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## CALL FOR REDEMPTION OF FUNDING BONDS

OF THE COUNTY OF LINCOLN NEW MEXICO.

Notice is hereby given to the owners of funding bonds of the County of Lincoln, Territory of New Mexico, being

\$23,800.00 6 per cent Bonds, dated July 1st, 1889, Optional 1899, due 1919 more particularly described as follows:

Bonds numbered one to twenty-one both inclusive of the par value of \$100.00 each

Bonds numbered two, three and four of the par value of \$500.00 each.

Bonds numbered two to thirteen both inclusive of the par value of \$100.00 each

That all said bonds are hereby called for redemption and payment and should, together with all unmatured coupons thereunto attached, be deposited with the Treasurer of Lincoln County, New Mexico, at Lincoln, N. M. for such purpose. Interest on said bonds will cease on the 15th day of November, A. D. 1905. Both principal of said bonds and accrued interest thereon to November, 15, 1905, will be paid at the office of the Central Trust Company of Illinois, Chicago, Illinois, upon surrender to it of said bonds, together with all unmatured and unpaid coupons thereto belonging.

This call for redemption is made pursuant to an order of the Board of County Commissioners of Lincoln County, New Mexico, under authority of the laws of the Territory of New Mexico, and the undersigned has been duly authorized to make same. Dated at Lincoln, Lincoln County, New Mexico, this 4th day of October, A. D. 1905.

J. H. CANNING,

10-13-4t Treasurer,  
Lincoln County, New Mexico.

### Twins—Both Girls.

The News is in receipt of a communication from Glencoe, saying that on Thursday, October 26th., twins were born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allison, both girls. The communication further states that mother and babies are doing well, and Frank, while under the physician's care, will recover.

### A HOMILY ON CITIZENSHIP.

Many men have been heard to make the remark, that they didn't like to mix in primaries and conventions, "because the political and disreputable element would control." They seem to overlook the fact that if the better element fails to respond that it is certain to end as they say: for the politician and the grafter is certain to be on hand

In a country where candidates are presented by two parties, it often becomes necessary for the voter to choose between two evils, and all because the better element is too busy or too much disgusted to take part in the selection of candidates. There

is only one way for this matter to be remedied, and that is for all to take an interest in naming candidates; for it is too late, after the nominations have been made, for then it becomes, as before said, too often, a choice between two evils; and the men who have refrained from attending the primaries must of necessity support one or the other candidates, or do worse, which is to not vote at all—a condition that should not confront any American citizen.

Along this line we clip the following from the Albuquerque Morning Journal, which presents the question in its true light:

"Hundreds and thousands of times the newspapers of the United States have called the attention of the public to the fact that the indifference of the citizen is the opportunity of the grafter. If all these good people who bemoan the decadence of official uprightness and honesty would discharge their duty as citizens at the primary and at the polls, they would have vastly less crookedness and grafting to mourn over, and the public journals of the country could use for other purposes the major portion of the large space which they are now obliged to devote to the unpleasant business of exposing official dishonesty and official incompetence. Here is an object lesson right to the point:

"When J. G. Phelps Stokes, for president of the New York board of alderman on the municipal ownership ticket, responded to the questions of the registry officers in his precinct an interesting colloquy took place. When

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asked where he had last voted Mr. Stokes replied that he did not remember, Although he gave his age as 34 years, during all of which time he had been a resident of the state, he could not recall that he had ever voted, not even for president last year.

"It is not strange that the Tammany inspector spluttered with astonishment, as he declared. "My first vote was the proudest event of my life," and added as his mind flowed into reminiscence. "There was a fight outside the polling booth, in which I was engaged afterward. I felt on that day that I had really reached man's estate." By such incidents do facts become fixed in the memory, and the putting on of the toga virilis has a ceremony that does not permit a man to forget more easily than he can forget his wedding day.

"It has been a reproach to the class—if it is permissible to use class—to which Mr. Stokes belongs that its members are prone to be neglectful of the electoral privileges. They are accused of spending more time in writing essays about the function of the gentleman in politics than they spend in the voting booth. The game of golf becomes an election day amusement, and a social engagement is vastly more important than their presence at the primaries. Mr. Stokes, unless his memory is abnormally bad, seems to have made a confession, and will be held up as a warning example. It is not strange that the Tammany inspector, after the examination was over, exclaimed: 'Well I'll be—'

"In this matter—the matter of

urging upon American citizens the importance of discharging their political duties—the pulpit can with perfect propriety assist the press. There is nothing of partisan character in it. Good men of all parties are alike interested in it, and it forms the corner stone of good government. We are told that when the righteous rule the people rejoice—and the only way to enable the righteous to bear rule in this country is for the people who stand for righteousness to attend faithfully to their political duties."

### Fought 2,700 Years Ago.

Rome, Oct. 24.—Prof. Giacomo Boni, who is directing the excavations of the Roman Forum, made important discoveries today. After having gone through twenty-nine archaeological strata he reached a muddy plain, where he found evidences that the plain was at the time inhabited,

These evidences were vegetable coal, pieces of pottery and several human skeletons, the latter in such positions as to indicate violent death.

The professor believes that the mud deposit is that of a marshy valley between the Palatine and Capitoline Hills, the inhabitants of which fought there eight centuries before Christ.

Newt Kemp, Will Craig, Silas May and S. C. Craig went to the Capitans Saturday to hunt bear and deer.

Dr. Presley makes a specialty of treating chronic sore eyes, removing cataracts, or any growths from the eyes fits glasses to the most complicated eyes.



# THE CAPITAN NEWS

CAPITAN, - - NEW MEXICO.

A Pittsburg man has invented a machine that will make and bake forty pies a minute. Where is the gatling gun now?

Simeon Ford's chauffeur ran away with his automobile. The joke is on Simeon, but he doesn't see any material for a funny story.

A Philadelphia paper says that "Mrs. Harry Lehr now has a pet poodle as her constant companion." Another whack at Harry?

A crockery trust with a capital of \$40,000,000 has been organized. It may be dangerous to start a bull movement in that stock.

It is to be remembered, furthermore, that J. Pierpont Morgan can afford to buy a new suit of clothes every day in the year, if he feels like it.

A western novelist recently went to jail in search of local color. Most men would prefer to get their local color in nice fat public offices.

The actress who wanted her green eyes made brown would have saved money if she had conquered her jealousy without going to a doctor.

The Massachusetts judge who has decided that an umbrella is private property probably knows who has his, and hopes the warning is sufficient.

