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Notice for Publication.
Desert Land—Final Proof.
Department of the Interior,
Office at Roswell, New Mexico,
February 14, 1905.
Whereas George W. Chis-
wick, assignee of James B. Barnes, has
filed notice of his intention to
make proof on his desert-land claim No.
724, for the W $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 23,
T. 18 S., R. 26 E., before the Register or Re-
ceiver at Roswell, New Mexico, on
Monday, March 13, 1905. He names the
following witnesses to prove the complete
irrigation and reclamation of said land:
John A. Roswell, N. M.; James
H. Higgins, N. M.; Robert B.
Cleveland, N. M.; Lonnie L. Tackett,
N. M.; Clinton D. Bradshaw, of
N. M.; Clinton D. Bradshaw, of
N. M.; Howard Leland, Register.

Notice for Publication.
Desert Land—Final Proof.
Department of the Interior,
Office at Roswell, New Mexico,
February 23, 1905.
Whereas Harry W. Hamilton, of Ar-
tesia, N. M., has filed notice of his
intention to make proof on his desert-land
claim No. 4261, for the S $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of
Section 3, T. 16 S., R.
26 E., before the Register or Re-
ceiver at Roswell, New Mexico, on
Monday, March 13, 1905. He names the
following witnesses to prove the complete
irrigation and reclamation of said land:
John A. Roswell, N. M.; Harry W. Hamilton,
of Artesia, N. M.; James H. Higgins,
of Artesia, N. M.; John
A. Roswell, N. M.; Clinton D. Bradshaw,
of N. M.; Howard Leland, Register.

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Department of the Interior,
Office at Roswell, New Mexico,
February 14, 1905.
Whereas George W. Chis-
wick, assignee of James B. Barnes, has
filed notice of his intention to
make proof on his desert-land
claim No. 5298, for the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec.
27, and N $\frac{1}{2}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$
of Sec. 34, T. 19 S., R. 25 E., by
William P. Smith, contestee, in
which it is alleged that said Wil-
liam P. Smith never settled on the
said homestead entry No. 5298, and
never made his residence thereon and
never cultivated and improved same
as the law required, and that the
land is still uncultivated; and that
said alleged absence from the said
land was not due to his employment
in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps
of the United States as a private sol-
dier, officer, seaman or marine in
time of war. Said parties are hereby
notified to appear, respond and offer
evidence touching said allegation at
10 o'clock a. m. on April 27, 1905,
before the Register and Receiver at
the United States Land Office at
Roswell, New Mexico. The said
contestant having in a proper
affidavit, filed Feb. 24, 1905, set forth
facts which show that after due
diligence personal service of this notice
can not be made, it is hereby ordered
and directed that such notice be given
by due and proper publication.
Howard Leland, Register.

Notice for Publication.
Desert Land—Final Proof.
Department of the Interior,
Office at Roswell, New Mexico,
February 6, 1905.
Whereas Eliza
Assignee of John F.
Artesia, Eddy County,
has filed notice of in-
tention to make proof on her desert-
land claim No. 724, for the W $\frac{1}{2}$
NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 23, T.
18 S., R. 26 E., before the Register
at Roswell, New Mexico
on the 20th day of March,

the following witnesses
to prove the complete irrigation and
reclamation of said land: John
Artesia, N. M.; Henry A.
Artesia, N. M.; James
Artesia, N. M.; William
Artesia, N. M.;
Howard Leland, Register.

Notice for Publication.
Department of the Interior,
at Roswell, New Mexico,
March 1, 1905.
Whereas the
settlement has filed no-
tice of his claim, and
proof will be made before
the Register or Receiver at Roswell,
on April 13, 1905, viz:
Nelson, upon Homestead
No. 3705 for the E $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$
NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 10, T. 19 S.,
R. 26 E., before the Register
at Roswell, New Mexico,
on the 20th day of March,

the following witnesses
to prove the complete irrigation and
reclamation of said land, viz:
L. Huffer, of Dayton, N.
L. Higgins, of Lake-
Jonas H. Wallace, of
N. M.; Marshall P. Hat-
ton, N. M.;
Howard Leland, Register.

Notice for Publication.
Department of the Interior,
at Roswell, New Mexico,
March 1, 1905.
Whereas the
settlement has filed no-
tice of his claim, and
proof will be made before
the Register or Receiver at Roswell,
on April 12, 1905, viz:
Nelson, upon Homestead
No. 2391, for the S $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$
and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 35, T.
18 S., R. 26 E., before the Register
at Roswell, New Mexico,
on the 20th day of March,

the following witnesses
to prove the complete irrigation and
reclamation of said land,
viz: A. Porter, of Artesia, N.
L. Higgins, of Lake-
Jonas H. Wallace, of
N. M.; Marshall P. Hat-
ton, N. M.;
Howard Leland, Register.

Notice for Publication.
(Desert Land, Final Proof)
U. S. Land Office, Roswell, N. M.
March 1, 1905.
Notice is hereby given that Carson
Hon. of Roswell, Chaves County,
New Mexico, has filed notice of in-
tention to make proof on his desert-
land claim No. 723, for the W $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$,
E $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 13
and NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 14, T. 18 S., R.
26 E., before the Register or Re-
ceiver at Roswell, New Mexico, on
Friday, the 14th day of April, 1905.
He names the following witness-
es to prove the complete irrigation
and reclamation of said land: John
Richey, of Artesia, N. M.; Joseph G.
Welsh, of Artesia, N. M.; George P.
Cleveland, of Artesia, N. M.; Ezra C.
Higgins, of Artesia, N. M.
Howard Leland, Register.

Contest Notice.
Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office, Roswell, N. M.
February 17, 1905.
A sufficient contest affidavit
having been filed in this office by John
A. Fuller, contestant, against home-
stead entry No. 5298, made August
8, 1904, for the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec.
27, and N $\frac{1}{2}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$
of Sec. 34, T. 19 S., R. 25 E., by
William P. Smith, contestee, in
which it is alleged that said Wil-
liam P. Smith never settled on the
said homestead entry No. 5298, and
never made his residence thereon and
never cultivated and improved same
as the law required, and that the
land is still uncultivated; and that
said alleged absence from the said
land was not due to his employment
in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps
of the United States as a private sol-
dier, officer, seaman or marine in
time of war. Said parties are hereby
notified to appear, respond and offer
evidence touching said allegation at
10 o'clock a. m. on April 27, 1905,
before the Register and Receiver at
the United States Land Office at
Roswell, New Mexico. The said
contestant having in a proper
affidavit, filed Feb. 24, 1905, set forth
facts which show that after due
diligence personal service of this notice
can not be made, it is hereby ordered
and directed that such notice be given
by due and proper publication.
Howard Leland, Register.

Notice to Contractors.
Contractors and builders are hereby
notified that the board of direct-
ors of Artesia school district are now
ready to receive bids for the con-
struction of a school building to be
built of brick, according to plans and
specifications now on file in the of-
fice of Joe E. Clayton, architect, Ar-
tesia, N. M., open for inspection of
any person who desires to bid upon
the same. Contract for building
will be let Monday, April 10, 1905,
and all bids must be on file with the
secretary of the board on or before
that date, each bid to be accompa-
nied by a certified check for \$500,
payable to this board, as in evidence
of good faith and responsibility.
Said school building must not cost
more than nine thousand dollars and
contract will call for its completion
by August 15, 1905. The board of
directors reserves the right to reject
any and all bids. The successful
bidder will be required to give a
good and sufficient bond for the
faithful performance of his duty un-
der the provisions of the contract.
J. C. Gage, Chairman.
Gayle Talbot, Secretary.
Artesia, N. M., March 7, 1905.

Got 'Em on their Hands.
The first criminal prosecutions un-
der our city statutes came up yester-
day before Magistrate Woodworth.
The victims were two strangers and
the charge was plain drunk and dis-
orderly. A conviction resulted and
the city found itself in possession of
the bodies of the offenders with no
calaboose to put them in. At last
accounts the city was still in the
fix of the boy who roped the calf—
dead anxious to turn loose. By the
time the boys have slept with Marshal
Patrick a couple of weeks, they will
be entirely cured of booze fighting.

Artesia is to have a first class base
ball club this year, so says a lo-
cal fan. We hope the rumor is cor-
rect. Artesia is ahead of any town in
the valley on every other line and
there is no good reason why she can't
lick 'em on the diamond, too. The
business men should lend every en-
couragement.

Report of Eddy County Grand Jury.
Carlsbad, N. M., March 13th, 1905.
To the Hon. Wm. H. Pope, Judge
of the Fifth Judicial District, sitting
within and for the county of Eddy,
N. M.; March term, 1905.
We the grand jury beg leave to re-
port as follows:
We have carefully investigated all
matters coming before us, and where
the evidence has been sufficient to
warrant we have returned true bills.
Not thinking it well to impose the
expense of a trial on the county in
some cases where insufficient evi-
dence has been offered, we have re-
turned no bill.
We have visited the jail and found
it neatly kept and in good condition.
The majority of the prisoners, how-
ever, say that they have not had en-
ough to eat. We suggest that the
prisoners if employed on public work
be fed three times per day. We
recommend that the road supervisor
have free use of all county prisoners
under proper guard on all public
work at the discretion of the county
commissioner.
We earnestly recommend to the
Board of County Commissioners that
they use due diligence in auditing
and paying of bills, and that they
conduct all business of Eddy county
with strict economy. We also re-
commend to all other officers of Eddy
county to practice economy in the
expenditure of public fund.
We recommend that the court call
the attention of the proper official-
to the enforcement of the compul-
sory school laws. We also recom-
mend a stricter enforcement of the
Sunday laws with reference to horse
racing and ball playing and other
sports.
We further recommend that the law
in regard to carrying deadly weapons
be strictly enforced.
We have examined by committee
the books of the county officials and
are pleased to report that we found
everything in order and books neatly
and properly kept.
We return our thanks to the court
for the courtesies received, also to
the district attorney, who has at all
times aided us and given us the ben-
efit of his advice, and also to the sher-
iff and his bailiffs for the promptness
in the service of process emanating
from our body.
Respectfully submitted,
(Signed) JNO. T. BOLTON,
Foreman.
A true copy,
C. M. BAIRD,
Clerk.

When Wednesday mornings train
reached Artesia, the passengers fell
under a shower of rice that threaten-
ed to submerge them. John S. Ma-
jor and his bride were being given a
parting benediction that they will
never forget. For once they were
probably glad to escape from their
friends. The placards and inscrip-
tions that adorned their baggage and
the car were highly interesting. Out-
side the car was written "Robber; We
are just married; We don't look it,
do we?" On a suit case was "Our
honeymoon; its so nice." On a
trunk was nailed hard and fast a pair
of small shoes and the inscriptions:
"Take care of the children;" "Treat
him nice, ne married Aunt Bell";
and "We feel good." This last re-
ferred probably to the groom who
was trying to mash about a quart of
rice that had jostled down into his
shoes. The couple took it all good
naturally and as the train pulled
out, the bride hoisted a placard
which read "Please stare at us."

Notice.
The Board of town Trustees will re-
ceive bids for the grading of Main
street from the railroad to the Ce-
ment Stone factory according to the
plans and specifications in the hands
of the Town Engineer, Will Benson.
Bids will be received until Tuesday
evening, March, 21st, 1905. The
board reserves the right to reject any
and all bids.
A. V. Logan, Chairman.
Attest, Albert Blake, Clerk.
The First National Bank of Artesia
is showing its usual commendable
enterprise and public spirit by issu-
ing a monthly bank paper—First
National Bank Notices—filled with
wholesome reading matter that will
be interesting and profitable to ev-
eryone, young or old. If you have
not received a copy through the mail
the cashier will be glad to supply you
at the bank.

