it is to convince anyone of the truth of anything a little out of the ordinary." He was feeling his way carefully now, to avoid hurting the old fellow. "Why, Masterman, if you were to make such a suggestion as that at the navy office, they'd shut you up as a—as not quite right," he said.

The inevitable villain of the piece makes his appearance in the next installment.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

BOARDS ARE MORE EFFICIENT

This is Explanation Given by British Officer of Acceptance for Service of Men Once Rejected.

In a recent investigation by a committee from the house of commons, Gen. Sir Alfred Keogh, director general of the British army medical service, declared that while the department had been laboring under difficulties imposed by the lack of experienced army examiners, he was aware of no irregularities in the examination of men under the military service (review of exceptions) act.

"When the war broke out men were taken for medical examination to local practitioners, who could not possibly know the requirements of the service," he said, "and the consequence was that a large number of men was recruited whom the authorities would not have thought of considering in peace times."

With such a corps of examiners, Sir Alfred declared, it was impossible to attain a common standard, and this explained the fact that frequently men rejected by one board were accepted by another. "Many men were passed who ought not to have been passed," he admitted, "but, on the other hand, a great number of men were rejected who ought to have been passed under the category system. It was very difficult to get the medical practitioners to understand that a man who could do anything in civil life could do that thing in the army."

The fact that the proportion of men passed by later boards, after having been rejected by examiners at the beginning of the war, steadily has increased during the war, Sir Alfred attributed to the increased efficiency of the boards, but vehemently denied that there had been any lowering of the standard for acceptance.

RIFLE STILL POTENT WEAPON

Military Authorities Recognize Value of Infantryman Despite Changes in Modern Warfare.

The Army and Navy Gazette of London, commenting on the great value of good rifle shooting in the present war, says: "Happily the military authorities have not been misled by the results achieved by the big guns, the bombs, and the various missile-throwing trench weapons into imagining that the infantry soldier has ceased, or was likely to cease, to be primarily a rifleman, and the good work which was initiated before the war at Hythe and at Bisley, and at regimental rifle meetings, has been continued and expanded at the many musketry schools which have been established behind the front in France, where selected officers and men of our forces have been taught all that was to be got out of the service weapon. The result has been shown in the account we hear of the wonderful rifle practice made by our troops in the fighting around Bullecourt, reminding us of the stories that used to reach us during the retreat from Mons of how German mass attacks withered up under the fire of our infantry of the old army."—Scientific American.

Oh, Dear!

Aunt Elvira rushed into the house, hysterical.

"I've lost my hearing!" she shouted. "You have?" her frightened sister shouted back; "how do you know?"

"See that man out there playing that hand organ? Well, I can't hear a single note!" and Aunt Elvira wept afresh.

"That's a moving picture photographer at work!" snapped her sister.

Like Dog in Manger.

"Bout all de experience some men gets wif happiness," said Uncle Eben, "is tryin' to spoil it foh somebody else."

A CHILD DOESN'T LAUGH AND PLAY IF CONSTIPATED

LOOK, MOTHER! IS TONGUE COATED, BREATH FEVERISH AND STOMACH SOUR?

'CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS' CAN'T HARM TENDER STOMACH, LIVER, BOWELS.



A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish, stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is oftentimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Look carefully and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."—Adv.

Animals Admitted to Heaven.

According to the Mohammedan religion, ten animals were worthy of admission to heaven. They were:

The dog Kratim of the Seven Sleepers of Ephesus. These martyrs were walled in a cave and slept 230 years, the dog sleeping with them.

Balaam's ass which reproved the prophet.

Solomon's ant which reproved the sluggard.

Jonah's whale.

The ram of Israel which was offered in sacrifice by Abraham in place of Isaac.

The camel of Saleb.

The cuckoo of Belkis.

The ox of Moses.

Al Borak, the marvelous steed which carried Mohammed to heaven.

The ass on which Jesus rode into Jerusalem.—People's Home Journal.

"Home Grown" Drugs.

War conditions have cut off our supply of digitals, and we are obliged to turn to our own resources for the drug. Tinctures made from the wild species—foxglove—common in Washington and Oregon, compare favorably with those made from the imported article.

How's This?

We offer \$100.00 for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Sold by druggists for over forty years. Price 50c. Testimonials free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Her Paradoxical Position.

"A vessel is different in one way from anything else."

"What is that?"

"It is when she is tied up that she can't make any knots."

All But.

Grandma—He'd make you a good husband by all accounts.

Bessie—All accounts but bank account.

Kill the Flies Now and Prevent disease. A DAISY FLY KILLER will do it. Kills thousands. Lasts all season. All dealers or six sent express paid for \$1. H. SOMERS, 180 De Kalb Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y. Adv.

More Than One Way.

Jonah entered the whale.

"Another way of saving daylight," he remarked.

SAVE A DOCTOR'S BILL by keeping Mississippi Diarrhea Official handy for all stomach complaints. Price 25c and 50c.—Adv.

An implement has been patented by a New York man to enable a blind person to thread a needle.

BUILDING HOMES IN LARGE GROUPS

Demand for Houses Presents Problem in Great Many Communities.

SAVING IN COST POSSIBLE

Designs Must Not Be So Much Alike as to Be Monotonous, Nor So Different as to Destroy Harmony.

Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF COST on all subjects pertaining to the subject of building, for the readers of this paper. On account of his wide experience as Editor, Author and Manufacturer, he is, without doubt, the highest authority on all these subjects. Address all inquiries to William A. Radford, No. 1277 Prairie Avenue, Chicago, Ill., and only enclose three-cent stamp for reply.

By WILLIAM A. RADFORD.

Homes for workmen have come to be one of the serious problems of the nation's war enterprise. When the National army camps were built, thousands of building mechanics and laborers were brought in to handle the work. Many were housed temporarily in bunk houses or contractors' barracks.

The same is now true to quite an extent at the big shipyards.

Every one admits that this is not the ideal condition. It contains a serious threat to the working efficiency of the men, as well as to their moral natures. However, in the emergency it is the best that can be provided. In these big industrial centers where thousands of men must be brought together within a few weeks to carry out a large stupendous program of sudden preparation, such emergency housing is about all that can be provided.

Many of the smaller cities, in fact, even some small villages, are finding themselves woefully short on houses for the workmen who are being called in by the sudden growth of some local plant or factory. The war activity is reaching out into surprising places. All over the country we get reports of this town needing 50 new houses, that town requiring 30, another town 25, another 100, and so it goes.

This housing need in the smaller cities and towns should not be handled

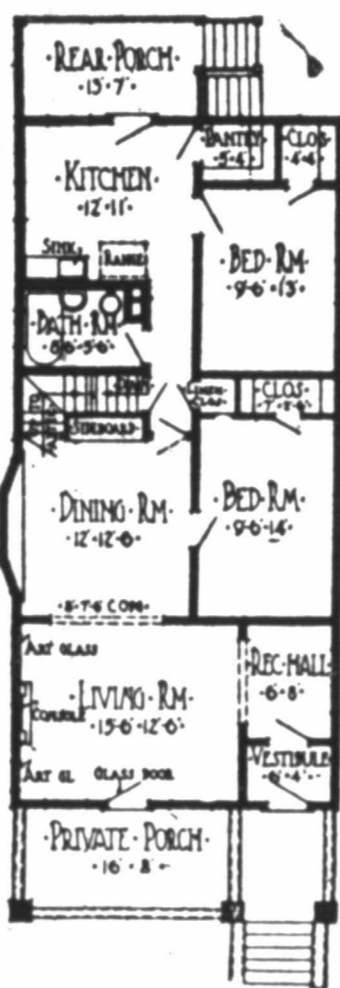
It's an entirely different problem to build one house for some one following his own and your suggestions than to build a group with the object of selling each house in the group. In the first case the owner may have certain radical features that he wishes to incorporate in his house, and as long as he is the one to be pleased these ideas are considered. In the group houses the designs must all be more or less conservative as the taste of the prospective owner is absolutely unknown. The problem therefore, is to provide a house that is distinctive and yet contains no freakish special features that are likely to impress prospects in the wrong way.

