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Better Think Again

Word has been received from Los Angeles to the effect that real estate sharks are still contemplating locating a colony of Japs in the Portales Valley. Mr. Man, you are, right now, facing a proposition entirely too large for your limited ability. You sadly mistake the true temper of the truck farmers of Roosevelt county if you believe that you can thrust these alien undesirables upon them whether or no. You will not succeed. Our people have their minds made up. These Japs must not, shall not, locate here. These truck farmers have rights, rights that came down to them with the fathers, the right of self preservation and they are capable of invoking whatever agency is necessary to thwart a scheme of this character. These Japs constitute just a great menace to the peace and prosperity of the Portales Valley as do the I. W. W.' the Bolsheviki and kindred evils in other sections. Take the best advice that has, thus far, been tendered you, and give up this proposition. The Portales Valley must stay white.

Mesa Development

The Mesa Oil and Gas company is now putting down its fifteen and one half inch casing. They have not struck any water, as yet, but it was deemed safer to case at this time than to risk a caye in. Another showing for oil has been discovered at a depth of approximately four hundred feet. With the completion of the setting of this casing, a twenty-four hour tower will commence and be continued until the completion of the well. The fuel problem has been solved and sufficient oil is now on hand to keep things moving.

The Mesa rig is located on the same structure as is the McGee well at Tucumcari, this structure extending for a distance of three hundred miles, to the Brown well at Artesia, which is reported to have blown in a hundred and fifty barrel well this week.

The Mesa people are, for the most part, old residents of this immediate vicinity, and those who are not have come so well recommended that there can be no reasonable doubt as to their ability, honesty intention to fulfill their contract. They have recently sold a large block of leases and now have ample means to carry their plans to a successful termination. Parties are advised that now is the time to get their leases. A few dollars invested now may mean a life of ease and comfort a little later. It is better to be safe than sorry. If any of these wells come in and you have no acreage you will have missed something.

Williams-Beeman

On Thursday afternoon, Nov., 20th, Mr. Corbett O. Williams and Miss Lela D; Beeman, both of Richland, this county, were married at the home of Pastor J. G. Newman of the Baptist church.

Sewing—Those wishing sewing done in the home phone 120. Also rooms to rent. Mrs. Lillie Fuller.

Will Plead Guilty

Cooley will plead guilty to the charge of incest, the victim of his depravity being his own daughter and thus will end the two cases that have cast the worst blot on the fair name of this, our county, since its organization. The two brutes, Cox and Cooley, ayowed and blatant socialists, complain bitterly of the fact that the Journal has given the facts of their crime to the public without varnish or gloss, and say but for that fact they would have fought their cases to the bitter end. The Journal hopes that this is true; it hopes that it has been instrumental in saving to the county perfectly good money that would have been expended in a trial. There has never been any doubt as to their guilt and the only regret of the Journal is that the law of punishment is not commensurate with the enormity of the crime committed. Mutilation and solitary confinement for the balance of their lives would be none too severe.

Sold His Cattle

Sheriff A. L. Gregg this week closed a deal with Coe Howard and George Smith for the herd of registered Hereford cattle owned by him. There were about eighty head of cows, one fine herd bull. He also sold his yearlings to H. P. Coleman, of Tolar. This is one of the finest registered herds in this part of the country and it brought a good price. Mr. Gregg says that he is going to take a little rest and visit with home folks until spring.

J. B. Peterson, county agent for Roosevelt county, will leave Saturday morning for Chicago, Illinois, where he will represent the state farm bureau in the national conference. This is a distinct honor for both Mr. Peterson and for Roosevelt county and regardless of the fact that the Santa Fe New Mexican says that we have no farm bureau and no county agent, the selection of Roosevelt's county agent was unanimous and tendered strictly for the reason of efficiency and energy.

Commissioners' Proceedings

Portales, New Mexico, Thursday, August 7, 1919.

Court convened pursuant to adjournment of yesterday, present as then.

The various school districts of the county having submitted estimates for funds required to maintain the schools in the various districts of said county of Roosevelt, and the board of county commissioners, after having examined and carefully considered said estimates, do make the following tentative levy for Roosevelt county for the year 1919. to-wit;

| For county general funds. | |
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| Court..... | .00063 |
| General county..... | .00098 |
| Wild animal bounty..... | .00020 |
| County road..... | .00140 |
| Salary..... | .00084 |
| County agent..... | .00016 |
| County road emergency..... | .00300 |
| County school..... | .00885 |
| For school district special funds. | |
| District No. 1 special.... | .00125 |
| District No. 1 bond..... | .00100 |
| District No. 1 interest.... | .00250 |
| District No. 2 special.... | .00500 |
| District No. 2 interest.... | .00025 |
| District No. 3 interest.... | .00075 |
| District No. 5 special.... | .00250 |
| District No. 7 special.... | .00750 |
| District No. 8 special.... | .00200 |
| District No. 11 special.... | .00250 |
| District No. 12 special.... | .00025 |
| District No. 19 special.... | .00200 |
| District No. 22 special.... | .00025 |
| District No. 22 interest.... | .00045 |
| District No. 27 interest.... | .00100 |
| District No. 31 interest.... | .00125 |
| District No. 37 special.... | .00400 |
| District No. 39 special.... | .00150 |
| District No. 45 special.... | .00100 |
| District No. 46 interest.... | .00100 |
| District No. 47 interest.... | .00175 |
| District No. 48 special.... | .00250 |
| District No. 49 special.... | .00250 |
| District No. 58 special.... | .00150 |
| District No. 59 special.... | .00300 |
| District No. 60 special.... | .00225 |
| District No. 60 interest.... | .00125 |
| District No. 62 special.... | .00500 |
| District No. 88 special.... | .00075 |
| District No. 113 special.... | .00250 |

In the matter of installing electric light polls around the public square, it is the order of the board that eight metal posts be placed around said courthouse square, and one post in center of each side of square, to be placed outside of the concrete walk running around said court lawn, said posts to be installed by the town of Portales at the time of installation of other posts of same kind by said town, and to be paid for out of the general county funds of said county, at actual cost plus freight, to Portales, said town to furnish invoice and freight bill, and in no event shall the cost of said posts be more than fifty dollars each.

No further business appearing, it is now ordered that court adjourn subject to call of the chairman.

J. S. PEARCE, Chairman.
Attest:SETH A. MORRISON, Clerk.
Portales, New Mexico, Sept. 12, 1919.

At a called meeting of the board of county commissioners of Roosevelt county, N. M., held on the above date, the following were present, to-wit; Ed L. Wall, acting chairman, Chas. S. Toler

NOTICE!

THE WESTERN OIL DERRICK, the leading oil publication of the country, published at Oklahoma City, is going to get out a special Roosevelt County edition on November 29th. It will feature the oil developments as well as the agricultural resources of this county. We will have extra copies for distribution and, if you have friends whom you think would be interested, will send them a copy of this paper. Get your list of names ready and bring it to our office before the 29th. If we all act together we can bring Roosevelt county to the attention of people in every part of the United States. This edition is approved by the Portales Chamber of Commerce and should be of great benefit to the citizens of this county. Bring in your list early.

Nu-Mex Oil Co.

H. B. GUTCHES, General Manager

commissioner, and Seth A. Morrison clerk.

It is the order of the board that the levy as made by the board on August 7, 1919, as follows: .00885, be and the same is hereby changed to read as follows, county school .01006, on each dollar taxable property in Roosevelt county. That the following leys be made.

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| Town of Elida for general purposes..... | .0015 |
| Town of Portales for Int. on water and sewer bonds..... | .0090 |
| Town of Portales, general purposes..... | .0030 |

No further business appearing it is ordered that court adjourn until next regular meeting unless sooner convened by order of the chairman.

ED L. WALL, Acting Chairman
Attest:SETH A. MORRISON, Clerk.
Portales, New Mexico, Sept. 22, 1919.

At a called session of the board of county commissioners of Roosevelt county, held on the above date, in the court house in Portales the county site of said county; said meeting being called for the purpose of canvassing the returns of the special election held in said county on Tuesday September 16, 1918, for the purpose of voting on three proposed constitutional amendments, the following were present to-wit: John S. Pearce, Chairman, Ed L. Wall and C. S. Toler commissioners, and Seth A. Morrison, clerk.

After examining results made by the judges and clerks of various election precincts, the following returns were declared, to-wit:

For proposed amendment allowing Soldiers and Sailors to vote one hundred and thirty seven (137): against proposed amendment allowing Soldiers and Sailors to vote one hundred and nine (109).

For proposed amendment for Board of Control ten (10 Against proposed amendment for board of control, two hundred and forty (240).

For proposed amendment for road and bridges eleven (11). Against proposed amendment for roads and bridges two hundred and thirty-eight,

No further business appearing it is ordered that court adjourn until next regular meeting unless sooner convened by order of the chairman.

J. S. PEARCE, Chairman.
Attest:SETH A. MORRISON, Clerk.
Portales, New Mexico, Monday, October 6th, 1919.

At a regular meeting of the board of county commissioners of Roosevelt county, held at the court house in Portales, on the above date the following were present, to-wit: John S. Pearce, chairman; Ed L. Wall commissioner, Chas. S. Toler, commissioner and Seth A. Morrison clerk.

The following claims were presented, audited and approved and the clerk instructed to draw warrants in payment of same.

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| Robert Poindexter, salary for May and June, 1919 | \$ 270 00 |
| J. G. Greaves, supplies furnished road crew... | 4 80 |
| E. L. Hudgins, supplies furnished road crew... | 4 15 |
| M. S. T. & T. Co., phones and calls 6-21 to 7-20-19 | 24 40 |
| J. M. McCormack, R. R. Ticket and expence money indigent..... | 24 50 |
| William Doenger, repairs and overhauling 5 typewriters..... | 69 00 |

It is the order of the board that the sum of five hundred dollars, paid to W. H. Ball, county road superintendent as estimate for August be and the same is hereby approved.