"Wedding Bells."
Quite a number of friends and rela-
tives witnessed the marriage of Mr.
John S. Major and Miss Blanch
Mauldin at the residence of Mr. E.
A. Clayton, Wednesday morning.
Mr. Major is one of our most pros-
perous young business men, being
vice-president of the First National
Bank of Artesia, and is a splendid
young man of many sterling quali-
ties of both heart and mind and is in
every way worthy of the fair girl who
has stepped to his side and consented
to accompany him the rest of his life,
uncertain way. The bride was one
of Artesia's sweetest and most at-
tractive girls, but her friends say she
never looked so fair as on the wed-
ding morn when she bent her queen-
ly head to repeat the vows, and re-
ceive the consecrated crown of a hus-
band's holy love, entering her life in-
to his for better or worse. She was
beautiful in an exquisite creation of
silvery gray silk—cape de chene over
gray taffeta with a touch of pink
which rivaled the roses in her cheeks.
The groom looked handsome and
happy in the conventional black.
After the ceremony by Rev. Geo. R.
Ray, the happy pair proceeded to the
depot accompanied by friends and
relatives and departed for a several
weeks visit to Kansas City and other
points, under showers of rice and
heartiest congratulations. Upon
their return they will be domiciled
in the pretty house on the corner of
7th and Grand, which Mr. Major has
already prepared for his bride. May
wedded life to them prove but the
red dawn of a new and unclouded
day, filled with dreamy haunts of
perfect bliss, and the unspeakable
blessings that flow from every happy
home, where they live each for the
other, and both for God.

Many handsome presents were re-
ceived, a few of which were: Cut
glass water bottle, Mr. and Mrs. J. P.
Dyer; cut glass dish, Miss Ollie Noel
and Mrs. R. M. Ross; silver cream
spoon, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Major;
gold orange spoon and gold butter
knife, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. U. Mc-
Crory; silver gravy ladle, Mr. W. G.
Weems and Miss Weems; center
drawn piece, Miss Grace Major, set
embroidered doilies, Dr. and Mrs.
Ross; silver sugar spoon, Miss Lillian
Major; lovely clock, Mr. and Mrs. E.
A. Clayton; Mrs. Mauldin, \$5.00 for
spoons; Mrs. M. B. Pitts, \$5.00 for
spoons; Mr. Mauldin, 2 year old
Holstein calf; table linen, Mr. and
Mrs. Talbot.

The Womens' Literary Club had a
very pleasant session with Mrs. Talbot,
Wednesday afternoon. The subject
for the day was English History from
1547 to the close of the Tudor reign.
Mrs. Merrill was in charge of the
program. Her paper covered the entire
period of the lesson and showed care-
ful study and research. She was
ably assisted by Mesdames Hamilton,
Gore, Ross and Kemp. Mrs. Hamil-
ton in her usual entertaining man-
ner read a paper on the life of Queen
Elizabeth. Mrs. Gore gave a pleas-
ing character sketch of Bloody Mary.
Mrs. Ross gave a very interesting
paper on the childhood and life of Wil-
liam Shakespeare and Mrs. Kemp gave
a description of the Spanish Armada
which was delightfully and interest-
ingly presented. Mrs. Idler, assisted
by her mother, Mrs. Watson and her
daughter, Mrs. Phillips, was a charm-
ing hostess and rendered the after-
noon one of pleasurable memory to
all present. The next meeting will
be at the home of Mrs. Cecil with
Mrs. Phillips in charge of the program

The editor of the Advocate had the
misfortune to spend a week of sick-
ness in Carlsbad while discharging
his duty as grand jurymen and can-
not say that his stay in "the Beauti-
ful" was to any great extent enjoy-
able, but there is one feature inci-
dent to the illness that we hope never
to forget. That is the assistance
and sympathy that was so freely ex-
tended by the friends whom it was
our good fortune to find at hand.
We feel under especial obligations to
J. T. Cooper and Rev. Geo. French,
of Carlsbad, and J. T. Patrick, E. A.
Clayton, S. B. Dyer, J. B. Hancock,
John R. Hodges, R. M. Love, Blaine
Richey, G. A. Glover, J. B. Cecil,
D. W. Ruyman and J. K. Walling, of
Artesia.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Sloane have
moved to their property on First
Street.

WEST DAYTON.
New Townsite at Dayton now Platted and
Buildings in Course of Construction.
The new town of Dayton, situated
eight miles south of Artesia, has
taken an active movement since the
organization of the West Dayton
Townsite Company.
The new Company have secured 160
acres of beautiful land lying just
west of the railroad and now have
same on sale. Contracts are being
made for the construction at once of
a large number of business houses
and residences. The John Schrock
Lumber Company, of Artesia, has
selected ground on Main street of
West Dayton and is now shipping an
ample stock of lumber and building
material for use in the town of Day-
ton and vicinity.
The West Dayton Townsite Com-
pany is composed of the following
gentlemen: J. H. Wilder, J. K. Wall-
ing, J. G. Welsh, E. C. Higgins, Dr.
J. B. Heck, A. W. Henry and Dr. C.
Pinnell. J. H. Wilder is manager,
and A. W. Henry secretary and will
be prominent residents of Dayton
and look after the interests of the
new town. Plans of the new town
may be seen at the office of Higgins
& Welsh, Artesia.

Dick Eaton is the next "old set-
tler" to give way to the inevitable
encroachment of the farmers and be-
come a town man. He has chased
the dogs across these flats full
many a day and was joint proprietor
of all the public domain his cause
could cover in a day, but the other
day a man from Arkansas came
along who offered him all the money
he wanted for his Dayton ranch and
got it. He will keep his cattle on
his Seven Rivers ranch and move his
family to Artesia in order to get the
benefit of our excellent public
schools. Artesia is well pleased with
her part of the deal.

Drs. J. B. Heck and G. Pinnell
and A. W. Henry have purchased
the Eaton ranch lying just east of
Dayton, and the latter two gentle-
man will locate there in a few weeks.
Dr. G. Pinnell is now in the east
purchasing a stock of drugs to be lo-
cated in Dayton where he will en-
gage in the practice of medicine. A.
W. Henry has been a resident of
Artesia but will engage in the pub-
lication of a newspaper at the new
town, the material for the same being
now on the road.

Mr. A. W. Henry, who has been a
progressive citizen of Artesia for
some months, will open a store at
Dayton and launch a newspaper.
We are glad to see the little city
start on her race for importance with
so much confidence. The story of the
artesian valley can not be overtold
and we believe that Brother Henry's
paper will prove an able caller to the
Advocate in telling of its charms.
We wish the town and the paper un-
bounded success.

Mrs. Frank Anson arrived from
Velinnewydd, Talgarth Breckons-
shire, England, to spend a couple of
months with her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. G. R. Cleveland. Mrs. Anson
left England February 10th, and
spent a week in Texas en route.

Alfalfa Seeding Done.
I have a first class superior drill
for planting alfalfa and other grains.
Will take contracts to plant any
number of acres. Even stand guar-
anteed. No harrowing necessary af-
ter planting.
J. B. Cecil.
C. A. P. Ranch.

F. J. Mobbs received his third well
drill Thursday, which is the best that
the American Well Works people
put up. It will be placed in opera-
tion on the Bowman land, four miles
south of town.

Mr. Riggs, living on Seven Rivers
about 8 miles west of Lakewood, se-
cured an unusually good well for the
depth last week. It is 276 feet deep
and the water rises 18 inches over a
7 $\frac{1}{2}$ inch casing.
Owners of teams should read the
ordinance published today which pro-
hibits the leaving of a team on the
streets unless securely tied. One de-
livery horse has made two successful
runaways this week.

Carload of Texas Red Rust Proof Oats. ROSWELL PRODUCE AND SEED CO., ROSWELL, N. M.

SEASONS CHANGED BY FIRE.

Trees Barely Scorched Put Out New Blooms Late in Fall.

At Chancel-sur-Marne, France, last September, a fire which raged on one side of the village made a clean sweep of everything before it in the way of buildings and only paused when there was nothing but cinders; the next three rows, though very scorched, were not quite destroyed, the farthest away being naturally the least affected.

Some of the boughs escaped all hurt and it was with these that the curious phenomenon was observed which merits attention. A second flowering commenced at once and by the end of October all the trees farthest from the scene of the fire were in full bloom, as if called to renewed life by the fresh voice of May, instead of October. At another point the flames had swept close to a large lilac tree and this, as well as some plum trees, bewildered by what must have seemed to it a sudden return of summer, put on once more its bridal robes.

It must be mentioned that the fire only lasted four hours. It will be noticed, therefore, that there was no remembrance between this sudden blast of heat and the ordinary gradual forcing to which plants are subjected.

Ideas Worth Money.

Perhaps never before have men been so willing to pay for ideas. A railroad director receives a handsome salary for his opinion on a measure. A corporation lawyer is asked a question, which he instantly answers, and his bill for a large sum is cheerfully paid. It took only a moment in each case, but the value of an idea cannot be measured by the time it takes to express it. It has taken a long time to convince moneyed men of this point, and some of them have not been convinced. But those who are wise enough to see it are availing themselves of great opportunities for the betterment of their business. The idea has its extensions, reaching throughout an organization.

The man in charge of a division of a business is given credit for what he knows as well as for what he does, says Success. He is given credit for what he leaves undone—what he sees it were wise not to do. The tendency is to encourage real thinking throughout the organization, where formerly only blind work was expected, according to the plan then in use.

Beethoven Liked Inscription.

An interesting Beethoven relic was put up for auction at Berlin recently in the shape of an inscription copied by Beethoven himself from Champollion's "Egyptian Pictures," the original of which is stated to have been in a temple erected to the Goddess Neith. It runs as follows: "I am everything that exists. I am everything that is, that was and that will be. No mortal has lifted my veil. He is only of Himself, and to Him alone everything owes its being."

Beethoven liked the inscription, because, he said, it corresponded with his own views on religion. For that reason he had it always before him on his study table.

Upholds Bishop Potter's Tavern.

Bishop Cortlandt Whitehead of Pittsburg, the leading Episcopalian divine of western Pennsylvania, makes public a statement upholding Bishop Potter's Subway tavern and appealing to capital in Pittsburg to do something similar to reach the workmen who want to drink and who will drink. Says the bishop: "I certainly think that if Pittsburg capitalists would unite in the establishment of drinking places where there would be no treating, no temptation to get drunk, it might be a step in the right direction. This is a free country and we cannot force men into religion."

Japanese Idea of Bravery.

There is a time when death is much easier for a man than to fulfill his duty, and if he dies just for the sake of death he cannot execute the duty that is assigned him. True bravery is not in throwing away one's life, or courting death, but in doing one's duty at the hazard of one's life. You must not forget that.—From "A Daughter of Japan," by Marui Gensai.

Measures Distances.

Lieut. Victor Saporetti, a popular officer of the Sixth Regiment des Alpines, Verona, Italy, has become famous the world over as the result of his recent invention of a telemeter for measuring accurately long distances, day or night.

Cherokees Seek Hunting Grounds.

A committee of four chiefs, representing the Cherokee Indians, recently visited the City of Mexico, treating with President Diaz for a concession of land grant. They wish to move to Mexico, if possible.

Arabian Missionary on a Visit.

The Rev. Archibald Forder, the only Christian missionary in Arabia, is on a leave of absence in the United States.

TO PRESERVE A HUSBAND.

Advice That Combines Humor and Common Sense.

For this purpose select a nice, kind, amiable, industrious, generous man. The American variety is far better than the foreign kind. Prepare him by having him go through a long engagement, which effectually renders a man a soft thing and makes him easy to handle. Gently detach him from all of his old friends and acquaintances and remove any habits he may have. He is then ready to can, preserve or make jam, as you choose.

To can, merely deprive him of his latch-key and throw a handful of mother-in-law in the house. Men corked up like this have been known to keep for years without spoiling, though when they are opened up, if kept too long, they are apt to be sour. To make jam, prepare as before, but shred all of his finer feelings by nagging and pound them into a pulp by complaints. To preserve a husband, put as much love into the heart as it will hold, add an ocean of sympathy, a world of tenderness, a pound of forbearance, a dram of patience and drop him into it until he is thoroughly coated over with sugar. Husbands should always be crystallized one at a time. Never in pairs. Neither should they ever be stood in hot water. This is where many women make mistakes.—Memphis Commercial-Appeal.

LOSES A LEG DELIBERATELY.

Man Who Recovered \$3,000 Damages Writes Confession to Company.