This idea applies equally well to both the exterior treatment and the room arrangement. The designs shown here are handled in this way, and each group is harmonious and contains no radical features that are likely to cause disapproval. Yet each house is distinctive and attractive.

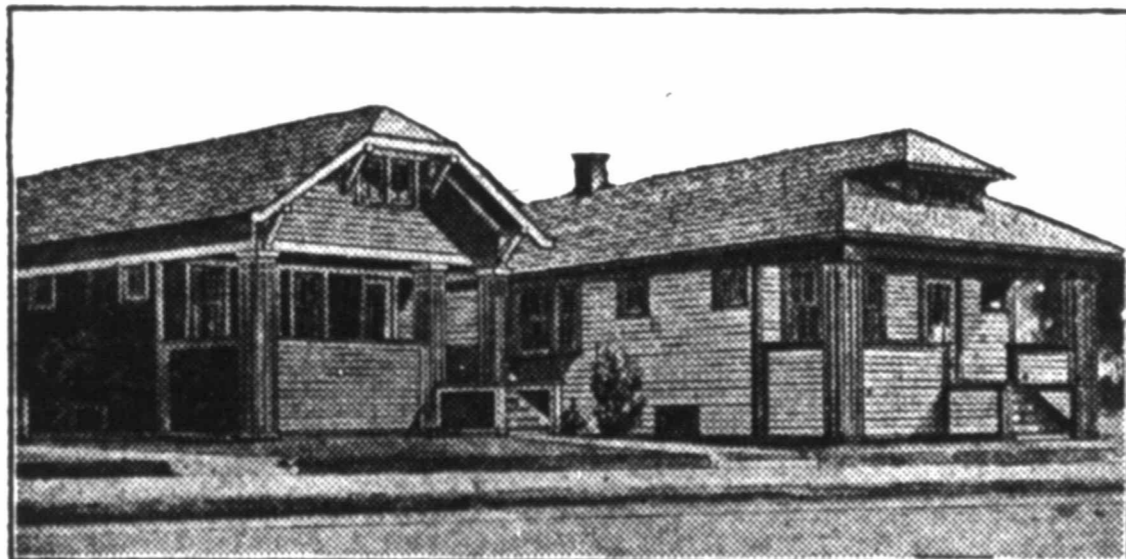
The floor plans of each of the houses are somewhat similar because this particular arrangement has been found to be the most practical. The arrangements differ of course in various little things, but in a general way they are much the same.

The opportunity for harmonious contrast lies almost altogether in the exterior treatment, and this is where these houses differ from each other.

In arranging for the building of these group houses, the lots are gen-



Floor Plan of House Shown at Right of Group Picture.



Floor Plan of House Shown at Left of Group Picture.

in a temporary slipshod way. Bunk houses or boarding houses will not do. The aim should be to supply real homes, but to select them so wisely that they will not be unduly expensive, and then to construct them, if possible, in quantity lots so that the building cost may be low.

There are two things to guard against in the design of groups of houses such as are shown here. They must not look so much alike as to become monotonous; on the other hand they should not contrast so sharply that some of the houses look insignificant or that the combination seems to lack harmony.

erally made fairly narrow so all these designs are made narrow enough to go on a small lot. The widest is 25 feet and the narrowest is 21 feet, which is small enough to go on any lot; as they are seldom made narrower than 25 feet and are generally a little wider than this.

Several factors enter into the selection and arrangement of the rooms. The main object to be accomplished in the design of a small house is the utilization of all the room possible, consistent with convenience and accessibility and also cost. Very often the latter item can be affected by altering the sizes of the rooms a little so as to enable the use of stock lumber. This reduces the amount of cutting that is necessary and thus reduces the cost—often to a marked degree. It also enables the builder to do faster work, which may be an important factor at times.

Frame construction is used for the designs shown here, which are of the bungalow type. The foundations of these and also of the other designs are made of concrete up to the grade line. The walls are of typical 2 by 4 stud construction, which is covered with sheathing. The sheathing is then covered with rosin building paper and No. 1 four-inch beveled siding. Floor joists are usually made of 2 by 10's, which are spaced 16 inches on centers. The ceiling joists are also spaced 16 inches on centers, and are made of 2 by 6 timbers.

A study of this group and the floor plans will give the builder many valuable ideas on group management and will also provide much useful information on single houses of several different kinds. Each of the houses is of course separate and will look well if set off by itself away from the rest of the group.

SILAGE USED IN FEEDING CATTLE

Corn Fodder Is Gradually Being Replaced in Corn Belt Sections.

MOST ECONOMICAL PRACTICE

Not Only Is Corn Plant More Fully Utilized, but Animals Do Better Than on Dry Ration—Silage is of Especial Value.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

In many sections of the corn belt corn fodder is being replaced gradually by silage in the ration for beef animals. Where there are enough animals to justify the building of a silo the feeding of silage is usually the more economical practice of the two, as a much larger proportion of the stover can be utilized as silage than otherwise. Not only is the corn plant more fully utilized, but cattle usually do better on silage than on a dry ration.

Expensive Feed.

Silage, because of the grain that it contains and because of the expense of putting it up, is a relatively expensive feed; consequently in localities where large amounts of cheap, rough feeds are available the silo may not always prove economical. However, when such roughage is scarce and high priced the feeding of silage usually will pay. This would be especially true if, instead of cutting their highest-yielding corn, the farmers habitually would select that part of the crop having the least grain. The silo is of especial value in helping to make the most of the corn crop in years when the corn is badly damaged by drought or when because of frosts it does not get a chance to mature.

In years when hay and grain are both high, the putting of husked stover



Superior Type for Beef.

into the silo should prove profitable. Although this practice has not been extensively followed, the results that have been reported seem satisfactory.

Fed in Moderate Amounts.

In an investigation conducted by specialists of the United States department of agriculture, which included a study of nearly 500 stock farms in the corn belt states, it was found that silage is an excellent feed for breeding animals, but that from the standpoint of economy it ordinarily should be fed only in moderate amounts and that it should not replace too much of the cheap roughage. One hundred of the farms (or nearly one-fifth of those under consideration) were feeding silage, and their average winter-feed bill was \$16 per head. On 29 of these farms approximately 12 per cent of the ration was silage, an average of three-fourths of a ton being fed to the cow. As 41 per cent of the feed was made up of cheap roughage, the silage displaced only fodder and the more

SUCCULENT FEED FOR HORSE

Roots and Corn Silage Not Used to Any Great Extent—Carrots Considered Best.

Succulent feeds, such as roots and corn silage, have not been used in this country to any great extent for horse feeding. Of the root crops, carrots are considered best for horses. Although low in food value, when compared with grains, they have a high value as conditioners. The serious objection to their extended use is the large amount of hand labor required in their production.

Potatoes for Hogs.

Potatoes too small or too badly injured for human use are still valuable as hog feed, especially if boiled. In the form of pork they will bring real money. In the shipper's dump pile they are a total loss.

Provide Some Meat.

Provide meat in some form, such as beef scraps or lean beef ground, about once a week.

expensive hay and grains. The average cost of wintering the cows on these farms was \$14. The average quantity of silage fed on the next 50 farms was 1.8 tons, nearly one-third of the ration being made up of this feed. Although the cows on these farms received 100 feed units less feed, their winter-feed bill was \$16.58. In the next group, 21 farms, silage constituted one-half of the ration, the cows receiving an average of 2.75 tons each. As only one-fourth of this ration was composed of the cheaper roughage, the average feed bill for these cows was \$17 although they received 400 feed units less than did the cows in the first group. It is evident that on the farms in this third group silage was replacing too largely the cheaper farm by-products.

VEGETABLE MATTER TO INCREASE CROPS

Liberal Supply of Humus Is One of Greatest Factors.