"DANDERINE" PUTS BEAUTY IN HAIR

Girls! A mass of long, thick, gleamy tresses



Let "Danderine" save your hair and double its beauty. You can have lots of long, thick, strong, lustrous hair. Don't let it stay lifeless, thin, scraggly or fading. Bring back its color, vigor and vitality.

Get a 35-cent bottle of delightful "Danderine" at any drug or toilet counter to freshen your scalp; check dandruff and falling hair. Your hair needs this stimulating tonic; then its life, color, brightness and abundance will return—Hurry!—Adv.

No Wonder He's Busy. "What makes Bill such a busy man?" "He listens carefully to the personal troubles of every waitress in town."—Buffalo Express.

ASPIRIN FOR HEADACHE

Name "Bayer" is on Genuine Aspirin—say Bayer



Insist on "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin" in a "Bayer package," containing proper directions for Headache, Colds, Pain, Neuralgia, Lumbago, and Rheumatism. Name "Bayer" means genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for nineteen years. Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost few cents. Aspirin is trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Mono-aceticacidester of Salicylicacid.—Adv.

So It Seems. "What is a provisional government, pa?" "Well, most of these governments seem to be without provisions, judging by the way we have to feed them."

GOODBY, WOMEN'S TROUBLES

The tortures and discomforts of weak, lame and aching back, swollen feet and limbs, weakness, dizziness, nausea, as a rule have their origin in kidney trouble, not "female complaints." These general symptoms of kidney and bladder disease are well known—so is the remedy.

Next time you feel a twinge of pain in the back or are troubled with headache, indigestion, insomnia, irritations in the bladder or pain in the loins and lower abdomen, you will find quick and sure relief in GOLD MEDAL Haarem Oil Capsules. This old and tried remedy for kidney trouble and allied derangements has stood the test for hundreds of years. It does the work. Pains and troubles vanish and new life and health will come as you continue their use. When completely restored to your usual vigor, continue taking a capsule or two each day.

GOLD MEDAL Haarem Oil Capsules are imported from the laboratories at Haarem, Holland. Do not accept a substitute. In sealed boxes three sizes.—Adv.

That Must Be a Long One. "The teacher was telling us today, pa, about the largest dam in the world." "Swearing in Russian, wasn't she?"

DON'T MISS THIS OFFER

If we have no agent in your locality, cut out this notice, and mail it to us, and we will mail you FREE a 25c tube of Vacher-Balm, which is positively the best remedy for Colds, and many other ailments.

It is a harmless preparation, used externally, and a safeguard against the "Flu."

Write today for this offer is only for a limited time, and you, or some of your family are pretty sure to have Colds this winter.

We know if you once try Vacher-Balm you will always use it, that is why we can afford to make this offer. E. W. Vacher, Inc., New Orleans La. Ad.

A few men are self-made—but many are self-unmade.

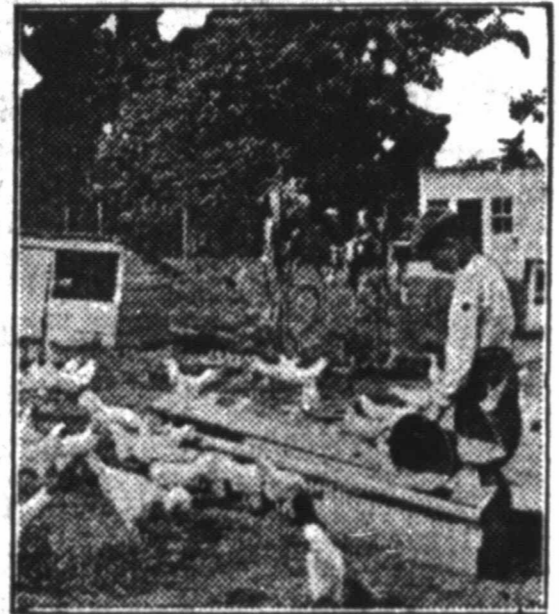
POULTRY

CHICKENS INCREASE SAVINGS

North Carolina Poultry Club Member Made Remarkable Record With Small Flock of Hens.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

A net return of \$2 a hen over a four-months' period is the remarkable record of a North Carolina poultry club member who, about the middle of January, mated 15 White Leghorn hens with a standard-bred male of the same variety. During the ensuing four months these 15 hens laid 1,108 eggs. Of this number 50 were placed in the incubator, from which 41 chicks were hatched and all but five were raised. The owner marketed six cockerels for \$3.60. He now has on hand 30 pullets. He sold 304 eggs for hatching purposes for \$30.50, as well as 54½ dozen market eggs for \$20.07, making a total income from his small flock of \$54.80. The cost of feeding the flock during this time was \$21.40, which leaves a net return of \$33.40.



Club Boy Feeding His Flock.

This record is by no means exceptional, as, with the coming of the poultry club and with the development of enthusiasm among its members, egg producing as well as flock income returns, has greatly increased in every section.

Properly developed and fostered, poultry is one of the most profitable side-lines in which most farmers can become interested, and, at present, there is hardly any activity of modern farming which will pay better than the maintenance and production of good poultry.

GOOD SCALY LEG TREATMENT

Dip Affected Parts in Crude Oil or Kerosene—One Submersion is Usually Sufficient.

Scaly leg is caused by a small mite which burrows underneath the scales of the legs, where it feeds and lays its minute eggs. The legs become so sore at times that fowls are unable to scratch for food or set on the roost.

The treatment consists of dipping the legs in crude oil. If not convenient pure kerosene may be used. Dip early enough so that the oil will dry before the fowls go on the roost, and be careful that the oil does not get on the feathers. One treatment is usually sufficient, but if the old scales have not peeled off after 30 days it should be repeated.

LAYERS IN GOOD CONDITION

Eggs Can Be Produced in Fall and Early Winter as Easy as Spring if Hens Get Feed.

If the hens are in good condition the poultry keeper can get eggs just as well in the fall and early winter as in spring, if they are fed exactly 12 hours apart every day in the year, and have ample time to eat the feed before going to roost. Professor Rice has the results of many practical tests made at Cornell and elsewhere to prove this statement.

YOUNG FOWLS BEST LAYERS

Seldom Pays Poultry Keeper to Retain Hens for Laying After Two and One-Half Years Old.

There are people who have the right variety of fowls, who house and feed them properly, and yet who cannot obtain eggs early in the winter because their fowls are too old. It is seldom that it pays to keep hens for laying after they are two and a half years old; not that they will not give a profit, but that younger fowls will give a greater profit.

Chicken Mite Worst. The common chicken mite is the most troublesome of all external parasites of poultry. They multiply rapidly during warm weather, and often cause serious losses before their presence is discovered.

A LEOPARD CANNOT CHANGE ITS SPOTS

Mr. Dodson, the "Liver Tone" Man, Tells the Treachery of Calomel.

Calomel loses you a day! You know what calomel is. It's mercury; quicksilver. Calomel is dangerous. It crashes into your bile like dynamite, cramping and sickening you. Calomel attacks the bones and should never be put into your system.

When you feel bilious, sluggish, constipated and all knocked out and believe you need a dose of dangerous calomel just remember that your druggist sells for a few cents a large bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone, which is entirely vegetable and pleasant to take and is a perfect substitute for calomel. It is guaranteed to start your liver without stirring you up inside, and can not salivate.

Don't take calomel! It can not be trusted any more than a leopard or a wild-cat. Take Dodson's Liver Tone which straightens you right up and makes you feel fine. Give it to the children because it is perfectly harmless and doesn't gripe.—Adv.

A Vanished Custom. "Isn't it terrible the way food prices have gone up?"

"Yes, indeed—I'm positively ashamed to ask the butcher for a nickel's worth of dog meat any more."

"CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP" IS CHILD'S LAXATIVE

Look at tongue! Remove poisons from stomach, liver and bowels.



Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless laxative or physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its delicious fruity taste. Full directions for child's dose on each bottle. Give it without fear. Mother! You must say "California."—Adv.

A Vegetarian. Greene—What makes you think he is a vegetarian? Browne—I've smoked his cigars.

\$100 Reward, \$100. Catarrh is a local disease greatly influenced by constitutional conditions. It therefore requires constitutional treatment. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE destroys the foundation of the disease, gives the patient strength by improving the general health and assists nature in doing its work. \$100.00 for any case of Catarrh that HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE fails to cure. Druggists 75c. Testimonials free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Must Be in The Service. "I never worry or hurry." "What government office are you in?"—London Answers.

WOMEN NEED SWAMP-ROOT

Thousands of women have kidney and bladder trouble and never suspect it. Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease.

If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they may cause the other organs to become diseased. Pain in the back, headache, loss of ambition, nervousness, are often times symptoms of kidney trouble.

Don't delay starting treatment. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, a physician's prescription, obtained at any drug store, may be just the remedy needed to overcome such conditions.

Get a medium or large size bottle immediately from any drug store. However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Adv.

Fitting. "They gave him round after round of applause." "Well, that was only doing the square thing."

MURINE Night and Morning. Have Strong, Healthy Eyes. If they Tingle, Itch, Smart or Burn, if Sore, Irritated, Inflamed or Granulated, use Murine often. Soothes, Refreshes. Safe for Infants. Adult. At all Druggists. Write for Free Eye Book. Made by S. S. Eddy Co., Chicago.

DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

THE TABLE'S HOLIDAYS.