A remarkable case has been brought to the attention of the manager of the Texas & Pacific railroad by a letter which he has received from W. L. Maring of Marcelline, who lost a leg by being run over by a train while employed on that road as a brakeman. He was paid \$3,000 by the company in settlement of the injury. Maring's letter reads:

"Four years ago I worked for the Texas & Pacific and at that time I was a bad man, reckless, careless and had no respect for God or man. While under the influence of liquor I purposely lost my leg. But recently God has saved me, and my hope of heaven is sure.

"I want to make this confession, as the good book requires us to do. I have spent this money that I have received from you and am willing to submit to anything that you should think just."

Harmony in Precious Stones.

Alice Meynell, the English essayist, says in the current number of Harper's Bazar:

"It is the white hand and decidedly the slender hand, that looks well with its rings; and this is the moment to suggest the beauty of a hitherto unused union of turquoise and emerald, not for rings alone. It is the right moment, because the fashion in jewels is changing, partly for the better and partly for the worse, and every combination has been tried except this exquisite one. That a clear stone and an opaque one should generally go together is hardly understood; but for those who know how finely pale coral goes with diamond, and pearl with amethyst, turquoise and emerald add to the difference of surface a most fortunate difference of color. 'Turkish blue and emerald green' is a phrase of Milton's; and since the trees have been matched with the sky, art has played more or less happily with blue and green. Yet never have the very blue and the very green been brought close in the two gay stones. The jeweler has been afraid although he could not go wrong for the turquoise and the emerald themselves must keep him right; while the indomitable milliner, with nothing to keep her to harmony, has taken every blue and every green and has made distressing shufflings."

Kaiser's Throat Still Troubles.

Notwithstanding the sanguine statements printed in German papers, the belief is still prevalent in England that the kaiser's throat trouble is not better. Dr. Krause, one of the surgeons who attended the late Emperor Frederick in his last illness, has had several lengthy audiences with his majesty of late, and this is regarded as auguring ill.

To Close Famous Theater.

M. Caselles, who for twenty years has been director of French opera in New Orleans, has asked the owners of the French opera house to release him from his engagement, as the opera is no longer well patronized. The closing of the opera house will mark the passing of what is possibly the most famous playhouse in America.

Bargain Between Statesmen.

Champ Clark of Missouri says he has made a bargain with his colleague, Congressman Shackelford, who is rather fond of indulging in complicated oratory. The agreement is to last for a year, and Champ sums it up this way: "I am to quit cussing and Shack is to quit talking in riddles when he is making a speech."

Oldest American Fortress.

The oldest fortress in the United States is Fort Marion, on the Matanzas, in Florida. It has seen many bloody frays in the opening up of what is now the paradise of the South. The land around this ancient place has been watered by the blood of men who have fallen in conflict, but to-day it is a peaceful, picturesque spot, full of charm and serenity.

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

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In a land where seven aches from each acorn grew,

And the remedies therefor so infernally few."

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LIVE STOCK

Money and the Grade Steer.

We would like to know how many of our readers ever made money buying the cheapest "feeders" on the market and putting high-priced corn and hay into them. There may have been a time in the past when corn was so low that money could be made feeding it to any kind of stock, but that time has certainly not existed for a number of years. The animals that are known as "feeders" vary enormously in their ability to put their food to the best of uses. The cheap animals are the low grade ones; that is, they show but a very small amount of pure bred blood in them. Their sires may have been a grade bull having a quarter of improved blood and three-quarters of unimproved blood, and dams cows having no blood of the beef breeds in their veins.

Such animals are low grades and generally put a large part of their food onto their intestines. On the other hand some of the feeders on the Chicago market have pure-bred sires and dams that are three-quarters pure. This gives a very high grade and one that will place all the fat made in places where it will do the most good and sell for the highest price. There are all kinds of makeups between the two grades we have indicated, with some above and below them.

But the facts in the case are being recognized among farmers and they are coming more and more to select the kind of steers that will make the most money out of the feed given them. So now it happens that there is a much greater demand for the high grades than for the more common kinds, and that is why the price of high-grade feeders has gone up so far that the amount of profit that can be made out of feeding them has been greatly reduced. Since this class is so much in demand the men that produce feeders for themselves should endeavor to produce only this class which is always salable at a good price either as feeders or as finished steers.

Dairy Steers Unprofitable.

There never will come a time when steers of the dairy breeds will be profitable for the making of beef. It has been a third of a century since conditions as to prices for feed and prices for beef were such that the dairy cow and the dairy steer could be fattened and sold at a profit. The continual rise in the price of land and also in the price of feed that is to be made into beef has made it necessary to discard the steer of dairy conformation. The man that has a dairy bred male calf that he is thinking about "steering" and keeping to grow up into a beef will much better dispose of the young animal while a calf. If the dairy cow is to be used as the mother of a beef animal it will be much better to breed her to a pure-bred beef bull, which will give a calf having enough beef animal characteristics to make it possible to mature him in good time and thus make some money out of him as a beef animal.

Some Requisites in Sheep Breeding.

To make a success of the breeding of sheep it is necessary to have animals of good quality and keep them always in good condition. No matter how highly bred the sheep may be it will not be profitable if it be allowed to get out of condition even for a short time. On the other hand, a sheep of poor quality never seems to be in very good condition. Its quality is against it. The high quality may be obtained only by breeding to prepotent animals of good quality. The condition depends on the feed and general care sheep get. Some men buy sheep of high quality and fail to give them good care. They score a failure. Other men buy sheep of poor quality and give them good care; but they also complain that there is no profit in it. It takes a well-balanced man to buy sheep of first quality and then give them first-class care. There is money in this combination.

Oleo Still Sold as Butter.

In spite of the national color law, oleomargarine is still being sold as butter in some parts of the country, notably in some Missouri cities and towns. A dealer was recently fined and sentenced to sixty days in jail in St. Louis. He belonged to a gang that had established regular routes for the sale of the product as butter. The practice was to deliver from wagon, and to sell under the name of creamery butter. The price was always just under the price for first-class butter, to give the impression that it could not be sold lower at a profit. The butter was put up in the packages usual with butterine and the government tag put on. But just before delivery the dealer pulled off the tag and left it in the wagon. An inspector overhauled one wagon and found hundreds of these tags that had been taken off the bogus product.

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Women who are troubled with full or irregular menstruation, ache, bloating (or flatulency), rheum, falling, inflammation or protrusion of the uterus, ovarian troubles, that "bearing-down" feeling, nervousness, indigestion, or prostration may be restored to health and strength by taking E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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Expenses of Great Navies.
A report made recently by the British Board of Trade on the naval expenditures of the leading powers of the latest available year presents interesting figures. The report deals with the year ending March 31, 1903. From the exhibit it appears that the United Kingdom spends more on its navy than Russia, Germany and France on their combined fleets. The British naval expenditure is more than double that of the United States. Russia's naval expenditure for the year named was five times as large as that of Japan. Russia spent less than 6 per cent of her revenues on her navy. Japan spent 9 per cent of her revenues in this way. The country which now spends most on its navy to Great Britain is the United States. The British mercantile marine exceeds in tonnage that of Russia, Germany, France, Italy, the United States and Japan put together. The mercantile marine tonnage of Great Britain reaches 10,268,604 tons.

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Winter Scene in the South.

Severe Weather.
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Ventilation.
The sleeping rooms should be well ventilated, but so as to avoid direct currents of air.

Bathing.
Those in vigorous health should take a cold water towel bath every morning before breakfast. Those in feeble health should take a brisk dry-towel-rub every morning.

Diet.
The diet should be a generous one, including meat, and occasionally fresh vegetables.

Sunshine.
The nights being long and the days short, as much sunshine as possible should be let into the house during the day.

Clothing.
The head should be kept cool at all times. The feet should be kept warm and dry, day and night.

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When unavoidably exposed to cold or wet, a few doses of Peruna will avert bad consequences.

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Ordinance, No. 15.

Ordained by the Board of Trustees of the town of Artesia, N. M.

That it shall hereafter be

for the proprietor, keeper,

or agent of any establish-

ment, principal place of business

merchandising or hardware

well drilling supply store

or either of the other occu-

pations, hereafter specifically men-

tioned, hereafter may be pursued

in said town to pursue

such occupation or occu-

pation without one or more of them

having paid the license fee or

tax and having conspicuously

displayed and posted conspicuously

at the establishment or place of bus-

iness the license or tax certificate as

hereafter specified and provided,

shall be unlawful for any per-

son to pursue or conduct, either trans-

iently or permanently, any occupa-

tion of said occupations within said

town without first having paid the

license or tax herein specified author-

ized and obtained the same and

subject to any license fee or tax

under any of the provisions of this

ordinance, shall pay the same quar-

terly in advance. Such payments shall

be made to the town treasurer, who

shall deliver a true receipt therefor,

specifying amount, time and occupa-

tion, which receipt shall be delivered

to the town clerk who shall immedi-

ately issue a certificate authorizing

the pursuit of such occupation and

for the time specified in said receipt.

The clerk shall preserve and enter as

upon account with said treasurer the

receipts so delivered to him and re-

port the same to the board of trust-

ees when so required.

Sec. 4. Any person violating any

of the provisions of said ordinance

shall be deemed guilty of a misde-

meanor, and upon conviction thereof

shall be punished by a fine of not

less than \$10 nor more than \$25, or

by imprisonment in the town jail for

not less than 10 days nor more than

25 days or both such fine and im-

prisonment in the discretion of the

court trying the case.

Approved and adopted this 15th

day of March A. D. 1905.

A. V. Logan, Chairman.

Attest, Albert Blake, Clerk.

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Each person or firm doing a real

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Each real estate agent or firm, \$25.

Each real estate and insurance,

\$25.

Any person or firm who offers for

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real estate business whether he has an

office or not, in said town, and shall

be subject to and liable for a license

fee or tax in the sum of \$25.

Any person or firm establishing

and running, managing or conduct-

ing a lumber yard in said town of

Artesia, handling only what is

termed mountain lumber, shall be

subject to a license fee or tax in the

sum of \$12.

Sec. 4. Each person, partnership

or corporation who shall be liable or

subject to any license fee or tax un-

der any of the provisions of this or-

dinance, shall pay the same quar-

terly in advance. Such payments shall

be made to the town treasurer, who

shall deliver a true receipt therefor,

specifying amount, time and occupa-

tion, which receipt shall be delivered

to the town clerk who shall immedi-

ately issue a certificate authorizing

the pursuit of such occupation and

for the time specified in said receipt.

The clerk shall preserve and enter as

upon account with said treasurer the

receipts so delivered to him and re-

port the same to the board of trust-

ees when so required.

Sec. 5. Any person violating any

of the provisions of said ordinance

shall be deemed guilty of a misde-

meanor, and upon conviction thereof

shall be punished by a fine of not

less than \$10 nor more than \$25, or

by imprisonment in the town jail for

not less than 10 days nor more than

25 days or both such fine and im-

prisonment in the discretion of the

court trying the case.

Approved and adopted this 15th

day of March A. D. 1905.

A. V. Logan, Chairman.

Attest, Albert Blake, Clerk.

Ordinance, No. 16.

Be it ordained by the Board of

Trustees of the town of Artesia, N. M.

Sec. 1. That the Marshal and

Deputy Marshals of this town are

hereby authorized to arrest any per-

son violating in their presence or who

they have reasonable cause to believe

has violated any law of the United

States or the Territory of New Mexi-

co, or any ordinance of this town,

and upon arrest being made the of-

ficer making the arrest will as soon as

practicable, make or cause to be made

a complaint before the proper judi-

cial officer for the issuance of a war-

rant for the apprehension or deten-

tion of the person so arrested.

Approved and adopted this 15th day

of March 1905.

A. V. Logan, Chairman.

Attest, Albert Blake, Clerk.

Ordinance, No. 17.

Be it ordained by the Board of

Trustees of the town of Artesia, N. M.

Sec. 1. That the Justice of the

Peace of this town shall, before pro-

ceeding to try any person for the

violation of any ordinance of said town,

cause complaint to be made and a

warrant to issue to arrest said person

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and return to be made on said war-

rant.

Sec. 2. All cases tried before said

Justice of the Peace shall be docket-

ed in the name of the town of Artesia

against the defendant, and said judge

shall enter on said docket in plain

intelligible manner, a minute of each

step taken in each case and of the

particular costs assessed in the same.