Many Enterprising Farmers Are Growing Leguminous Crops and Turning Them Under—Method Adopted on Virginia Farm.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

In many sections of the Eastern States where the soil has become worn by continual cropping, the addition of a liberal supply of humus for vegetable matter is one of the greatest factors necessary to increase the production of crops. To supply this need many enterprising farmers are growing legume crops and turning them under. That the farmers who have adopted this practice are being amply repaid is shown by the increased yields which they are able to secure.

On one farm in Caroline County, Va., the regular practice had been to grow corn on the land one year in three and to allow each field to "rest" during the other two years. The "resting" process was to allow weeds and trash to grow up and thus accumulate sufficient fertility for another crop of corn. With this system of cropping the yield of corn ranged generally from 15 to 18 bushels.

The improvement of the soil on this farm began first by planting one of the poorest fields to cowpeas. The cowpeas were cut for hay and the stubble disked and seeded to crimson clover. The following spring the crimson clover crop was turned under and the field planted to corn. At the last working of the corn, crimson clover was again sown. The following spring the same process was repeated by turning under the crimson clover and planting corn again on the same land. This practice was continued for five years. The third year the yield of corn was about 40 bushels to the acre and the fifth year the crop made a yield of 50 bushels to the acre.

Up to the time of the change in the cropping system, it had been the regular practice to apply 200 pounds of 16 per cent acid phosphate per acre to each crop grown. Under that system, however, crop yields could not be maintained. After the change in cropping system, the same amount of acid phosphate was applied each year to the corn crop. The only real change in method was to grow first a crop of cowpeas and after that to turn under a catch crop of crimson clover in preparation for the corn each year. The improvement in soil conditions is further evident from the fact that after the fifth consecutive corn crop, wheat was sown and a yield of 22 bushels per acre was harvested. While these yields are not extremely large, it was possible by simple methods and with comparatively small expense to increase the producing capacity of some very poor land to about three times what it had formerly been.

WAR FUEL SLOGANS

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

- Keep up with the war program—burn wood.
- Cut a cord and help win the war.
- Save coal for munition industries by burning war fuel.
- Now is the time to cut wood.
- Coal is scarce—there's "wood to burn."
- Wood is wartime fuel—cut it and burn it.

Mulching Celery.

The mulching system of celery culture is very simple. Place three or four inches of fresh horse manure between the rows of celery as soon as possible after it is set in the garden. See that the manure does not touch the plants.

Cultivation of Bean.

The cultivation of the bean crop is very similar to that of the corn crop.

Spring Colds Are the Worst

They lead to catarrh and pneumonia. They weaken the entire system and leave it unable to resist the sudden changes. They interfere with your digestion and lessen your activity. Neglected they soon become that dread disease known as systemic catarrh. Don't neglect them. It's costly as well as dangerous.

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A DEMOCRATIC NEWSPAPER



This paper has enlisted with the government in the cause of America for the period of the war.....

OVER THE TOP

Roosevelt county has gone gloriously over the top in point of dollars, but has failed ignominiously in the number of patriotic citizens who have responded to their country's call in time of need. To those who have done their duty all honor is due and to those who have failed there remains but anathema and ignominy. There can be but one reason for hoarding your money in this crisis and that is that you do not want it employed in fighting the Hun. The man who can and won't is a pro-German, is in sympathy with the German kaiser and his lust for conquest; is in sympathy with him in his accursed brutality; is in sympathy with the raping of Red Cross nurses, with the cutting off of their hands and the cutting out of their tongues; with the castration of all enemy males. He puts the seal of his approval on all the acts committed by the enemy in his warfare of frightfulness. He is neither an American nor a German; he is too cowardly to fight in the trenches on either side, and too niggardly and miserly to loan his own government a small amount of money to be used against the enemies of himself, his family and his property. He would rather that his own daughters and his own sons should be outraged and mutilated by the German beast than to part with any portion of his money. He would do any of the acts perpetrated by the kaiser or his minions only for the fact that he is a moral and a physical coward and afraid of the physical punishment that might follow. He should be weeded out of every community, not permitted to live in respectable neighborhoods nor to associate with any but his own kind. Ostracise him both socially and in a business way; shun him as you would the plague; his very existence is a contamination, a blot upon the fair name of your home. He is a menace to society and a curse to the land of his birth. Purge your community of pro-Germans, German sympathisers and financial slackers as you would purge it of German spies, bomb throwers and nigger rape fiends. Let the boys in France know that you are doing your duty at home as they are doing theirs in the trenches.

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Democratic Primaries, May 11, 1918

Roosevelt County, New Mexico

PLEDGE—"I am a Democrat and agree to support the nominees of these Democratic primaries in the general election next November."

District Judge
(Vote for Two)

- JOHN W. ARMSTRONG
- R. D. BOWERS
- SAM G. BRATTON
- CHARLES R. BRICE
- JUDSON G. OSBURN
- S. D. STENNIS, JR

Representative
COE HOWARD
J. S. LONG

- Sheriff**
BENT B. CLAYTON
A. L. (ARCH) GREGG
W. E. (EMZY) ROBERTS

Treasurer
JOHN W. BALLOW
County Clerk
SETH A. MORRISON

Assessor
BURL JOHNSON
J. N. (NOLAN) MCCALL
JOSH E. MORRISON

Superintendent Schools
J. W. SLONE
SAM J. STINNETT
Probate Judge
F. G. CALLAWAY
CLEVE COMPTON

County Commissioner
(Vote for One in Each District)
First District
J. S. PEARCE
Second District
ED WALL
Third District
DR. J. F. GARMANY
EMMETT GORE
CHARLES S. TOLER

To the Voters

of 20th legislation district: I am making as thorough campaign as circumstances will permit. but it will be impossible for me to see each of you personally, so I am asking you to investigate my claims and if you find I am qualified and honest I shall appreciate your support.

No doubt very important measures will come before the next legislature, and I feel with my experience and an extensive acquaintance in all parts of the state, that I may be able to be of some service to this part of the state.

If elected I promise to do my best for useful constructive legislation and against unnecessary detrimental legislation. And, I further promise to be on the job looking to the interest of the state and particularly to the interests of the 20th district.

Thanking you for any courtesies extended.

I am cordially,
J. S. Long.

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Public notice is hereby given that the undersigned county treasurer of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, will, at his office in the court house at Portales, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of the 20th day of May, 1918, sell to the highest bidder for cash, as is provided by section 4902 of the code of 1915, as amended by section 23 of chapter 105 of the session laws of 1917, bonds of school district No. 27 of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, aggregating the sum of \$750.00, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, maturing twenty years from date and redeemable, at the pleasure of the school district at any time after ten years, being issued in denominations of \$250.00, and bearing date the 20th day of May, 1918.

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Whereas, on the 11th day February, 1918, in cause No. 1219 upon the civil docket, pending in the district court of the Fifth judicial district of the state of New Mexico, in and for Roosevelt county, wherein C. Clayton is plaintiff and Ernest C. Wright, Jennie C. Wright, Portales Utilities Company, A. A. Rogers, C. J. Taylor, Jr., T. J. Lee, S. J. Artingstall, Jr., and A. L. Burrows are defendants, the plaintiff recovered a judgment and decree upon a promissory note and mortgage deed securing the same in the sum of \$3085.69, with all costs of said action, and said mortgage securing said amounts was foreclosed upon the following described real estate, to wit: The southwest quarter of section eleven in township one south of range thirty three east of New Mexico meridian, New Mexico, plaintiff's said mortgage being declared by the court a first and prior lien upon said property in favor of the plaintiff, that said judgment and decree at the date of the sale hereinafter mentioned will amount to the sum of \$3087.27 with costs of suit, and whereas, the undersigned, H. C. Waggoner, was in said decree appointed special commissioner and directed to advertise and sell said described lands and real estate, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said judgment, interest and costs of suit, after due advertisement thereof, therefore, by virtue of said judgment and decree, and the power vested in me as such special commissioner, I will, on the 29th day of May, 1918, at the hour of two o'clock, p. m. of said day, at the northeast front door of the court house in the town of Portales, New Mexico, sell said described real estate and property at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said judgment and decree, and the costs of this action. Witness my hand this the 20th day of April, 1918.