"It's funny," said the table, "but I didn't like it at all."

"What didn't you like?" asked the arm chair.

"You know," said the table, "that I am a little tea table."

"Yes, I know that," said the arm chair.

"Well so far, so good."

"What do you mean by that?" asked the arm chair. "I am afraid I do not understand. You know I'm rather lazy and not one for thinking much."

"I mean," said the table, "that you understand what I have told you thus far."

"But you've only told me you were a tea table so far," said the arm chair.

"That's so," agreed the tea table.

"But you understand me thus far and so I say so far, so good."

"Ah, yes," said the arm chair, slowly, "now I understand. But you mustn't be too quick with me, for as I said before I am lazy. I like to sit back and do nothing, and everyone who uses me feels the same way. It's the way I make them feel—my way!"

"I know that," said the tea table.

"Well, I got all tired out," it continued. "I wasn't used as a tea table only. I was used for after-dinner coffee, and I was used when folks had birthdays and wanted to fix their birthday presents on a table where they could show off their presents to their friends."

"Then I was used as a table for sewing and one person used me all the time to put her knitting bag on."

"I was used for books and I was used for meals which some people had when they were ill in bed."

"You see the whole trouble was that I was in a house where there were a great many people and they all liked to use me. What is more they could move me around easily because I was so light."

"Aren't you still light?" asked the arm chair. "I thought that was why we always had gotten along so well together. I'm a lazy arm chair and you are a light weight, or in other words there isn't so much to you. You are light in your table brains and all of that."

"Of course I am, and I am still light," said the little tea table. "I've no doubt that that is why we are such good friends, just as you have said it."

"Then what is the trouble?" asked the arm chair.

"I grumbled," said the tea table. "I grumbled and said I wished I had been a big tea table which was heavy and had to be wheeled about and that my front wheel would cause a good deal of trouble by going all around in the wrong way. You see I am a little tea table, a very little one, and I fold up and can be lifted around as I said before. I am a good-natured little table."

"Then too, I am pretty. I hope you won't think that it is concealed of me to say so."

"I won't," said the arm chair. "I think I am good-looking myself."

"As I have said I grumbled about being used so much and for this and that and for each person who happened to want to use me."

"But do you know that the people put me away for some time when they had a great many summer visitors and when they didn't use me at all."

"Well, then I felt dreadfully. If they had gone away and I had simply been idle with the rest of the furniture I wouldn't have minded. But they were all here and just didn't use me."

"I believe they must have known I had grumbled. Well, I didn't like my holidays at all. And I hope no one will ever hear me say again I am used for too many purposes and by too many people."

Just at that moment the mother of the family came up to the little table and said,

"Let's get out the table for the birthday presents."

And the little table creaked and said to the arm chair, "Now, I'm happy!"

GET READY FOR "FLU"

Keep Your Liver Active, Your System Purified and Free From Colds by Taking Calotabs, the Nauseless Calomel Tablets, that are Delightful, Safe and Sure.

Physicians and Druggists are advising their friends to keep their systems purified and their organs in perfect working order as a protection against the return of influenza. They know that a clogged up system and a lazy liver favor colds, influenza and serious complications.

To cut short a cold overnight and to prevent serious complications take one Calotab at bedtime with a swallow of water—that's all. No salts, no nausea, no griping, no sickening after effects. Next morning your cold has vanished, your liver is active, your system is purified and refreshed and you are feeling fine with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Eat what you please—no danger. Calotabs are sold only in original sealed packages, price thirty-five cents. Every druggist is authorized to refund your money if you are not perfectly delighted with Calotabs.—(Adv.)

Made Out of Hair. "Remember when they made watch chains and other things out of human hair?" asked the one who loved to ruminate.

"Well, do you see that diamond ring? That was made out of human hair!" replied the girl who is engaged to a barber.—Yonkers Statesman.

SHOOK WITH NERVOUSNESS

A Lady Was Flat On Her Back With Terrible Spells, But Her Husband Got Cardui,— And Now She Is Grateful.

McKinney, Texas.—Mrs. Mary Stephenson, of this place, states: "About a year and a half ago I was down in bed for six weeks, not able to sit up. I was flat on my back and had terrible spells . . . Why, it looked like I would die. At times I didn't know anything. I would get nervous, I couldn't bear anyone to talk to me, —I would just jerk and shoo with nervousness . . . across my back was so sore and ached me all the time. I would have a dizzy feeling. My limbs ached me and I would get numb and feel so weak . . . I said to my husband I knew Cardui was good and I believed I had best try it.

He got me a bottle of Cardui, and when I had only taken one-half bottle of Cardui I felt stronger. I took a half a dozen bottles altogether, then in two weeks after I began taking I was up, in three I was doing my work. I praise Cardui for I believe it saved my life and I am grateful."

For over 40 years Cardui has been helping weak, sick women back to health and strength. Try it.—Adv.

Too Much Luck. "It is very wrong to envy any man his prosperity." "Of course, it is," replied Cactus Joe. "But when Tarantula Tim holds three ace fells in succession were entitled to indulge in a certain amount of inquisitiveness about the deck and the deal."

A SUMMER COLD

A cold in the summer time, as everybody knows, is the hardest kind of a cold to get rid of. The best and quickest way is to go to bed and stay there if you can, with a bottle of "Boschee's Syrup" handy to insure a good night's rest, free from coughing, with easy expectoration in the morning.

But if you can't stay in bed you must keep out of draughts, avoid sudden changes, eat sparingly of simple food and take occasional doses of Boschee's Syrup, which you can buy at any store where medicine is sold, a safe and efficient remedy, made in America for more than fifty years. Keep it handy.—Adv.

Knowledge of the Language. Bugler Overtop—Yes, in France I had to be an early riser. I got up every morning on the first crow of the roosters.

Miss Homestopper—And could you really understand the French roosters when they crowed?

Dice of Destiny

By JACKSON GREGORY

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ON THE MEXICAN BORDER

Action, always action, is the outstanding feature of this stirring romance by Jackson Gregory. "Dice of Destiny" is a tale of the Mexican border, about as lively a spot as there is in the world. The actors in the story are interesting for themselves, aside from their thrilling story—a fine old Spaniard living on his ancestral estate this side of the border; his villainous kinsman, with his rascally accomplices; his entirely charming granddaughter; his efficient young American neighbor, and various Mexican bandits from across the border. Love, danger, fighting, a just retribution and a happy ending—all the elements of a thrilling tale are here. And the tale is well told.

CHAPTER I.

An Error Rectified.

Pedro, the mestizo, having lighted the wax tapers in the massive candlesticks, having placed bottle and glasses upon the great mahogany table, tobacco and papers upon the small mahogany table, withdrew silently, as was his way, swiftly, as was his training.

His old master, Senor don Antonio de la Guerra, looking as genuinely antique in his old-fashioned black coat, small, high-heeled boots and curled white hair and mustache as any article of the antique furniture in the vast drawing room of the hacienda, turned his lively black eyes upon his guest.

"You will forgive the rudeness of an old man, Senor Dempton," he said softly, his English perfect, his utterance still the honeyed speech of Castile, "but may I ask you to understand that I know nothing of what you Americanos call business? And that I have no wish to learn? That is why I place these matters in the hands of an attorney." He bowed after the way of the old school, and ended, smiling, "in the hands of a thoroughly competent attorney, senor."

Dempton, a little man with a restless, nervous manner and eyes like a rat's, shifted in his chair, cleared his throat and thanked his patron, looking pleased on the whole.

"This is a very important matter, Mr. de la Guerra," he offered, a trifle hesitantly and with keen eyes upon his host.

"To be sure," the old man cut in impatiently, though with no lessening of the courtesy of his speech. "A will is always important."

He leaned forward, poured himself a glass of the red southern wine, lifted it so that the still candle flames shone in it brightly, and drank slowly.

Already Dempton had been asked to drink, as he was always asked when he came to the Rancho de la Guerra; already he had refused, as he always refused.

The old man set down his glass and took tobacco and fine white paper from the tray upon the smaller table, his steady, slim white hands making the cigarette swiftly.

"You say, Senor Dempton," he said when he had lighted a paper lighter at the nearest candlestick, "that you have found a flaw in the original will?"

"Yes, sir," Dempton spoke hurriedly and ran on very much after the manner of a schoolboy who has gotten his lesson by heart and wants to "say" it before he forgets.

"Only a small matter, a technical error, which might never be noticed. And yet there is a risk—there is danger that the will might eventually be set aside; because of it that your desires might come to naught; in a word, that the Senorita Teresa, whom you wish to make your sole legatee, might never come into the fortune you have willed to her. I have thought it best, sir, to draw up a new document."

"You have done so?" inquired the old Spaniard, his eyes musingly upon the thin wisp of smoke from the cigarette.

"Yes," Dempton slipped a red hand into his breast pocket. "If you will read it and sign it, sir—if we can get the matter settled right away, destroying the original documents—"

"The details, Senor Dempton, I trust I may leave with you," De la Guerra waved a white hand gracefully. "You have attended to my business for me for seventeen years now, and I have never found cause for criticism."

"You do not even care to have me go into detail concerning the flaw which I allowed to creep in?"

Dempton had leaned forward a little in his chair, his eager eyes upon the other's. De la Guerra laughed softly and shook his head.

"You would force me to appear stupid." He put his hand upon the bell cord hanging from the edge of the big table and a bell tinkled from beyond the door. "Let me have the papers you wish me to sign."

Pedro brought pen and ink, retreated upon another errand, and once more returned, bringing with him two of the other servants about the great adobe house to witness the signature.

The old man looked at the new will carelessly and signed carelessly, asking merely if the will were in all essentials the same as the original one.

