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"Buffalo" Jones Buys Horses.

"Buffalo" Jones, of Albuquerque, spent several days here this week buying cow ponies to take with him to British East Africa, for which country he will sail about the end of the month. He picked up about ten cow ponies here, and as many more in Capitan, paying fancy prices for them. He will pick up another bunch at Dalhart as he passes through. He will also take along a number of expert ropers. The object of his mission, it is said, is to relegate to the shade the exploits of Bwana Tumbo & Co., the mighty hunters, as "Buffalo's" combination will depend altogether on the lariat, in hunting large game on the Dark Continent. He is being backed by a Motion Picture Co., who will send a number of machines and expert operators with the outfit to take pictures on the ground. The animals captured will net "Buffalo" a fortune and his share in the pictures will net him another. He expects to sail from New York to Liverpool on December 30, where he will be joined by a number of wealthy Englishmen. From Liverpool they start for Hamburg, from which point they will proceed direct to Africa. While here "Buffalo" was the center of attraction. Ed. Kelley, of this town, and William Loveless, of Capitan, will accompany the expedition as ropers, both of whom are adepts with the lariat. They signed contracts for six months, at large salaries and expenses.

Saturday's Grind.

The justice court was busy Saturday. Murdock Kelly, who is more or less known to the business men here, had a hearing on a charge preferred by the Carrizozo Trading company of obtaining money under false pretenses. He was bound over to await the action of the grand jury in the sum of \$500, and in default of bond was taken to the Lincoln jail. Other charges of a similar nature will be made against the same defendant in case he should fill the above bond.

Watchman Cook arrested four hoboes Friday night and turned them over to Deputy Sheriff Oswald. On being searched two of them were found to be armed with pistols. They were found guilty and sent to jail to work out their fines on the public roads.

The Carrizozo-Roswell Road.

Work was begun last week on the Carrizozo-Roswell road under the supervision of Engineer Lewis of Roswell. A large force of men and teams are at work on the big hill between Roswell and Picacho. When they get through with it, they will move camp to the Nogal hill, twelve miles east of this town. By eliminating the heavy grades on the two hills mentioned, the most difficult part of the work will have been accomplished. The rest of the road as now in existence will then be worked over. Bridges will be put in where necessary, and a good highway between Carrizozo and Roswell will result. Lincoln county has not only contributed \$2,500 towards building this road, but its road supervisors have donated all the work in their districts towards the enterprise. The territory has agreed, on its part, to expend a similar sum, and more if necessary, to complete the road.

The W. O. W. Elect Officers.

On Tuesday evening of this week Camp 57, W. O. W. held their regular weekly meeting in the Woodmen's hall. After the regular business of the lodge was disposed of, the election of officers for the ensuing year was taken up, with the following result:

Con. Com., S. W. Perry; Adv. Lieut., I. I. Cavender; Banker, Jno. G. Scoggin; Escort, T. E. Kelley; Watchman, W. H. West; Sentry, C. E. Smith; Physician, Dr. Walker; Managers, Paul Burton, J. G. Adams, W. G. Scoggin.

The installation ceremony will take place on the second Tuesday evening in January. All members are requested to be present.

Children's Xmas Festival.

The children's Christmas festival will be held in the basement of the bank building on Friday evening Dec. 24th. An excellent program is in preparation, consisting of music, songs and recitations by the children and a very interesting play, "Santa Claus Snow Man." This play will introduce the most pleasing features of the evening and send the little ones to their homes happy and in condition to dream about the great children's friend who will visit them during the night.

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BUTTONS AS CLEW SOLVE A MYSTERY

LEAD TO ARREST OF A MURDERER WHO CONFESSES TO CRIME.

CLEVER DETECTIVE WORK

Paris Police, After Six Months' Work Trace Slayer Through Buttons on Overcoat Left at Scene of Crime.

Paris.—The mystery of the Rue du Mont-Thabor, which for over six months occupied the attention of the Paris police, has been solved. The story of the solution reads like a page from Gaboriau or Du Boisgobey.

Last March in an apartment in the Rue du Mont-Thabor, near where it is crossed by the Rue de Castiglione, a man named Louis Fleurot was found dead. A revolver with six chambers all empty lay by his side, and a blue handkerchief tightly knotted about his neck seemed to show that he had been strangled before being shot. Six



The Corpse Was Found Dressed Only in Under Clothing.

bullet wounds were found upon him, while a hole in the ceiling showed where a seventh had penetrated. Where was the revolver which had fired the seventh?

The corpse was found dressed only in underclothing. On a chair near by was a suit of clothes of fine texture but very much the worse for wear. Notes amounting to 50 francs lay in an open drawer, and on a desk near by was a gold watch. Evidently robbery had not been the motive for the crime. The buttons on the suit of clothes bore the mark "Buenos Aires."

Owing to the system of the registration of foreigners in Paris every member of the Argentine colony was soon placed under surveillance. All to no purpose. The clothes were shown to hundreds of Parisian tailors. One declared positively that the fabric and cut showed Belgian workmanship. Following up this clew, the police discovered that the cloth had been manufactured at Verviers and had been sold to a Brussels tailor. The Brussels tailor was located and declared that he had made the garment seven years ago for Prince de Chimay, but he knew nothing about the buttons.

The prince was visited by a detec-

tive and at once identified the clothes as some he had worn for a short period and had then given to a servant who was about to go to Buenos Aires to open a French restaurant there. The Paris police at once got into communication with the police of Buenos Aires and the clothing was sent there and identified by the restaurant keeper, who said that he had worn it, had had it repaired at a local tailor's and had finally given it to a fellow countryman who was on his way to Antwerp. Next the Belgian police took a hand. They traced the man to Antwerp and finally located him in prison, where he was serving a two-year sentence for desertion from the army.

When interrogated the prisoner readily admitted that he was the slayer of Louis Fleurot. He said Fleurot wished him to join him in a criminal scheme, and when he refused and had started to leave the apartment Fleurot had barred the way and had drawn a revolver and aimed it at him. He threw up Fleurot's arm and the bullet penetrated the ceiling. Then before Fleurot could get in a second shot he drew his own revolver and quickly discharged the six chambers.

WEE GIRLS ARE BURGLARS

Admit Entering Baltimore Houses and Robbing Sleeping Man to Get Candy Money.

Baltimore, Md.—Peacefully sleeping in a doorway, with arms around each other, two little bold burglars with an array of charges against them were arrested and taken to the Western police station, where charges of feloniously entering dwellings were laid against them.

When these perpetrators of several robberies were taken before Lieut. Shockey he was astounded. Instead of seeing two strong, bad men, with dark lanterns and masks, two little girls with pretty curls hanging down their backs lisped their names. They said they were Florence Kayries, nine years old, and Jennie, her sister, three years her senior.

The prisoners admitted that they had entered several houses.

Little Florence, with her big blue eyes upon the brawny policemen who questioned her, told in lisping tones how she had taken a watch and chain from a sleeping man to get money to buy candy.