H. C. WAGGONER, Special Commissioner.

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Matters Purely Local

FRANCES A. RYTHER

Land Loans—See W. O. or W. B. Oldham.

Mrs. Jack Wilcox was a visitor in Ft. Sumner last week.

Extra good pinto bean seed. Nine cents while they last W. S. Merrill.

Mrs. R. L. Woods returned from a short visit with relatives Saturday.

Miss Orma Sandefer, of Amarillo, will be in the city Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Nola Keen, of Albuquerque, will be in Portales Monday for a few hours.

Mrs. S. F. Culberson, of La Lande, is the guest of Mrs. H. F. Jones this week.

LOST—Blue braid hat, rose veil attached. Finder leave at this office and receive reward.

Mrs. Ed Nelson left last week for Hope, New Mexico, to attend her mother who is ill.

Miss Lucy Johnson has returned from Longs where she has conducted a seven months term of school.

Paul Morrison, Joe Wolfarth and Frank Tipton have joined the Texas cavalry and will soon be mustered into service.

E. C. Pinson, formerly with the Joyce-Pruit people here, left Thursday for Louisiana to enlist in the medical corps of the United States army.

Mrs. Roy W. Connally and Miss Fannie Williamson sang between acts at the Red Cross play given for the benefit of the Red Cross, at Fort Sumner last Thursday and Friday nite.

The Journal is given up this week to the politicians and readers are asked to overlook absence of news matter. Commencing with next week it is hoped that this paper will be able to give current events more attention.

Seth Tidwell returned Saturday from the Sacramento mountains where he had been on a prospecting trip. Before returning he purchased a ranch and seven hundred and twenty goats. He paid ten thousand dollars for the ranch and seven dollars a round for the goats.

John W. Ballow says that he certainly appreciates the fact that he is given the second term of office without opposition and is sorry that his duties kept him from meeting all the voters at their homes. He believes, however, that he will not hold it against him that he deemed the business of the county was more important than his personal affairs, and that in serving you faithfully he was best showing his gratitude for your favors. John says, "Thank You" to every citizen of the county.

Judge S. D. Stennis, Jr. of Carlsbad, candidate for one of the judgeships in this district, was in Portales this week. Judge Stennis is a lawyer of ability and good repute in his home town. He is one of the leading lawyers of the east side and is making a vigorous campaign. He wants your support on May 11th, not because he is a nice fellow, simply, but because he is a lawyer who knows the law and is pledged to fairness and impartiality, because he has all the qualifications necessary for filling this position honorable and efficiently. He says every man in the judge's race is a gentleman, a lawyer and a good fellow, but he wants the job and he hopes that you want him to have it.

Seth Morrison, county clerk, wants the people of Roosevelt county to know that he appreciates the fact that he has had no opponent in his race for the second term. He had intended to get out among the people just as though he had a vigorous campaign to wage but the work of his office had multiplied so that he would have had to neglect his duty, and that he would not feel justified in doing. He believes that efficiency and hard work are the best evidences of appreciation any officer can give his constituency, and this you will always have from Seth A. Morrison.

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Coe Howard

Coe Howard is one of the old timers in Portales and Roosevelt county. It was through his efforts largely, that Roosevelt county was changed from a sparsely settled prairie to a thickly settled and prosperous community. Mr. Howard is largely interested in the affair of the county and state. He is a man of affairs and of ability and has for the past two years been associated with the directorate of the Security State bank. He is a graduate of a reputable law school and has decided opinions on matters of public interest. He feels that he is qualified for the position to which he aspires. Mr. Howard is asking to be sent to Santa Fe as representative of the Twentieth representative district. He has been given much encouragement by the electorate and feels confident that he will be the choice of the Democratic voters on May 11th. His candidacy has been neglected to some extent by reason of the very active part he has taken in the flotation of the different United States bond issues and the work of the American Red Cross, yet he felt that that work was paramount to any personal interest that he might have in the campaign. He is in hearty sympathy with the administration at Washington and is ready and willing to do anything necessary to help eliminate the Hun from European control. He asks for your support and your influence in his candidacy and will appreciate anything you may be able to do in his behalf.

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Publicity of Slackers

W. O. Oldham is in receipt of a letter from J. W. Hoopes, deputy governor of the Federal Reserve bank, of Dallas, Texas, which indicates that bond slackers are to be tabbed. The letter follows:

To the Organizer Addressed:

As you are aware the third Liberty loan campaign is going to be conducted in a much more thorough manner than any previous loan, and the personal responsibility of every citizen is going to be brought home to him in a manner never attempted before. In this line of thought, we want you to be prepared, after the campaign has been in progress for about two weeks, to give to us a list of the names and addresses of every man in your county who is well known to possess wealth, and who has not done his full share in the purchase of Liberty bonds. That is to say who has not purchased just what you consider to be his individual quota. We trust you will have the names ready for us on call. You will realize the necessity and advantage of such a course and will call for your watching the subscription lists very closely. This is one of the duties which we ask you to assume in this campaign. We ask you to realize that records and data relating to the third Liberty loan campaign must be of permanent character, and we ask you to keep these records by you subject to our call at any time. We know that we will receive your hearty co-operation in these very important matters.

Very sincerely yours,
J. W. Hoopes, Dep. Governor.
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TO CUT WHEAT USE ONE-HALF

Military Necessity Demands That Each American Eat Only 1 1/2 Pounds Wheat Products Weekly.

CORN AND OATS SUBSTITUTES.

Allies Must Have Wheat Enough to Maintain Their War Bread Till Next Harvest.

If we are to furnish the allies with the necessary proportion of wheat to maintain their war bread from now until the next harvest, and this is a military necessity, we must reduce our monthly consumption to 21,000,000 bushels a month as against our normal consumption of about 42,000,000 bushels, or 50 per cent. of our normal consumption. This is the situation as set forth by the U. S. Food Administration at Washington. Reserving a margin for distribution to the army and for special cases, leaves for general consumption approximately 1 1/2 pounds of wheat products weekly per person, the Food Administration's statement continues: Many of our consumers are dependent upon bakers' bread. Such bread must be durable and therefore requires a larger proportion of wheat products than cereal breads baked in the household. Our army and navy require a full allowance. The well-to-do in our population can make greater sacrifices in the consumption of wheat products than can the poor. In addition, our population in the agricultural districts, where the other cereals are abundant, are more skilled in the preparation of breads from these other cereals than the crowded city and industrial populations.

With improved transportation conditions we now have available a surplus of potatoes. We also have in the spring months a surplus of milk, and we have ample corn and oats for human consumption. The drain on rye and barley as substitutes has already greatly exhausted the supply of these grains.

To effect the needed saving of wheat we are wholly dependent upon the voluntary assistance of the American people and we ask that the following rules shall be observed:

1. Householders to use not to exceed a total of 1 1/2 pounds per week of wheat products per person. This means not more than 1 1/4 pounds of Victory bread containing the required percentage of substitutes and one-half pound of cooking flour, macaroni, crackers, pastry, pies, cakes, wheat breakfast cereals, all combined.

2. Public eating places and clubs to observe two wheatless days per week, Monday and Wednesday, as at present. In addition thereto, not to serve to any one guest at any one meal an aggregate of breadstuffs, macaroni, crackers, pastry, pies, cakes, wheat breakfast cereals, containing a total of more than two ounces of wheat flour. No wheat products to be served unless specially ordered. Public eating establishments not to buy more than six pounds of wheat products for each ninety meals served, thus conforming with the limitations requested of the householders.

3. Retailers to sell not more than one-eighth of a barrel of flour to any town customer at any one time and not more than one-quarter of a barrel

to any country customer at any one time, and in no case to sell wheat products without the sale of an equal weight of other cereals.