The servants withdrew with their master's thanks and loose silver, and De la Guerra, returning to Dempton one copy of the paper which was intended after his death to dispose of the hacienda, a great range heavily stocked and an indefinite sum in gold and silver, folded the other and placed it upon the shining table top.

"I shall read it tomorrow," he said lightly. "You know that I do not read after the candles are lighted, senor."

Dempton, his errand done, was already upon his feet, his eyes roving for the hat which Pedro had taken from him a few minutes ago.

"But," cried De la Guerra, "you are not going back tonight, senor? Surely you would not think of putting my hospitality so to shame! You must spend the night with us."

Dempton's eye had found his hat and he speedily crossed the room to take it up.

"Thank you, Mr. de la Guerra," he said hastily. "But I must return to La Panza immediately."

He managed a bow with a poor trial at the Spaniard's dignified grace, put out his hand quickly as though to have



"Thank You, Mr. de la Guerra."

the farewells over and done with, and retreated to the door which gave passage through the three-foot adobe walls from the drawing room to the patio.

De la Guerra looked at him with a curious smile.

"You are incomprehensible, you Americanos," he said softly. "You will insist on riding a dozen miles through the dark when there is a warm bed and bright candle light inviting you to stay. Your business must be urgent, Mr. Dempton, to take you out tonight—alone. Your ride is not without danger, and—"

He put his hand again to the bell cord. "At least, if you insist, you must allow me to send some of my vaqueros with you."

"No, no!" cried Dempton, already at the door. "It is unnecessary, Mr. de la Guerra. There is no danger."

"As you will," Senor don Antonio spread out his white hands and lifted his shoulders slightly. "But you must remember that we are only half a mile from the border, and that those rascally Mexicans are a thieving, treacherous lot."

"I have already given orders to

close-herd my steers, and yet Gaucho, my foreman, reported to me this morning that the rebels had crossed over and had driven off half a dozen cows for me."

Again he spread out his hands and lifted his shoulders.

"In the daylight it is one thing—after dark it is another. I should be glad to send some of my vaqueros with you, senor."

Still Dempton protested. There was a moon, his way ran across a wide open level land, and the rebels were not looking for complications with Uncle Sam.

De la Guerra, too courteous a host to insist, smiled gravely, rose and went into the patio with the lawyer, directing Pedro to have Mr. Dempton's horse brought up from the stables.

"Miss Teresa, I did not see her," Dempton remembered to say from the saddle. "She is well, I hope?"

"Very well, thank you, senor. I shall tell her that you inquired. And it was kind of you to take this long ride to tell me about the mistake in the will."

"Good night, Mr. de la Guerra."

"Buenas noches, senor."

And Lawyer Dempton, his horse's mane and tail flying, was on his way through the moonlight night, and the old man, leaving Pedro to close the door after him, had gone back to his chair and wine and cigarettes.

"Los Americanos," he muttered when he was alone again, "they are all alike. You cannot trust them. That Dempton has the eyes of a rat, the face of a liar, the manner of a convict. Americanos on the one hand, Mexicanos on the other! Sangre de Dios! I must take Teresa away from them. Pedro!"

"Si, senor."

"Where is the senorita?"

"In her rooms, I think, senor."

"Bueno. Convey to her my affectionate compliments, and tell her that I shall be for the half-hour adding a certain note to my Americano memoirs. After that I shall be pleased if she will come to me."

"Si, senor." Swift and silent, Pedro went upon his errand.

Senor don Antonio de la Guerra, pushing the will to one side, drew a thick manuscript from the table drawer, and, writing in a fine, scholarly hand, began to add certain highly insulting commentaries to the chapter dealing with the vitriolic description of the character of "Los Americanos." (The book he planned to print in Spain.)

Meantime the Senorita Teresa de la Guerra, his demure granddaughter, was not in her room but upon her little rose-twined balcony, and the

moonlight, bright about her, was not more bright than the laughing eyes she turned downward toward the adoring face of an Americano!

CHAPTER II.

Abduction.

The hacienda where Antonio de la Guerra had lived for the fifty-odd years of his exile from his beloved Spain, where his granddaughter had been born and reared, was one of the landmarks which linger on in stately white walls under dark red tiles from the time of the Spanish occupation.

The old Spaniard was overlord of what had once been a grant from his grandfather's king, the boundaries carelessly marked in leagues instead of miles.

He bred cattle and fine horses, entrusted Gaucho Morales, his foreman, with the business details, and yet managed, so large and fertile was his empire, to go on from year to year swelling his wealth.

The wide-verandaed house with none of its walls less than three feet thick, with great, spacious rooms, spread out across a wide extent of the shaded land among the olive and pear and pepper trees. In the time of the father of Antonio de la Guerra there had been fourteen rooms—now there were twenty. No less could suffice for the master of the estate and his cherished granddaughter.

There was the patio with its flowering garden and leaping fountain. About it were the rooms, all on the ground floor with the exception of the three rooms added by the old man for the use of la senorita.

Here at the southeastern exposure of the rambling dwelling, a wide and winding staircase had been constructed to lead upward to a spacious landing.

Then came broad doors, a deep window, and beyond the senorita's private sitting room. Her bedroom was high-ceiled, with much ornate embellishment after the Moorish fashion, and a lavish display of gilt under the domed roof.

Upon the landing a couch where each night Pedro lay across his mistress's doorway.

And then the balcony.

Teresa must pick up her skirts daintily to step out through the deep window to it from her bedroom, and once there she was all but lost behind the bank of flowering roses, swallowed by a dim dusk through which the moon had difficulty in filtering, lapped in the perfume of the flowers which clung about the balcony in the warm June night.

And from here, while her scholarly grandfather annotated his remarks concerning the hated Americano, Teresa leaned out, her beauty as soft and delicate a thing as that of the rose brushing her cheek, and talked with one particular Americano.

Reader, meet the adorable Senorita Teresa and the adoring Billy Tanway.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

OLD LAW ON STATUTE BOOKS

If British Judges Were Guided by It There Would Be Some Confusion in the "Island Empire."

Many curious acts of parliament still remain on the statute book, remarks the London Daily Mail. Every little while these appear in the courts, but as the British judges decide cases more by the public interest than by the law they cause very little trouble.

Three acts have been quoted this week. One referred to an act of George II., which allowed the landlord to charge a tenant he wished to leave his premises double rent. The plaintiff claimed, but lost his case.

Another was a claim by the admiralty for freight on bullion carried from South Africa on a warship. This claim was decided in favor of the bankers, who got their freight free owing to an act that was passed in 1819 for the purpose of stopping the abuse of the privilege of conveying bullion in king's ships by the commercial community.

An act that is still enforced is one of James I., dated 1424, a Scottish statute. It reads:

"If any mine of gold or silver be found in any lord's lands of the realm and it may be proved that three half-pennies of silver may be fined out of the pound of lead, the lords of parliament consent that such mine may be the king's, as is usual of other realms."

Original "Yeomen."

The title "yeoman" is of military origin, and the yeomen were so styled because, besides the weapons fit for close engagement, they fought with arrows and the bow, which was made of "yew," a tree that has more repelling force and elasticity than any other. After the Conquest the name of yeoman, as applied to their original office in war, was changed to that of archer.

Start of Big Industry.

Upon the invention of a machine for sewing leather shoes, for which the patent was issued to Gordon McKay, April 29, 1862, was built the great boot and shoe industry of the United States. McKay purchased, in 1859, Blake's sewing machine, which was one simply using wax thread, with a stationary horn attached. While the machine intended for sewing boots and shoes operated well in parts of the work, it failed in stitching the heels and toes. McKay changed the feeding apparatus, introduced automatic contrivances, and finally was successful in adapting it to all kinds of work. After the breaking out of the Civil war, McKay began to make army shoes, and in 1862 made contracts with 62 firms for their use. In 1876, 1,500 were in operation. These machines have been used in foreign countries, and more than 100,000,000 shoes are annually made on them in the United States.

When Virginia Seceded.

On April 17 in 1861 the state convention, composed of the members of the legislature of Virginia, passed the "ordinance of secession" by a vote of 88 to 55. Virginia, 11 days prior to this, had refused to join the states of America; but the decision of the Confederate leaders to fire upon Sumter and Lincoln's call for 75,000 volunteers on April 15 turned the scale and Virginia threw in her lot with the South.

Make Themselves Clothes.

Among the animal tailors are the smooth caterpillars. Naked and unarmed, their extreme vulnerability places them at the mercy of numerous enemies; but many families of them are remarkable for making little sheaths or garments for the protection of their bodies, notably the silkworm, than whom the lilies of the field are not more gorgeously arrayed.

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Internal Trouble.

Allen had been eating green apples and had cramps in his stomach, but did not mention it for fear of getting a scolding. He was sent on an errand to the neighbor's, but was obliged to stop on the way and lie across a stump till the cramps left him. When he returned he was asked to give an account of himself for being gone so long.

"Well, mother," he explained, clasping his hands across his stomach, with a grimace, "I was delayed on account of engine trouble."

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Great Gas Cloud Forming.

An enormous gas cloud gathering on the sun forms an arc 340,000 miles long on the edge of that body, astronomers say. It is about 125,000 miles away from the edge, and the distance from the sun to the top of the cloud is estimated to be 200,000 miles.