Joke on Royal Youngster.

It is a joke in the royal family of England that Prince Edward of Wales is intensely proud of his uniform of a naval cadet and he wears this upon all occasions. Princess Mary of Wales possesses much of the love of mischief that characterized her aunt, the present queen of Norway, in her younger days. Just before the summer vacation Prince Edward received rather a large parcel addressed to him in a hand he did not recognize. He proceeded to unpack this and found to his disgust that it contained a doll dressed in the exact uniform of the naval cadets and bearing, in the writing of his sister, a label bearing the words, "Another of them."

Laborer Is Alive Minus His Backbone.

Philadelphia.—After one of the rarest and most difficult operations known to surgery, James Tournigh, 27, lies on an air mattress in the Hahnemann hospital with a half of his spinal vertebrae cut away and with the spinal cord covered only by the thin layer of skin which lies directly over the backbone.

The man was given up as in a hopeless condition when he was taken to the hospital with a broken back, caused by a fall from the fourth story of a building. His vertebrae was shattered. From the waist down he was paralyzed.

Definite Location.

Lawyer—After the defendant left you, what did you do in the interim?

Witness—Wasn't in any interim. We was in the stable.

The Best Food for Workers.

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Laborers, factory or farm hands, fed plentifully on Quaker Scotch Oats will work better and with less fatigue than if fed on almost any other kind of food. All of these facts were proved and very interesting information about human foods were gathered by Professor Fisher of Yale University in 1908. In addition to the regular package Quaker Scotch Oats is packed in large size family packages either with or without china dishes.

Hated to Take the Money.

Frank I. Cobb, the chief editorial writer of the New York World, was on a vacation in the Maine woods once when Joseph Pulitzer, owner of the World, wanted to communicate with him. Mr. Pulitzer sent Cobb a cipher message.

Presently a country operator drove in to the Cobb camp and handed Cobb the message, which read something like this:

"Simplicity—aggrandizement—grifon—gerald—roderick—hopscotch—hamfat—publicity."

"There's a dollar to collect for delivering that message," said the operator, "but I hate to take it. Somebody along the line got it all balled up, and they ain't no sense to it."

Waste Material.

In process of time it was observed that the multi-millionaire philanthropist had ceased giving costly library buildings to towns and cities.

"Why is this, Mr. Canaggy?" the reporters asked him.

"Young men," he said, "what is the use of building great houses for libraries when all a man needs for an education is five feet of books?"

Whereat they marveled, but they could not answer him.

Two Items.

"I suppose with all this modern prison philanthropy, abolishing stripes and convict uniforms generally, they will soon introduce dress suits for the well-behaved prisoners in our penal institutions."

"Well, you know, they already give convicts watches and chains."

THE DIFFERENCE

Coffee Usually Means Sickness, But Postum Always Means Health.

Those who have never tried the experiment of leaving off coffee and drinking Postum in its place and in this way regaining health and happiness can learn much from the experience of others who have made the trial.

One who knows says: "I drank coffee for breakfast every morning until I had terrible attacks of indigestion producing days of discomfort and nights of sleeplessness. I tried to give up the use of coffee entirely, but found it hard to go from hot coffee to a glass of water. Then I tried Postum.

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"There's a reason" and it is proved by trial.

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Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

He Stopped in Time.

Little Bob's father was fond of telling bear stories to his little boys. One evening he was telling a thrilling one about a bear chasing a little girl, and "how he crept nearer and nearer and nearer." At this point Bob caught his father's arm, and, with the big tears falling down his cheeks, he cried, "Oh, father, don't tell any more. He might catch her."—The Delineator.

If Emerson had it all to say over again, he might advise us to hitch our airships to a star.

Some people register their kicks, but never vote them.

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That Got Him.

A theatrical manager delighted in taking a rise out of conceited or vain members of his company.

"I see you are getting on, fairly well," he remarked.

"Fairly? I am getting on very well," replied the hero of the play, promptly. "I played Hamlet for the first time last night. You can see by the papers' glowing criticisms how well I got on."

"I have not read them," replied the other, quietly, "but I was there."

"Oh, you were. Well, you noticed how swimmingly everything went off? Of course, I made a bungle of one part by falling into Ophelia's grave, but I think the audience appreciated even that."

"I know they did," said the manager, with a slight smile; "but they were frightfully sorry when you climbed out of it again!"

The Rare Gift of Courtesy.

Courtesy includes not merely social kindness, graces of speech, absence of rudeness, but honorable treatment of business associates and of all the fellow citizens with whom a man of affairs may have business to transact. It is not American to keep one citizen waiting all day at the door because he is poor, and to grant another citizen an interview because it is believed he is rich. Wisdom is not confined in a purse, and frequently much wisdom may be learned from a poor man.

Two of a Kind.

Mrs. Boggs—I hate to have a man always complaining about some little thing. Now, my husband is continually harping on the lace curtains.

Mrs. Woggs—Yes, and my husband has been kicking on our front door every morning at three o'clock for the last 20 years.—Puck.

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Inherited.

"Willie Holt seems to be developing into a very fast young man."