Sec. 3. Judgment shall be entered

in each and every case of guilty

or not guilty of the offense

charged, and by said judgment the

defendant shall be discharged, fined,

imprisoned, or fined and imprisoned,

as the case may be, and where de-

fendant is found guilty, the costs of

said case shall be assessed against

him, and no costs shall be taxed

otherwise, and all judgments impos-

ing a fine, except where a fine and

imprisonment for a specified number

of days, or until such fine and costs

shall be paid, in default of immedi-

ate payment of such fine and costs.

Sec. 4. Where judgment of guilty

shall be entered in any case before

him, said Justice of the Peace shall

issue a warrant of commitment

against the person or defendant, com-

manding the Marshal of said town in

default of immediate payment of

such fine and costs as may have been

assessed to commit defendant to the

town jail subject to labor, and in cases

where the judgment is that defend-

ant be imprisoned, that he commit

the defendant to the town jail sub-

ject to labor, in accordance with the

terms of said judgment and the or-

dinances of said town.

Sec. 5. In each case tried before

the Justice of the Peace of this town,

said Justice may tax as costs for him-

self and the Marshal of said town the

same fees as shall be authorized by

law to be taxed for similar services in

favor of Justices of the Peace and

Marshals.

Sec. 6. All costs and fines shall be

collected by the Marshal of said

town who shall pay the fines collect-

ed by him to the Town Treasurer at

least once a week and shall pay any

costs coming into his hands belong-

ing to the Justice of the Peace, to

said Justice of the Peace and shall

pay other cases coming into his hands

to the proper party and return

the execution or commitment for the

collection of said fine and costs satis-

fied, and in all cases it shall be the

duty of said Justice of the Peace to

issue such execution or commitment

and endorse thereon an itemized

statement of costs, and it shall be

the duty of said Marshal to make a

report to said Board of Trustees at

each regular meeting of all arrests

made, of all cases tried, for violation

of town ordinances, of the disposition

of the same, and of fines collected

and uncollected.

Approved and adopted this 15th day

March A. D. 1905.

A. V. Logan, Chairman.

Attest, Albert Blake, Clerk.

W. M. Carson and others are mak-

ing an effort to organize an inde-

pendent school district a few miles

south of Artesia with the view of

using the old red school building,

about half way between Artesia and

Dayton. We hope their efforts will

be successful and that a prosperous

school will be maintained.

E. F. Phillips was in Roswell Mon-

The Law of Life

Lo! this is the law of life;
A song of peace, and a day of strife;
A day of strife, and a song of peace—
And the thunder of battles that never
cease,
And this is the law of life!

From the morning gray of the farthest
day,
Down the centuries there has come—
To the clash of arms, and the mad alarms
Of trumpet and life and drum—
This eternal truth: That the War God's
ruth

Is akin to the fiercest hate;
That Man, in the game, is as flax to
flame—
And the pitiful fool of fate!

From the days forgot—and when time
was not,
And the first man stood alone—
To the days of old when barons bold
Built their castles of oak and stone,
Then to drink and fight in a wild delight
Was the order of church and state.

And Man, in the game, was the moth in
the flame—
And the pitiful fool of fate!

From the days of old—to the days of
gold

That we moderns so highly prize,
Have the cries and groans and the sighs
and moans
Of the dying assailed the skies,
And to slay and fight from morn till
night—

Is the rule of the wise and great;
And Man, in the game, is as flax to
flame—
And the pitiful fool of fate!

Yea, the War God quaffs of our blood—
and laughs
And the mothers who give us birth;
For his skull-decked throne is the brawn
and bone
Of strenuous sons of earth!

And the months roll on—and the years
are gone,
Yet his passion does not abate;
And Man, in the game, is the moth in the
flame—
And the pitiful fool of fate!

For this is the law of life;
A song of peace, and a day of strife;
A day of strife, and a song of peace—
And the thunder of battles that never cease,
And this is the law of life!
—Ohio State Journal.

Why Rejoice on Birthdays?

Why should a man be glad on his birthday? If life be worth the living, then each annual birthday marks a diminution of the remaining span and brings him nearer to the grave, and for that reason, if living be worth while, each successive birthday should be the occasion of profounder sorrow than the last. If, on the contrary, life be not worth the living, why should a man mark with a white stone the anniversary of the day on which he commenced the journey through this dark world and wide? Why should he celebrate the event of his being pitched into this tumultuous existence thick with troubles?

Whatever horn of the dilemma he chooses, whether he hold that life be or be not worth living, the man who rejoices on his birthday lacks logic. The true philosopher sees in his birthday a suggestion for serious and

rather sad reflection on the purposes and the pursuits, the ideals and the realizations of life. He compares his promise with his performance, his hopes with his achievements, and the comparison, in the case of an honest man who does not lie to himself, is seldom cheering.

What, indeed, is a birthday more than any other day? Each day adds twenty-four hours to the tale, and the natal day is neither longer nor shorter than any of its 364 brethren. Lives are not rightly measured by years, but by achievements. The interval between birthdays is an arbitrary unit. Not that we have survived another year, but that we have done deeds worth while, is the important matter. There is no glory and no reason for rejoicing in merely not having died, yet what more than that do most of us celebrate on our birthdays?—San Francisco Bulletin.

Few Good Reading Clerks

"The meeting of congress reminds me that it is one of the rarest things in the world to find a good reading clerk," said an old reporter, "and there is, I suppose, a very good reason for it. As a matter of fact, it takes a peculiar type of man to make a reading clerk. There are a great many men who can read well for a while. But the man wanted by the large deliberative bodies must be able to sustain himself, and in order to do this he must learn how to control his voice. In fact, he must be as careful of his voice as the artistic singer.

"Reading clerks in legislative bodies often have a peculiar condition to deal with on account of the character of legislative halls. The men who read for Congress also read under difficulties. During the last national conventions of the Republican and Democratic parties I had occasion to appreciate the difficulties of finding good reading clerks. Each convention selected a number of reading

clerks, but the service was not at all satisfactory. It was impossible to hear the clerks a short while after they began to read. They would pitch their voices in a key so high that collapse vocally was inevitable. The voices would soon become husky and the men could not be heard at all. Another man would be pressed into service with the same result.

"On account of these difficulties it required the services of a number of men to get the platforms and resolutions before the conventions. And at that the reading was of a most unsatisfactory nature, for even the delegates who were required to vote on the various propositions involved could not hear and did not know what they were voting for. Good reading clerks are indeed rare and it would seem that young men with ambition might find it profitable to equip themselves along this line, where they are endowed with voices capable of being developed."

Finding Warrant for War

On both sides of the great controversy which took such fearful shape in the middle of the seventeenth century, but especially on the Protestant side, the minds of men were devoted, not to seeking that peace which was breathed upon the world by the New Testament, but to finding warrant for war—and especially the methods of the chosen people in waging war against unbelievers—in the Old Testament. Did any legislator or professor of law yield to feelings of humanity, he was sure to meet with protests based upon authority of Holy Scripture. Plunder and pillage were supported by reference to the divinely approved "spoiling of the Egyptians" by the Israelites. The right to massacre unresisting enemies was based upon the command of the Almighty to

the Jews in the twentieth chapter of Deuteronomy. The indiscriminate slaughter of whole populations was justified by a reference to the divine command to slaughter the nations round about Israel. Torture and mutilation of enemies was sanctioned by the conduct of Samuel against Agag, of King David against the Philistines, of the men of Judah against Adonibezek. Even the slaughter of babes in arms was supported by a passage from the Psalms. "Happy shall he be that taketh and dasheth thy little ones against the stones." Treachery and assassination were supported by a reference to the divinely approved Phinehas, Ehud, Judith and Jael; murdering the ministers of unapproved religions by Elijah's slaughter of the priests of Baal.—Andrew D. White, in Atlantic.

Senate Gavel Lasts Long

Assistant Sergeant at Arms Stewart of the United States senate has ordered a silver band for the gavel that is used by Senator Frye in calling the senators to order. This gavel is unlike most of the symbols of authority wielded by presiding officers. It consists of a piece of ivory shaped like an hour glass. Nobody knows the origin or age of the gavel, save that it has been used in the senate for more than 100 years. It is yellow with age and is slick and smooth as the result of long handling.

"The history of this gavel," said Mr. Stewart the other day, "is wrapped in mystery. We have traced it back far enough to know that it came to Washington from Philadelphia in 1801, and

has been on the vice president's table ever since. I have just ordered a silver band with an inscription for the gavel. It will bear the date 1801. One hundred years after the arrival of this gavel in Washington we bought an inkstand for the use of the presiding officer of the senate. The stand and the gavel are the only pieces of furniture allowed permanently on his desk in the senate."

The senate is such a decorous body that the vice president never breaks the boards in his desk pounding for order. Over in the house the carpenter has to put in a couple of new planks in the speaker's table every session. During Reed's regime the boards had to be renewed every month or so.

FABLES OF FASHION

Embroideries on Gowns.

In sheer white materials there are some lovely model gowns, which show what may be accomplished by the use of the exquisitely designed and wonderfully fine all-over embroideries. One gown, very simple in outline, consists of a bodice and skirt of the sheerest nainsook embroidery, in open buttonhole design, the pattern taking the form of a palm leaf.

The skirt has a fitted flounce in the same design, already full, as so many of the new flouncings are, so that in place of being gathered on to the main body of the skirt it is laid flat, giving no apparent joining edge, yet securing all the necessary fullness around the bottom of the skirt. A girdle of pale blue or other colored satin or silk, high in the back and front, holds the fullness of the bodice well up; the insides of the elbow sleeves, where a narrower ruffle of embroidery, like that on the skirt, finishes the rather full sleeve, is set with innumerable pleatings of sheer nainsook, with a narrow lace edge.

For Outdoor Sports.

The newest sweaters for outdoor sports are long and built on the straightest of lines. Instead of the high rolling collar, they are finished off V-neck fashion.

Big caps come to wear with them—knit, too, and made so that they pull down over your ears like the old-fashioned toboggan caps the youngsters used to wear. But these have another advantage—two great openings left in front, invisible when the cap is put on in ordinary fashion, but making it possible to pull the cap down over your face, letting the openings come just over your eyes. The cap gives you rather a goblin-like appearance when your face is entirely covered except for the goblin-like eye-holes.

Ladies' Dressing Sacque.

Attractiveness is as important a factor as comfort in the selection of a dressing sacque, and both these details were considered in designing the one shown here, in figured material and having a prettily-shaped collar and deep cuff in plain colored material. It takes up no more time to make up a pretty dressing sacque, and the material costs no more than to make up a common looking garment, and how much more satisfaction there is in feeling that you have a pretty, neat sacque of the latest design.

The design shows a tucked yoke in front, thus enabling one to make a dainty, pretty design without the large collar. The sacque may be worn with or without the belt. For a neat little dressing sacque that is nice enough for afternoon wear, as well as for a morning sacque, this is a good model to follow. Made up in figured Japanese silk or chaille, and using white or plain material for collar and cuffs, one fashions a most charming design. Cashmere, albatross, fleeced-lined material and silk are suitable to the mode.

Tricks in Stockings.

In selecting stockings it is well to buy a half size larger than one is supposed to wear, not only for the comfort, but for the economy, since they are less apt to break out quickly if ample room is allowed for the foot. Lastly, be sure to have your stockings always smoothly held in place. Wrinkled stockings are almost as great an offense against neatness as is a down-at-the-heel shoe.

A woman who has a very beautiful collection of silk stockings finds a good substitute for the havoc-making garter in inch wide silk ribbons which she sews to her corset and then slips through an elastic loop attached to each stocking. The ribbon is then tied in a bow at the side of the knee.

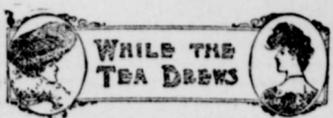
Spangles Seen on Many Gowns.

A black net gown with jet silver, gold or steel paillettes is one of the most effective gowns a woman can possess. For the moment the gold spangles or paillettes are tremendously in demand and consequently are smart. The craze for brown is seen in the different shades of the color with bronze or gold spangles, while mauve, blue and green, are also to be found in any number of new and effective patterns. White spangled

with silver is not so new, but the designs outlined with the spangles of paillettes are absolutely novel. Yellow with gold is exquisitely harmonious, and white spangled with gold and put over pleated or yellow chiffon gives a deep champagne which is most original and striking.