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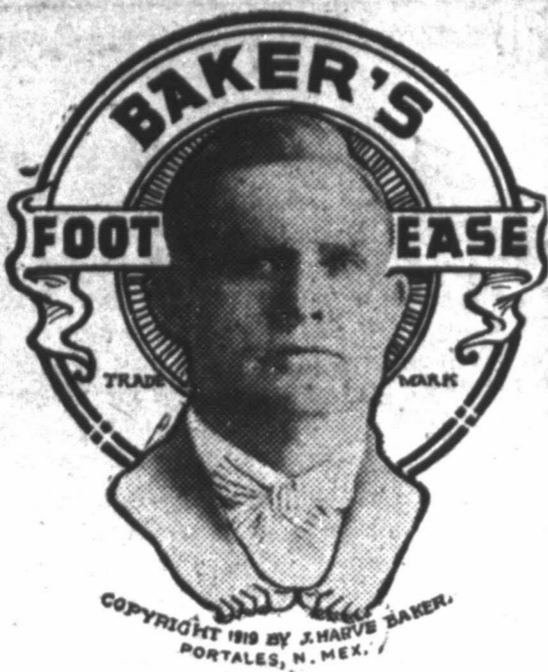
A recent issue of the Santa Fe New Mexican carried an article giving Roosevelt county a black eye, from an agricultural standpoint. It was full of misinformation and fiction. It stated, among other things, that Roosevelt county was the most backward county in the state; that it had no farm bureau and employed no county agent. As a matter of fact, this was the first county in the state to produce an incorporated farm bureau, the proofs of this statement may be found in the records of the state corporation commission. As to not employing a county agent, we have about the only county agent in the state that amounts to a "Tinker's Dam." However, had the statement of the New Mexican been true, it is scarcely probable that the Roosevelt County Farm Bureau would at this time have had three large sweet potato storage houses, owned and operated by the said farm bureau that does not exist. It is hardly to have been expected that this same organization would have had in actual storage, approximately, one hundred thousand bushels of sweet potatoes, bringing on the market, today, four and one half cents, as against less than half that amount prior to the organization of this corporation.

"Pardoning conscientious objectors have led them to consider sentences mere scraps of paper. —Santa Fe New Mexican."

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PUBLIC NOTICE

No. 178
In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, State of New Mexico.
In the matter of the estate of Robert L. Finley, deceased.
Notice is hereby given, as directed by the judge of the probate court, that Ada Finley was, on the 2d day of September, 1919, at the regular term of the probate court, appointed administratrix over the estate of Robert L. Finley, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate will file them within the time prescribed by law, else the same will be forever barred. Dated this 2d day of September, A. D. 1919. ADA FINLEY, Administratrix, Portales, New Mexico.

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County State of New Mexico.
In the matter of the estate of C. Tom Carder, deceased. No. 150.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administrator in the above styled cause, has filed his final report and accounting and petition for discharge in said cause; thereupon the court has fixed and set the first Monday in November, 1919, the same being the 3d day of November, 1919, as the day and date for hearing and determining the said final report and accounting and petition for discharge. Therefore, any and all persons interested in said estate, or the accounting and settlement thereof, and have any objections thereto, are hereby notified to file or present the same on or before the said day and date for hearing and determining the said final report and accounting and petition for discharge and all and any such objections will be heard and determined at said time. Dated this 30th day of September, 1919. J. ROY CARDER, Administrator.

NOTICE OF CONTEST

Serial No. 017934-017935
Contest No. 3058
Department of the Interior, United States Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Sept 19, 1919.
To Bernard Longbotham, of Snyder, Texas, Contestee:
You are hereby notified that Roy Lovelace, who gives Portales, New Mexico, as his post office address, did, on Sept. 15th, 1919, file in this office his duly corroborated application to contest and secure the cancellation of your homestead entry No. 017934-017935, made May 25, 1918, and southeast quarter section 15, and southwest quarter section 14, northwest quarter section 23 and northeast quarter section 22, township 1 north, range 34 east N. M. P. M., and as grounds for his contest he alleges that Bernard Longbotham, wholly abandoned said tract of land, that he failed to establish residence upon the same, that said abandonment continues to date, and that he has failed to reside upon and cultivate said land for a period of more than one year last past that said alleged absence was not due to his employment in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States nor due to his being absent for the purpose of performing farm labor. You are, therefore, further notified that the said allegations will be taken as confessed and your said entry will be cancelled without further right to be heard, either before this office or on appeal, if you fail to file in this office within twenty days after the fourth publication of this notice as shown below, your answer, under oath, specifically responding to these allegations of contest, together with due proof that you served a copy of your answer on the contestee either in person or by registered mail. You should state in your answer the name of the post-office to which you desire future notices to be sent to you.
W. R. MCGILL, Register.
Date of first publication, September 26, 1919.
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NOTICE OF SUIT

No. 1486
In the District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico.
J. W. Yates, Plaintiff,
vs.
Carl Heim Defendant.
The State of New Mexico to Carl Heim, defendant, greeting:
You are hereby notified that the plaintiff, J. W. Yates, has commenced suit against you in the district court of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, entitled and numbered as above, the general objects of which, and the nature and amount of plaintiff's demand are: Plaintiff seeks to recover \$ 70.35 alleged to be balance due him for services rendered as guard at the power house of the Portales Power and Irrigation Company between the dates of January 1, 1918, and June 15th, 1918, while same was owned and controlled by you, together with interest and costs of suit. You are further notified that your property in the hands of A. A. Rogers has been garnished, which said property is described: one lathe and complete equipment, and one steel tower and tank; and unless you appear on or before the third day of October, 1919, judgment will be rendered against you and such garnishee, and said property will be disposed of as provided by law to pay said judgment.
The name and business address of plaintiff's attorney are: James A. Hall, Portales, New Mexico.
Dated at Portales, New Mexico, this 15th day of August, 1919.
(SEAL) SETH A. MORRISON, County Clerk.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

013631
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Sept. 20th, 1919.
Notice is hereby given that Jewel A. Grinstead of Portales, N. M., who, on March 4th, 1918, made homestead entry No. 013631, for north half section 21, township 4 south, range 33 east N. M. P. M., has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before James A. Hall, U. S. Commissioner, in his office at Portales, N. M., on the 27th day of October, 1919.
Claimant names as witnesses:
Rosa A. Parks, S. M. G. instead, both of Elida, N. M., Lee Evans, M. L. Grinstead, both of Elida, N. M.
W. R. MCGILL, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

033349
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, Sept. 26th, 1919.
Notice is hereby given that Ovid E. Fawer, of Elida, New Mexico, who, on November 17th, 1915, made homestead entry No. 033349, for south half northwest quarter, southwest quarter section 26 north half northwest quarter section 35, township 6 S., range 32 E., N. M. P. M., has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. H. Grissom, U. S. Commissioner, at Elida, N. M., on the 5th day of November, 1919.
Claimant names as witnesses:
J. H. Hatcock, Ed C. McCowan, Albert W. Stanford, Waldo McLaurin all of Elida, N. M.
EMMETT PATTON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

012790
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Oct. 27th, 1919.
Notice is hereby given that Maude Capps heir of and for the heirs of Lois Bow, Decd. of Albany, Kentucky, who, on July 25th, 1915, made homestead entry, No. 012790, for lots 3, 4, Sec. 27, and lot 1, section 34, township 36, range 37 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before J. A. Perkins, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Albany, Kentucky, who, on July 25th, 1915, made homestead entry, No. 041280 for north half section 26, township 1 north, range 35 E., N. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before James A. Hall, U. S. Commissioner, in his office at Portales, N. M., on the 10th day of Dec. 1919.
Claimant names as witnesses: John W. Hawkes, John W. Clem, Henry Holland, William O. McCormick, all of Rogers, N. M.
W. R. MCGILL, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

015826
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Oct. 18th, 1919.
Notice is hereby given that Lory L. Kelley, of Clovis, N. M., who, on May 15th, 1918, made additional homestead entry No. 041280 for north half section 26, township 1 north, range 35 E., N. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before James A. Hall, U. S. Commissioner, in his office at Portales, N. M., on the 27th day of November, 1919.
Claimant names as witnesses: S. B. Boone, Portales, N. M., Joe Fewell, Portales, N. M., James Antie, Clovis, N. M., G. B. Clay, Clovis, N. M.
W. R. MCGILL, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

045887
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M., Sept. 16, 1919.
Notice is hereby given that John T. McWhorter of Elida, N. M., who, on July 12th, 1918, made homestead entry No. 045887, for west half section 7, township 8 south, range 35 east, N. M. P. M., has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before James A. Hall, U. S. Commissioner, in his office at Portales, N. M., on the 29th day of October, 1919.
Claimant names as witnesses: Thomas M. Parkinson, William H. Moorehead, Albert E. Williamson, Albert G. Atkinson, all of Mithesand, N. M.
EMMETT PATTON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

014004
015844
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Oct. 19th, 1919.
Notice is hereby given that Nancy B. Ellis, of Upton, N. M., who, on May 13, 1916, made original homestead entry, No. 014005 for W1/2, Sec. 17, T. 2 south, range 30 E., and on May 15, 1918, made H. E. 015844, for NE1/4, NE1/4NW1/4, and Lot 1 Sec. 18, T. 3, R. 30 E., and N1-2NE1/4 Sec. 13, township 2 south, range 29 East, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. H. Grissom, U. S. Commissioner, in his office at Elida, N. M., on the 28th day of Nov. 1919.
Claimant names as witnesses:
Jefferson D. Morgan, Theodore A. Wilmes, Henry Wilmes, all of Upton, N. M., Sidney P. Hoard, of Claudell, N. M.
W. R. MCGILL, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

043834
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, October 18, 1919.
Notice is hereby given that Oso W. Pool of Lingo, N. M., who on June 12th, 1918, made homestead entry, No. 043834, for all of section 28, township 7 south range 37 east N. M. P. M., has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before James A. Hall, U. S. Commissioner, at Portales, New Mexico, on the 25th day of November, 1919.
Claimant names as witnesses:
John H. Kidd, Olin Bliberry, Richard O. Rogers, all of Lingo, N. M.
EMMETT PATTON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