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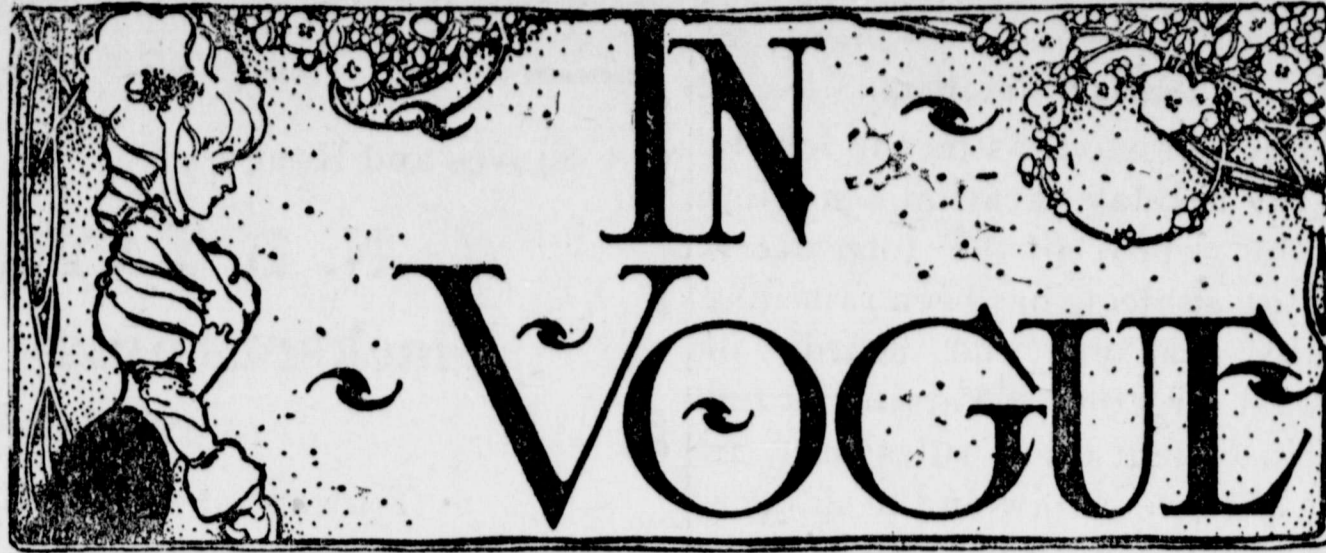
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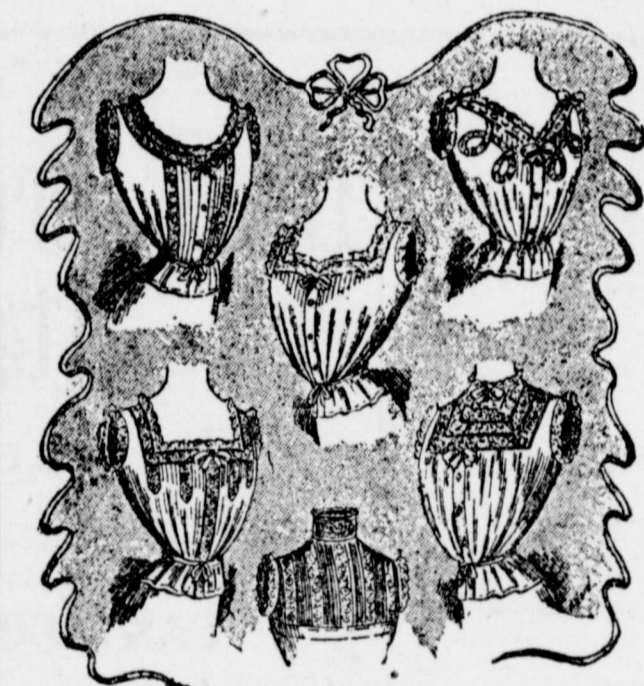
FOR THE CAMISOLE

INDISPENSABLE ADJUNCT OF WARDROBE EASY TO DESIGN.

Six Ideas That May Be Carried Out in Cambric or Washing Silk—Materials Required Are Not Expensive.

Pretty camisoles have a great attraction for the average girl, and, in fact, they are a necessity, with the many transparent materials that are used for dresses and blouses.

Here we show six designs that may be carried out in cambric or washing



silk. The first is trimmed each side front with tucks and insertion carried to the waist, the neck is finished with insertion and lace, the armholes, with insertion only. Beneath this we have a design with square neck trimmed with short tucks

TO BE A SEASON OF RIBBON

Especially Rich Are the Products of the Loom Shown on Shop Counters.

Ribbons need but the merest added touch of elegance each season to push them into unusual prominence. They are always tempting to the woman shopper, and this season's output, designed especially for fancy work, is more than usually rich. The fashion for brocade has touched the silk surface of many beautifully tinted ribbons and left them liberally sprinkled with flowers, leaves and sprays.

Heavy ottoman corded ribbons are printed with flowers upon their white and delicately colored backgrounds.

Heavy satin ribbons are now turned and twisted by the deft-fingered into roses for hats and corsage bouquets. Smaller rosebuds are made of the narrower widths for festoons and wreaths for evening dresses; an imitation of grandma's party frock.

Sashes for young girls are cleverly made of two long strips of five or six-inch pompadour ribbon sewn together, with an insert of dainty lace between the two.

The idea is repeated in an apron made of several widths of ribbon joined with wider lace, and in various party bags of Dresden design, with inserts of gauze ribbon between the wider material.

These little gauze ribbons echo the color of the flowers in the Dresden pattern.

In the absence of a hot-water bottle or bag a hot plate wrapped in paper and a soft towel will retain heat until the proper articles can be procured.

and pointed pieces of insertion, the neck finished with insertion and lace.

In the center the design is very simple, having trimmings only on neck and armholes; in the lower part of the center is shown a camisole that is fastened at back; the lower part is plain to the waist, then the deep yoke consists of alternate strips of finely-tucked lawn and insertion. At the upper right-hand corner lace insertion is laid in loops over tucked cambric. Beneath this we have another high-necked design with square yoke of insertion which fastens by tiny buttons and loops in front, though the artist has failed to indicate this.

Materials required for each camisole: About five-eighths yard 36 inches wide. For the first, two yards insertion, 2½ yards lace. For the second, 2½ yards insertion, three yards lace. For the third, 1¼ yards insertion, three yards lace. For the fourth, three-fourths yard 36 inches wide, three yards insertion, 1¼ yards lace. For the fifth, 1½ yards lace insertion, 1¼ yards beading, 2½ yards lace. For the sixth, three-fourth yard 36 inches wide, insertion according to width, 1¼ yards lace.

Overcast Together.

When heavy Russian crash, such as is now used for portieres, is too narrow in width, don't be dissuaded from the use of this beautiful colorless material, but just overcast its width together after the manner of the Bagdad portiere. You will find no hangings more effective for studio and library use than those of soft-toned crash, and the heavy linen overcasting down each seam will render them even more attractive. To do the overcasting use the coarsest of carpet thread or a flax that is sold in skeins.



Cornmeal, perfumed with orris root, sprinkled through the hair and brushed out, makes a good dry shampoo.

A camphorated bath is refreshing after a day's work and is not expensive, says a writer. After your regular tub bath take a basin of cold water, drop enough of the mixture in the water to make it look milky and then sponge the body. It only takes a few moments and you will feel repaid for the trouble.

A woman who knows all the ins and outs of the well-dressed world tells how to scent gloves. Pour perfumery in the palms of the hand or rub oil of flowers on the palms and place the gloves on the hand for several minutes until the odor penetrates them. The warmth of the hand drives the oils into the glove and good perfume will remain for many months.

It is stated by an enthusiast of fencing as a sport for women that there is no exercise which so well develops the figure. It invariably gives grace to movement.

Collapsible Tub.

The thing most desired by young mothers these days is a bathtub for the baby made of sheet rubber that is attached to a campstool foundation. It can be folded up and put out of the way when not in use, and it telescopes into a small bundle when one wants to travel.

All Who Would Enjoy

good health, with its blessings, must understand, quite clearly, that it involves the question of right living with all the term implies. With proper knowledge of what is best, each hour of recreation, of enjoyment, of contemplation and of effort may be made to contribute to living aright. Then the use of medicines may be dispensed with to advantage, but under ordinary conditions in many instances a simple, wholesome remedy may be invaluable if taken at the proper time and the California Fig Syrup Co. holds that it is alike important to present the subject truthfully and to supply the one perfect laxative to those desiring it.

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Unusual Luck.

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"Yes; rented it to an actor."

"Did he find out its reputation?"