4. We ask the bakers and grocers to reduce the volume of Victory bread sold, by delivery of the three-quarter pound loaf where one pound was sold before, and corresponding proportions in other weights. We also ask bakers not to increase the amount of their wheat flour purchases beyond 70 per cent. of the average monthly amount purchased in the four months prior to March 1.

5. Manufacturers using wheat products for non-food purposes should cease such use entirely.

6. There is no limit upon the use of other cereals, flours, and meals, corn, barley, buckwheat, potato flour, et cetera.

Many thousand families throughout the land are now using no wheat products whatever, except a very small amount for cooking purposes, and are doing so in perfect health and satisfaction. There is no reason why all of the American people who are able to cook in their own households cannot subsist perfectly well with the use of less wheat products than one and one-half pounds a week, and we specially ask the well-to-do households in the country to follow this additional programme in order that we may provide the necessary marginal supplies for those parts of the community less able to adapt themselves to so large a proportion of substitutes.

In order that we shall be able to make the wheat exports that are absolutely demanded of us to maintain the civil population and soldiers of the allies and our own army, we propose to supplement the voluntary co-operation of the public by a further limitation of distribution, and we shall place at once restrictions on distribution which will be adjusted from time to time to secure as nearly equitable distribution as possible. With the arrival of harvest we should be able to relax such restrictions. Until then we ask for the necessary patience, sacrifice and co-operation of the distributing trades.

Notice to Homesteaders

The act of congress approved December 20, 1917, is an important one for homesteaders. It provides that during the present war any homesteader shall be entitled to leave of absence from his land for the purpose of performing farm labor elsewhere, and that such absence while actually engaged in farm labor, will be counted as constructive residence on the land.

The act requires that each entryman, within fifteen days after leaving his claim, shall file notice thereof in the land office; and at the expiration of the calendar year, file a written statement, under oath, corroborated by two witnesses, giving the date or dates when he left his claim and when he returned, and where and for whom he was engaged in farm labor.

The act does not relieve the entrymen from making the required improvements and cultivation.

The act applies to homesteaders who have entered before the

act was passed as well as after, and the act also applies to settlers, prior to their entry, whether on unsurveyed land or not, as well as the entrymen; and there is no limit as to the number or length of the absences a homesteader may have under the act as long as he is engaged in farm labor.

Slone Recommended

This is to certify that we, the undersigned are citizens who live in the vicinity where J.W. Slone lives and know the following to be true of him:

First. That his neighbors and friends in the districts where he has taught school have put him out for county superintendent of schools.

Second. That he is a man of excellent standing in his own community, and in every community where he has taught.

Third. That he is a man of a clean character and has that degree of firmness to stand for what he believes to be right.

Fourth. That he holds a first grade certificate.

Fifth. That he is a man of good, practical judgment on any question and can heartily commend him to the voters of the county, as the right kind of a man for county superintendent of schools.

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USE LESS WHEAT.

The allied nations have made further increased demands on us for breadstuffs—demands that Americans are obligated to meet.

In the meantime America's meat supply has been greatly increased for some months to come by the unprecedented shipping to market of hogs that averaged 232 pounds each instead of 203 pounds—the normal.

The United States Food Administration, endeavoring to adjust the international food balance, promptly removed certain restrictions in this country on the use of meat and at the same time asked for a smaller consumption of breadstuffs.

We are asked to observe only one meatless day each week—Tuesday. We will have larger meat stocks for awhile. But our bread ration must be held to a minimum.

In altering its food conservation program the Food Administration emphasizes that the food situation is of necessity, subject to radical changes, caused by crop conditions at home and abroad and by the precarious transportation problem, both in overseas shipping and in America's overburdened transportation system.

The Food Administration will keep the American people fully and frankly advised of each change in the developing situation that they may know definitely the part their food sacrifices play in the world war.

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Cleve Compton

To the voters of Roosevelt county. Voters should exercise their rights of suffrage with the descretion as they do any other business affair and look solely to the interest of the county and state for efficient services to be rendered and require that efficiency from the officials elected to office.

The probate judge has many legal questions daily to decide wherein orphans, widows, and decedents estates are involved, and a man should be elected to

that office who possesses the best qualification for the particular office for which he aspires, and certainly the office of probate judge calls for a man who has a legal qualification to attend to legal matters.

A few years ago you entrusted me with this responsible office and it has been my highest ambition to hold the office high above criticism and to render a just service between litigants before the probate court, and during the time I have served you as probate judge, I have not been

reversed in a single decision, a record I feel proud of and a record upon which I am submitting my candidacy before the voters again.

The time is now on hand when only the good of the masses should be concerned when you cast your vote. The office should seek the best man for it, and not the man seek the office.

In closing, I desire to thank you for your vote in the past and will reassure you that if not elected again I still have that kind regard for having served as your probate judge, and if you see fit to return me to that responsible position again, it will be my endeavor to give you that same honest and fair and economic administration of the county affairs as I have in the past.

Soliciting your support May 11th. I beg to remain,
Very respectfully,
Cleve Compton.

To the Voters of Roosevelt County

Gentlemen, in presenting to you my candidacy for re-election to the office of tax assessor, possibly you are aware of the fact that I have only been elected one term which I am now serving. And I wish to say that in 1910 I made a thorough campaign of the county and the campaign which passed carrying the provisions that all the old officers serving at that time hold over another year. The following year, I made a second campaign and was defeated by a very small majority of 24 votes, and in 1916 I was elected tax assessor and this campaign making the fourth time that I have been before the people and all this expense has come out of the first term, so you can see my standing from a financial standpoint, derived from the proceeds of this office.

As all true Democrats know that it is a long acknowledged party custom that when an officer is qualified and efficient in the performance of his duty, is he justly entitled to the endorsement by the people for a second term. A candidate coming before the people asking their support for them, is advocating a principle which you well know they do not stand for, because if they were elected to the office, they would ask you for a second term.

In regard to my record as a public official, the work I have done for the 2 years I have served stands before the public, and I heartily request and invite as many people who care to investigate as to value of merchandize or as to value of persona! or as to the number of livestock of various individuals, it will afford me a great favor to show you through their renditions to the end that justice may be done to all alike.

I have lived in your county for 12 years and am thoughtly acquainted with the ups and downs of the people as I lived out a homestead near Redland New Mexico, and if my services have been satisfactory for my present term of office, I solicit your careful consideration and support to a second term on the 11th day of May next, oor which I sincerely thank you.


Very respectfully,
Burl Johnson.

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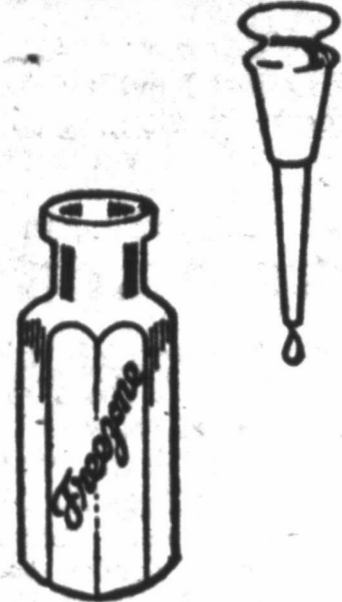
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Her Duty.

The girl at the counter who sells two yards of ribbon to the customer who wanted only one is also doing her bit.

DON'T GAMBLE

that your heart's all right. Make sure. Take "Renovine"—a heart and nerve tonic. Price 50c and \$1.00.—Adv.

Not to Be Expected.

"Josephine had a quiet wedding, didn't she?" "Oh, no; she had to be there, you know."



Building-up for the Spring Attack at the Front is a good deal like putting the body in condition for an invasion of the germs of grip, pneumonia or "Spring fever" here at home.

At this time of the year most people suffer from a condition often called Spring Fever. They feel tired, worn out, before the day is half thru. They may have frequent headaches and sometimes "pimply" or pale skin and white lips. The reason for this is that during the wintertime, shut up within doors, eating too much meat and too little green vegetables, one heaps fuel into the system which is not burned up and the clinkers remain to poison the system—a clogging up of the circulation—with inactive liver and kidneys. Time to put your house in order.