In case her creditors kick at getting only seven mills on the dollar, Cassie Chadwick can point out with force that they are in luck to get that much.

A bunco man of wide experience says that "a sucker is born in New York every thirty seconds." Yes, and when he grows up he gets into the smart set.

The Illinois Automobilists' Association will ask uniform laws for the regulation of motorists. Without the aid or consent of any old pedestrian, gentlemen?

Paul Morton and James H. Hyde danced in the same set at Newport. Paul will soon feel his salary needs bracing up or he will be resorting to allied interests.

As to the monkey that died in consequence of being deprived of its daily allowance of coffin nails, let us try to be resigned. It was not a promising monkey, anyhow.

Philadelphia is bragging that it is so big it takes more than one shower to cover it. Philadelphia is also so sleepy that it takes more than one thunderclap to awaken it.

The Troy, N. Y., baseball team has gone on a strike. Some of the Troy "fans" are unkind enough to say that not before this season has the team's hitting been worthy of notice.

In one day recently 100 wives applied at the New York police courts for warrants, charging desertion on the part of their husbands. Married people should keep away from New York.

"All wives," says a woman physician, "should become hypnotists and put their husbands under the influence." The great trouble with this scheme is that so many men are poor hypnotical subjects.

A man in Pittsburg is paying a debt incurred at a game of cards by omitting his regular daily ablutions for the space of one year. His appearance on the streets of Pittsburg, however, is not likely to occasion any remark.

## NO ONE TO RUN IT.

### Simple Explanation for Stopping of Alarm Clock.

An Irishman who had been unoccupied for some time induced his friend Patrick to try to secure him a position with a contractor. One evening about a week later Pat went around to Mike's boarding house with the news that the contractor had granted Mike a trial.

"But," said Pitt, "he is a very par-tickler, and ye moost be sure to be at the office by 7 sharp O'll git ye an alarm clock and then ye'll be sure to git up on toime."

So Pat bought the alarm clock, wound it up and set it at 6:30. It went off satisfactorily. Mike went down and worked all day. When he went home at night he wound the clock, but did not bother with the alarm, thinking that it would go off automatically. The next morning he slept until 8 o'clock, and when he went to the office the loss gave him his pay and told him to leave. Mike went home mad, swore at the alarm clock and finally took the back off. A lot of springs, wires and wheels fell out, and, last of all, a dead cockroach tumbled over on to the table. Mike looked at the roach in surprise, and then burst out:

"Be dad! No wonder the thing wouldn't go off. The injineer is dead."

### Witnessed Biblical Tragedy.

Senator Tillman of South Carolina tells of a little girl whose statements were always exaggerated until she became known in school and Sunday school as "a little liar." Her parents were dreadfully worried about her and made strenuous efforts to correct the bad habit. One afternoon her mother overheard an argument with her playmate, Willie Bangs, who seemed to finish the discussion by saying emphatically: "I'm older than you, 'cause my birthday comes first, in May, and yours don't come until September."

"Oh, of course your birthday comes first," sneeringly answered little Nellie; "but that is 'cause you came down first. I remember looking at the angels when they were making you."

"Come here, Nellie, come here instantly," cried her mother.

"It is breaking mother's heart to hear you tell such awful stories. Remember what happened to Ananias and Sapphira, don't you?"

"Oh, yes, mamma, I know. They were struck dead for lying. I saw them carried into the corner drug store."—Pittsburg Dispatch.

### Cosmopolitan Production.

Clyde Fitch was talking about two young playwrights.

"Riter," he said, "is always stealing his ideas from the French and making money, while Swett, an honest fellow, writes original comedies that rarely pay their way."

"These two men met the other day and at once began to talk shop."

"Riter, the plagiarist, declared that his latest farce, 'Little Bo-Peep,' was having an extraordinary success."

"And an English manager has put it on in Liverpool, too," he ended, "and it is having a superb run there, but the Englishman hasn't yet forwarded me a cent of royalties."

"It is also having a superb run at the Odeon in Paris," said Swett. "Have you received any royalties from there?"

### The Cash Account.

I cannot make the thing come out. Though I have thought and thought and thought.

And tried to make a careful note of everything that I have bought. The more I think and think and think. The more in vain my brain ferments, Confound the pesky cash account! Where did I spend that thirty cents?

Ten cents for car fares—that's all right; Three dollars for a new straw hat; For luncheon, fifty; shoes, five— Oh, hang it! Yes, I've got all that! Considering the scant supply, The treasury has too many vents, It's outgo, outgo all the time— Where did I spend that thirty cents?

Cigars, four-fifty; grape juice, ten (I think it had some foam on top); Bleachers and peanuts, thirty-five, And ten cents more for ginger pop But still that haunting deficit My deep perplexity augments. What was it for?—Oh, well, here goes! "For foreign missions, thirty cents!" —Louisville Courier-Journal.

## Here is Relief for Women.

Mother Gray, a nurse in New York, discovered a pleasant herb remedy for women's ills, called AUSTRALIAN-LEAF. It is the only certain monthly regulator. Cures female weaknesses, Backache, Kidney and Urinary troubles. At all Druggists or by mail 50 cts. Sample mailed FREE. Address, The Mother Gray Co., LeRoy, N. Y.

Muggins—"Do you think women will ever succeed in politics?" Buggins—"Certainly not. They would never buy votes. They would just go around pricing them."

Hundreds of dealers say the extra quantity and superior quality of Defiance Starch is fast taking place of all other brands. Others say they can not sell any other starch.

## The Man With the Hoe.

President James J. Hill of the Great Northern railroad, in a letter to the irrigation congress at Portland, grows very eloquent in relation to homes upon the arid lands of the West.

"The forest falls, the mine is depleted of its precious contents, even the seas might, if searched too severely, cease to give tribute, but the soil is the last unfailling resource," said Mr. Hill. "Play games as we may," he continued, "with picture cards adorned with other names, the man at the bottom, the man with his foot upon a plot of ground, the man who is drawing from the earth food for himself and others is the foundation of all advancement, as well as all prosperity. Make way for him, for where he is decaying the pillars of the state are weakening, and all the more impressive forms of wealth are trembling toward the dust."

## Expert Engineering.

An Oil City laborer, who is something of a character in his way, was sent the other day to dig a ditch from the street curb to a certain point in a yard. He was given a two-foot rule to assist in his measurements.

At the close of the day he duly reported to the "boss."