Mock Turtle Soup.

Add four hard-boiled eggs cut into eighths, a glass of claret, the juice of half a lemon, or a lemon peeled, then sliced thin (this last to be laid on the surface after the soup is dished), a teacupful of boiling water and such additional salt and pepper as your taste adjudges to be needful. If you care to take the trouble, omit the whites of the eggs, pound the yolks into a paste, work in melted butter, a pinch of mustard, pepper and salt, and bind with the yolk of a raw egg. Flour your hands, make the paste into small balls and drop into the boiling soup. Simmer three minutes after they go in.



Kimono lines are used in everything from coats to bathrobes.

Little lace toques made of valenciennes with a knot of roses at the side, are nobby.

Black silk stockings have sprays of blue forget-me-nots embroidered on the instep.

A plain, close-fitting skirt, flaring only at the feet, best sets off the long, tight coat.

Some of the early straw hats are faced with sun-pleated shaded silk with dazzling effect.

New shirtwaist sleeves are a trifle fuller at the top, but have not changed radically in shape.

Most of the new summer stuffs are mercerized and very beautifully and perfectly done, too.

Fine imitation valenciennes, is lovelier than ever, almost defying distinction from the real lace.

Indications are that the directoire, Louis and redingote coats of the winter will hold over into summer.

Almost all bodices are cut out at the neck to show some form of yoke, chemisette or plastron, generally in white.

New Styles in Sleeves.

It is the sleeves that are the great point of departure in the new styles. Gone are those unwieldy and awkward wrist puffs that were always dipping into the butter or the gravy at the dining table, and sweeping up the dust off every other table with which they came in contact. They certainly were more provocative of ill humor and necessitated more trips to the cleaner's than any other feature of fashion that we have suffered under for a long time past. Added to which they had a trick of broadening the outline of the figure, an effect which was not by any means to their credit or ours.

There is a delightful latitude of style and styles in the new sleeves; and it will be possible for the girl who designs, and perhaps makes, her own lingerie blouses, to have quite an extensive repertoire in them without resorting to the same sleeve more than once.

With the broadening, and in many instances the shortening, of the shoulder seam—the latter is a hint for those whose shoulders are already perhaps unduly broad—and the massing of the fullness above the elbow joint the upper part of the waist will take on an appearance of fullness that will make the adjustment of the body portion a matter of some thought and skill.



To restore color taken out by acids drop sal-volatile or hartshorn on the spot.

Plush goods if sponged with a little chloroform will look as clean and bright as when new.

To clean nickel scour with pulverized borax; use hot water and very little soap; rinse in hot water and rub dry with clean cloth.

It is well to remember that a pound of sugar is one pint, an ounce of liquid is two tablespoonfuls and a pint of liquid weighs sixteen ounces.

In a colonial house recently com-

pleted very decorative tall candlesticks are made an integral part of the railings of the gallery that surrounds the dining-room wall.

To clean vulcanite and horn combs do not wash, but brush them. Occasionally take a piece of cotton and put it through the teeth of the comb and remove any dandruff that may have collected there.

Rice Pie.

Pick a clean quart of rice, wash well, tie in a cloth, put into a pot of boiling water and boil until perfectly soft. Then drain and press it as dry as possible; mix it with two ounces of butter and two tablespoonfuls of mild grated cheese. Take a small butter kettle, wet the inside, put the rice and stand in a cool place until quite cold. Then turn it out carefully (it should retain the form of the kettle), rub it over with the beaten yolk of an egg, and set it in an oven to lightly browned. Cut out from the top of the mass of rice an oval lid about two inches from the edge, so as to leave a flat rim or border all around. Then excavate the mould of rice, leaving a standing crust all around and at the bottom about two inches thick. Have ready some stewed oysters or birds, browned white fricassee. Fill up the pie, adding the gravy. Lay on the lid and decorate it with sprigs of curled parsley stuck in all around the edge where the lid is put on.

Fascinating Lace Headgear.

A lace gown accessory confined to evening wear is a Tambour scarf long and wide enough to cover the head after the fashion of a mantilla and fall almost to the foot of the gown. Double lace frills edge the entire border and serve as an exquisite frame for a pretty face. The woman who goes with frequency to the opera and theater and who desires to avoid the risk of catching cold from breathless will find this scarf a grandly picturesque addition to her evening costumes.

Black Taffeta Waist.

Blouse of black taffeta shirred at the bottom and forming a little frill simulating a bolero. The stole ends are shirred at the bottom, finished with frills of the silk, and ornamented with buttons. Inside they are finished with an edge of light blue velvet and open over a tulle plastron of venetian lace. The shoulder collar is also of this lace bordered with a little plaiting of white gauze. The neck is finished with a ruche of lace, in the middle of which is a band of the blue, the ends fastened with strass buttons. The standing collar is of white silk or linen. The full sleeves are shirred at the bottom and finished with frills of the material and lace.

Pork-Apple Pie.

Slice the apples into a deep pie plate and place small pieces of pork without any rind among the slices. The pieces of pork should not be larger than the end of your finger. Pour over this one-half cup of molasses and add any kind of spice you like, but some like it better without any. Cover with good crust and eat hot for dinner. No under crust.

To Match the Skies.

Why follow a fickle fashion book when you're in tune with nature by matching gowns to the skies, gray if the day is gray, red at sunset, blue for a fair afternoon. Wear rubies, and garnets when you are chilly, hang on an emerald in early spring if sentimental take a moonstone or an opal, but dress to suit the skies.

Potato Time Table.

Baked—Thirty to forty-five minutes. Steamed—Twenty to forty minutes. Boiled (in skins)—Twenty to thirty minutes. Boiled (Pared)—Twenty-five to forty-five minutes. Well softened potatoes are cook.

Ribbon Trimmings.

Gold and silver gauze ribbons are effective trimmings, and the beautiful soft wired sash ribbons are much used and draped into boleros, short-sleeved cuffs and even put together to make little basque coats to wear with thin skirts.

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Ordinance, No. 25.

Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the town of Artesia, N. M.

Sec. 1. From and after the passage and publication of this ordinance it shall be illegal for any saloon, or retail liquor store to carry on business in the town of Artesia without first having provided the doors and windows of the building wherein such saloon or retail liquor business is carried on, with clear window glass and glass in the doors of such building with clear glass, if there is glass in the doors, and keep the said windows and doors, free from any curtains or blinds or other obstruction whatever, preventing the views of the interior of such building from the views of the public street, and to keep and maintain no screens or other obstructions before the doors of such building preventing the views of the interior of such building from the public street.

Sec. 2. Any person, partnership or corporation violating the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be subject to a fine of not less than \$10 nor more than \$25 or by imprisonment in the town jail not less than 10 days nor more than 30 days or both such fine and imprisonment for each offense in the discretion of the court trying the case.

Approved and adopted this 15th day of March A. D. 1905.

A. V. Logan, Chairman.
Attest Albert Blake, Clerk.

Ordinance, No. 26.

Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the town of Artesia, N. M.

Sec. 1. That all persons violating or failing by omission or otherwise to comply with the requirements of any of the ordinances of the town of Artesia, now in force, or hereafter put in force wherein the penalties for violating same are not specifically set forth, shall, upon conviction be subjected to a fine of from five (\$5) to twenty-five (\$25) dollars within the discretion of the court trying the case together with costs of prosecution.

Approved and adopted this 15th day of March A. D. 1905.

A. V. Logan, Chairman,
Attest, Albert Blake, Clerk.

Ordinance, No. 27.

Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the town of Artesia, N. M.

Sec. 1. That hereafter it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to place upon the sidewalks in the town of Artesia any chairs, benches, seats, boxes, barrels, kegs or any other obstructions which might interfere with the free and easy passage of persons upon and going along the walks; provided, that nothing herein shall be construed to interfere with merchants unloading and handling goods in front of their places of business when necessary and when such handling and unloading is done promptly and without unnecessary delay.

Approved and adopted this 15th day of March A. D. 1905.

A. V. Logan, Chairman.
Attest, Albert Blake, Clerk.

Ordinance, No. 28.

Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the town of Artesia, N. M. Sec. 1. That any person or persons guilty of the violation of this ordinance or any of its provisions shall be fined not to exceed \$25, or by imprisonment in the town jail not to exceed 30 days for each offense, or both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court trying the case.

Approved and adopted this 15th day of March 1905.

A. V. Logan, Chairman.
Attest, Albert Blake, Clerk.

Ordinance, No. 29.

Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the town of Artesia, N. M. Sec. 1. Any person or persons who shall break, injure or mutilate in any way the walls or curbing around any of the artesian wells of water in the town of Artesia, or who shall insert or place any substance in any pipe, spout or cavity of said wells to interfere with, impede or stop the flow of water in or out of the basin or front at any of said wells any substance stopping or tending to stop or render said water useless or offensive; shall be punished for each offense by a fine of not less than \$10 nor more than \$100 or imprisonment in the town jail for not less than 10 days, nor more than 90 days, or both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.

Approved and adopted this 15th day of March A. D. 1905.

A. V. Logan, Chairman.
Attest, Albert Blake, Clerk.

We will pay 25c per dozen for fresh eggs. Walling & Son.

Mr. Bradshaw is having a cottage erected in the Robert addition.

If you wish to either buy or sell town lots see Cleveland Land Agency

Mayer A. V. Logan returned from Santa Fe Sunday.

Good family horse, seven years old, for sale. Enquire of Dr. Murphy.

John King spent a few days this week in Roswell.

If you have lots to sell list them with Cleveland Land Agency.

Mrs. Tom Danner is visiting in Hagerman.

J. C. Maxwell was looking after business in Roswell this week.

For land surveying see B. F. Henry, west Main street.

Mrs. E. E. McNatt is visiting her parents in Roswell.

Cleveland Land Agency for town lots. They buy and sell.

A. F. Martin returned Saturday night after an absence of a few weeks North.

Fence pickets, post caps, etc. John Schrock Lumber Co.

D. D. Temple returned Tuesday from a few days business trip in Roswell.

Twenty varieties of screen doors. Also window screens. John Schrock Lumber Co.

G. N. McCreary and F. F. Campbell spent Monday in Roswell looking after business.

A nice line of new goods just received at the Millinery and Fancy Notion store.

W. M. Gamblin, C. J. Moore and Will Allen went up to Roswell Monday on business.

Insure against fire, accident or sickness. Sholars & Ford.

Mrs. Lizzie Sooter, come in from Enid, Oklahoma, Monday and will make her home in Artesia.

Whitt Smith is having another cottage erected on south Second street.

Miss Lizzie Eakin has charge of the dressmaking department at the Millinery and Fancy Notion store.

Hughes Crescent Cottage paints, Collins lead, linseed oil John Schrock Lumber Co.

Mrs. R. C. Alexander, of Roswell, is the guests of her sisters, Mesdames McIntosh and Baskin.

It is our business to protect your business. Sholars & Ford.

John Schrock Lumber Company, of this place, will open a lumber yard at Payton.

A number of Jersey cows with young calves for sale at \$50 and \$60. Apply to G. P. Cleveland at residence.

J. R. Blair is erecting a real estate office on Main Street, one door east of Walling's.

Dr. S. H. Murphey, who came here from Thayer, Kansas, recently for the benefit of our climate, returned with his family to his former home Thursday.

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Drayage.

I have bought the Drayage and General business of John L. Pepper and am pleased to look after the wants of the public. I had experience in this work and will give care in handling all kinds of freight. The charge of the public is solicited.

T. T. KUYKENDALL.

The Artesia Advocate

GAYLE TALBOT, Publisher.

ARTESIA, - - - - N. M.

There is popular distrust of the proposition to monkey with the prune crop.

President Stillman said any banker is likely to make an error. Aunt Cassie Chadwick agrees.

It's an ill wind that blows good to nobody. The "glass-put-in" man will have plenty to do for a while in Russia.

An English clergyman says that meat makes man immoral. This may explain why the trust is boosting the price.

Sir Henry Irving's son is to play in "Hamlet." May he never be troubled by the apparition of his father's ghost!

It is fortunate for the Oberlin students, perhaps, that Mrs. Chadwick didn't sign Russell Sage's name to those notes.