014383
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, New Mexico, October 18, 1919.
Notice is hereby given that Gailher L. Tollett, of Inez, N. M., who, on Sept. 19th, 1916, made Additional Homestead entry No. 014383, for Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, section 10, township 4 south, range 37 east, N. M. P. M., has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before J. C. Compton, Probate Judge, in his office at Portales, New Mexico, on the 27th day of Nov., 1919.
Claimant names as witnesses:
Floyd Vinson, Louis Whitfield, John E. Black, these of Inez, N. M., Henry P. Townsend of Portales, N. M.
W. R. MCGILL, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

034554
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, September 11, 1919.
Notice is hereby given that Richard M. Brown of Elida, New Mexico, who, on April 15th, 1916, made homestead entry No. 034554, for north half section 11, township 8 south, range 33 east N. M. P. M., has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. H. Grissom, United States Commissioner at Elida, New Mexico, on the 25th day of October, 1919, by two of the following witnesses:
Marion M. Pyle, Cleveland C. Pyle, Henry C. Carroll, Benjamin K. Burnett, all of Elida, N. M.
EMMETT PATTON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

014109
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Oct. 1, 1919.
Notice is hereby given that John T. Hoover of Canton, N. M., who, on June 19th, 1916, made homestead entry No. 014109 for S1-2E1-4 Sec. 8, S1-2SW1-4 Sec. 9, and NE1-4 Sec. 17, Twp. 1 N, range 28 E. N. M. P. M., has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before J. A. Perkins, U. S. Commissioner, in his office, at Albany, Kentucky, who, on July 25th, 1915, made homestead entry, No. 041280 for north half section 26, township 1 north, range 35 E., N. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before James A. Hall, U. S. Commissioner, in his office at Portales, N. M., on the 10th day of Dec. 1919.
Claimant names as witnesses:
Ellis Butts, Fort Sumner, N. M., Charles Butts Fort Sumner, N. M., Lee Johnson, Amarillo, Texas, John W. Beatty, Amarillo, Texas.
W. R. MCGILL, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

034738
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Roswell, N. M., November 10th, 1919.
Notice is hereby given that John C. Halliburton of Elida, N. M., who, on May 11th, 1916, made homestead entry, No. 034738, for northeast quarter section 34 northwest quarter, section 35, township 6 south, range 33 east, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. H. Grissom, U. S. Commissioner, of Elida, N. M., on the 23rd, day of December 1919.
Claimant names as witnesses: John P. Smith, Henry L. Dewese, Walter D. Smith, Fred Dewese all of Elida, N. M.
EMMETT PATTON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

014117
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Fort Sumner, N. M., Nov. 3rd, 1919.
Notice is hereby given that Joseph W. Dennington, father of Robert W. Dennington, Decd. of Pasomonta, N. M., who, on June 22nd, 1916, made homestead entry, No. 014117, for NE1-4 NE1-4 Sec. 7 E1-2 NE1-4, S1-4 NE1-4, Sec. 6, township 1 S, range 34 E. N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before J. C. Compton, Probate Judge, in his office at Portales, N. M., on the 19th day of Dec. 1919.
Claimant names as witnesses: Joseph R. Hatfield, Samuel H. Stinnett, Arthur C. Woodburn, William H. Anderson, all of Portales, N. M., W. R. MCGILL, Register.

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STRONG LINE-UP FOR SALE OF XMAS SEALS

\$60,000 IS GOAL OF CAMPAIGN
FROM DECEMBER 1 TO 10

Ninety-one Per Cent of Money to Stay
In State for Public Health Work
—Pankey Is State Chairman.

With the coming of December 1, one of the most complete sets of machinery ever erected in the state of New Mexico will be set into motion to raise \$60,000 for public health work within this state. Headed by Lieut.-Gov. B. F. Pankey, state chairman of the drive, there is a force of twenty-nine county chairmen, 1,500 precinct chairmen and several thousand workers ready to make a thorough canvass to secure the money necessary to carry out a broad program of health protection during the year of 1920.

The chief medium for raising the money will be the sale of Red Cross Christmas seals. These tiny emblems of holiday cheer have been sold in New Mexico for the past eight years. This year, the New Mexico Public Health Association, state agent for the seals, hopes to achieve a sale which is greater than all the other years combined. Seven million seals are being prepared at state headquarters in Albuquerque for distribution over New Mexico. These are to be sold at a cent apiece, "a penny's worth of prevention and cure."

Money Stays In State.

In addition to being the greatest sale in the history of the state, the 1919 campaign is notable in that 91 per cent of the money raised will remain within the state, the remainder going to defray administrative purposes and to assist the National Tuberculosis Association in its vigorous warfare against tuberculosis in all parts of the country.

The health program which the association has outlined consists first of the employment of six public health nurses who would be available for demonstrations of home care of the sick and would be able to direct all nursing work during an epidemic, such as the influenza outbreak of last winter. They would also direct surveys to find the health assets of the state. They could be mobilized at any point to meet a localized epidemic. One would be a specialist in school work and would be in charge of the Modern Health Crusade which is financed en-

tirely by the association. Another would be detailed to follow up New Mexico soldiers, sailors and marines who were discharged or rejected from the service for physical defects.

Lecturers On Broad Program.

The employment of two full-time lecturers is included in the broad program. One would work principally in Spanish-speaking communities and would give lectures in Spanish with illustrations to show methods of safeguarding health. The other would lecture only in English. Provision is made for educational work, for the distribution of suitable literature in all necessary languages and for financing the Modern Health Crusade. The portion of money which will be spent for administrative salaries is eight per cent of the total, much below the usual figure in work of this kind.

The drive is to open December 1 and continue ten days. Special services in a number of churches on Sunday, November 30, will signalize the launching of the campaign. Slides in motion picture theaters throughout the state will show the progress of the Christmas seal sale over New Mexico.

THE STAND FOR HEALTH

The desultory fighting against tuberculosis and other preventable diseases must give way to concentrated effort. The story of the ants who carried away a mountain is too familiar to need repetition. We know the wisdom of a united stand.

War records show that out of every 1,000 men of draft age examined, 24 were rejected because of tuberculosis. New Mexico had its share of rejections from this cause. Nearly three hundred boys from this state were sent home from camp because of a tubercular condition. Not a county in the state escaped. Those rejected were not mainly descendants of men or women who came to the state already infected. Many were born and raised here. Their names were Jones and Armijo and Smith and Lucero. Tuberculosis is no respecter of ancestry.

There is little sentiment in the call of the New Mexico Public Health Association for \$60,000 with which to fight preventable disease, teach health in the schools, and lay a basis for a stronger, more vigorous citizenship. Good business sense demands better health.

Money has been given for bankrupt Europe, for bleeding Belgium, for starving Serbia. Is it not time to realize that charity best begins at home? Ninety-one per cent of the money raised between December 1 and 10 remains within New Mexico for this task: to prevent tuberculosis. It does double

duty. It builds for generations to come. It does triple duty: Each Red Cross Christmas seal carries a message of hope, of cheer, of "peace on earth, good will toward men" to any part of any country. Each seal is a penny's worth of prevention and cure. Buy seals liberally; join the fight for better health in New Mexico.

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Notice

In keeping with the high cost of labor, we the undersigned garages and service stations, will on and after the 5th day of Nov. 1919 charge the following prices: Mechanical \$1.25 per hour. Generator and battery work \$1.50 per hour.

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WAS THERE, BUT NOT VISIBLE

A. E. F. Veterans Who Served in France Will Probably Quickly See Point of Little Joke.

It was evening at the edge of a little French village—the only thing visible above the mud. The men, sleepily disgusted, had been called out for "retreat." At the command "Right dress!" there was much floundering about before the line slowly oscillated into a semblance of straightness. The company commander, suspicious of A. W. O. L.'s, watched closely as the corporals reported their squads. Suddenly he interrupted. "Report your squad again, corporal!" he commanded.

"Twenty-fourth squad all present." came the answer.

"What do you mean by reporting all present, Judson?" shouted the captain. "You've only got three men in the front rank."

"No sir," retorted the corporal in tones of extreme weariness. "That vacancy is 'Shorty' Megs. He's in a mud hole."—Judge.

Burglar a Benefactor.

The dark lantern flashed through the flat. Then came the gleam of a revolver.

"Hands up!" hissed the head of the family; "you're a burglar."

"Y-yes," gasped the intruder.

"What have you stolen?"

"Your wife's pug dog."

"H-m! Er-if that's all you may sneak out quietly."

"And your mother-in-law's parrot."

"Really? Well, here is some loose change."

"And your daughter's gramophone."

"Good! Here's some more loose change."

"Also your son's violin."

"What! Great Scott, man, I'll open a special bottle. There certainly will be some peace in this flat from now onward."

The Cause. "Jipps seemed all gone to pieces when I saw him." "No wonder. His face fell and then his voice broke."

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WHO NAMED PONT D'ARCOLE?

Only Legend Relied On to Account for Appellation Given Famous Bridge in Paris.

Though it is getting on for nearly a hundred years since the old Pont de la Greve in Paris has been known as the Pont d'Arcole, nobody yet has been able to give chapter and verse for the change. Now that the anniversary of the three days of July, 1830, the 27th, 28th, and 29th, which Paris dubbed Les Trois Glorieuses, has ceased to be kept, it is likely that this age of local history will remain obscure. In the old days the Pont de la Greve was merely a footway for passengers. In the troublous year when Paris rose, the Tuilleries palace was sacked and the king fled to England, a young hothead leading a column of insurgents charged across the bridge with a flag in his hand shouting—"Follow me! and if I fall know that my name is Arcole"—or Darcole. So runs the legend. The famous incident at the Pont d'Arcole when Bonaparte, flag in his hand, leading his grenadiers, beat the Austrians, must have been some reason for giving the bridge the name of Pont d'Arcole a few days later. There is no record of who gave the order for the change. No record at all of anything connected with the incident. It is one of the minor "mysteres de Paris."—Christian Science Monitor.

The KITCHEN CABINET

Not understood, we gather false impressions. And hug them closer as the years go by. Till often virtues seem to us transgressions. And thus man rises, falls and lives and dies. Not understood.

FOOD FOR THE DAY.

The simplest foods well cooked and served are the most satisfying to the majority of people for every day.



Coconut Bisque.—Grate one coconut without removing the brown skin, cover with one quart of water boiling hot, and let stand until cold; strain through a thin cloth, and add the juice of one lemon and sugar to taste. Serve cold, preferably.

Eggs De Leseps.—Sauté the eggs in a pan with a small amount of butter, taking care not to break the yolk. Then place them on a hot platter and dust with salt; brown the butter in the frying pan, adding a teaspoonful of vinegar to four eggs, and one teaspoonful of minced parsley. Serve with calves brains that are boiled, seasoned and sautéed in butter, then pour the sauce over the eggs and brains.

Claridge Beef Heart.—Wash and remove pipes from the heart, wipe dry, stuff with an herb stuffing, tie securely and roast for about three hours in a moderate oven. Remove strings, serve hot with gravy poured around.

Stuffing.—Chop one ounce of suet fine, add two cupfuls of bread crumbs, one chopped onion; season with parsley, thyme, pepper, salt and bit of grated nutmeg. Mix well and add one whole egg to bind it.

Sauce.—Mix three large ripe tomatoes, two sliced onions, two cupfuls of stock, juice of one lemon and a teaspoonful of prepared mustard. Cook 15 minutes, mix with a teaspoonful of cornstarch dissolved in cold water; rub through a sieve, reheat and add a tablespoonful of chopped parsley.

Celery Toast.—Cut tender stalks of celery into thin slices and cook in salted water until tender. Use but little water, so there is none left when cooked. Add cream to cover, season with pepper and salt; add flour with a little cold milk, mixed to a paste until thick. Prepare buttered toast and pour the celery sauce over it. Serve piping hot.

He either fears his fate too much, Or his deserts are small, That dares not put it to the touch Determined to gain all.

DATES MAKE MANY DELIGHTFUL AND WHOLESOME DISHES.

A few dates, a handful of nuts, a bit of bread and butter, a glass of milk, and one is well fed. The date is valuable food, and it is refreshing occasionally to cut loose from modern cookery and enjoy first principles.

Date and Apple Pie.—Line a pie plate with a rich crust, fill with a mixture of chopped dates and apples, using one cupful of dates to two of apple; sprinkle with cinnamon, sugar and dot with bits of butter. Cover with a top crust and bake in a moderate oven one hour. Serve hot or cold with whipped cream or a la mode.

Date Sandwiches.—Remove the stones from well-washed dates and cut in strips; add an equal quantity of pecan meats, cut fine; mix with a little creamed butter; add a dash of salt and spread on slices of bread.

Stuffed dates make a most dainty little dessert when one does not wish anything more filling. Stuff with fondant, cream cheese, or with nuts, as all are good.

Date Bread.—Make a sponge with one quart of lukewarm water, half a compressed yeast cake and a teaspoonful of salt, one and one-half pints of flour. When light and spongy add half a cupful each of sugar and molasses and flour to make a drop batter; add two cupfuls of chopped dates; knead and let rise. When light, mold into loaves; rise again and bake 45 minutes.

Date Pudding.—Take two-thirds of a cupful of chopped suet, one cupful of bread crumbs, one egg well beaten, two tablespoonfuls of sugar, one cupful of milk, one cupful of stoned dates cut fine, one teaspoonful of vanilla, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, a half-teaspoonful of salt and enough flour to make a drop batter. Steam three hours and serve with an egg sauce.

A chicken salad which is different is one using a small supful of chopped apple with the celery and chicken, adding the usual dressing preferred.

Nellie Maxwell

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SCORES TEN RUNS IN THIRTEENTH INNING

First Time Major League Team Has Ever Turned Trick.

Kansas City Once Broke Up Detroit Game With Same Number of Runs in Eleventh—"Greasy" Neale Captured Ten Files.

Cincinnati's Reds did something this year that never had been done before by a major league team—that is, score ten runs in the thirteenth inning. The Pat Morans turned this trick against Al Mamaux.

Just once before, in an extra inning fray, has the winner, in unknotted tie, reached double figures in tallies in the windup chapter, and that was in 1886, when Detroit was supporting a National league club and Kansas City was trying to support one.

On July 11 of that year the Cowboys and Detroit were on even terms at the end of the tenth. In the eleventh the Missourians broke up the game in precisely the same manner as the Reds did when they upset the Superbas—by turning the lever of the scoring mill and grinding out ten runs.

Cincinnati is the only major league club that has scored ten runs in the thirteenth inning of a championship game, Kansas City the only National league club that has scored ten runs in the eleventh inning of a championship game.

Another record set in Brooklyn on May 15 was when "Greasy" Neale, covering right for the Reds, caught ten files. This is a record number for a fielder in a game of this length.

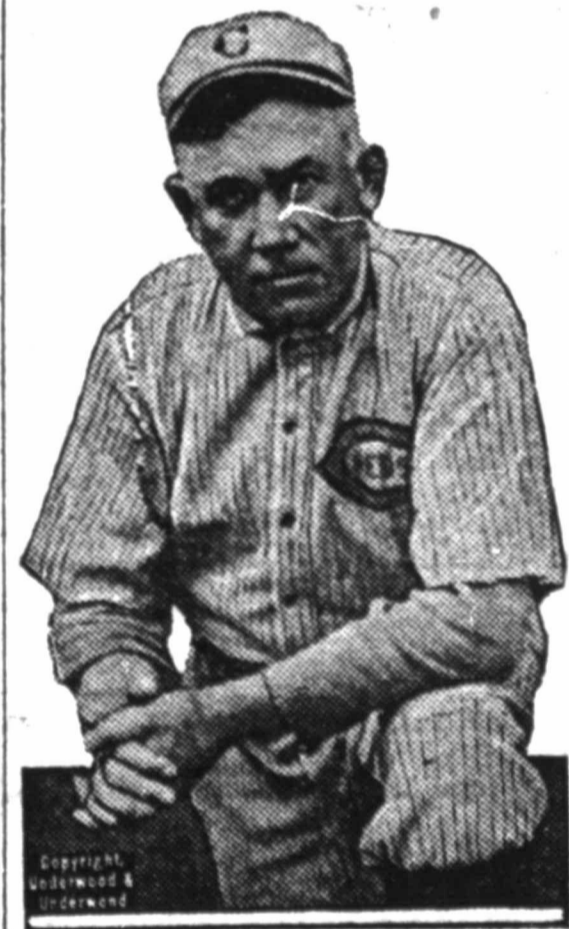
Owen Wilson of the Pirates, playing the same position as Neale, had the same number of put-outs when his team was defeating Brooklyn, 1 to 0, August 22, 1908, in 17 innings.

Left fielders and center fielders occasionally capture ten files in games of regulation and extra length; right fielders very rarely do.

F. CHANCE HAD PROPER DOPE

Former Manager of Chicago Cubs Was First Man to Predict Managerial Success of Moran.

Frank Chance was the first baseball man to predict the managerial success of Patrick Moran, who won the National League pennant with the Reds. Chance, when he handled the Cubs, had Moran and Tom Needham, both catchers, on his team. Later, when Chance took hold of the Yankees



Manager Pat Moran.

in 1913 he vainly tried to obtain Moran as a coach. Moran was helping Charley Doolin, manager of the Phillies, at that time, and the Quaker owners refused to let Pat go.

"Moran will be a great manager some day!" said Chance when the Phillies had turned down his offer. "He knows baseball, is a hard worker and is well liked by the players, because he is fair and square. Needham, too, will make good in the big leagues if he gets an opportunity."

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

Col. Lester Snover is the name of a tall, husky southpaw who has left the marine corps to enlist under the banner of John McGraw. The left flank of Snover's highly martial name is not a title—it's his real name. In military rank Snover never climbed higher than private. Before he enlisted Snover was with Elmira of the New York State league.

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Knew His Subject
Two Irish women in the market place of Cork were talking of the new curate.
"Arrah, Biddy," said one, "did ye hear him last Sunday when he preached on 'Hell!'"
"Faith an' I did that same, and sure he might have been born and reared there, so well did he know all about it."—Boston Transcript.

She Wanted a Brother.
The Nurse—What do you think of the new baby sister the doctor left for you?

Little Elsie—I don't blame the doctor for wanting to get rid of it. But why did he pick on us?

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Fond Mother—I hope that the young man never kisses you by surprise.
Daughter—No, mother. He only thinks he does.—Penn State Froth.

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Plenty of That.
"Is Helen's husband rich?"
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Scores of Women

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—Mrs. TIMOTHY GRANEY, 426 Connor Ave., Joplin, Mo.

And Another
Chicago, Illinois.—"I suffered for four years with pains in my sides, hips and legs and a terrible backache. I could not do any work at all. I was treated by many physicians but they did not help me. I read in one of your books where other women have been helped by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, so I tried it and it helped me very much so that now I can do everything in the house. I have told my friends about Vegetable Compound and you have my permission to use this letter."
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In the District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico.
Mary Fischer, Plaintiff
vs.
I. J. Wilcoxon, Mary B. Wilcoxon, his wife, and R. Frank Jones, defendants. No. 1519.

Notice of Pendency of Suit

The State of New Mexico to I. J. Wilcoxon, Mary B. Wilcoxon, and R. Frank Jones, defendants, greeting:
You will take notice that a suit has been filed against you in the district court of the Fifth judicial district of the state of New Mexico, in and for the county of Roosevelt, wherein Mary Fischer is plaintiff and I. J. Wilcoxon, Mary B. Wilcoxon, his wife, and R. Frank Jones are defendants, said cause numbered upon the docket of said court as 1519. The general objects of said action are as follows: The plaintiff seeks to foreclose a mortgage deed executed and delivered by I. J. Wilcoxon and Mary B. Wilcoxon, his wife, to the Oklahoma Farm Mortgage Company on the 9th day of July, 1917, in New Mexico, securing a note in the principal sum of \$500.00, together with one coupon note in the sum of \$40.00, marked "exhibit B," and that thereafter, and before the maturity of said indebtedness, or any part thereof, for a valuable consideration, the said Oklahoma Farm Mortgage Company sold, transferred and assigned to the plaintiff herein the said notes and mortgage deed herein sued on, and the plaintiff seeks to obtain judgment upon said notes in the aggregate sum of \$635.05, with interest at ten per cent per annum on \$521.72 from November 6, 1919; on \$40.00 from July 1, 1919; on \$73.33 from April 7, 1919, being taxes paid by plaintiff, together with \$50.00 attorneys' fees for plaintiff's attorneys, and cost of suit; said mortgage being upon and conveying unto the said Oklahoma Farm Mortgage Company and assigned to plaintiff as above stated, the following described real estate, lying and being in the county of Roosevelt, and state of New Mexico, to-wit: Northwest quarter of section fifteen, township one south, range thirty-four east of the New Mexico principal meridian, in Roosevelt county, New Mexico; and to have said mortgage deed declared a first and paramount valid lien against said premises; and to have same declared prior and paramount to any right, title or interest in and to the said land claimed by a second or subsequent mortgage deed held by R. Frank Jones; to have the said premises sold and the proceeds arising out of the sale of said land applied to the satisfaction of plaintiff, said judgment and demand.
You are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause or otherwise plead on or before the 14th day of January, 1920, judgment by default will be rendered against you in said cause for \$635.05 on said note; \$40.00 on said coupon interest note; \$73.33 taxes paid; \$50.00 attorneys' fees and interest thereon, and the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.
You are further notified that Compton and Compton, of Portales, New Mexico, and H. W. Harris, of Oklahoma City, Okla., are the attorneys for plaintiff.
Witness my hand and the seal of said court, this the 14th day of November, 1919.
SETH A. MORRISON, Clerk.
[SEAL] BY A. J. GOODWIN, Deputy.

In the District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico.
W. C. Hoover, Plaintiff
vs.
J. M. Riley, T. A. Knight, John H. Kidd and C. M. Horton, defendants. No. 1522.

Notice of Pendency of Suit

The State of New Mexico to the defendants, J. M. Riley, T. A. Knight and C. M. Horton, greeting:
You will take notice that a suit has been commenced in the district court of the Fifth judicial district of the state of New Mexico, within and for the county of Roosevelt, state of New Mexico, in which W. C. Hoover is plaintiff and you the said J. M. Riley, T. A. Knight, John H. Kidd and C. M. Horton are defendants, and numbered 1522 on the docket of said court. The general objects of said action are to collect a note in the principal sum of \$317.00, made, executed and delivered by the defendants, T. A. Knight, John H. Kidd and C. M. Horton, to the defendant, J. M. Riley, on the 15th day of February, 1918, and the said J. M. Riley, for a valuable consideration, before maturity of said indebtedness, sold, transferred and assigned said note unto the plaintiff herein, guaranteeing the payment of said note at maturity. Said note maturing on the 15th day of December, 1918, bearing ten per cent interest from date of said note until paid, and with ten per cent additional on said amount in the event said note was placed for collection in the hands of an attorney. That on April 9th, 1919, and April 18, 1919, the respective amounts were paid and credited on said notes, \$80.00 and \$40.00, and that said note now amounts to the sum of \$271.97 which is due plaintiff by said defendants.
You are further notified that unless you file your answer in said cause, or otherwise plead, on or before the 19th day of January, 1920, judgment by default will be rendered against you in the sum of \$271.97, cost of suit and for such other and further relief as plaintiff is entitled to receive, and will apply to the court for such relief.
You are further notified that Compton and Compton, attorneys, of Portales, New Mexico, are attorneys for plaintiff and their business address is Portales, New Mexico.
Given under my hand and official seal this the 19th day of November, 1919.
[SEAL] SETH A. MORRISON, Clerk.
BY A. J. GOODWIN, Deputy.

Notice of Suit
No. 1521
In the District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico.
T. E. Bell, Plaintiff
vs.
Aztec Land and Cattle Company, Limited a corporation; the unknown heirs of Michael C. Reynolds, deceased, and the unknown claimants of interests in the premises adverse to the plaintiff, Defendants

The State of New Mexico to Aztec Land and Cattle Company, Limited, a corporation; the unknown heirs of Michael C. Reynolds, deceased, and the unknown claimants of interests adverse to the plaintiff, greeting:
You and each of you are notified that suit has been filed in the district court of Roosevelt county, state of New Mexico, numbered and entitled as above, wherein you are the defendants, and S. E. Bell is the plaintiff. The general objects of said suit are; that plaintiff seeks to have an establishment of his alleged fee simple estate in the lots six, seven, eleven, and twelve of section six in township one south, and the south half of the northwest quarter, the north half of the southwest quarter, and the southeast quarter of section thirty-one in township one north, all in range thirty-five east of the New Mexico meridian, N. M., and containing four hundred seventy-five and eight tenths acres, more or less; that you be carried and forever estopped from having or claiming any right or title to said lands and real estate adverse to the plaintiff; and that plaintiff's title thereto be forever quieted and set at rest. And unless you appear and answer or plead in this cause on or before the 2nd day of January 1920, you will be adjudged in default and plaintiff will be accorded the relief that he prays.
The name and address of plaintiff's attorney: James A. Hall, Portales, New Mexico.
Dated at Portales, New Mexico, this the 19th day of November, 1919.
SETH A. MORRISON, Clerk.
[SEAL] BY A. J. GOODWIN, Deputy.

Notice of Sale
No. 1459
In the District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico.
Edmund P. Melson and the Missouri State Life Insurance Company, a corporation, plaintiff,
vs.
S. D. Day, Vonnice Day and Ira J. Wilcoxon, defendants.
Whereas, on the 20th day of August, 1919, there was made and entered in the above entitled cause a judgment for the plaintiffs against the defendants, wherein the plaintiffs recovered a certain money judgment which with interest, costs and attorney's fees will on the date of sale amount to the sum of ten hundred fifty-eight dollars and five cents, plus the costs of the sale, and on which judgment there has been paid the sum of twenty-five dollars; that in said judgment it was provided that the mortgage lien held by plaintiffs should be foreclosed and the property sold to satisfy said judgment, the undersigned being appointed special commissioner to sell said property as by law provided, said property being described as follows: The east one-half of block number four (4) of the Crosby Addition to the Town of Portales, Roosevelt County, New Mexico, according to the plat of said addition filed in the office of the county clerk of said county, together with all the privileges, hereditaments, tenements and appurtenances thereunto belonging, or in anywise appertaining. Public notice is therefore hereby given that the undersigned will on the third day of December, 1919, at the northeast front door of the court house at Portales, New Mexico, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, sell to the highest bidder at public outcry the above described property for the purpose of satisfying said judgment, interest and costs.
Dated at Portales, New Mexico, this 6th day of November, 1919.
H. B. RYHER,
Special Commissioner

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico.
In the matter of the estate of William J. Horney, deceased. No. 122.
NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that Lloyd S. Horney, administrator of the estate of William J. Horney, deceased, has filed his final report and accounting and petition for discharge in said cause; thereupon the court has fixed and set the first Monday in January, 1920, same being the 1st day of the regular January, 1920, term of the probate court of Roosevelt county, New Mexico, as the day and date for hearing and determining the said final report and accounting and petition for discharge, together with any objection thereunto that may be presented.
Therefore, any and all persons interested in said estate, or the accounting and settlement thereof, and have any objection thereto, are hereby notified to file or present the same on or before the day and date set for hearing and determining the said final report and accounting and petition for discharge, and all and any such objections will be heard and determined. Dated this 3rd day of November, 1919.
[SEAL] SETH A. MORRISON, Clerk.
BY A. J. GOODWIN, Deputy.

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Monday and Tuesday, January 19th and 20th, "Back to God's Country," at the Cosy theatre.

I will teach a class in Gregg Shorthand beginning December 10th. Daily classes, \$7.50 per month. See me at once and arrange satisfactory hour. Helen Lindsey.

WANTED—Small dwelling house, or lots or block, give price and location. George H. Joh, Portales. N. M.

At the Cosy, Tuesday, December 9th, will be shown "Daddy Longlegs," featuring Mary Pickford. Matinee and evening.

Dr. T. E. Presley, specialist, eye, ear, nose and throat, of Roswell, will be in Portales at Neer's drug store the 8th of each month.

FOR SALE or TRADE—One Studebaker automobile truck. See Ed J. Neer.

Special, at the Cosy theatre, Monday and Tuesday, December 22nd and 23d, "Auction of Souls."

Take along an Icy-Hot (Thermos) bottle full of hot coffee these cool days when making all day drives, they are worth the money. We have them, pints and quarts. Braley's Service Station.

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