"Did you dig the ditch, Jimmy?" asked the latter.

"I did," replied Jimmy.

"How long was the ditch, Jimmy?"

"The length of the rule, the length of the pick, the length of two bricks and the length of a stick," answered Jimmy.

"Have you the stick?" asked the boss.

"I have," said Jimmy.—Oil City Blizzard.

## DOUST THE DEMON.

### A Tussle with Coffee.

There is something fairly demonical in the way coffee sometimes wrecks its fiendish malice on those who use it.

A lady writing from Calif. says:—"My husband and I, both lovers of coffee, suffered for some time from a very annoying form of nervousness, accompanied by most frightful headaches. In my own case there was eventually developed some sort of affection of the nerves leading from the spine to the head."

"I was unable to hold my head up straight, the tension of the nerves drew it to one side, causing me the most intense pain. We got no relief from medicine, and were puzzled as to what caused the trouble, until a friend suggested that possibly the coffee we drank had something to do with it, and advised that we quit it and try Postum Coffee."

"We followed his advice, and from the day that we began to use Postum we both began to improve, and in a very short time both of us were entirely relieved. The nerves became steady once more, the headaches ceased, the muscles in the back of my neck relaxed, my head straightened up and the dreadful pain that had so punished me while I used the old kind of coffee vanished."

"We have never resumed the use of the old coffee, but relish our Postum every day as well as we did the former beverage. And we are delighted to find that we can give it freely to our children also, something we never dared to do with the old kind of coffee." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum Coffee contains absolutely no drugs of any kind, but relieves the coffee drinker from the old drug poison.

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Lewis' "Single Binder" straight 5c cigar. No other brand of cigars is so popular with the smoker. He has learned to rely upon its uniform high quality. Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

Teacher—Why did the children of Israel build a golden calf? Scholar—" 'Cause they didn't have gold enough to make a cow, I guess."

If you don't get the biggest and best it's your own fault. Defiance Starch is for sale everywhere and there is positively nothing to equal it in quality or quantity.

The fellow who parades his vices may be more to be trusted than the one who parades his virtues.

## TEA

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### Memorial to An Engineer.

A memorial tablet designed in honor of the late Edward Grafstrom, chief mechanical engineer of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railway, has just been completed at Chicago, and will be erected and unveiled in the Kansas state capitol at Topeka. On the tablet is a likeness of Mr. Grafstrom in bas relief, the Melan bridge marking the point where he lost his life, and a Santa Fe road locomotive, the design of which he was concerned in. An inscription gives a sketch of his life and describes his heroic act as follows:

"During the great flood of June, 1903, which swept over North Topeka, he designed and built a small side-wheel steamer, in which, with a volunteer crew of six men, he rescued hundreds of people. While making his last trip on the night of June 2, 1903, the boat was capsized and Mr. Grafstrom was drowned."

### England's Farms Decreasing.

The area of land in the United Kingdom under cultivation steadily decreases, according to the reports of the board of agriculture and fisheries. In 1902 it was 19,344,000 acres; in 1903 it was 19,163,000 acres, and in 1904 there was a further decline to 18,978,000 acres.

### Sure Cure at Last.

Monticello, Miss., Sept. 4 (Special)—Lawrence County is almost daily in receipt of fresh evidence that a sure cure for all Kidney Troubles has at last been found, and that cure is Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Among those who have reason to bless the Great American Kidney Remedy is Mrs. L. E. Baggett of this place. Mrs. Baggett had dropsy. Dodd's Kidney Pills cured her.

"I was troubled with my kidneys," Mrs. Baggett says in recommending Dodd's Kidney Pills to her friends, "my urine would hardly pass. The Doctors said I had Dropsy. I have taken Dodd's Kidney Pills as directed and am now a well woman."

Dodd's Kidney Pills cure the kidneys. Cured Kidneys strain all the impurities out of the blood. That means pure blood and a sound, energetic body. Dodd's Kidney pills are the greatest tonic the world has ever known.

One of the odd awards offered by the French Academy of Science is that of \$20,000, established by Pierre Guzman, for the discoveries of a means of communication with another planet.

Dealers say that as soon as a customer tries Defiance Starch it is impossible to sell them any other cold water starch. It can be used cold or boiled.

A grass widow is seldom as verdant as her title would indicate.

## TEA

Do you make it right  
Do you make it right  
Do you make it right  
Do you make it right

In every package of Schilling's Best Tea is a booklet: How to Make Good Tea.

"Johnny, I thought I told you not to go outside the gate." "Yes'm, but you said I could play dog, and I had to run an' bark at a wagon."

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A handsome woman with an ugly husband is all right, but a handsome husband with an ugly wife is a combination that will cause trouble.

## TEA

Every woman knows how to brew tea—her own way—and she likes to have her own way.

### AMBITION AS A TONIC.

It is Well, Occasionally, to Depart from the Beaten Track.

The world is full of "beaten-track" people who exist exactly after the fashion of millions of men and women who have preceded them. New ideas, new methods, new undertakings are alien to them, and to move them out of the beaten track would require little less than a moral or material cyclone. Their gait is plodding, and their motto, "Let well enough alone." These people have their uses, no doubt in the general scheme of things mundane. They are important factors in making life a severe discipline. They hold in check the enthusiastic, progressive and original people who would otherwise run this poor old world too swiftly.

Granted their usefulness, it might be possible, and would surely be advantageous, for a smaller number of beaten-track people to serve the purposes for which they exist; and some power evoked to transform the majority of them into progressive and enthusiastic citizens of the world. Their numbers have far outgrown the needs, while the ranks of the advance guard of humanity have grown thin.

Our attitude toward the sluggish and satisfied people ought to be one of pity rather than scorn, perhaps, for they are generally the product of untoward circumstances. Physical or mental or moral incapacity is responsible for their apathy, and has left them only energy or will sufficient for the beaten track. They at least are far above the degenerate and criminal classes in humanity's scale, for these are too feeble in intellect and will to keep even in the beaten track, not to mention the power to blaze a higher and finer way through the world.

### His Fears.

If I should grow so very rich  
That some sharp miss, with caustic pen  
Would give her skirt a sassy hitch  
And write me up I'd tremble when  
She'd prove beyond a doubt 'tis true  
I fell from off a steamer's plank  
And I ate cloves in order to  
Make all the girls believe I drank.

Supposing I should wake and find  
Myself a millionaire, and she  
Should get a notion in her mind  
To take an awful crack at me—  
Supposing she would say that I  
Invested in gold mining stock!  
I'd journey to the future via  
The 3d street or the Woodward dock.