A Pittsburg teacher notes that college professors are paid less than many cooks. Well, perhaps the cooks are really experts.

Watches are now made only an eighth of an inch thick. Your pocket book looks thin, too, after you have paid for one of them.

A leading critic says: "Few of the poets are now working at their trade." How does he know, since the real poets are always dead?

New York's gilded youths have calling cards for their dogs. Thus a hostess knows at once which to address when they are ushered in.

Pennypacker of Pennsylvania says he believes the devil is an editor. This shows that a very small reason may sometimes totter on its throne.

New York dealers in automobiles report the sale of over \$10,000,000 worth of their machines in the last two weeks. The gasoline age is upon us.

J. Pierpont Morgan has bought King Leopold's interest in a Chinese railroad. It is pretty safe to say that Leopold didn't soak anybody on the deal.

It is found that Mrs. Chadwick's assets amount to about \$100,000. Foolish woman. Think of the fun she might have had with that much money.

The fact that a silver dollar of the vintage of 1804 recently brought \$1,100 in Chicago will bring tears to the eyes of the man who last blew it in at its face value.

When a woman falls in love you can't make her believe all men are alike, and when she has been married ten years you can't make her believe that they are not.

This "epidiascope" that makes a ladybug look as big as a bat may make the feminine bathing suit look as big as a handkerchief. But the machine looks like a cook stove.

A California professor has invented a logic machine, which on being fed with major and minor premises gives the correct conclusion. Congress would have no use for it.

A Chicago man is supporting his nineteen children and their mother on an income of \$9 a week. When it comes to expert financiering there is something worthy of study.

A good deal of fun is made of the female bargain hunters, but it is just this class which saves many a man from misery by making the ends meet and a little more.—Manchester Mirror.

There is a man in Brooklyn who has a gold brick worth real money. There are such gold bricks, but they are about as rare as the conscience that will not let its owner dodge his taxes.

A Cleveland editor advertises the loss of a diamond scarfpin and diamond watch chain. As editors are supposed to live the simple life, the question is, Where did he get those trinkets?

A girl in Tampa was wooed and won by mail, but she backed out when the would-be bridegroom called. It is a sad fact that a good many men make their best appearance through the postoffice.

This story that Hetty Green has a doughnut for her lunch every day should be discredited. Probably some enemy is trying to spread the notion that she is leading a life of reckless self-indulgence.

Tricks of Lizards.

Some lizards are able to walk on their hind legs, of which the most remarkable example is the frilled lizard of Australia, a powerful form which attains a length of about three feet. Should danger threaten, it scuttles off on its hind limbs with considerable speed for as far as thirty or forty feet in a half crouching attitude, with the fore limbs hanging down and the remarkable frill folded up.

Freaks of Fortune.

In January of last year a murderer named Helfert had just been sentenced in Moravia to penal servitude for life when he learned that he had won a prize of \$10,000 in the state lottery, and a few weeks earlier Ernesto Hajar was buried in a pauper's grave at Barcelona on the very day on which a ticket found in his possession won a prize of \$40,000 in the Spanish national lottery.

Feminine Confessions.

Whether we are doing the London season or a round of country house visits, the enjoyment of most women is largely dependent on the amount of opportunities accorded to them for flirtation. No matter how indignantly some of my sex may deny it, we all thrive on admiration.—Ladies' Field.

Japanese Servants.

A traveler says that the Japanese servant is a person of social importance. In the absence of the mistress callers are entertained at tea by the housemaid, whose knowledge of the etiquette of tea drinking and whose grace and charm are often the equal of those of her employer.

Sterilized Water for Navy.

Dr. Le Mehaute suggests that on French war vessels water that has been sterilized by heat should be substituted for the distilled water at present used, which, in his opinion, is open to many grave objections, including excessive costliness.

Dog Tongues.

Preserved in the cathedral of Bangor, Wales, is a pair of old "dog tongues" which were used for ejecting quarrelsome dogs from church during service. A similar pair is preserved at Llanynys, Wales and bears numerous teeth marks.

He Needs Much More.

There is in Mexico a man of the name of John Smith, whose wealth is estimated at \$45,000,000. It will, however, be necessary for him to get a good deal more than that if he wishes to make his name stand out prominently.

Armored Motor Car.

Heavy haulage work, such as that of stores, munitions and even heavy guns, is already done by motor in the Austrian army. Now the Austrians are going to have armored motor cars, each carrying a quick-firing gun.

Makes Bank Notes.

A man has been arrested in Paris whose method was to tear a different piece off each of a number of bank notes, and then, placing the pieces together, produce a complete bank note, which he was able to pass.

Little Destitution in Japan.

There is said to be no real destitution in Japan. Though some are very poor, yet all seem to be well fed, clothed and housed and are invariably cheerful and, what is more surprising, invariably clean.

Steal Church Statue.

Thieves have carried off from the Church of Sauvetat, in the French department of Puy-de-Dome, a massive and artistic copper statue of the Virgin, which is said to date from 1319.

Is This Unconscious Humor?

Arthur S. Laws, who has been living in Pendleton with his mother-in-law, Mrs. Anson Bright, has gone to Tacoma for a six months' rest.—Pendleton (Or.) Blade.

Thrift in British Isles.

In England and Wales about one in four of the population has an account in the postoffice savings bank, in Ireland one in ten, and in Scotland one in eleven.

Many Sailing Vessels Left.

Steam has by no means made sailing vessels obsolete. The total number of them in the world is still 65,934 as against only 30,561 steamers.

"Irish Eggs."

It appears that eggs are sent from Austria to Ireland and thence to England, where they are sold as fresh "Irish eggs."

Brick a Lasting Material.

A stone house is not so durable as one of brick. A brick house, well constructed will outlast one built of granite.

Signal for End of Services.

It was late in the afternoon when the Scotch minister arrived at the farmhouse. The housewife suggested that perhaps he would like a cup of tea before engaging in "exercises." "Na, na," said he, "I aye tak' my tea better when my work is done. I'll just be gaun on. Ye can hing the pan on, and leave the door ajar, an' I'll draw to a close in the prayer when I hear the haam fizin'."

Indian Serpent Worship.

Serpent worship still survives in India and a good snake shrine is said to be as much an attraction in a house on the Malabar coast as a garden is in the case of a country home in the United States. Serpents are, however, most unobtrusive and unless one walks noiseless and barefooted in the dark, as Hindoos do, snake bite is an improbable contingency.

Physical Sunshine.

By paying due regard to wholesome diet, cleanliness and proper habits, the denying the power of the desires of the flesh to overcome the higher calls of minds well stocked and moral natures keenly alive to joyous duty, we go far toward making ourselves true sons of God, true brothers to man.

Do Not Make Good Soup.

An authority on cooking asserts that England is a soupless country, meaning that English cooks can not make soup and that soup does not appear on the menu of an English every day dinner. Which is a fact, though soup is about the first form that English charity takes.

The American Ankle.

Our transatlantic cousins have certainly cultivated to perfection the art of looking dainty as they cross the street. Somehow they always contrive to look attractive while engaged in this usually unbecoming action.—London World.

Eye Strain in Children.

If one remembers the fact that not more than 10 per cent of all persons have normal eyes and takes into consideration the sensitive organism of the growing child it is not difficult to believe that many children suffer from eye strain.

Tax on Balconies.

The German town of Bilbrich has a law which calls for a special tax on all householders who have balconies attached to their houses. These are considered a luxury. The tax money is used for the improvement of the streets.

Millinery Trade Not Popular.

While women are invading nearly all of the employments heretofore belonging to men, milliners, both here and abroad, report a growing difficulty in finding girls willing to devote themselves to the art of making hats.

London Policeman Is Fined.

For unnecessarily striking a man with his club a London policeman has been condemned to pay his victim \$100 and costs of court. The man had resisted arrest violently, but was on the ground when struck.

Becoming.

"That dress is becoming, my dear," said the man who thinks he is a diplomat. She looked at him coldly for a moment, and then replied, "Yes, it is becoming—threadbare."—Liverpool (Eng.) Mercury.

Adulteration of Liquors.

A New York physician says: "The greater part of the whisky, brandy and beer sold in New York today is chemically prepared and is absolutely unfit for the human stomach."

How to Win in Advertising.

The spurt horse is a poor sort of animal for a long hill. In advertising the winner is the man who strikes a gait he can hold and keeps moving.—Profitable Advertising.

Most Northern Railway.

The Ofoten railway, the most northern railroad in the world, is now carrying immense quantities of iron ore from the great Norwegian mining districts to the coast.

Cigarettes in India.

The cigarette trade in India has increased 90 per cent in four years. The amount of cigarette tobacco imported last year was 2,240,260 pounds.

Best Heads of Hair.

Fair-haired people have the best heads of hair, 140,000 to 160,000 being quite an ordinary crop on the head of a fair man or woman.

South African Diamond Mines.

South African diamond mines now produce 98 per cent of the world's supply and they are prospering more than ever before.

Battle Creek Sanitarium.

Battle Creek! What memories that name conjures up—memories of other days—even the pioneer days, when the redmen of the northern lake region bent the bow and smeared their faces with keel-braided their flowing locks with feathers of the porcupine and wild eagle, that they might appear more wild, if possible, than before. And as they painted the cheeks and braided the hair, the squaw-women sharpened the flint arrow heads and shaped new bows, that their lords might do battle to the death with other redmen.

And here at Battle Creek, way up in Michigan, a great battle one day did occur, and when it was over, and the sun kissed the range to the far west, the tom-toms were muffled and the squaw-women wrapped their heads in vari-colored blankets and wept, for with the going down of the sun, many braves passed to the proverbial happy hunting grounds.

But that was many, many moons ago, as the Indians measure time, and a new era has long since dawned. True, it is "Battle Creek" to-day, just as it was decades ago, but, instead of the cry of the savage, is heard the hum of industry; the throb of life; the greeting of men and women of the Anglo Saxon race—the shouts of happy boys and girls, who know of Battle Creek's former history only by tradition. And here on the site of the famous battle between the redmen stands now one of the fairest cities of the great Northwest; a city sought out among thousands, for in it dwell, month after month, as the years come and go, men and women who find within the charmed circle that which they have long sought elsewhere—health.

When one speaks of health, the mind naturally wings itself to Battle Creek, for up there health is to be found as at few other places on earth.

Forty years ago there began in Battle Creek a return to nature movement, with purposes and principles in many respects similar to those which led to the famous "Brook Farm Experiment" twenty years before and to the Grahamite movement of that period. This movement, while religious, was avowedly non-sectarian, and was in a broad sense philanthropic, altruistic and reformatory. The immediate results were the establishment of a monthly journal now known as Good Health and shortly afterwards the erection of a health institution called "The Health Reform Institute." The chief features of the institute at this early period were diet reform, dress reform and the use of water as a curative agent.

In 1876 the present management took charge of the institution and with the consent and co-operation of the Board of Directors (the institution having been incorporated ten years before), a thorough reorganization was effected. Broader plans were introduced, the methods of treatment were placed upon a substantial and thoroughly scientific foundation, and the name was changed to the Battle Creek Sanitarium. Since this time the growth of the institution has been constant and rapid.

From year to year accommodations for patients and facilities for treatments were enlarged to meet the increasing patronage until February, 1902, when a great fire swept away the two principal buildings of the establishment. The erection of a new building was speedily begun, and the following year, May 31, 1903, the present fireproof main building, erected at a cost of more than \$600,000, was dedicated. The cost of the entire establishment, including equipment, twenty dormitories, cottages and other buildings has amounted to more than \$1,200,000.

There are many sanitariums in the world, but few, if any, that are conducted on the same plane as that at Battle Creek. This haven of rest and health is in no sense a money-making scheme, and every cent that is made from patients who are able to pay for their accommodations is used to help those who have nothing but broken health. All over this country, and even beyond the seas, branch institutions are springing up—creepers from the mother plant at Battle Creek. One point in view is down on State street, in the center of the metropolis of the Middle West, Chicago, where hundreds of the city's poor are cared for as tenderly as if in the parent institution at Battle Creek.

In a few brief paragraphs one can tell but little of the good work of the Battle Creek Sanitarium, but a postal card will bring pamphlets that will tell all—except the knowledge obtained by actual experience, and that experience must be had at Battle Creek to be appreciated to its full worth.