For an invigorating tonic which will clarify the blood, put new life in the body, sparkle to the eyes, and a wholesome skin, nothing does so well as a glyceric herb extract made from Golden Seal root, Blood and Stone root, Oregon grape root and Wild Cherry bark. This can be had in convenient, ready-to-use tablet form at all drug stores, sixty cents, and has been sold for the past fifty years as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. By reason of the nerves feeding on the blood, when the blood is pure the nerves feel the effect, and neuralgia or other nerve pains disappear because such pain is the cry of the starved nerves for food. When suffering from backache, frequent or scanty urine, rheumatic pains here or there, or that constant tired feeling, the simple way to overcome these disorders is merely to obtain Dr. Pierce's Anuric from your druggist. In tablets, sixty cents.

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ONE PIECE SLIPS

Directoire Frocks Look as Though Grafted on Egyptian.

Girdled High Under the Bust, Having Short Sleeves and a Slight Round Neck—Short Hair.

In the reaction toward the directoire, which has come about through the influence of many designers, there is a return to the classicism that was insisted upon by Mme. Tallien and Josephine in the days of the directoire. You remember, recalls a fashion correspondent, that these two women established simplicity and, history says, seminudity, as a protest to the extraordinary frivolity of the gowns of Marie Antoinette.

Our fashionable women have already adopted the short hair which these



Frock of printed chiffon, with silver fringe at hem of skirt and chiffon silver scarf, adapted from gowns worn when Napoleon was fighting in Italy. High coiffure has also returned.

two brought into fashion in France, and which was called the "coiffure a la victime." Today the hair is worn pulled up on top of the head, sometimes ending in a mass of ringlets, as was the fashion of the directoire, when the short locks were considered a badge of honor.

These directoire frocks are one-piece slips, girdled high under the bust, with short sleeves and a slight round neck. Callot makes them to look as though they were directoire grafted on Egyptian—a curious combination indeed.

SHOULD SPONGE WOOLENS

Treatment of Material Before Being Made Up Will Prevent Its Shrinking and Water Spotting.

Woolen materials should be sponged before being made up in order to avoid shrinkage and water spotting.

Lay the material on a table that has been padded and covered smoothly with a cloth that is free from lint. Cover the woolen material with a wet cloth and press with a fairly hot iron until the cloth is almost dry, when it should be removed and the woolen itself pressed until it is dry. In pressing, the iron should be lifted and placed rather than pushed along. If the material to be sponged has a nap, the pressing should be done with the nap.

If double width material is to be sponged, it may be left folded, right side in. The wet cloth on one side is sufficient to stem both thicknesses, but both sides should be pressed in order to insure dryness.

COLORFUL HATS HAVE CALL

Gobelin Blue, Rose Pink, Mandarin Yellow, Leaf Green and Scarlet Attached to Black, Favorites.

The milliners have especially laid stress upon hats in color, instead of black. The world should be quite weary of black on the head, for it has had six years of velvet, straw and satin in this cambray shade. We are now to wear gobelin blue, rose pink, mandarin yellow, leaf green and scarlet attached to black.

The turban is the thing, although there are women who cannot abide it, who look ill in it and who insist upon the brim.

If they do, they will be in fashion. There is no one law that governs the whole. The beaver dam turban, however, with its round crown, is a somewhat new note in millinery.

And another thing that is of interest is that the French milliners have taken the collar and put it on the hat. They have insisted for three years upon what is known as the fence collar—a wired, upstanding ruffle of or-

TABLE OF FASHION HINTS

Little Things Which Put a Costume in Mode and Aid in Keeping Women Dressed Up-to-Date.

Gray is a favorite shade. Waistlines are never in the same place.

Sleeveless coats are made with capes.

Yellow is a shade fancied by Paris. Mushroom sailor hats are with us again.

Ivory white beads make a pretty girdle.

Gray and yellow make a pretty combination.

Small poke-shaped hats are worn. Satin is used for dresses, suits and hats.

Kilted plaids are much in favor for skirts.

Wool embroideries are more than ever used.

There must be a note of contrast in the dress.

Flag blue is combined with gray and chamois.

Sashes are tied at one side under the left arm.

The slip-on coat is one that Paris is very fond of.

Wool hop sacking is to be used for motor wraps.

Printed silk voile is used for some of the spring blouses.

Pointed trains are a feature of the new evening gowns.

Drawn-work will be a feature of summer dresses.

COAT FOR SPRING WEAR



Styles come and go, but the clothes used in making them stay pretty near the same. Corduroy always has been the practical cloth for a spring coat, for it gives just the quantity of warmth that is needed for spring days when sunshine is mixed with breezes. Styles in using corduroy have changed greatly, but corduroy is still used. The color, too, has changed for the better, for this jade corduroy makes a very pretty effect and with its dainty style, the coat is well-nigh perfect. The collar is of tan velours. The belt on the coat, fastened in front with three buttons, is the only slight suggestion of fanciful style.

It is said that the Philippines could supply 100,000 soldiers.

gandie—and their women have liked and worn it with spirit and dash. Now it has gone up several inches and tries to cover the crown of a hat instead of the neck of a woman.

Suits of Silk Poplin.

The revival of silk poplin is a bit of news that appeals to the majority of women. The fabric makes admirable coat suits, and with the modern activity of nearly every woman in this country there will not be such a wide demand as usual for frocks that need constant cleaning and laundering.

The late spring and summer will probably usher in a vast array of women dressed in silk poplin, shantung, the thinnest gaberdine, satin and dark foulard.

The tailored suit which is adopted by such numbers of women doing active relief work has already set its impress upon the fashions, and it is quite probable, despite the talk of the dressmakers, that coat suits of silk poplin in black, beige, brown and blue will rise to unusual heights of popularity. Let us hope this may come about.

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Most men who are willing to do good are not in position to make good.

When you bury an old animosity never mind the gravestone.

No, Herbert, you cannot have your boss arrested because he fires you.

Pity the Neighbors.

"Is your daughter fond of the needle?" "Very, if you refer to the gramophone needle."—Boston Transcript.

Why She Broke It Off.

Dick—Every one says I'm a puzzle. Tess—In that case there's only one thing for me to do—give you up.

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These eight famous athletes have deserted the field of sport for the field of battle and athletic glory for Old Glory. They are now serving at Camp Lewis, American Lake, Washington.

Seated, left to right: Lieut. W. L. Stanton, former football coach; Capt. L. A. Wattleit, baseball manager and owner of several Western teams; Rev. Father J. Galvin, former Dublin university football star, and Robert I. Simpson, world's champion hurdler.

Standing, left to right: Corp. L. E. Ireland, featherweight wrestler; Capt. T. G. Cook, director of athletics at Camp Lewis; Willie Ritchie, former lightweight champion boxer, and Eddie Heinholz, former star all-round athlete of the State colleges of Washington.

Lemons Whiten and Beautify the Skin! Make Cheap Lotion

The juice of two fresh lemons strained into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white makes a whole quart pint of the most remarkable lemon skin beautifier at about the cost one must pay for a small jar of the ordinary cold creams. Care should be taken to strain the lemon juice through a fine cloth so no lemon pulp gets in, then this lotion will keep fresh for months. Every woman knows that lemon juice is used to bleach and remove such blemishes as freckles, sallowness and tan and is the ideal skin softener, smootheners and beautifier.

Just try it! Make up a quart pint of this sweetly fragrant lemon lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It should naturally help to whiten, soften, freshen and bring out the hidden roses and beauty of any skin. It is wonderful for rough, red hands.

Your druggist will sell three ounces of orchard white at little cost, and any grocer will supply the lemons. Adv.