Supposing when I wealthy grow  
She would investigate my past,  
And heartlessly proceed to throw  
The hooks in me from first to last—  
Supposing that I couldn't hide  
My secret and the world she'd tell  
That I stood in a crowd and tried  
To sing "Down in a Diving Bell!"

Oh, not for me the wreath of fame!  
I crave no riches—not a bit,  
Though poverty has lots of shame  
There is a cover over it.  
'Tis not set forth in magazines.  
Ye gods, what if some heartless thing  
Would write that in my love's first dream  
My wife taught me embroidering!  
—Detroit Tribune.

### Where He Got Them.

Jones sat working at his desk when a Hebrew flower peddler stuck his head in at the door and asked if he was going to the big Yale-Harvard football game on the morrow at New Haven, if so, he would guarantee for \$1 a bunch of twice as many violets as any one else.

The offer was taken, the violets delivered and worn to the game by a young lady who not only used them that day but the following Sunday.

A few days later the Hebrew again called, and Jones said those violets gave excellent satisfaction, but if you have no objections I would like to know how you were able to sell so many violets for so little money on a day when they command a high price.

His reply was, "I get 'em off corpses."

### Johnny Knew.

A class of boys were given a lesson in geography, each having a book containing a description of the earth before him.

Suddenly the teacher called on one of the youngsters (who, evidently, had been paying little attention to what was being said) to answer the following question:

"Johnny, where is Europe?" "Page 68," was the boy's reply.

# THE IDEAL WIFE

Shapes the Destiny of Men—The Influence of a Healthy Woman Cannot Be Overestimated.

Seven-eighths of the men in this world marry a woman because she is beautiful in their eyes—because she has the qualities which inspire admiration, respect and love.

There is a beauty in health which is more attractive to men than mere regularity of feature. The influence of women glorious in the possession of perfect physical health upon men and upon the civilization of the world could never be measured. Because of them men have attained the very heights of ambition; because of them even thrones have been established and destroyed.

What a disappointment, then, to see the fair young wife's beauty fading away before a year passes over her head! A sickly, half-dead-and-alive woman, especially when she is the mother of a family, is a damper to all joyousness in the home, and a drag upon her husband.

The cost of a wife's constant illness is a serious drain upon the funds of a household, and too often all the doctoring does no good.

If a woman finds her energies are flagging, and that everything tires her, dark shadows appear under her eyes, her sleep is disturbed by horrible dreams; if she has backache, headaches, bearing-down pains, nervousness, whites, irregularities, or despondency, she should take means to build her system up at once by a tonic with specific powers, such as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

This great remedy for women has done more in the way of restoring health to the women of America than all other medicines put together. It is the safeguard of woman's health.

Following we publish, by request, a letter from a young wife.

Mrs. Bessie Ainsley of 611 South 10th Street, Tacoma, Wash., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"Ever since my child was born I have suffered, as I hope few women ever have, with inflammation, female weakness, bearing-down pains, backache and wretched headaches. It affected my stomach so that I could not enjoy my meals, and half my time was spent in bed.

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Women should remember that a cure for all female diseases actually exists, and that cure is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Take no substitute.

If you have symptoms you don't understand write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for special advice—it is free and always helpful.

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### The Santa Fe Central's Troubles.

This little article might have been more appropriately named "Andrew's Troubles," but as the delegate is so solidly welded to the Santa Fe Central and the numerous other lines that he was busily engaged in constructing about a year ago, it seems appropriate to call it the Central's troubles.

All kinds of reports have gone abroad concerning Andrews and the Central since the Enterprise National Bank of Allegheny, Pennsylvania, went out of business and its cashier committed suicide. It was said that Andrews and his railroad partners owed the bank about \$400,000, and that proceedings would likely be instituted against the road at once to recover the amount. This in itself would not have been so bad, providing there was sufficient collateral to secure the loan, but the celebrated Pennsylvanian, who has the honor of representing New Mexico in the house of representatives, at once denied the account and said it was an attempt on the part of his enemies to besmirch his character, and that he didn't owe the bank one cent. The administration organs of this territory have taken up the cudgel for Andrews and have denounced the reports as malicious and untrue.

Just why they should deem it necessary to denounce in such unmeasured terms the report it is not easy to understand; for if the report is true it is no particular discredit to the delegate; for all realize that it requires money to build railroads; and the delegate had a perfect right to secure loans where he could, and who so natural as his Pennsylvania friends? An honest debt is no discredit, particularly to a man, and many of the newspaper men who have been so liberal in denouncing the reports are no doubt in debt to some of their friends; but do not count it a debt of dishonor. The strenuousness with which the dele-

gate and his supporters have denied the report leads one to think there might have been something crooked in the manner of securing the loan, and that these conditions becoming public led the cashier of the Enterprise bank to shuffle off this mortal coil. If the men or the road owe this money, and it is an honest debt, let them pay it just as ordinary mortals would have to do; and if they do not owe it it certainly will not appear against them. Then why all this fuss? Let the astute Pennsylvania politician begin to build his railroads that formed the burden of his magnificent speeches last year, call off his henchmen and tell them that such stuff they have been sending out the past two weeks doesn't lay a single rail nor even drive a spike in a tie, but that it may drive several into his political coffin.

Give us a rest; if Mr. Andrews or his road does owe this money a denial will not help in the payment of it, and further the people of New Mexico do not care a cent whether he does or not, but what they are very much interested in is the building of more railroads, and are expecting the delegate to live up to his promises. The NEWS would like to see the Santa Fe Central extend its line; but it fails to see where the yelping of political organs is going to aid the matter. Build more roads, Senator, and tell your defenders to turn their attention to the gubernatorial fight; for on that subject there is no mixture of railroads and politics, and some of them, no doubt, have information that would interest their readers, as a change will be in order soon and straws indicate that some of them are already getting in position to jump.

The republicans of the great state Ohio are sadly torn up over the railroad rate question, Secretary Taft advising one thing while Senator Foraker tells them that the secretary doesn't know what he is talking about. Yet the members of the G. O. P. are united on one question: that is they must elect the republican ticket, which they will undoubtedly do.

The municipal campaign in the city of New York is a hot number, and the Metropolis is stirred as it has not been for years. However, the indications are that the Tammany candidates will pull through with rousing majorities, with the exception of their candidate for District Attorney, who will like-

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ly, as he should, meet defeat at the hands of District Attorney Jerome.

Vol. 1, No. 1, of the Tucumcari News has reached our desk. It is a well edited, neatly printed paper of sixteen pages, and is a credit to its publishers and the town that so liberally supports it. It is published by the Tucumcari Printing Co. of which S. R. May, formerly connected with the Capitan News, is president. We "X" with pleasure, and wish the News all kind of success.

### President has Narrow Escape.

New Orleans, Oct. 27.—After a narrow escape from losing his life in the early morning in the collision in which the lighthouse tender, Magnolia, on which he was traveling, was so much damaged that he had to abandon her, President Roosevelt is now safe on board the lighthouse tender, Ivy, which is carrying him down the Mississippi river to the armored cruiser West Virginia.

U. S. Flagship West Virginia, via New Orleans.)—A wireless dispatch at 11 o'clock last evening through a confusion of signals, the fruit steamer Esparta, collided with the lighthouse ten-

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.  
MYRTLE LODGE NO. 19—  
Meets every Saturday night at 8 o'clock at K. P. Hall, in school building. Visiting Knights cordially invited.  
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der, Magnolia, which was conveying the president, Secretary Loeb and Dr. Rixey to the cruiser West Virginia. The rail and port bow of the Magnolia was damaged, and two or three holes made in the vessel below the water line. No one was hurt.

The Magnolia immediately on being struck was beached, her bow being high and dry. After a careful examination of the vessel it was evident that there was no damage, and the president and his party went to bed.

Maj. Craighill of the United States engineers, was aboard the Magnolia. His ship, the Ivy, had preceded the Magnolia and was some distance ahead. A boat was immediately put off for the nearest telegraph, about a mile and a half away, and an order given to head off the Ivy at the pilot station and have her return for the president and his party. The transfer was made at 3 o'clock this morning. The vessel got under way immediately and the West Virginia was boarded on schedule time.



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# WELCH & TITSWORTH

G. B. Greer was over yesterday from his home on the Bonito.

Barbed Wire for sale at Welch & Titsworth's.

John H. Skinner was down one day this week from his Bonito ranch.

Dr. Presley, specialist eye, ear, nose and throat, Roswell, N. M.

John J. McCourt, with Armour & Co. El Paso, was in the burg Monday.

Stetson hats, Welch & Titsworth.

We will have in a carload of wagons soon, Welch & Titsworth.

Judge Joseph Hall returned Sunday from an extended trip through Texas.

Silas May and family came up last week from Alamogordo to visit friends a few days.

Meadow Gold butter at Welch & Titsworth.

L. W. Jackson, formerly a resident of Nogal, but now living at Estancia, was in Capitan Saturday. Mr. Jackson is very much pleased with the Estancia country.

Star Brand Shoes are the best. They cost no more than the other kind: for sale by Welch & Titsworth.

R. Michaelis was up yesterday from Lincoln. Mr. Michaelis has been buying some steers this fall, which he expects to feed on his ranch, below Picacho.

Dr. T. E. Presley, practice limited to the eye, ear, nose and throat; Roswell, N. M.

A. D. Fuller, of New York, and L. Wallace Holt, of Hagerman, arrived in Capitan Sunday, and remained several days looking over the prospects of this country.

**Wanted.**—Hides, sheep pelts goat skins, etc. Highest market price paid by Welch & Titsworth.

Rev. R. P. Pope came in Saturday from Estancia, and preached Sunday morning and night at Capitan. He left next day for Nogal and went home later in the week.

When you come to town call at Barrett's barber shop, and get trimmed up. Shave 15; hair cut 35; shampoo 35 cents. Chair in News office.

Deputy Sheriff Hartley, Ozona, Crockett county, Texas, came in Sunday and left Monday for home, taking young Arch Parker with him. As noted in a previous issue, Parker is wanted in Texas on the charge of horse stealing.

Kansas stock salt 60 cts per cwt, at Welch & Titsworth.

S. T. Gray, of this place, and A. D. Kritzer, of Augusta, Georgia, are preparing to ship some horses to Georgia. They have purchased about two car loads in the Three Rivers country, and expect to load out this week for their destination.

The following item will be of interest to some of our readers: Arthur G. Burlingame and Miss Selina Rose, of San Marcial were married at the latter place on Saturday night of last week. Both parties are connected with the Holiness Bible School at San Marcial.

Razors honed by Johnnie Barrett, the barber; price 35 and 50 cents.

Geo. M. Harbin, of Waterloo, Iowa, came in Sunday and went to Lincoln that afternoon. Mr. Harbin's business here was to look after the trustee's sale of the Free Gold Mining & Milling Co.'s property, which took place at Lincoln Monday. Mr. Harbin bought the property in for Thomas Sinnock, trustee, Quincy, Illinois, and left Monday for Quincy. He expects to return soon to Jicarilla where most of the property of this company is located, and renew operations as soon as possible.

**MARRIED:**—At the residence of E. J. Gumm, Three Rivers, Roy Gumm and Mrs. Delia Gray. The groom is the youngest boy in the Gumm family, and is known throughout Lincoln county, while the bride is a former young lady of Capitan, and was first married here to Walter Gray in 1901. The NEWS extends best Wishes.

R. L. Hust, a Nogal farmer and ranchman, was in Capitan yesterday and today, and gave our sanctum a pleasant call.

George A. Peter, George L. Bradford and J. H. Kinney returned Monday from Santa Fe where they had gone to take the examination for forest superintendents. Mr. Bradford was not allowed to take the examination, but was informed by the department that it was unnecessary, as he would be subject to promotion without examination on account of his long service in the Forest Reserve Service. Messrs. Peter and Kinney took the examination, and if we are not badly mistaken they will pass with credit. The examination was anything but easy, and some of the applicants gave up the ghost before it closed.

The indications this morning re good for snow.



FOR HEALTH OF TROOPS.

Scientists Prepare Inoculation Against Typhoid Fever.

The best way to protect an army against typhoid fever, that terrible enemy which it must face in both peace and war, is doubtless by careful sanitation. But to apply that method successfully during the stress of war requires a veritable genius for the saving of life, which no nation except the Japanese has ever yet shown. Another method, from which much is hoped and which can be applied in time of peace, so that its good results may be reaped later on in time of war, is by inoculation. Germany has recently had a commission, composed of some of the nation's greatest medical students, at work upon the subject, and the findings have just been made public.

Part of this report deals with the best methods of inoculation, and is therefore technical in character, but other parts have a wide interest. The commission is convinced that inoculation can be carried on with no risk to the health of the soldiers. On a survey of all experiments that have been made on animals and men, and of all practical experience that has been gained, the commission says that "it is impossible, even when proceeding with the greatest caution, to doubt that inoculation can confer a certain measure of protection, and that it is urgently desirable to seek for further information based so far as is possible on absolutely trustworthy data, with regard to the degree and duration of the protection."

AT LAST THE MEANEST MAN.

Ladies Will Agree Mr. Smith Would Be Hard to Beat.

Mr. Smith and Mr. Stubbins were proceeding on their homeward way. Mr. Stubbins was extremely gloomy, so much so that Mr. Smith inquired the reason.

"Oh, it's nothing much—on account of a birthday present really. My wife and I have been married for thirty-four years, and never till now have I missed giving her a birthday present; but this year times are so bad that I'm afraid she'll have to go without."

"Nonsense, man!" said Smith. "Look here. I'll give you a tip I've used myself when money was scarce. I would fumble in my wife's jewel case, and take some valued trinket out. When it was missed, of course, a grand hunt was organized; but also, of course, it never came to light. 'Never mind,' I would say to Mrs. S—, 'let it be a lesson to you to be more careful; but don't let it worry you. I'll see if I can't replace it on your birthday.' You see the drift? The rest was easy. For a couple of shillings a jeweler would polish up the trinket till it looked like new, and put it in a swagger satin case. And that's the way to get joy and peace for next to nothing. Stubby."—London Answers.

A Hint.

The train was just about to steam out of the station when a forlorn individual with sideboard whiskers was bundled into a smoking carriage, where a young man sat steadily smoking a cigar.

The forlorn one scowled, first at the young man, then at the cigar.

"Do you know, young man," he said in a hollow voice, "that five out of six people who suffer from heart trouble have brought it upon themselves through the filthy habit of smoking?"

"Really?" said the young man blandly. "And might I ask you, sir, if you are aware of the fact that nine out of ten people who suffer from black eyes can trace the complaint to a habit of not minding their own business?"

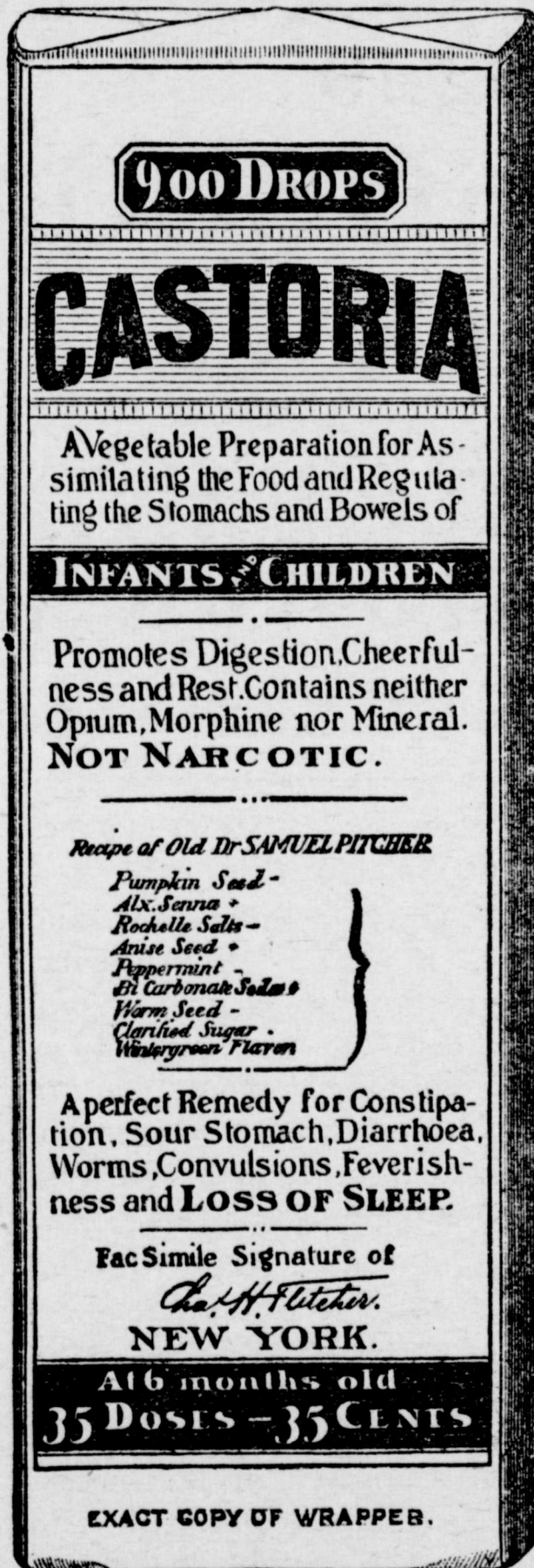
The forlorn one sighed deeply, but spoke no more.—London Tit-Bits.

Specimen of Great Auk.

Rowland Ward of London has just sold to a Continental firm for £400 a mounted specimen of the great auk. There are seventy known species of the bird in existence. Most of them are in state museums.

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Letters from Prominent Physicians Addressed to Charles H. Fletcher.

Dr. B. Halstead Scott, of Chicago, Ill., says: "I have prescribed your Castoria often for infants during my practice, and find it very satisfactory."

Dr. William Belmont, of Cleveland, Ohio, says: "Your Castoria stands first in its class. In my thirty years of practice I can say I never have found anything that so filled the place."

Dr. J. H. Taft, of Brooklyn, N. Y., says: "I have used your Castoria and found it an excellent remedy in my household and private practice for many years. The formula is excellent."

Dr. Wm. L. Bosserman, of Buffalo, N. Y., says: "I am pleased to speak a good word for your Castoria. I think so highly of it that I not only recommend it to others, but have used it in my own family."

Dr. R. J. Hamlen, of Detroit, Mich., says: "I prescribe your Castoria extensively, as I have never found anything to equal it for children's troubles. I am aware that there are imitations in the field, but I always see that my patients get Fletcher's."

Dr. Wm. I. McCann, of Omaha, Neb., says: "As the father of thirteen children I certainly know something about your great medicine, and aside from my own family experience I have in my years of practice found Castoria a popular and efficient remedy in almost every home."

Dr. J. R. Clausen, of Philadelphia, Pa., says: "The name that your Castoria has made for itself in the tens of thousands of homes blessed by the presence of children, scarcely needs to be supplemented by the endorsement of the medical profession, but I, for one, most heartily endorse it and believe it an excellent remedy."

Dr. Channing H. Cook, of St. Louis, Mo., says: "I have used your Castoria for several years past in my own family and have always found it thoroughly efficient and never objected to by children, which is a great consideration in view of the fact that most medicines of this character are obnoxious and therefore difficult of administration. As a laxative, I consider it the peer of anything that I ever prescribed."

Dr. R. M. Ward, of Kansas City, Mo., says: "Physicians generally do not prescribe proprietary preparations, but in the case of Castoria my experience, like that of many other physicians, has taught me to make an exception. I prescribe your Castoria in my practice because I have found it to be a thoroughly reliable remedy for children's complaints. Any physician who has raised a family, as I have, will join me in heartiest recommendation of Castoria."

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One proof of this is the experience of Mr. Charles Worth, of East Vassalboro, Maine. He says: "I had a severe attack of typhoid fever late in the fall which left me very weak and debilitated. My heart palpitated, my breathing became difficult after the least exertion and there was numbness in both hands. I suffered in that way for fully six months. As I did not grow out of it, did not in fact see the slightest improvement as time passed, I decided to use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills as I knew of some cures they had effected in cases like mine.

"Almost as soon as I began taking them I could see decided improvement and after keeping on with them for several weeks I was completely well. I consider Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a most valuable remedy, and I am in the habit of recommending them to others afflicted as I was."

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## TEA

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### COMMON SENSE.

A large Minneapolis manufacturing concern, The Pillsbury Co., are employing a unique method in advertising their product, "Pillsbury's Vitos, The Meat of the Wheat," in appealing to the "Common Sense" of the American public.

Their assertions are modest as compared to most of the cereal food advertisements of the last few years, but they carry a ring of truth. Their reasoning is certainly rational; here is some of it:

"We all believe that Wheat is the best cereal the Creator has given mankind.

Pillsbury's Vitos is nothing more nor less than the white heart of this wheat kernel, cut out by steel machinery, and sterilized—nothing added—nothing taken away—no adulteration—no flavoring—no coloring—no cooking.

This product comes to your table in its pure, white, granular form, an appetizing dish for young and old.

Easily digested because it retains its granular form when cooked, never lumpy or pasty.

A two pound package makes twelve pounds of pure white cooked food, and Pillsbury quality too. Two generous dishes for one cent.

We have no competitors because we are the largest millers in the world and get the best wheat. Your grocer will gladly fill your order for Pillsbury's Vitos because he knows he sells you satisfaction. Vitos is put up only in two pound packages—air tight. Don't be without it."

To the wise an ounce of hint is better than a pound of subsequent advice.

## COST OF THE WHITE HOUSE.

Sum Required Annually to Maintain It and Other Figures.

The white house up to date has cost about \$3,000,000, of which nearly one-third has been paid for furniture and interior decoration. Originally the state of Virginia gave \$130,000 to build it, Maryland adding \$72,000. To maintain the white house costs from \$25,000 to \$50,000 a year, the appropriation for this purpose varying considerably. But every now and then there is something extra to be paid for and congress is called upon to give an extra \$30,000 or \$50,000. The biggest pull of this kind ever made was for \$550,000, which was spent a couple of years ago in a partial reconstruction of the interior and in the addition of wing-like terraces and an office building.

Every now and then a new set of china has to be provided, and usually that costs about \$25,000—rather a big point of view. Repairs run up to a large amount annually, white paint being an important item.

The president gets his pay every month in the shape of a check, or, more accurately speaking, a "warrant," for \$4,166.67, which is sent by messenger to the white house. A memorandum of the amount due is made out by the auditor for the state department and is sent to the warrant division of the treasury, where it is examined and marked as approved. The secretary of the treasury signs it, the comptroller certifies it as correct and then Mr. Roosevelt receives his money. The smallest warrant ever issued by the treasury department was in favor of a president of the United States. It was for one cent and was forwarded from Washington to Mr. Cleveland at Gray Gables, the sum being due to close the account of salary for the fiscal year.—Saturday Evening Post.

### Senator Crane's Farmer at a Fire.

Senator Crane tells this one: Farmer Dockridge was hastily awakened in the dead of night by Alf, the hired man, who told him the barn was on fire. Instructing Alf to blindfold the horses and lead them out, he hurriedly donned his trousers and rushed into the summer kitchen, grabbed a screw-driver and ran out to the barn.

The roof was burning fiercely, but he dashed into the barn and began with frantic haste to unscrew the hinges of the door. Alf had succeeded in getting the horses out safely, but the farmer stuck to the job, and finally emerged with the doors just as the roof fell in.

"That's a good deal of risk to take for a bit of firewood," said a neighbor, who had come over to see what he could do.

"Firewood," said the farmer, pointing to pencil marks on the door; "see them figgers? Well, them's my business accounts for six years and worth more than the hull darn barn."

### The Truth Above All.

Lecoq the detective was thinking about getting married.

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"He had been missing three days when I arrived. Of course, the first thing I questioned his wife.

"She was young and pretty. The first question I asked her was:

"What were the last words he said to you before he disappeared?"

"She turned a deep red as she answered truthfully:

"His very last words were: 'Oh, for heaven's sake, shut up!'"

### A Contributor.

"Have you ever contributed to the happiness of your fellow man?" asked the very serious person.

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## TEA

There is good and bad tea; there is good and bad tea cookery.

Which have I?

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Women fall in love as easily as men go around trying new brands of cigars.

### Which School to Attend.

All our young people at this time of the year are carefully considering this question. Because of the superior advantages offered by large cities the majority of those who want a business course will go to Denver.

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What a satisfactory old world this would be if we were all paid what we think we are worth—and actually earned the money.

I do not believe Piso's Cure for Consumption has an equal for coughs and colds.—JOHN E. BOYER, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1900.

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## TEA

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### Our Own George.

The dispatches from Manila tell us of an action in which Gov. George Curry performed as one of the actors. It is characteristic of the former sheriff of Lincoln county, and will be recognized as his handiwork by his many friends in this country, as the following will show:

"An insult to American women offered by a native Filipino official at a public banquet was resented by an American officer in true American style. The incident took place at a banquet given in honor of Secretary of War Taft when he was in Manila. The story is brought here by a passenger who arrived yesterday from the Philippines on the transport Sherman.

"Governor George Curry, of Samar, formerly a captain of the Rough Riders, championed the cause of the American women, and Cruz Herrera, president of the municipal board of Manila, was the one who suffered at the hands of the former volunteer.

"According to the story, Herrera, while addressing a number of Americans at the banquet, spoke in disparaging terms of the women of America. Curry answered his insinuations by dashing a glass of champagne in the face of the Filipino. Later he met him outside and administered a sound drubbing to the offender. The Filipino later apologized for his words. The story has gone the rounds at Manila and has served to widen the breach that now exists between the upper classes of the natives and the American residents."

"The republicans of the City of New York have at last seen the light, have allowed their candidate for District Attorney to withdraw and have substituted the name of William Travers Jerome for the position, a thing they should have done at the beginning. Clean politics and good government demanded this at the hands of the republicans, and this action on their part will be applauded by all good men throughout the land.

A. Ziegler, of the Ziegler-Kahn Hide & Wool Co., of Trinidad Colorado, was here a day or two in the interest of his company. Mr. Ziegler was formerly of White Oaks, Lincoln county, and was a prominent business man of that section of the country for about twenty years. His firm has been recently organized and incorporated in Trinidad and he is making his first visit into the region of New Mexico to solicit business.—Tucumcari News.

### Proposed Water Storage Reservoirs for Lincoln County.

Within the past two weeks an inspector of the drainage basin of the Carrizozo flats, and adjacent country, was made by Mr. Fred G. Plummer, of the forest service, with the view of determining the feasibility of constructing reservoirs for the storage of flood waters for the reclamation of agricultural lands in the vicinity of Nogal, White Oaks and Carrizozo.

Mr. Plummer is alleged to have stated that the scheme was entirely feasible and that the Federal government would in all probability soon take the matter up.

This is a matter of great importance to the people of this section in particular and generally to every resident of Lincoln county. The soil and climate of this part of our territory is unsurpassed for agriculture and horticulture, but the lack of water in sufficient quantities for irrigation has been an obstacle in its development before its inclusion in the Lincoln Forest Reserve.

About a month ago a press dispatch was circulated from Washington, to the effect that a large tract of land had been eliminated from the Lincoln forest reserve along the north and west boundaries, but this report is probably premature, as no official announcement of that kind has been made public, and furthermore the act of congress authorizes the creation of forest reserves, specifies that:

"Upon the recommendation of the Secretary of the Interior, with the approval of the President, after sixty day's notice thereof, published in two papers of general circulation in the state or territory wherein any forest reservation is situated, and near the said reservation any public lands embraced within the limits of any forest reservation which, after due examination by personal inspection of a competent person appointed for that purpose by the Secretary of the Interior, shall be found better adapted for mining or for agricultural purposes than for forest usage, may be restored to the public domain."

The special train, bearing President Douglas, of the Southwestern, and other officials, was scheduled to arrive at Capitan Wednesday afternoon, but for some reason it got no nearer than Coalora. What the object of the visit was or what results will come of it remain as much a mystery as their failure to make this station.

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### A Constitutional Monarchy

St. Petersburg, Oct. 31.—The czar promulgated the proclamation last evening granting all concessions asked and appointing M. Witte premier. The national assembly will have full legislative power and all classes will exercise the right of franchise at the coming election.

The Russian capital blossomed out with flags and bunting today. All troops were withdrawn from the streets and the city presented an almost normal appearance. The nervousness of the people has suddenly disappeared.

Workmen by the thousands flocked back to the shops and factories without waiting for permission of the strike committee.

### George R. Hyde.

George R. Hyde, Capitan, New Mexico, has opened a shoe shop in the Artesia Plumbing shop, located on 1st street. Mr. Hyde is a practical shoe maker and worthy of your patronage. He is deaf and dumb, and money spent with him is for a worthy purpose, as he is trying to get able to educate himself. Don't forget the place when you want work done.—Artesia Advocate.

The open season for deer closed Tuesday, and the nimrods got busy the last two or three days, but if there has been any fresh venison around we have failed to get a smell of it. The bear and the turkey are also still at large.

### For Sale on Easy Terms,

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### Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Roswell, N. M. }  
Sept. 28, 1905. }

Homestead Application No. 1544.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register or Receiver at Roswell, New Mexico, on November 11, 1905, viz: Francisco Najar, of Lincoln, New Mexico, for the lots 3 and 4 and SE 1/4 SW 1/4 Section 18, T. 9, S. R. 18 E.

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

Lucia o Trujillo, of Lincoln, N. M.  
Pedro Torres, of " " "  
Alfredo Fresques, of Arabela " "  
Jose Varela, of " " "

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### Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, }  
Sept. 28, 1905. }

Homestead Application No. 1283.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register or Receiver at Roswell, New Mexico, November 14, 1905, viz: Andres Smith, of Arabela, New Mexico, for the lots 3 and 4 and 8 1/2 NW 1/4 Sec. 4, T. 9, S. R. 18 E.

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

Liandro Gutierrez, of Arabela, N. M.  
Jesus Maza, of " " "  
Apolonio Lucero, of " " "  
Epimeno Lucero, of " " "

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### Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Roswell, N. M. }  
Sept. 27, 1905. }

Homestead Application No. 1033.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before the U. S. Commissioner at Lincoln, New Mexico, on Nov. 11, 1905, viz: Agnes May, formerly Agnes Johnson, of Capitan, New Mexico, for the NE 1/4 of Sec. 3, T. 9, S. R. 14 E.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Samuel Wertley, of Capitan, N. M.  
D. J. M. A. Jewett, of " " "  
W. M. Rely, of " " "  
William F. Bingham, of " " "

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### Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Roswell, N. M. }  
Sept. 13, 1905. }

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the U. S. Commissioner at his office at Lincoln, New Mexico, on October 30, 1905, viz: Thomas Henry Rogers, upon Homestead Application No. 1423, for the W 1/2 NE 1/4 and E 1/2 NW 1/4 sec. 4, T. 9, S. R. 16 E.

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

Dave Parker, of Lincoln, N. M.  
Will Hughes, of Arabela, N. M.  
A. G. Burlingame, of Capitan, N. M.  
Juan Chavez, of Lincoln, N. M.

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### The Baptist Church.

The pastor of the Baptist church preaches at the following places and dates:

Nogal, first Sunday in each month.

Capitan, second Sunday, each month.

Angus, third Sunday, in each month.

Everybody cordially invited to attend any and all of these services.

F. M. WYLDER,  
Pastor.