This institution at Battle Creek was not built up in a day—it took years of toil to reach the perfected state, and the work has but begun—the great work is to come from rising generations who are imbuing ideas from the Battle Creek home, and what it stands for.

For Three Decades.
For more than three decades the

present institution has been the center of a wonderful philanthropic and reform movement which has finally culminated in success undreamed of a few years ago, and in this connection a brief history is most opportune. In February, 1902, the two main buildings of the Sanitarium were destroyed by fire. For a short time the days were dark for those who had worked hard to build it up. But strong hearts are not to be awed by misfortune and a new building sprung from the ashes upon the old site.

The dedication took place May 31 and June 1, 1903. An elaborate program was carried out and many of national reputation made speeches and highly complimented the management and their co-workers on their work. Invitations were sent to patients, rich and poor, who had been at the Sanitarium. Many responded in person, and hundreds of letters of regret.

One of the prettiest sights in connection with the whole event was a procession of nurses and patients which formed on the college grounds opposite the new Sanitarium building and marched through the audience reserved seats at the right and left of the speakers' stand. The matrons in their usual cream white uniforms, the nurses in blue and white, and gentlemen nurses clad in new white duck suits presented a sight which moved the audience to one simultaneous burst of applause.

Sanitary Ideas.

As before stated there are many sanitariums in the world, but none just like that at Battle Creek, it being the first of the kind, so far as known where an attempt has been made, crowned with success, to bring together in one place and under management all rational health agencies, giving special prominence to those physiological or natural being agents the scientific knowledge which has been chiefly developed within the last century, especially hydropathy, electrotherapy, massage, exercise, diet, sunlight, mental and moral influences, rest, and general health culture.

Of course the first thing to be taken into consideration was the construction of the building to be occupied for much depended upon that. Before it had been discussed proper attention was given to the plan entirely satisfactory was adopted and the structure to-day plays no small part in the healing process that goes on from day to day at Battle Creek.

A Return to Nature Movement.

The philosophy of the Battle Creek Sanitarium may be defined as the return-to-nature idea. The doctors teach the use of natural foods, natural life, the use of natural agents in the treatment of disease. A great amount of attention is given to dietetics. Fruits, nuts and nut preparations, cereal foods and easily digestible vegetables are the basis for the delicious menus which are daily served in the great Sanitarium dining room, at which sit down hundreds of intelligent men and women from all parts of the United States and even from foreign countries. Milk, eggs and other dairy products are also freely used. Great care is taken to provide the very best and choicest of everything edible, of which the physicians approve.

During the year which has just closed a vast amount of these things were required to provide for the army of patients who visited the sanitarium, for several thousand sufferers housed there during the twelve months of 1904. As to the expense for the past year it was considerable, amounting to a total of \$327,189.99, divided as follows: Nut foods, 50 tons, \$26,768.80; cereal foods, 101,994 pounds, \$3,396.33; bread, 65,026 pounds, \$2,657.43; canned goods, 3,699 cases, \$10,506.65; fruit juices, etc., made on the place, 11,450 gallons, \$2,030.90; fresh fruit, 5,783 bushels, \$10,203.40; vegetables, 5,137 bushels, \$3,635.20; sundry grocery items, 41,558 pounds, \$3,396.38; eggs, 25,301 dozen, \$6,789.65; butter, made on the place, 29,961 pounds, \$5,951.53; cream, 68,678 quarts, \$10,323.70; milk, 57,266 quarts, \$1,692.45; coal, 5,714 tons, \$20,000.00; labor, \$213,553.59; total, \$327,189.99.

The amount of charity dispensed during the past ten years at this sanitarium amounted to \$585,610. To care for the patients an average of 725 men and women were employed during each year, and an average of 550 patients are under treatment at this sanitarium every day in the year.

We have given our readers only a brief glance at the workings of this unique establishment. Another article would be required to give something of the details of the daily routine of a guest at the Sanitarium, and of the methods which have given to this institution its world-wide reputation as a Mecca for sick folk.

Teacher of the Blind.

Mlle. Mulot, who has a school for the blind at Angers, in France, is in the United States demonstrating the system for teaching the blind of which she is the inventor.

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STORIES TRAVEL FAST.

French Device Preserves Them for the Palate of the Epicure.

A clever French process by which vine growers in France are able to market fresh outdoor grapes all through the winter is thus described. Bunches of the finest grapes when ripe in autumn are cut in such a way that to each bunch a piece of the vine five or six inches long remains attached. From this piece the stems of the bunch hang, an arrangement vitally necessary to the success of the operation.

A large number of wide-mouth bottles, filled with water, is ranged in a cellar and in the open end of each is inserted the pieces of vine stem, the bunches of grapes hanging outside. The grapes do not touch the water, but are thus supplied with moisture through the vine stem, which is immersed in water. By this process choice varieties of table grapes are kept in perfect condition for the whole winter.

The temperature of the cellar is uniform and moderately low and care is taken daily to supply the bottles with the water lost by evaporation. Fruit thus carefully tended is somewhat costly, but there are many patrons who willingly pay \$2 a bunch for the delicacy of fresh grapes in midwinter.

Thought Blacks Immortal.

The natives of the West Indies imagined that the negroes, who were imported in droves as slaves from western Africa by the early Spanish governors, were immortal, says Pearson's Weekly. The black man was a novelty to these islanders, and their belief arose from the fact that the negroes were never seen to suffer from any natural infirmity, such as affected the white man and the islanders themselves.

The American climate agreed with them better than their own unhealthy Guinea; and from their remarkable vigor and extraordinary longevity the Indians not unnaturally concluded that they were immortal. For a long time they saw or heard of none who died, except as criminals at the hands of Spanish executioners, and so they believed that the only way to put an end to a negro's life was to hang him.

What's in a Name?

Here is a new definition of a serious phrase which, though perhaps not strictly scholarly in tone, will doubtless make a strong appeal. Mr. Malcolm Ford was recently obliged to call in an expert electrician to advise him in a building operation. As it proved, the man could tell nothing about the profession he (Mr. Ford) did not already know. His fee, however, was large. It was following this experience that Mr. Ford conceived the following definition:

"An authority on any subject," said he, "is simply one who can bluff beyond your limit."

Just His Opportunity.

Boy (rushing in)—O, father, I know where I can buy a bicycle very cheap. Won't you give me some money?

Father (doubtfully)—How cheap?

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French Device Preserves Them for the Palate of the Epicure.

A clever French process by which vine growers in France are able to market fresh outdoor grapes all through the winter is thus described. Bunches of the finest grapes when ripe in autumn are cut in such a way that to each bunch a piece of the vine five or six inches long remains attached. From this piece the stems of the bunch hang, an arrangement vitally necessary to the success of the operation.

A large number of wide-mouth bottles, filled with water, is ranged in a cellar and in the open end of each is inserted the pieces of vine stem, the bunches of grapes hanging outside. The grapes do not touch the water, but are thus supplied with moisture through the vine stem, which is immersed in water. By this process choice varieties of table grapes are kept in perfect condition for the whole winter.

The temperature of the cellar is uniform and moderately low and care is taken daily to supply the bottles with the water lost by evaporation. Fruit thus carefully tended is somewhat costly, but there are many patrons who willingly pay \$2 a bunch for the delicacy of fresh grapes in midwinter.

Thought Blacks Immortal.

The natives of the West Indies imagined that the negroes, who were imported in droves as slaves from western Africa by the early Spanish governors, were immortal, says Pearson's Weekly. The black man was a novelty to these islanders, and their belief arose from the fact that the negroes were never seen to suffer from any natural infirmity, such as affected the white man and the islanders themselves.

The American climate agreed with them better than their own unhealthy Guinea; and from their remarkable vigor and extraordinary longevity the Indians not unnaturally concluded that they were immortal. For a long time they saw or heard of none who died, except as criminals at the hands of Spanish executioners, and so they believed that the only way to put an end to a negro's life was to hang him.

What's in a Name?

Here is a new definition of a serious phrase which, though perhaps not strictly scholarly in tone, will doubtless make a strong appeal. Mr. Malcolm Ford was recently obliged to call in an expert electrician to advise him in a building operation. As it proved, the man could tell nothing about the profession he (Mr. Ford) did not already know. His fee, however, was large. It was following this experience that Mr. Ford conceived the following definition:

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The Remedy Used by Mr. Schroepfel and by Captain Lalfour in Great Demand in Vicinity of Their Homes.

In the winter of 1902-3 Mr. Schroepfel was confined to his bed by a severe attack of rheumatism. His doctor's treatment proved unsuccessful, but he subsequently regained his health by means which he describes with great enthusiasm.

"After five or six weeks of helplessness and pain," said he, "during which I was receiving regular visits from the doctor, I felt as bad as ever. Just then my mother, a woman eighty years of age, paid me a visit. She had received great benefit from Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and she was confident they would help me. At her solicitation I gave up the doctor's treatment and took the pills in its place."

"And were you cured as the result of taking her advice?"

"Yes, quickly and thoroughly. Before the second box was finished I felt very manifest improvement, and within two weeks I was able to leave my bed and take up my neglected farm work. I continued to use the pills, however, until eight boxes had been taken, although long before that I felt that every vestige of the disease had been eradicated.

"Are there no traces left?"

"Absolutely none. For a year and three months there has never been the slightest return of the old trouble. For this happy result I and my family freely praise Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

Within the bounds of China township, St. Clair county, Mich., there is no better known farmer than Mr. Henry Schroepfel. His cure has therefore naturally attracted a great deal of attention. One of Mr. Schroepfel's neighbors, Captain George Balfour, after hearing of the salutary results in Mr. Schroepfel's case, decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for an attack of rheumatism from which he was himself suffering. He took eight or ten boxes and now declares himself free from the painful ailment.

It is little wonder that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are much in favor in the community where Mr. Schroepfel and Captain Balfour are so well and favorably known. They are sold by all druggists and are equally successful in curing neuralgia, sciatica and partial paralysis.

Medical science has developed to such a point that when we view the dangers said to beset us on every side we can not understand how anybody ever lived.

The shorter a man is or brains the longer he is on collars.

Insist on Getting It.

Some grocers say they don't keep Defiance Starch. This is because they have a stock on hand of other brands containing only 12 oz. in a package, which they won't be able to sell first, because Defiance contains 16 oz. for the same money.

Do you want 16 oz. instead of 12 oz. for same money? Then buy Defiance Starch. Requires no cooking.

Time improves everything but women; they, of course, have been perfect from the beginning.

A Father's Worry.

Your poor wearied wife losing sleep night after night nursing the little one suffering from that night fever for children and horror to parents, Croup, should have a bottle of Taylor's Cherokee Remedy of Sweet Gum and Mullein, an undoubted croup preventive and cure for coughs, colds and consumption.

At druggists, 25c., 50c. and \$1.00 a bottle.

Use heed ob howlin' successes, but I think er suck-aig daug is er howlin' failer.

Twice-Told Tales.

Some tales never lose in the telling, and the tale of good that Dr. Caldwell's (laxative) Syrup Pepsin will, and does do, to all poor, dyspeptic, bilious sufferers, is one of them. It positively relieves and cures all forms of indigestion, starts up the languid liver, regulates the constipated bowels, and restores the entire system to a perfect condition of health. Try it. Sold by all druggists at 50c and \$1.00. Money back if it fails.

The lobster salad resembles the poor; not "always with us," but still with us quite a while.

Every housekeeper should know that if they will buy Defiance Cold Water Starch for laundry use they will save not only time, because it never sticks to the iron, but because each package contains 16 oz.—one full pound—while all other Cold Water Starches are put up in 3/4-pound packages, and the price is the same, 10 cents. Then again because Defiance Starch is free from all injurious chemicals. If your grocer tries to sell you a 12-oz. package it is because he has a stock on hand which he wishes to dispose of before he puts in Defiance. He knows that Defiance Starch has printed on every package in large letters and figures "16 ozs." Demand Defiance and save much time and money and the annoyance of the iron sticking. Defiance never sticks.

To a man it is exceedingly difficult to give anything like an accurate description of a woman.

LINE UP FOR BREAD

FEEDING THE HUNGRY POOR OF NEW YORK.