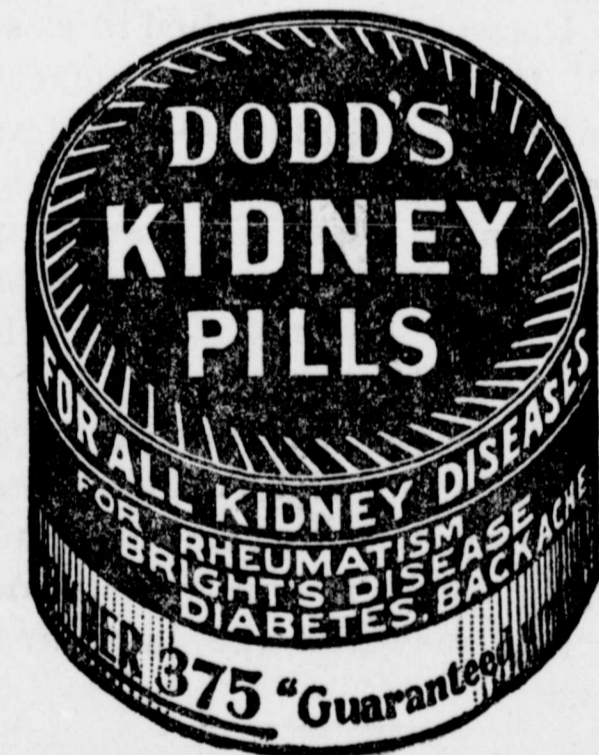
"That's the very thing that decided him to take the house."

"Rather surprising!"

"He said it would be such a comfort for him to get inside of a house where the ghost walked every night."

Snake Story.

"Before he went fishin'," said the town story teller, "he swallowed 'bout a pint an' a half of snakebite remedy, an' of course you know what that is. Well, after the snake bit him the reptile cut all sorts o' capers, kaze the remedy went straight to its head. Last thing it tried to do wuz to swaller its tail, an' it got itself in the form of a hoop an' I'm a liar ef the children didn't roll it around all day!"



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THE CARRIZOZO NEWS

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JNO. A. HALEY, Editor.

Sometimes, generally always, the editor of a country newspaper needs a little cash. We were thinking of throwing out a mild hint, by way of suggestion, to our esteemed subscribers that a little Christmas gift of some kind would be welcome at this season; but on second thought, and second thoughts are considered the best, we would remind those of our subscribers who know themselves to be indebted to this office for the NEWS, to call and pay the small amounts due us, and spare us the disagreeable task of sending statements; besides the post-office department has issued strict orders forbidding the transmission of newspapers to subscribers who are more than one year in arrears. Now, on looking over our mailing list this week we find that there are less than a dozen who are one year in arrears, and if you should happen to be one of them, and will call in when you come to town, or mail us a check or money order at your convenience, you will confer a favor on the editor that he will appreciate, and enable him to enjoy Christmas as well as the best.

George A. Puckett, editor of the Roswell Record, died in Roswell this week. Mr. Puckett went to Roswell in 1903, suffering from tuberculosis, and while the climate did not cure his malady, his life was no doubt prolonged. He was a very intelligent and vigorous writer, and absolutely uncompromising on a question of principle. The newspaper profession lost a strong and worthy member when George A. Puckett answered the last summons.

The coming week will be a busy one in the various stores in Carrizozo—it being Christmas week. Those who can, should make their purchases as early as possible in the week, for the reason that they will have the pick of the goods and can get what they want instead of having to take what they can get, and avoid the rush during the last day or two, when the clerks are overworked. It would be well to remember also, that the goods advertised in this paper can be depended on for what they are represented. Read the advertisements in the NEWS, then visit the stores, see the goods displayed, and pick your choice.

Holiday Vacations.

The question as to the length of the holiday vacation, in view of the repeal of the former law on the subject, has been raised by many teachers and boards of school directors. Territorial Superintendent Clark rules that, in the absence of law on the subject, that local conditions are to govern—i.e., the directors and teachers may adjust the vacation in conformity with local surroundings, length of term, etc., and may also consult the county superintendent concerning same. It is the opinion of this office that a week would be reasonable for the holiday vacation in most cases, and should not be longer than that, particularly in the schools where only a short term is being taught, but it might be convenient to go slightly beyond that time in order to cover the entire holiday period.

JNO. A. HALEY,
Supt. of Schools.

ONE DOLLAR BARGAIN.

The Twice-A-Week Republic, of St. Louis, Mo., is making a special Christmas offer of a three year subscription to their paper for \$1.00. This rate will positively not be good after December 31, 1909. Any number of subscriptions will be accepted at this ridiculously low price while the rate is in effect, from December 1 to 31, but positively no premiums or cash commission will be allowed. The \$1.00 price is absolutely net.

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Mining Application No. 020972.

Serial No. 020972.

Coal Land—Forest Reserve.

United States Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,

December 1st, 1909.

Notice is hereby given that The New Mexico Iron Mining Company, a corporation under the laws of the territory of New Mexico, by Andrew H. Hudspeth its attorney in fact whose post office address is White Oaks, Lincoln county, New Mexico, has this day filed its application for a patent for the Johnson Group of placer mining claims, comprising the Johnson placer mining claim and Thomas placer mining claim, bearing iron and limestone, situated in El Capitan Mining District, Lincoln county, New Mexico, and described as follows, to-wit:

The Thomas placer mining claim being and containing the NW4 of Sec. 14 in Twp. 8.S. of R. 14 E., N. M. P. M., containing 160 acres.

The Johnson placer mining claim being and containing the W2 of the SW4 of the SE4 of Sec. 11; the S2 of the SW4 of Sec. 11; the E2 of the SE4 of the SE4 of Sec. 10 and the E2 of the NE4 of the NE4 of Sec. 15 of Tp. 8.S. of R. 14 E., N. M. P. M., area of the Johnson placer claim, 140 acres; total area of the Johnson Group, 300 acres

Said mining claims are of record in the office of the Recorder of said Lincoln county, New Mexico, in Book Y of mining records at pages 335 and 336.

The adjoining claims, so far as known, are, on the north, Calcium Oxide placer; on the east, Holt placer; on the south, Holt placer and Gray Forge placer; on the West, Calcium Oxide placer and Gray Forge placer. Any and all persons

Stoves and Ranges.

Builders' Hardware.

N. B. TAYLOR & SONS Blacksmithing and Hardware

CARRIZOZO & WHITE OAKS

Tinware, Paints, Glass, Oils of all kinds,
Harness, Ammunition, Etc.

The Carrizozo Bar.

All Bonded Whiskey	\$1.75 per Quart.
Port Wine50 per Quart.
Blackberry Brandy50 per Quart.
Old Kingdom Blended Whiskey	\$4.00 per Gallon.

Wholesale Prices on Seipp's Beer
to Outside Dealers.

Ring up 32 when you need a Rig.

Livery Feed and Sale Stable.

If in the
market for
Teams or
Rigs
Call on us.

W. M. REILY, Prop.
Good Rigs, Fast Teams, Careful Drivers.

Prompt
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Given all
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Orders.

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HEADLIGHT SALOON.

Fine Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

GREEN RIVER WHISKEY.

An Up-to-Date Resort where Gentlemen can
spend a quiet half hour.

A Reading Room and Billiard
Parlor in connection.

JOHN LEE, Master.

Main street. Carrizozo.

claiming adversely the mining grounds, premises, or any portion thereof so described and applied for are hereby notified that unless their adverse claims are duly filed according to law and the regulations thereunder with the Register of the United States Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, during the 60 days period of the publication hereof, they will be barred by reason of the statutes.
12-10-14 T. C. TILLOTSON, Register.

FURNISHED ROOM—Large furnished room for rent; outside door.
See J. F. Kimbell.

FOR SALE—Some good cord wood. See H. S. CAMPBELL, 3-12.

An Abstract of Title


Is as necessary as a Deed to show that you have a good title to your land. Have you got one? If not order now.

AMERICAN TITLE & TRUST CO.

(INCORPORATED)
WM. F. A. GIERKE, President.
LINCOLN, NEW MEXICO.

DeWitts Little Early Risers, the safe, sure, easy, gentle little liver pills. The original Carbolized Witch Hazel salve is DeWitts The name is plainly stamped on every box. It is good for cuts, burns, bruises, sores, boils and sunburn—but it is especially good for piles. Sold by Paden's drug store. and Rolland Bros.

Welch & Titsworth

Colorado Potatoes, per cwt. \$1.50	Wholesale and Retail GENERAL MERCHANDISE	Stetson Hats
Cane Granulated Sugar " 6.15		Boots and Shoes
Pride of Denver Flour " 3.30		Dry Goods
Imboden's Best Flour " 3.35		Etc., Etc.
Pratt's Best Flour " 3.30		
Club House Flour " 3.20		Farming Implements
These prices subject to change without notice.		Farm Wagons
		Iron Roofing
		Chicken Netting

WELCH & TITSWORTH.

CAPITAN.

Fred Pflingsten, of Angus, was in town Monday and Tuesday.

Roy Garrett, of Clarkville, Ark., is here on a visit with C. S. Laster.

J. H. Charless shipped a train load of cattle this week to eastern markets.

Miss Agnes Pflingsten, of Capitan, is visiting her mother this week at this place.

Paul Mayer came down from White Oaks Tuesday evening and took the delayed No. 3 for El Paso.

Welch & Titsworth shipped three carloads of fat cattle Tuesday to the Kansas City markets.

The school at Nogal, under the charge of Sam Kelsey, will give an entertainment on the night of the 24th.

J. H. Skinner went to Tularosa Monday where he purchased several carloads of hay, which will be shipped to this place.

Miss Frances McDonald, who is attending school at Wolfe Hall Academy, Denver, is expected home for the holidays.

W. K. Boyd, chief clerk in the Master Mechanic's office, returned this week from a visit to Childress, Texas, bringing with him a bride. They will settle down to housekeeping life.

The holiday weddings have begun early, and if the same rate is maintained there will be few marriageables after the first of the year.

Charles J. Campbell, who quit punching cows on this flat to go to grangering in Texas, got married on the 9th. inst. Best wishes, Charlie, for you and yours.

Jno. A. Haley, superintendent of schools, is absent this week, visiting schools in the eastern and southern part of the county. He expects to return next week.

Miss Mary Meek, of Tularosa, is visiting friends here. After the holidays she will go to White Oaks, where she has been engaged to teach school this winter.

Everything is putting on a Christmas air. The stores are loaded for Santa Claus, and we trust the genial old fellow will not fail to visit every child in the town and country.

Capt. John Lee this week bought the Hubbard residence on the McDonald addition, and will move his family in from the ranch as soon as the necessary changes are made on the building.

There will be a dancing party given at Humphrey Bros. Hall, Saturday night, Dec. 25, at which

there will be two handsome prizes given to the lady and gentleman holding the lucky numbers.

C. S. Laster, agent for the McDonald Real Estate Co., reports considerable activity in the real estate business during the past month.

There has been some talk of arranging some pony races, turkey shoots and other sports during the holidays. The idea is a good one, and, if carried out, will help to enliven things during the holidays.

Jack Quinlevin, of Alamogordo, who has mining interests in the White Oaks district, spent Monday in this town. He had been in White Oaks the past month doing the assessment work on his mining claims.

Geo. Lee, the dairyman, wishes to refute a rumor that some of his cows have been condemned. He states that Inspector Tucker and the veterinarian surgeon examined his herd and pronounced them healthy.

The White Oaks Social Club will give their annual mid-winter dance at the schoolhouse, on Christmas eve, Dec. 24. Refreshments will be served at midnight. The club extends a cordial invitation to all neighboring friends.

Two of the directors of the Eagle Mining Co. went to Parsons Sunday. They were met at this place by the manager, J. M. Rice. They returned to Chicago Tuesday evening. While nothing definitely is known, it is believed that work will be started on the group of mines owned by that company early in the spring.

A meeting was held at the Colbaugh school house, Corona, last Sunday, for the purpose of taking steps to organize a Baptist church at that place. The meeting adjourned to the 25th., when it is hoped all in favor of establishing a church will be present. J. F. Hudman will preach on the occasion.

An assault was reported from Ancho this week, and Sheriff Stevens went up and arrested the accused Wednesday. The man arrested is a Mexican, name to us unknown, and he is charged with attacking a 15 year old American girl. Sheriff Stephens turned his prisoner over to deputy Oswald.

The Bills Brothers Monumental and Iron Fence Co., 1455 Broadway, Denver, Colo., are sending their customers one of the most beautiful pictures we have ever seen. It is an imported picture in colors, entitled "Violets," size 15x20.

Merit and perseverance win except in a government land lottery.

There are mighty few idle mills and factories in this country now.

From impending lawsuits it is evident that all persons who wear wings are not angels.

It is gambling when you lose and speculation when you win. There is no other difference.

Here and there a French aeronaut succeeds very well without the aid of queer-looking whiskers.

Chicago has some fine skyscraper roofs which should look attractive to aspiring aeroplane operators.

One woman says that she stole two shirt waists because she was hungry. Still, shirt waists are not very toothsome.

It will not be long before the sight of farmers coming to the city in autos will be so familiar as to escape comment.

With 7,000 immigrants coming in one day New York may have to put upper stories on its parks for lodging places.

People continue to fall victims to the "Spanish prisoner" swindle. That is what they get for not reading the newspapers.

Some day the world will really come to an end, and it will be just the luck of those prophets not to be on the job at the time.

Actors are said to be scarce in New York, but as this is the open season for decayed vegetables and aged hen fruit, "there's a reason."

It is high time a stop was put to those Spanish swindles, and it is also high time that Americans grew too wise to be caught by them.

Spain has a war abroad and a rebellion at home, which is enough to make her unfortunate government walk Spanish. At least, this is the pleasant prospect if they do not win the war and put down the rebellion.

The Belgian concessionaires in the Congo are suing missionaries for alleged libelous statements about cruelty to the natives. If the trials are fair, they ought to afford a good way of bringing out the truth about this much-mooted point.

This is the country of big things, even in the matter of small ones. The official statistics show that the people of the United States have bought \$100,000,000 worth of toys in ten years and that the toy industry here is large and flourishing. Unquestionably this is a happy land for the youngster

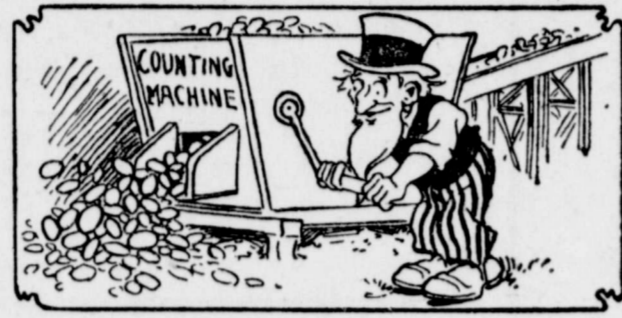
The annual average loss of property by fire in Germany, Austro-Hungary, Italy, France, Denmark and Switzerland is about 33 cents per capita. In the United States it is \$2.47 a year. The only consolation for Americans in such figures—and it isn't very sensible—is the fact that they have more per capita, than the Europeans to burn.

Two more battleships are about ready to be added to the navy, and have been built with the expeditious which shows American capacity in this line, says the Baltimore American. The company constructing the Delaware has asked for a trial trip this month, which is several months ahead of contract time. The North Dakota also is nearly completed in another shipyard. The Delaware and the North Dakota are among the largest and most powerful of our war vessels, and will be valuable accessions to the national defense.

Gossip of Washington

What Is Going On at the National Capital.

Machine Counts Uncle Sam's Money



WASHINGTON.—Uncle Sam is now too big, too prosperous and too much in a hurry even to count his money, and instead of counting his coins by hand he simply runs them through a sort of hopper, operated by electricity, and an automatic register shows how many go through. The coins fall into a bag and are tied up and sealed, the government guaranteeing that the correct number are in the bag.

The machine can make no mistake, hence Uncle Sam feels safe in making his guaranty. In this way all the money is now being counted out at Washington, to go to the subtreas-

uries and banks throughout the country. The treasury does a great deal of counting of money, and for the purpose women are employed rather than men, as it has been found after long experience that the women make fewer mistakes. Hence the operators who sit at the electric machines and pour the silver stream into the hoppers are of the female sex.

But there is one place in the life of the coin where it must be counted by hand, and that is when it comes back to the treasury for redemption.

The money then must be gone over by hand to separate the foreign, mutilated, worn out and counterfeit pieces, a work that requires very quick precision, and women have been found to do it exceedingly well. Usually they can detect a counterfeit coin by its color as it lies among the others on the table, but if not then, the operator captures it when she tosses it from one hand to another, for there is a false ring in its chink as it leaps into her palm.

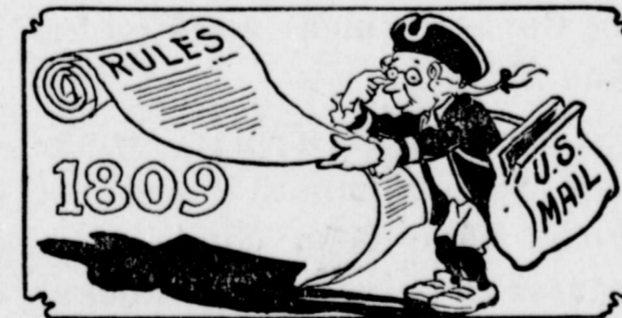
Friends Amused by Taft Bath Story



WASHINGTON has a good laugh at the story from Glenwood Springs, Col., about the bath President Taft didn't take, knowing how the people do some awfully funny things in their efforts to entertain the nation's chief. At Glenwood Springs, on his trip west, which station he reached at six o'clock in the morning, there were several thousand people who greeted the stoppage of the train with a whoop. Cap "Allie" Butts, the president's military aid, landed on the floor with one bound from the bed, and speedily appeared upon the rear platform of the train, wrapped in a military coat and not much else, excepting just straight mad. His cream-colored pajamas projected about a foot below the great coat and his shoes displayed the lack of hosiery as he faced the reception committee, headed by the bishop of the church and the mayor of Glenwood

Springs. He informed them that the president would be out presently, and then, as the mountain breezes were spreading his coat-tails out so that you could play checkers on them, he hiked to summon the presidential valet. The president finally appeared on the platform, and explained smilingly but hastily that his program hadn't any notice of a six o'clock reception. The crowd stated that whether it did or didn't he was there, and they were going to have him, and off they rushed him to the Glenwood Springs hotel to show him the wonderful public bath with the town's famous warm springs. Now, a bath before breakfast is a very pleasurable thing to take, but the way the president was to take this did not suit him in the least. The thoughtful people of Glenwood had prepared a specially-constructed bathing suit for the president, and a dozen or so for the members of the party, and the program was that the president was to patter down into the pool on one side, while the multitude watched from the other side. The president positively declined this courtesy, and reluctantly the people of Glenwood Springs gave up their promised presidential pleasure.

Odd Provisions in Old Mail Rules



A GENERAL clean-up of the records of the postoffice department in Washington recently brought to light a list of postal routes existing in the United States in 1809, together with a schedule of the time in which those routes should be covered. The pamphlets were issued by Gideon Granger, who was postmaster general under Jefferson in 1801 and continued under Madison in 1809. They are the earliest records of their kind now in the possession of the department.

In front of each pamphlet is a list of the rules and regulations which governed the distribution of the mails just 100 years ago. They were brief

and to the point, and contained some curious stipulations. In addition, the pamphlet contained fines levied upon mail carriers for delivering wet mails and for other shortcomings.

The general rules were as follows:

"1. The postmaster general may expedite the mails and after the time of arrival and departure at any time during the continuance of the contracts, he stipulating what he conceives to be an adequate compensation for any extra expense that may be occasioned thereby.

"2. Fifteen minutes shall be allowed for opening and closing the mails at all offices where no particular time is specified.

"3. For every 30 minutes delay (unavoidable accidents excepted) in arriving after the time prescribed in any contract, the contractor shall forfeit \$1; and if the delay continues until the departure of any depending mail whereby the mails destined for such depending mail lost a trip, an additional forfeiture of \$5."

SAVED FROM AN OPERATION

By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Louisville, Ky.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has certainly done me a world of good and I cannot praise it enough. I suffered from irregularities, dizziness, nervousness, and a severe female trouble. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has restored me to perfect health and kept me from the operating table. I will never be without this medicine in the house."—Mrs. SAM'L LEE, 3523 Fourth St., Louisville, Ky.



Another Operation Avoided. Adrian, Ga.—"I suffered untold misery from female troubles, and my doctor said an operation was my only chance, and I dreaded it almost as much as death. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound completely cured me without an operation."—LENA V. HENRY, R. F. D. 3.

Thirty years of unparalleled success confirms the power of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to cure female diseases. The great volume of unsolicited testimony constantly pouring in proves conclusively that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a remarkable remedy for those distressing feminine ills from which so many women suffer.

SICK HEADACHE

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS. Positively cured by these Little Pills. They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable. SMALL PILL. SMALL DOSE. SMALL PRICE.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS. Genuine Must Bear Fac-Simile Signature. *Warranted* REFUSE SUBSTITUTES.

Busted

Many a man goes broke—in Health—then wealth. Blames his mind—says it don't work right; but all the time it's his bowels. They don't work—liver dead and the whole system gets clogged with poison. Nothing kills good, clean-cut brain action like constipation. CASCARETS will relieve and cure. Try it now. 916

CASCARETS 10c a box for a week's treatment. All druggists. Biggest seller in the world. Million boxes a month.

Don't Cough!—Use

PISO'S CURE

THE BEST MEDICINE FOR COUGHS AND COLDS. Will instantly relieve your aching throat. There is nothing like it for Asthma, Bronchitis and lung troubles. Contains no opiates. Very pleasant to take. All Druggists, 25 cents.

ACID DEADLY FOE OF MOTH

Must Be Used with Care, But It Will Do Away with Household Pest.

Many housekeepers, even experienced ones, feel that if they have succeeded in outwitting the voracious moth during the summer months there is nothing more to fear from him. In point of fact the fall months are dangerous, particularly where a town house is not opened until late.

If one finds moths around in the fall and does not wish to go to the trouble of getting more camphor or tar balls for a comparatively short period, let her try the carbolic acid cure.

Wipe off the woodwork, shelves and floor of closet, or wherever danger of moths lies, with a solution of carbolic acid. Be careful in doing this that none gets on the hands, as it burns badly when too strong.

After wiping down the woodwork a little of the acid may be put in the cup of a small alcohol stove. The heating causes the fumes to rise through the closet and helps in the moth fighting.

WHEN FLOOR NEEDS PAINTING

A Little Preparation Before the Color Is Applied Will Produce Best Results.

Best results achieved by doing it in the following manner: Have floor well scrubbed and free from tacks and lime and thoroughly dried before applying paint. Give it a coat of floor paint of any desired color every other day until three coats have been applied. Then get a varnish the color of the paint and apply two good coats of that and the floor will look fine and smooth. To clean the floor, if a border only, first sweep the carpet and let the dust settle. Make a duster by wrapping an old piece of flannel around the broom handle so that it forms a round ball and over this tie a piece of eiderdown. Go over the painted portion of the floor with this duster, every once in a while shaking out the dust. In this way the floor will always look nice and it will not be necessary to clean with water which always dulls the paint.

The Dishcloth.

It is certainly an important subject. It is a deplorable fact that in many homes "any old rag" is considered good enough with which to wash dishes. A coarse linen cloth is the best for a dishcloth. If this is not at hand, use some loosely woven material, like cheesecloth, or something knitted or crocheted for the purpose that can be easily kept clean. It is an excellent plan to have two sets in constant use that may be used on alternate days. Each day they should be thoroughly washed, adding a little sal soda or ammonia to the water, rinsed and hung in the sunshine to dry. The direct rays of the sun will kill the germs. If the dishcloth becomes discolored or acquires an odor burn it.

Apple Paste.

Pare, core and cut up the apples (not into slices), weigh them and allow one pound of the best lump sugar to every pound of fruit; put the apples into a jar, set in the oven and cook until quite soft; boil the sugar to a sirup, allowing a breakfast cup of water to every two pounds of sugar; drop in your apples and add a teacupful of marmalade and a little grated ginger. Let all simmer for ten minutes, wet your shapes with spirits, then fill them with paste, the jelly will then turn out firm and keep for many years if stored in a dry place.

Mushroom Sauce Made from Stems.

The stems cut from mushrooms can be utilized in a delicious sauce for beefsteak. For this they may be simply fried in butter or sprinkled with salt, broiled, then broken in pieces and stirred into a cupful of hot cream and seasoned with salt and pepper.

MAJOR OR MINOR.



Mr. Lunnon—I suppose I may address you as major, sir! Every man in these southern states seems to be a colonel or a major.

Texas Bill—I'm no major; I'm a miner.

RASH ALL OVER BOY'S BODY.

Awful, Crusted, Weeping Eczema on Little Sufferer—A Score of Treatments Prove Dismal Failures.

Cure Achieved by Cuticura.

"My little boy had an awful rash all over his body and the doctor said it was eczema. It was terrible, and used to water awfully. Any place the water went it would form another sore and it would become crusted. A score or more physicians failed utterly and dismally in their efforts to remove the trouble. Then I was told to use the Cuticura Remedies. I got a cake of Cuticura Soap, a box of Cuticura Ointment and a bottle of Cuticura Resolvent, and before we had used half the Resolvent I could see a change in him. In about two months he was entirely well. George F. Lambert, 139 West Centre St., Mahanoy City, Pa., Sept. 26 and Nov. 4, 1907."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

Anti-Climax.

"How's yer wheat?"
 "First rate."
 "Pigs doin' well?"
 "Fine."
 "That puny colt come 'round all right?"
 "He sure did."
 "Glad to hear things is so likely, Bill. How's your wife?"—Washington Herald.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Heartless Parent Again.

Beautiful Girl—Gardener, don't make a flower bed there. It will spoil our croquet ground."

Gardener—Can't help it, miss. Them's my orders. Your father says he is going to have this garden devoted to horticulture, not husbandry.

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it Bears the

Signature of *Wm. H. Fletcher*
 In Use For Over 30 Years.

The Kind You Have Always Bought.

As you grow for it, somewhere or other you will find what is needful for you in a book or a friend.—George Macdonald.

ARE YOU LOSING FLESH

through a racking cough that you cannot seem to check? A bottle of Allen's Lung Balsam will cure the trouble and help you back to health.

Somehow the majority of our habits seem to be bad ones.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.

For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Some family skeletons are padded beyond recognition.

PUTNAM FADELESS DYES

Color more goods brighter and faster colors than any other dye. One 10c package colors all fibers. They dye in cold water better than any other dye. You can dye any garment without ripping apart. Write for free booklet—How to Dye, Bleach and Mix Colors. MONROE DRUG CO., Quincy, Illinois.

A Clean Man

Outside cleanliness is less than half the battle. A man may scrub himself a dozen times a day, and still be unclean. Good health means cleanliness not only outside, but inside. It means a clean stomach, clean bowels, clean blood, a clean liver, and new, clean, healthy tissues. The man who is clean in this way will look it and act it. He will work with energy and think clean, clear, healthy thoughts.

He will never be troubled with liver, lung, stomach or blood disorders. Dyspepsia and indigestion originate in unclean stomachs. Blood diseases are found where there is unclean blood. Consumption and bronchitis mean unclean lungs.



Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery

prevents these diseases. It makes a man's insides clean and healthy. It cleans the digestive organs, makes pure, clean blood, and clean, healthy flesh.

It restores tone to the nervous system, and cures nervous exhaustion and prostration. It contains no alcohol or habit-forming drugs.

Constipation is the most uncleanliness. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure it. They never gripe. Easy to take as candy.

Mayer's
LEADING LADY SHOES
 There are no other shoes at popular prices that in any way compare with these classy, fashionable, good-fitting shoes. They are made on lasts that insure the utmost comfort, yet give your feet that trim and stylish look.

Leading Lady
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To be sure you get the **LEADING LADY**, look for the Mayer Trade Mark on the soles.

FREE—If you will send us the name of a dealer who does not handle Leading Lady Shoes, we will send you free, post-paid, a beautiful picture of Martha Washington, size 15 x 20.

We also make Honorbilt Shoes for men, Martha Washington Comfort Shoes, Yerma Cushion Shoes, Special Merit School Shoes and Work Shoes.

F. Mayer Boot & Shoe Co.
 Milwaukee, Wis.

Raising Temperature

depends upon the heater—how constructed—whether it gets all the fuel-energy or only some of it.

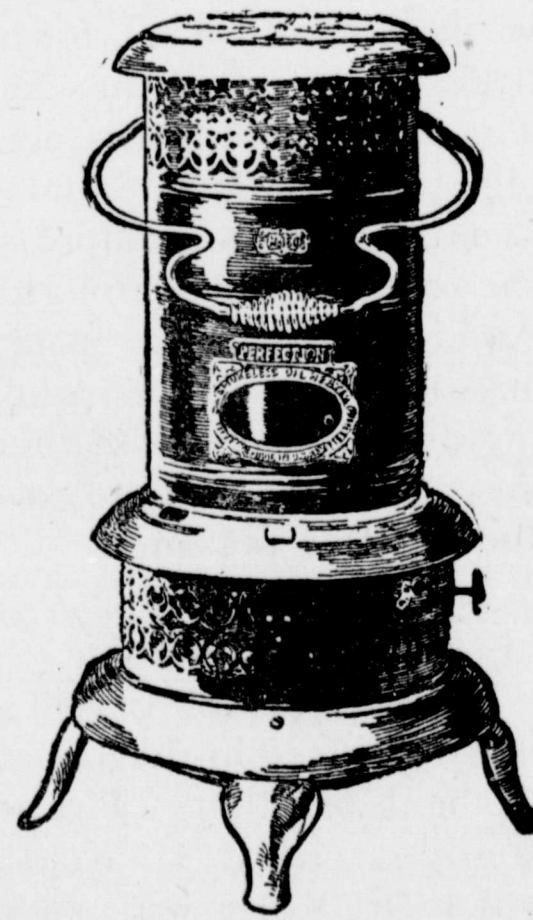
If the heater is a

PERFECTION Oil Heater

(Equipped with Smokeless Device)

the raising of the temperature is certain.

Turn the wick as high or low as it will go—there's no danger, no smoke, no smell—just an emphatic raising of temperature. The



Automatic Smokeless Device

is a permanent check upon carelessness, making the heater safe in the hands of a child. Burns nine hours with one filling, heats all parts of a room quickly.

Oil indicator tells amount of oil in the all-brass font. Damper top. Cool handle. Aluminum window frame. Cleaned in a minute. Finished in Nickel or Japan. Various styles and finishes.

Every Dealer Everywhere. If Not at Yours, Write for Descriptive Circular to the Nearest Agency of the

CONTINENTAL OIL COMPANY
 (Incorporated)

Christmas in Carrizozo.

Just one more short week and Christmas will be with us with all its dear old customs and associations. The mistletoe with its white berries, the holly with its red, the Christmas tree, and the children's favorite, Old Santa himself, all of which are inseparable at this happy season, no matter on which part of the globe we happen to be when the festival rolls around. Even on the frontier of New Mexico, amidst crows, cactus and coyotes, Christmas will be celebrated with almost as much ceremony as in the large cities of the east. Owing to latitude and climatic conditions the holly will have no part in the decorations, but green pine trees and mistletoe will be in evidence. In the south and east where the holly is indigenous, it will be one of the principal shrubs used, with the mistletoe, for Christmas decorations. The custom of using holly and mistletoe at Christmas goes back many centuries, and probably had its origin in England during the Druid period. Be that as it may, and notwithstanding the forest reserve and Chief Forester Pinchot, there will be young pine trees galore from one end of this territory to the other, at the coming festival. What would the little ones think if there was no Christmas tree on which to hang all the gifts that old Santa is sure to bring, bright and early on Christmas morning? And in this respect we will say that while remembering our friends, with some little token of regard at this season, we cannot afford to forget the little ones—even the smallest. The memory of Christmas, the big stocking, and Santa Claus remains indelibly impressed on the child mind through life. And if there are any poor little ones that we know of, who have few friends to think of them, we must be sure not to overlook them at this season.

Gospel Services.

Regular people's gospel services will be held in the basement of the bank building. The people's family service at 11 o'clock, at which Dr. Miller will speak on the "Indignation of Jesus—When and Why He Manifested Intense Indignation." At the popular night service he will give an address on "The Life and Character of Gen. Robert E. Lee," with special emphasis of his lofty religious life.

Everybody is cordially invited to attend these services. It is the purpose of Dr. Miller to make them interesting and helpful.

Sunday School at 10 o'clock—come and bring your children.

Loughrey-Boyd.

William P. Loughrey and Miss Lena Boyd were married Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Boyd, the Rev. Henry G. Miller officiating. Only immediate friends of the contracting parties were present to witness the ceremony. The groom, a popular young railroad man, has thus won for his bride one of the most attractive young ladies in this town. Both young people have legions of friends who wish them a long and happy life, in which wish the NEWS most heartily joins.

Stuart-Werner.

A wedding was solemnized last Sunday at Lincoln, Rev. J. W. Riggle officiating at the marriage of C. F. Stuart and Mrs. Archie Werner. The groom is a well known citizen of the Eagle Creek country, but for a number of years has been in the employ of the government sanatorium at Fort Stanton. The bride has resided the past ten years at Capitan, and is a daughter of Mrs. A. M. Meers. The contracting parties are well and favorably known in this county, and the NEWS joins their host of friends in wishing them a pleasant voyage on the matrimonial sea.

Another Benedict.

George B. Johnson, formerly a salesman in the Carrizozo Trading company's store, but who left last summer for Albuquerque, was married in that city on the 13th inst. to Miss Ela M. Eubank. The newly-wedded pair will make their home at Raton, N.M., after the holidays.

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