What "His Bit" Really Means. As first used in England, "His Bit" was intended to convey the impression of "his all," but the term "bit" as used in this country rather minimizes the task before us. Men think of one doing "his bit" in a sense of smallness rather than in a sense of consecration of their all. Let's find some new expression—stronger, more emphatic, more all-embracing, and yet not profane, which conveys the thought that we must do our utmost in this great world war.—Manufacturers' Record.

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His Fear. "Are you not tempted to retire from politics?" "No," replied Senator Sorghum; "that's a proposition concerning which I fear compulsion, not temptation."

No man ever has as much sense as the woman he is engaged to think he has.

Contentment consists in having a great deal to do and doing it.

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DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

FORTUNE TELLERS.

"What sort of luck did you bring the master today?" asked the Red-and-Blue Macaw, called Reddy for short.



"Isn't it a Joke?" Asked Reddy.

"Fine," said the Blue-and-Yellow Macaw, called Bluey for short. Their voices were very loud and piercing as they shrieked at each other as they talked. "Isn't it a joke?" asked Reddy. "Sure!" said Bluey. They talked quite like their master when they were alone. When people passed by during the daytime they did not say anything at all, they made a funny noise, which was supposed to sound quite mysterious and wonderful, and then they did their work.

Now Bluey and Reddy stood all day on top of a stand. They had little dishes of grain and seeds and water, and when business was dull they had their meals.

Their master carried this stand from place to place and Bluey and Reddy always went along. They were very handsome, with the most exquisite of plumage, but, oh, what voices they had!

It was their pride that they could be heard a mile off, but they did not try too much of this in the daytime. They thought they might frighten people, but they certainly made enough noise to attract people to them, and to encourage them to help along the business.

Now, the business consisted of fortune-telling. There were many pieces of paper in a little box, and written on these bits of paper were fortunes of many kinds. These fortunes told folks that they'd become very wealthy or very poor. Some said they would have hard times ahead, but that better times would come soon. Others said they would have a great deal of luck in the next year, and again a fortune said that the lucky one who received this fortune would take a long and wonderful journey and meet a rich man at the end, and that they would live happily ever after, as the old-fashioned story used to say.

These macaws would poke their beaks down into the little box and pick out a fortune of a piece of paper with the printing upon it.

They were supposed to tell by the looks of the person what sort of a fortune he should have. They did nothing else but hand out fortunes all day long, and the master would say:

"Come and have your fortune told by either Reddy or Bluey. Only costs ten cents."

"I think," said Reddy, "it's a good joke, and it's all right if folks take it that way. But when they believe these fortunes—that makes me mad. It makes me think so little of people. Why, the other day, a little girl came up to have her fortune told, and I picked out a piece of paper for her."

"I never know which paper I'm picking out. I pretend to look at the person and then think about it, but I don't at all. I fuss a little bit and then take the piece I hit upon last."

"Well, the fortune this little girl had said that she was going to take a long journey and marry a prince. Imagine a little girl leaving school at this time of the year—and imagine a little girl marrying a real, grown up prince."

"Gracious! She must study and play, and have a glorious long childhood before she should marry and become a grown-up. But it taught her that fortunes hadn't so very much sense. Sometimes they happen to hit things right."

"But she had believed in them before, and it showed her that no one knew what her fortune was going to be."

"Yes," said Bluey, "fortunes are lots of fun, but it seems too bad that there are many foolish people who think they're true."

"And how we laugh at them when they believe the fortune we pick out," laughed Reddy, in his shrieking voice.

GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER

Has been used for all ailments that are caused by a disordered stomach and inactive liver, such as sick headache, constipation, sour stomach, nervous indigestion, fermentation of food, palpitation of the heart caused by gases in the stomach. August Flower is a gentle laxative, regulates digestion both in stomach and intestines, cleans and sweetens the stomach and alimentary canal, stimulates the liver to secrete the bile and impurities from the blood. Sold in all civilized countries. Give it a trial.—Adv.

Resented the Snub.
An Irishman was at work on a hoisting machine that carried hods of bricks to the top of a building, and brought them down empty. Happening to get caught, he was carried to the top floor, and in the orderly but rapid progress of the machine was brought to the ground rather suddenly. A fellow-workman leaned from the second story scaffolding and cried: "Are you hurt, Pat?" "You go to the divvie!" shouted Pat. "I passed you twice and ye niver spoke to me."

Musical Beginnings.
Mrs. Boynton caught a glimpse of her young son going to the library one afternoon concealing something behind him. Upon investigation, she discovered he had a new porous plaster which he had found in the medicine closet. "Why, Edmund," said the mother, "what in the world are you going to do with that plaster?" "I am going to see what tune it will play on the planola, mother," replied the boy.—Puck.

Important to Mothers
Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*. In Use for Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

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Dr. Pierce's Pellets are best for liver, bowels and stomach. One little Pellet for a laxative, three for a cathartic. Ad.

Occasionally the world blazes with genius—but the flickers are innumerable.

Spartan Women Suffered Untold Tortures but who wants to be a Spartan? Take "Femenina" for all female disorders. Price 50c and \$1.00.—Adv.

Many a man who has a reputation for talking too much doesn't talk enough at the right time.

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Your druggist gives back your money if it doesn't liven your liver and bowels and straighten you up without making you sick.

Ugh! Calomel makes you sick. It's horrible! Take a dose of the dangerous drug tonight and tomorrow you may lose a day's work. Calomel is mercury or quicksilver which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel, when it comes into contact with sour bile, crashes into it, breaking it up. This is when you feel that awful nausea and cramping. If you are sluggish and "all knocked out," if your liver is torpid and bowels constipated or you have headache, dizziness, coated tongue, if breath is bad or stomach sour, just try a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone tonight. Here's my guarantee—Go to any drug store and get a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone for a few cents. Take a spoonful and if it doesn't straighten you right up and make you feel fine and vigorous I want you to go back to the store and get your money. Dodson's Liver Tone is destroying the sale of calomel because it is real liver medicine; entirely vegetable, therefore it cannot salivate or make you sick. I guarantee that one spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone will put your sluggish liver to work and clean your bowels of that sour bile and constipated waste which is clogging your system and making you feel miserable. I guarantee that a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone will keep your entire family feeling fine for months. Give it to your children. It is harmless; doesn't gripe and they like its pleasant taste.

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TRIPLE IN UPPERS
Joe Cantillon of the Minneapolis Millers, says he has no patience with ball players who kick on being assigned to upper berths or even doubling up in them. "Why, we used to triple in uppers," says Joe. Some one expressed doubt as to that and then Joe explained the "system." "We worked it by relays," he said. "Two hours in bed and two hours on watch. At the end of two hours, the man on the inside of the berth had to get out, the man on the outside moved over and the man who had been sitting up on watch climbed in."

George Burns feels that the fates have been unkind to him. Shortly after he received word that he was in class one in the draft, he was notified that he had been traded to the Athletics for Ping Bodie.

When Babe Ruth's days are ended as a major league pitcher he will be shunted into the outfield, instead of being sent to the minors. His hitting ability will keep him in the big show. Last year he hit .320, in 1916, .272, and in 1915, .315.

Eppa Jephtha Rixey, the elongated Philly hurler, is getting farther away from home every day. He is a lieutenant and has been transferred from Camp Bowie, Tex., to Camp Fremont, Cal. Eppa's specialty is making the cantonments sanitary.

Clifton Heathcote, a "collegian," recently signed by the Cardinals, never attended college. He played semipro ball at York, Pa., and was induced to enter Penn State college last fall. Then a Cards scout nabbed him. Interesting because it proves one way of obtaining an education.

A spring gun has been invented for casting fishing lines farther than can be done by hand.

Matrimonial packages are not always what they are tied up to be.

Middle Aged Women

Are Here Told the Best Remedy for Their Troubles.

Freemont, O.—"I was passing through the critical period of life, being forty-six years of age and had all the symptoms incident to that change—heat flashes, nervousness, and was in a general run down condition, so it was hard for me to do my work. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me as the best remedy for my troubles, which it surely proved to be. I feel better and stronger in every way since taking it, and the annoying symptoms have disappeared."—Mrs. M. GODDEN, 925 Napoleon St., Fremont, Ohio.

North Haven, Conn.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound restored my health after everything else had failed when passing through change of life. There is nothing like it to overcome the trying symptoms."—Mrs. FLORENCE ISELLA, Box 197, North Haven, Conn.

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OVER THE TOP

To The Voters of Roosevelt County:

I wish to make this last and final appeal through the press for your support for the office of Sheriff of Roosevelt County. It may be that I have not met all of you, if so, I am sorry, for I have tried to meet every voter in person. First, I want to thank most heartily my loyal friends who have stood by me from the beginning of my entrance into this race. I have made the race on my own merits and not on the demerits of my opponents. If you elect me sheriff of this county I wish to make you this pledge now, I have no promises out as to appointments and will not make any. If elected, I will conduct the office with efficiency and at the very least possible expense to the taxpayers of the county.

As my last and final appeal I pledge you here and now that if you elect me Sheriff of Roosevelt County, there will be NO PUNCHING OR FAVORITISM; every act and every deed will be performed according to law and the circumstance governing the same. While I realize I have some enemies, but they are few, I defy any of them to establish the fact that I EVER WRONGED any man or woman, willfully or knowingly. There's no person in this county that has had dealings with me but what will admit that I would rather give them the advantage than to take the advantage, any way or any where.

With this my final appeal, I rest my case in your hands and shall abide cheerfully by your decision at the polls May 11th.

Yours faithfully,

EMZY ROBERTS

Call For Democratic Primary.

Pursuant to the action of the Democratic County Central Committee a primary election for the Democratic Voters of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, is hereby called to be held in the various precincts and voting boxes of said county on the eleventh day of May, 1918, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, to nominate candidates for the following offices:

- Two District Judges.
- One member of the State House of Representatives.
- One sheriff.
- One County Clerk.
- One County Treasurer.
- One County Assessor.
- Three County Commissioners.
- One Probate Judge.
- One County School Superintendent.
- One County Surveyor.

At said election each precinct of said county will also elect one member of the County Central Committee to hold such office for the next two years.

The following named places shall have voting boxes at said election, and the following named persons shall be the judges and clerks who shall hold said election at the various voting boxes, to wit:

- Precinct No. One, Portales. Judges: J. P. Henderson, F. T. McDonald, C. V. Harris. Clerks: C. J. Whitcomb, J. A. Fairly.
- Precinct No. 2, Elida. Judges: J. E. Wallace, John Slack and C. H. Letton. Clerks: Charles Sims and Tyre Beal.
- Precinct No. 3, Dereno. Judges: J. D. Spear and J. H. Check.

- Clerk: S. A. Elliott.
- Precinct No. 4, Floyd. Judges: J. P. Nash and J. E. Spears. Clerk: J. R. Shock.
- Precinct No. 5, Tolar. Judges: H. C. Scruggs and T. L. Beal. Clerk: E. R. Wright.
- Precinct No. 6, Mineo. Judges: J. L. Swafford and B. S. Anderson. Clerk: Hance Arnold.
- Precinct No. 7, Arch. Judges: J. J. Pinson and J. B. Crawford. Clerk: C. M. Horton.
- Precinct No. 8, Cromer. Judges: D. C. Evans and T. I. Park. Clerk: A. J. Burkett.
- Precinct No. 9, Milnesand. Judges: Butch Moorehead and J. R. Webb. Clerk: B. J. Ditto.
- Precinct No. 10, Valley View. Judges: W. J. Stobb and E. C. McCowen. Clerk: Lee Smith.
- Precinct No. 11, Rogers. Judges: W. O. McCormack and Lem Miller. Clerk: B. J. Campbell.
- Precinct No. 12, Dora. Judges: C. T. Battle and J. W. Thompson. Clerk: Henry Bewley.
- Precinct No. 13, Midway. Judges: D. L. Harding and J. P. Williams. Clerk: W. B. Vaughan.
- Precinct No. 14, Nobe. Judges: A. R. Self and Charles Wilson. Clerk: Frank Parker.
- Precinct No. 15, Causey. Judges: G. W. Jones and H. Young. Clerk: Dora Judah.
- Precinct No. 16, Inez.

- Judges: T. J. Mullins, Sr., and E. P. Williams. Clerk: W. D. Greathouse.
- Precinct No. 17, Redlake. Judges: J. W. Frans and H. H. Richardson. Clerk: S. E. Johnson.
- Precinct No. 18, Upton. Judges: T. E. Holder and Horace Cowart. Clerk: John V. Miller.
- Precinct No. 19, Macey. Judges: J. W. Buckelew and F. A. Anderson. Clerk: Ray Robbins.
- Precinct No. 20, Ingram. Judges: M. A. Goldston and A. M. Stephens. Clerk: L. L. Mason.
- Precinct No. 21, Benson. Judges: L. J. Deathridge and J. O. Benson. Clerk: W. C. Parkey.
- Precinct No. 22, Perry School House. Judges: Elijah Sparks and W. P. Witt. Clerk: Ras Franklin.
- Precinct No. 23, Painter. Judges: P. J. Keeter and J. M. Price. Clerk: G. H. Clarey.
- Precinct No. 24, New Hope. Judges: J. W. Ballew and J. E. Burns. Clerk: Preston Williams.
- Precinct No. 25, Delphos. Judges: C. L. Craddock and Doc Herndon. Clerk: [blank].
- Precinct No. 26, Springer. Judges: A. N. Miller and C. Y. Smith. Clerk: Joe Powell.
- Precinct No. 27, Kermit. Judges: J. A. Pipkin and O. Q. Hawk. Clerk: W. O. Swayne.
- Precinct No. 28, Emzy. Judges: R. F. Keller and

- Brown Stirman. Clerk: Frank Johnson.
 - Precinct No. 29, Kenna. Judges: Frank Good and W. H. Cooper. Clerk: R. R. Hedspeth.
 - Precinct No. 30, Richland. Judges: L. D. Young and T. C. Jewell. Clerk: Earl Stratton.
 - Eagle Hill. Judges: J. L. Graves and B. N. Bennett. Clerk: [blank].
 - Need. Judges: Esau Bilberry and R. O. Rogers. Clerk: [blank].
- It is further provided that the voting place in each precinct shall be held at the usual and accustomed voting place or box of each precinct unless changed for good cause by the election judges appointed to hold said election.
- In the event any judge or clerk herein appointed shall fail or refuse to act, or shall be absent at the time for the opening of the polls on election day, the qualified Democratic voters of the precinct assembled at the polling place shall select other Democrats qualified to vote at said primary to fill any such vacancy or vacancies.
- Any Democrat who will be a qualified voter at the General Election next November will be qualified to vote at said primary. A qualified voter may vote outside of his precinct, provided he shall not vote but once in said county, upon furnishing satisfactory evidence to the Judges of the particular precinct wherein he offers to vote that he has not voted at any other precinct in the county, and that he

has a reasonable excuse for not voting in the precinct of his residence.

The Judges may examine and swear the applicant in such case, and may, if they desire, require of him a written affidavit entitling him to vote in the precinct proposed.

Booths shall be used at all polling places when same can be obtained, and the rules applicable to the Australian Ballot system shall be applied as far as possible.

When the polls are closed all ballot boxes with the returns shall be, with convenient speed, returned to the County Chairman, and the judges of said election shall see that such ballot boxes are transmitted with dispatch; and after all the returns are in, it shall be the duty of the County Chairman to call a meeting of the County Committee to canvass such returns and declare the result of the election.

The Judges herein appointed, and in the absence of action by them, where the occasion may require it, the precinct committeeman, may select a polling place in any precinct where the usual voting place is not available, is inconvenient for a majority of the voters of the precinct, or otherwise impracticable.

Witness our hands this the 25th. day of April, 1918.

G. L. REESE, Chairman.
W. H. BRALEY, Secretary.

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