Parthetic Figures in Ranks of Those Glad to Partake of the Bounty of Fleischmann, the Dead Philanthropist — Incompetents Predominate.

"Long before midnight it extends from the door behind the bakery, midway up the block, to Broadway, and round the corner toward the entrance to Grace church," writes Geraldine Bonner of the "bread line," a charity in New York. "As we approached up the loneliness of the deserted, icy street we could see it, dim and motionless, like a sinister black snake, each figure a vertebra in its sinuous length. The cold was intense and the men stood close together. Most of them were silent; they seemed held in the deadly grip of the frost and their own misery. We were near them when midnight struck, and with a slow, shuffling movement the column began to move forward. At the upper end we could see it breaking into dark segments, some of which disappeared into the night, while others stayed about eating their bread in the ice-bound street at midnight. We drew away into a darkened angle where we could not be seen and for a space watched them. Some took their loaves, hid them under their coats and walked away rapidly with firm, quick steps. Others ate them then and there with a hungry, fierce indifference. We saw several who, with the bread hidden, went back to the end of the line and joined it again.

"From the huge pail of coffee at the door a man ladled dipperfuls into tin cups and with his loaf of bread each recipient of the dead baker's bounty was given a cup. Several did not take them. Most did and stood about drinking the coffee and biting pieces off the loaf. Here there were a few desultory remarks interchanged. But for the most part the whole business was executed in a grim silence. It was difficult to see what manner of men they were. One cannot stare at a brother in affliction, even when he is standing at midnight in the 'bread line.' Many of those I saw looked as if they might be of that vast class of incompetents who live upon the city's generosity. But here and there a face struck your eye that was not the face of the drunk, the tramp or the beggar.

"We noticed a young man having the appearance of a gentleman who was without an overcoat and had gloves on. He took his loaf, thrust it under his coat and fled. A fresh-faced lad, stalwart and ruddy, who looked like a boy in from the country, was embarrassed and ashamed. He kept making jocular remarks to his neighbors and then giving loud, sheepish laughs—the only sound of that sort to be heard in that dismal assemblage. He carried a new shovel in his hand and had evidently been working among the snow shovelers. For these and their like Fleischmann, the baker, must have established the 'bread line.'"

On a Beautiful Day.

O, unseen Spirit! now a calm divine Comes forth from thee, rejoicing earth and air! Trees, hills and houses, all distinctly shine. And thy great ocean slumbers everywhere.

The mountain ridge against the purple sky Stands clear and strong, with darkened rocks and dells. And cloudless brightness opens wide and high A home aerial, where thy presence dwells.

The chime of bells remote, the murmuring song of birds in whispering copes and wood. The distant voice of children's thoughtless glee. And maiden's song, are all one voice of good.

Amid the leaves' green mass a sunny play Of flash and shadow stirs like inward life; The ship's white sail glides onward far away. Unhaunted by a dream of storm or strife.

—John Sterling.

He Apologized Promptly.

Smithers is a rather suspicious person, and the other evening when a young man overtook him on the street and courteously inquired whether he had ever been a resident of Nashua, N. H., Smithers was abrupt in his denial.

"I've seen you several times on the street," the young man continued, "and you look so much like my old friend that I was moved to ask."

"Well, I'm not," said Smithers, sourly. "I never was in Nashua, never was in New Hampshire, never want to be."

"This friend of mine used to be in the consular service in China," went on the stranger.

"Never was in the consular service," declared Smithers.

"Of course not," agreed the young man soothingly. "You see I mistook you for a gentleman. I apologize for the error. Good evening."

Smithers contends that it was a good thing that the stranger turned into a side street just then; and, any how, he apologized, you know.

As Bodily Nourishment

is one of life's necessities, so cuticle nourishment is essential to the health of the outer-self.



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builds up and nourishes while cleansing. Its mission is curative, and lathering into a most effective shampoo, it forms a true scalp tonic.

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There may be a more delightful face balm than Woodbury's Facial Cream but try it before you decide.

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Valentine Stockings.

Announcement comes from the dry-goods district that Valentine hosiery is now on sale and is expected to divide favor with pocket stockings. A Fifth avenue shop, which makes a specialty of hosiery, is responsible for it. Besides the all-over X-ray designs and open-work instep-patterns, there are hand embroidered effects in white or black grounds. Hearts predominate in the designs. Some of the lace like thread kind have a variety of embroidered treatments in gold and assorted colors. "To My Own Fond Love" and "To My Valentine" are favorite sentences in the embroidery "treatments." The announcement says that silk Valentine hosiery sells over the counter at \$5 a pair.

Poisonous Fish.

In the rivers of some of the West Indian islands there abound fish which it would be deadly poison for Europeans to eat, but which the natives find a nourishing and enjoyable diet. In parts of New Zealand there grows a sort of orange which no one but a native can eat without becoming very ill, while two would probably poison the average European.

IT'S THE TERROR OF ALL WOMEN.

Backache Quickly Cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills. Mrs. W. H. Ambrose tells how her pains vanished never to return when she used the Great American Kidney Remedy.

Dover, Ky., Feb. 13th.—(Special)—So long has Backache been the terror of the women of America that the numerous reports of the complete and permanent cures of this ailment now being made by Dodd's Kidney Pills are causing wide satisfaction and not the least remarkable of these cures is that of Mrs. W. H. Ambrose of this place. Mrs. Ambrose says:

"I had such pains in my back at times I could hardly move and other symptoms showed that my kidneys were affected. One box of Dodd's Kidney Pills drove away all the pains and I have never been troubled since." Backache is the kidneys' first notice that they are out of order and need help. If they get that help in the form of Dodd's Kidney Pills all will be well. If they are neglected the disease may develop into Diabetes, Bright's Disease or Rheumatism.

A thing of beauty is usually out of style before most of us can afford to buy it.

By Any Name.

It's likely to happen to the poor or the rich,
To contract some skin ailment—don't call it the Itch.
But it cuts little ice as to name or location,
From incessant scratching they want a vacation.
Hunt's Cure gives it. One box guaranteed to cure any form of itching known.

When men congregate in front of a bar the swallows homeward fly.

I want ter warn all de young men ter beware ob de gal whut sleeps till her ma gits brek'fast ready.

No. 7043.
Report of the Condition of

The First National Bank of Artesia,

In the Territory of New Mexico, at the Close
of Business March 14th, 1905.

RESOURCES:	
Loans and Discounts,	\$79,529 51
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured,	196 85
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation,	6,250 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds,	437 50
Banking house, Furniture and Fixtures,	6,067 37
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	43,150 76
Due from State Banks and Bankers,	2,227 23
Due from approved reserve agents,	16,792 93
Checks and other cash items,	86 50
Notes of other National Banks,	170 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents,	47 22
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:	
Specie,	7,370 45
Legal tender notes,	1,716 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per ct. of circ.)	9,086 45
	312 50
Total,	\$164,354 82
LIABILITIES:	
Capital stock paid in,	\$ 25,000 00
Surplus fund,	3,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid,	875 10
National Bank notes outstanding,	6,250 00
Due to other National Banks,	136 27
Individual deposits subject to check,	121,113 40
Cashier's checks outstanding,	7,980 05
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Territory of New Mexico, County of Eddy, ss:
I, R. M. Ross, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly
swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge
and belief.
R. M. ROSS, Cashier.
Correct—Attest: { Harry W. Hamilton, } Directors.
 { Earl Cobb, }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of March, 1905.
Daisy Fessenden Ross, Notary Public.

or who shall ride or drive any horse, team or other animal through the streets within the limits of this town at a speed or gait to exceed six miles per hour, or any person who shall leave any horse or horses, or other animal attached to any conveyance, in any street, alley or public place within the limits of this town, without making such animal fast with a good and sufficient halter, or without leaving them with some suitable person to prevent their running away, and any person who shall halt any wagon, cart, carriage or other vehicle, horse or team upon any crosswalk, sidewalk or footway, and any person who shall ride or drive any team, horse or other animal upon or along any of the sidewalks, or footways of this town, and any person who shall tie any horse, mule or other animal to any living tree upon any of the highways or commons of this town, shall be punished for each offense by a fine of not less than one nor more than ten dollars, or by imprisonment in the town jail for not less than one nor more than ten days, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.

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Attest, Albert Blake, clerk.

The Bank of Artesia.

CAPITAL STOCK PAID IN \$15,000.00
AUTHORIZED CAPITAL \$30,000.00

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J. C. Gage, E. N. Heath, J. K. Walling, A. T. Gunn
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OFFICERS:
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A. L. Norfleet, Cashier, Jno. B. Enfield, Asst. Cashier.

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Do You Intend to Build a Home?

If so I ask the privilege of submitting a bid on the work. I believe I am in position to figure closely and save you money on any kind of work. I guarantee everything I do to be first-class and to give

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Have a good list of Relinquishments and Deeded land in The Shallow Artesian Flow District in the Famed Seven Rivers country and about Lake McMillan.

Ordinance, No. 18.
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Attest, Albert Blake, clerk.

Ordinance No. 22.
Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the town of Artesia, N. M. Any person who shall race horses,

Ordinance, No. 23.
Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the town of Artesia, N. M. Sec. 1. Any person who shall hereafter carry a deadly weapon within the limits of the town, either concealed or otherwise, except it be in his or her residence or on his or her landed estate, and in the lawful defense of his or her person, family or property, the same being then and there threatened with danger, or except such carrying be done by legal authority, upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$50 nor more than \$300, or by imprisonment not less than 30 days, nor more than 90 days, or both such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the court trying the same. The justice of the peace trying any cause under this section, shall have concurrent jurisdiction with the district courts, as provided for in section six of an act entitled "An Act to prohibit the unlawful carrying and use of deadly weapons," passed by the legislature of New Mexico and approved February 13, 1887.

Approved and adopted this 15th day of March A. D. 1905.
A. V. Logan, chairman.
Attest Albert Blake clerk.

Ordinance, No. 24.
Be it ordained by the Board of Trustees of the town of Artesia, N. M. Sec. 1. Every person committed to the county jail or town prison for the violation of any ordinance of the town of Artesia, shall be required to work for the corporation under the supervision of the marshal, at such labor as his or her strength will permit, within or without such jail, not exceeding 10 hours for each working day, and for such work the person so employed shall be allowed, exclusive of his or her board, one dollar per day for each day's work, to be applied towards the payment of the fine and costs adjudged by the committing magistrate.

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A. V. Logan, Chairman,
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Artesian Well.
Contract wanted—I desire a contract to drill an artesian well near Artesia.
C. R. Brice,
Carlsbad, N. M.

Dick Eaton and Dave Runyan were rubberin' around Carlsbad Monday and got jerked up by the strong arm of the law. They had to do jury service all day.

Land For Sale.
160 or 320 acres, at \$15. per acre, 2 miles east of Dayton. Proof made. Eugene Lattion, Dayton, N. M. 26-5

Judge Cyrus Eakman arrived from Austin, Texas, Thursday to look after the planting of his crops. The Judge will move his family out in a short while.

To Exchange.
One-third interest in Gibson Hotel for land in Pecos valley, or Seven Rivers country. Write W. A. Baker, Box 793, Roswell, N. M. 28-3

Mrs. and Mrs. Geo. W. Outcalt, of Wellston, Oklahoma, arrived Thursday to make their future home on the farm. Mr. Outcalt recently bought south of town.

Paying Property for Sale.
I desire to sell the Hotel Artesia property. Is paying 20 per cent on the investment today. If you want a bargain see me quick.
J. C. Gage, Artesia, N. M.

FOR SALE

25 Good milk cows, fresh or heavy springers. Grade short horns. Acclimated Kansas stock.

3 Berkshire boars. Registered and good individuals. Old enough for service.

1 windmill and pump. Good condition.

3 farm hacks, almost good as new.

Alfalfa hay in ear lots.

CREIGHTON FARM,
Dexter, New Mex

Mrs. Geo. U. McCrary,
TEACHER OF PIANOFORTE,
HARMONY and Stringed Instruments.

University Graduate in Music. Recommended by three conservatories.

Terms: \$5. for Eight Lessons
Studio at Home in South Artesia.

Lunsford & Clark

Contractors and Builders
of Brick and Stone Work

We make a business of building Patent Stone Houses.
Let us figure with you.

ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO.