### COMMENCEMENT WEEK IN ARTESIA SCHOOLS

### Large Number to Receive Diplomas At Graduation Exercises.

The annual commencement prober of students will graduate from cies of the Artesia high school. both the eighth grade and the high

he preached on Sunday morning, people arrived at the Walker home supper was eaten by the hungry pic-

Tuesday morning. This Senior day all activities. will be a new feature in the com-

domestic art exhibit will be on Tues-day and Wednesday, May 16 and 17, ed again in a short time. at the high school building. This exhibit includes the articles made by the pupils in these departments, during the year. Many pieces of are made by the Manual training boys. The domestic art and art departments always have a beautiful collection of clothing and wearing apparel of many kinds. The paintings of the various students has received much praise in the past year.

The commencement exercises of the eighth grade will be conducted on Wednesday afternoon. The gra- cotton in this vicinity and it produating class into the high school mises to be the banner year for that is exceptionally large this year and staple product. an excellent commencement program will be given on Wednesday after-

The commencement exercises for the graduating class from the high school will be conducted on Thursday evening at the high school au-This part of the program is always the closing event of the commencement week in the pub- ARTESIA GIRLS STAR IN lie schools. A noted speaker has been secured for this part of the commencement program.

The school students can receive ings after two o'clock on Friday, will be made during the week.

way, left Artesia on Wednesday Priday and Saturday of this week. m easily won second place at the Pecos valley meet at Roswell, checked up last Saturday it was tered in the meet. Davis, husky ed the sum of \$35.11. durdler, capturing four first places

Bullock, House and Nickey, mem- children's efforts. bers of the last season team will run in this race at Albuquerque. Her ,who secured for tags \$7.88. Hugh DeAutremont is proving a The second was won by J. B. Rogvery efficient teammate to assist the ers who had \$4.81. other three athletes in this even. prize was given to Fred Fore, who Monday. They expect to win the cup for this had \$3.68 in his box. The fourth

querque in the hurdle races, the shot others were made happy with movie Sunday afternoon and night. put and the high jump. Bullock tickets. will run the sprints and hurl the DeAutrement and Clyde while Clyde will also enter the lars of service in each sale. are expected to place in the 440 yd. dash. Clarence Stoldt and C. O. Brown will both run the mile and Tuesday evening. the half-mile races. Both are excellent distance runners. They expect to return to Artesia on next

Miss Bobbie Bond of Roswell was an Artesia visitor several days this

GUESTS AT THE HARDWICK

Mrs. Hettie Swartz, Denver. R. O. Stonebaker, Chicago. E. H. Luff. Roswell. L. Shelly, Roswell. M. W. Rigney, El Paso. Archie Post, Casper, Wyo. B. D. Ginsberg, Roswell. Lorinz Tinsley, Roswell. Katherine Jacobson, Roswell. J. B. Pottee, Boston. L. M. Busby, Boston. H. M. Bacon, El Paso Ed Toner, Carlsbad. F. S. Weaver, El Paso. H. Brettman, Wichita. Margaret Hines, Tucumcari. H. B. Purlee, Kansas City. Van Storm. Denver. M. R. Devlin, Roswell.

P. Woodhead, Roswell.

R. H. Jones, Lubbock, Texas.

Ford Geyer, Roswell.

Jeff Hightower, Clovis.

Ralph Dimmitt, El Paso. M. M. Cockrill, El Paso.

SURPRISE PARTY FOR THE MISSES WALKER

A group of the many friends of will be given during next week at their honor. The Misses Walker tainers. Junior high school. A large num- time after the commencement exer- occasion with them.

The Baccaulaureate sermon will be no preaching at the church at

The refreshments disappeared in mencement program of the Artesia the early portion of the evening in some mysterious manner ,but the in-The annual manual training and stigators of the effair were undaunt-

After the group decided it was time to go home, they loaded on the large truck of V. A. Bishop's and took a little twenty mile joy ride. furniture and other useful things Not only the honored guests, but everyone present, declared the evening to have been very entertaining and "exciting".

> 4,000 ACRES OF COTTON From the Cottonwood river north of Artesia, to Lakewood, there is planted to cotton 4,000 acres this year. This is the third year for The cotton gin recently installed in Artesia by Mr. Larsh will be bept busy this season taking care of this crop. Cotton in the Pecos Valley is pronounced the best in the United States. This means a large increase in business at Artesia. for Artesia as this is increased mon-

ey over other, years.

from the University of New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Dunn, Mr. and their report cards and promotion the Artesia girls made an enviable Mrs. Murray Schenck, Mr. and Mrs. cards by going to the school build-record in a co-ed track and field S. W. Gilbert; Mesdames W. B. meet. In an inter-class meet among Glover, L. R. Sperry, Shattuck, J. Further announcements the women of the university, Miss M. Jackson , Laura Welsh, and TRACK TEAM TO ALBUQUERQUE place. She ran the 60 yd. low Helen Bullock, Edna Bullock, Kath-The Artesia high school track burdles in ten seconds, which is con- reen Clark, Marjory Wingfield, Herteam, accompanied by Coach Frank sidered exceptionally fast time. She ma Welsh, Mattie Mae Jackson, An-

morning in Ford cars, for Albuquer- tesia girl jumped four feet and two Rev. Coffee, and Messrs. Tom Bradque, where they will compete in the inches in the high jump. The meet shaw, Clint Cole, Lewis Cole, Clarstate high school track and field was won by Miss Dorothy Cameron, ence Stoldt, C. O. Brown, Myron The meet will be conducted popular university girl. She ran Brunning and F. A. Rosselle. at the University of New Mexico on the fifty yard race in seven seconds.

Those interested in the Enterey, quarter miler, easily won his to everyone who in anyway contri-

The first prize was won by Ivean lor. race and to lower their own record. went to Le Rue Mann and the fifth

will also be entered in the sprints, the racks at Pior's. A million dol- in this city this week.

Netherland made a trip to Hope on ing the past few weeks. Some are

## BAPTIST CHURCH

.9:45 A. M. Sunday School Sunbeam Band 3:30 P. M. Junior, Union Intermediate Union ....6:45 P. M. present. ..6:45 P. Senior Union .... .....7:45 P. M. Preaching .... Due to the Commencement Ser-

was taken to Nashville for treatment a few weeks ago, is rapidly improving.

vice a "Mother's Day" sermon will making her home in Nebraska.

Theme: "Motherhood Glorified." A hearty welcome to The American Legion dance This service is in Mother's honor. Yours for a great service. W. C. TAGGART, Pastor.

### METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School at 9:45. Classes to bring their babies. Mrs. Schenof them in the Cradle Roll Depart- there. Lesson in the class.

If you come to the Methodist Sunday School you will get to ride to enter business. out to the High School to the Bac-Autos will be asked to make two hills. trips if necessary to take all those coming. who have no way to ride.

The Epworth League will meet at 6:30. Mr. Everett Long, lead-er. Teel, tells us that Hope bonds are or at 2:15 in the afternoon.

R. F. DAVIS, Pastor.

## HAY RIDE

Misses Marian and Lelia Walker, on the hay-ride on last Thursday surprised these two young ladies of evening, when the Sunday school the high school set, on Friday even- class of the Baptist church, taught gram of the Artesia public schools ing with a very delightful party in by Mrs. C. M. Cole, were the enter-

The group left Artesia before evening, a large number of young Field's grove, about three miles south of town. A bountiful picnic modate those who attended.

Mrs. G. Dellas Holmes, Mrs. Allen, ble, Mary Alice James, Nellie Jonas, sell, Alice Mansell, Ina Cole, Gladys and callor collar. Jackson , Evelyn Bullock, Ruby Florence Stevenson, Nellie Mae Horne, and Messrs. W. A. Sowell, Clint Cole, Herman Cole, Haggen McCaw, Joe Fields, Ben Dunn, Clovis Dattion, Bob Feemster, 2 Craig Baker and Chauncey Yeager.

### OVER FIFTY PERSONS MOTOR TO CARLSBAD

Artesia was well represented at the Lockhart revival services at Carlsabd on Friday evening, when more than fifty persons motored to that town for the purpose of attending one of the great services, conducted by this noted evangelist. Evange-Wm. J. Lockhart, who recently conducted a revival meeting The following persons were pre

sent at the Carlsbad services on Friday evening: Mr. and Mrs. E. B Bullock, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Manda, Mr. and Mrs. C. O Brown, Mr. and UNIVERSITY ATHLETICS Mrs. Cecil Brownlie, Mr. and Mrs. George Benz and family, Mr. and According to a report received Mrs. Charley Bradshaw and family, Dorothy Stevenson, daughter of D. Misses Elizabeth Soloman, Effic Glo-Stevenson, of this place, won second ver, Eula Bee Clayton, Opal Martin, Adams, Fred Cole and Luther Cara- won places in several other events. na Frances Jackson, Ella Brown and Miss Esther Morgan, another Ar- Rev R. F. Davis, Rev. E. E. Mathes,

### MRS. HOLMES ENTERTAINS BAP- of the evening.

The Womans Missionary Society a few weeks ago. They won more found that the tay day held here for of the First Baptist church were en-

buted toward its success, and especing of whipped cream, pineapple jel-present and enjoyed the events of sixteen years ago. The Artesia relay team has won ially to the merchants and to the lo and cake was served to Mesdames the relay race at Roswell for the manager of El Rose theatre, whose Givens, Stacy, Story, Jesse, Mansell, for the young people. past two years and broke the state generously donated prizes were the Atteberry, Allen, Cole, Bishop, Hoffrecord at Albuquerque last year. incentives as well as rewards for the man, McNiel, White, Taggart, and ed by the hostess assisted by the Misses Lucy Thomas and Lola Nay- girls of the class.

> Hugh Gage and Fred Gibson of The third Hope were transacting business here class of the Artesia high school, ac-

A large number of local persons reported to be in a critical condition.

...6:45 P. M. evening. About five couples were trip was made in Brunning's car.

According to reports received at mon at the High School there will week to assist his mother in com- class was given this week, and oth-

The American Legion dance last Hope being in attendance. next dance will be on May 20th.

### ITEMS FROM HOPE PRESS

W. S. Medcalf, our genial Post Master, has purchased the lot west for all ages. Mothers are invited of the hotel from W. L. Whitaker, and will erect a concrete building. ck and her helpers will take care Uncle Sam will locate the postoffice ment, while the mothers enjoy the already engaged by business firms. Mr. Medcalf has a brother in Indiana who thinks of coming to Hope

More interesting events are to calaureate service. All who have materialize for the City of the Foot-Watch for them-they are

Evening preaching service 7:30. stack of bids for them high as a mad Strangers are very cordially in- cat's back. Good, now while they new High School building.

### Over forty persons were present "Kid Party" Proved To Be Unique Occasion. Short trousers and Curl Predominent

About seven-thirty o'clock in the sundown and journeyed to the of Artesia. This house was cleaned and vicinity.

little lasses as Lorie Davis, Adelle same Ohnemus, Glayds Cowan, Stella Rogers and many other young ladies ap peared with their curls hanging down their backs and their new

field were used by the fun-makers. days." The more livlier group would amuso themselves with such games as "Last the At a late hour the crowd town. had diminished to an average part; group, who had a hilarious "time."

Rev. and Mrs. R. F. Davis and other adults were chaperones at the affair. An almost unlimited amount of cold leman ade was served to all, who desired to drink.

streets. thankful to our city dads for this ing delivered the eulogy for the deneeded sprinkler.

### PAUL JAMES IS HOST

Sunday School classmates and their rett, Sr., and Howard. girl friends with a delightful party at his home on last Thursday evenTennessee on April 18, 1849, and at Artesia, in the State of New Mexico, "Live Wires" and taught by Mr. ing past seventy-three years of age. tertainers, according to statements on March 7, 1873. Six children Loans and discounts, including from their little friends, who were were born to this union, but Robert their guests.

other games demanded a great part of age.

### EIGHTH GRADE PARTY

first places than any other team en- the Volunteers of America had nett- tertained at the home of Mrs. G. D. enjoyed a delightful party at the who came from Kentucky a short other bonds, stocks, securi-Holmes on last Thursday afternoon. home of Miss Elva Clyde an instruc-A brief business session preceded tor in the Junior high school, on who had met her since she came to for a total of twenty points. Nick- prise were well pleased and grateful the social portion of the afternoon. In the Junior high school, on the social portion of the afternoon. In the Junior high school, on the social portion of the afternoon. In the Junior high school, on the social portion of the afternoon. Delicious refreshments consist- number of the class members were the evening which passed very fast

Delicious refreshments were serv-

### SOPHOMORE HAY RIDE The members of the Sophomore thur.

W. M. Wyman and family attend- the Cottonwood falls on the large Mrs Shepherd with the children Davis will be entered at Albuerque in the hurdle races, the shot
t and the high jump. Bullock

Bishop truck on last Friday afternoon, immediately after school. The
trip to the falls was completed by
making them the best thing the Miss Ruth Roach of Carlsbad sundown and a supper was eaten by making them the best thing the Capital stock paid in ..... You will find Red Top Fisk's, in spent several days with her parents the hungry merry-makers. After town has enjoyed in a long time. Surplus fund.

Undivided profits \$13,552.73 spending several hours in fun-making and other amusements, the class journeyed back to Artesia. Messrs. Ben Dunn and Hiram have been reported seriously ill dur- Jeanne McCaleb was in charge of the young people on this juant.

Mr. Frank Kepple, of Ft. Worth, for the Seniors in the local High part and help. Texas, is expected in Artesia this School. The examinations for this According to reports received at mon at the High School there will week to assist its mother in Commencement arrangements of the Artesia, Mrs. E. E. Soloman, who 11:00 A. M., but at the evening serpleting business matters prior to here er commencement arrangements Creek is coming some by the made.

> Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Floore reall mothers who would worship Saturday night was well attended, turned on Tuesday from Tularosa, with us at this hour is extended. many couples from Carlsbad and New Mexico, where they have been The during the past week. Mrs. Ezra to Artesia with them.

> > An unusally large number of Hamiltons Jazz Houns' fur- hospital for some time. night. The other apartments are nished excellent music for the large number of dancers, who attended.

### · CHRISTIAN CHURCH

of the service at the high school Woman's Club.

Corbin. They also attended the knowledge and belief.

Woman's Club. building

There will be Bible School at Our good Mayor, Hon. E. M. 9:45 and the Intermediate endeav-

### CANNING FACTORY WILL SOON BE GOING

The new ice plant and cold storage and canning factory, being built by the Artesia Utility Company, will

Misses Juanita Cobble, Grace Cob- occasion was announced as a kid electric light plant, water works im- will be the best place in the southparty, many of the grown floks ap- provement, sewers and paving. west. Elizabeth Soloman, Lois Burns, Marie Garrett, Grace Castleberry, Lois ney, the 190 pound lad, looked very town that will hold our population Hnulik, Lulu Turner, Lorena Man-Everett Long these mentioned improvements can-Cole, Mary Lillian Rogers, Tinie Many other young men were very ness, decreases the value of your Chamber of Commerce is next spry in their knee trousers. Such property and increases the tax on Monday evening i, the City Hall.

### WITH PAVING BUNCH

Couple Out' and similiar games on Main street and are always found commercial club boosts your town Others spent their time in in-door boosting for a bigger and better even though your dollar does not

### ARTESIA WOMAN DIES AS RESULT OF PNEUMONIA you many.

The funeral services for Mrs. Molly Ramey were conducted at the First Christian church on Sunday sold his general merchandise store afternoon at three o'clock, with a to J. H Reeves of Dexter. The AUTO SPRINKLER

large number of the friends and actronsfer has been made and Mr.

The new auto sprinkler recentquaintances of the family present.

Mr. Reeves has charge of same. ly purchased by the city has been doing duty allaying the dust on our of the services. After a brief mu-This sprinkler is well sical program which was very appro- as to what the future will be for worth the morey and we are very priate for the occasion, Rev. Lann- him in business. ceased woman.

The pail-bearers were Messrs Hans Oleson, C. Bert Smith, Mr. Paul James entertained his Daniels, J. M. Jackson, Noah Gar-

Klopfenstein, proved excellent en- She was married to Samuel Ramey Ramey, who died a few years ago, Delicious cocoa and wafers were was the only child to live to adult served to about twenty boys and age. The deceased was a Christian Many amusing contests and woman, uniting with the Christian Deposited to secure circula-

Samuel Ramey, who is well-known The members of the eighth grade to Artesia people, and a half-brother time before her death. Mrs. Ramey New Mexico from Arkansas, about

### LAKE ARTHUR REVIVAL

Much interest is being manifested in the community revival meetings being held at Lake Ar-

The soul stirring sermons of companied by a few friends and the Rev Shepherd, the splendid sing- Redemption fund with U.S. chaperons of the class, journeyed to ing of Mr. Copeland, the work of

### NEAR EAST DRIVE.

There will be a Near East drive Saturday, May 20th. The pur-Rufus Rowan, Veto George, Wade pose is to collect old clothes for Miss Loretta Linell entertained Cunningham, David Cogsdall and the sufferers. All those who have a few friends with a delightful Myron Brunning made a "flying" elothing to donate please place dance at her home on Thursday trip to Carlsbad on last Sunday. The them on their porch Saturday May 20th and they will be gather This week has been a busy week ed by the committee. Do your

> Aaron Slick - from Pumpkin Christian Ladies Association.

The Misses Iva and Ina Neff of Clovis were week end guests of Hartsfield their daughter, returned Miss Ethel Bullock. They were Time deposits subject to Reformer residents of Artesia.

Edgar Williamson returned to the American Legion dance at the Artesia this week from Ft. Bayard Certificatesof deposit (other I. O. O. F. hall on last Saturday where he has been in the army

Mrs. Jo Jacobson, Mrs. John Rhea and Mrs. Albert Pruit of State of New Mexico, County of Eddy, ss There will not be any preaching Roswell were entertained Wed-

MIS. E. Mathes returned Wed- SKAL nesday trom California. She has There will be preaching in the been visiting in California since are so current, issue a batch for the Coffey who has been called as time with her daughter, Miss

### SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS HAVE YOUNG PEOPLE UNITE IN LARGE ICE PLANT, COLD STORAGE AND REV. COFFEY CALLED AS PASTOR OF CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Rev. R. R. Coffee of Woodward, C. M. Cole, were the enterThis class of young ladies of the various churches of the town company has confidence in Artesia Oklahoma, has been called as the high school auditorium and the intend to move to Illinois in a short invited their friends to enjoy the united in a big social on Saturday and its future by putting in a \$75, partor of the local Christian evening at the old Miller house, lo- 000 business in our city and should church. He comes to Artesia cated on the big hill, one mile north be boosted by all citizens of our city highly recommended and we are and seats taken from town to accomodate those who attended.

An unusually large number of per-An unusually large number of per- Humphreys and J. D. Edmondson as pastor of their church. The and announced that they had come nickers. After spending a large sons were present at this social should be commended for their in- Rev. thinks a lot of Artesia and May 14, by Rev. R. F. Davis, pastor of the evening in having a of the First Methodist church south, at the high school auditorium.

The class everyings of the Sonior present had "the time of his life".

After spending a large event the for a good time and to spend the evening in having a small in the early part of the evening. The evening proved to be too terest and confidence in the future its country saving that he is satisfied the country is in its infancy at one time, parked on this hill. It best city in New Mexico. The class exercises of the Senior class will be conducted at the assembly period of the high school on class will be conducted at the assembly period of the high school on class will be conducted at the assembly period of the high school on class will be conducted at the assembly period of the high school on class will be conducted at the assembly period of the high school on class will be conducted at the assembly period of the high school on class will be conducted at the assembly period of the high school on class will be conducted at the assembly period of the high school on class will be conducted at the assembly period of the high school on class will be conducted at the assembly period of the high school on class will be conducted at the assembly period of the high school on class will be conducted at the assembly period of the high school on class will be conducted at the assembly period of the high school on class will be conducted at the assembly period of the high school on class will be conducted at the assembly period of the evening as the scene for class will be conducted at the assembly period of the high school on class will be conducted at the assembly period of the evening as the scene for class will be conducted at the assembly period of the high school on class will be conducted at the assembly period of the evening as the scene for class will be conducted at the assembly period of the evening as the scene for class will be conducted at the assembly period of the evening as the scene for class will be conducted at the assembly period of the class will be conducted at the assembly period of the class will be conducted at the assembly period of the class will be conducted at the assembly period of the class will be conducted at the assembly period of the class will be conducted at the assembly period of the class will be conducted at the assembly period of the class will be conducted at the assembly period of the class will be conducted at the class will be conducted at the class will be condu

All members are urged to come out and bring a new member with Word from John S. Major says: them. Be a real booster and join "You can count on us being with the the club. A dollar spent with the The crowd became so large that the house, yard, road and nearby will be a dead one some of ther does your town. If you will attend these meetings you will find Mr. Major is a town booster and out what goon this club has done Major's own seventy-five feet your town and community. The help. A dollar a month will not break any one and it may make

E L. Salby of Lake Arthur has

Charter No. 7043 Reserve District No. 11 Report of Condition of the

### First National Bank

This class, known as the died on Saturday, May 6, 1922, be- at the Close of Business on May 5, RESOURCES:

rediscounts \_\_\_\$290,685,08 Total Loans \_\_\_ Overdrafts, unsecured \$148.79 S. Government securities owned

tiou (U. S. bonds par val-ne) \$50,000.00 All other United States Gov Securities ..... \$19,853.65

ties, etc. 7,800.00 Banking House, \$4,889.78; Furniture and fixtures \$1.369.20 6,258,98 Lawful reserve with Federal 29,078.51 national Banks

Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank other than Total of Items10 and, \_\_\_\_\_\$73,730.72

Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer 2,500,00 TOTAL ....\$485, 183,77

LIABILITIES: \$50,000,00 10,000,00 Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid. 5,534.66

Circulating notes outstand-50,000,00 Amount due to national 461.57 bank outstanding.
Total of Items 22, 25 and 265,60

7,497.00

bank deposits) subject to Reserve deposits payable within 30 days): Individual deposits subject 281,814.49 less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)

Demand deposits other than

Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 25, 27 .... \$289,311.49 serve payable after 30 or more notice, and postal

savings): 79.610.45 than for money borrowed) Total of time deposits subject to Reserve, ------\$79,610,45

TOTAL .....\$485, 183,77 I, J. E. Robertson, Cashier of the above services Sunday morn ng because nesday at the home of Mrs. Mark named bank, do solemnly swear that the J. E. ROBERTSON, Cashier.

Correct -Attest: D. W. Runyan, Mark A. Corbin Directors.

There will be preaching in the been visiting in California since evening at 7:30 by Rev. R. R. Coffey who has been called as pastor of the Christisn church.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th, day of May, 1922.

S. E. Ferree, Notary Public.

Marquerite, at Santa Paula.

My commission expires February 8, 1926

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# **PUT CAR THEFTS** AT \$100,000,000

Interstate Commission Works Out Clearance Test to Cut Down Losses of Autos.

### OWNERS ARE ASKED TO HELP

Organization Conducts an Active Campaign Throughout the Country With Headquarters Located in the City of Chicago.

Coincident with the announcement that the Interstate Motor Theft commission would be continued as a permanent organization with headquarters in Chicago, it was said that reports of thefts of automobiles throughout the country indicated that cars valued at \$100,000,000, were stolen every year. It also was asserted that these automobile thefts showed a loss of \$300,000 for every twenty-four bile, this tin visor prevents rain or

The Interstate Motor Theft commission was formed in 1921 for a nation- glass at all and is a great help to drivwide inquiry into automobile frauds ers in stormy weather. As most autoand thefts and for the destruction of mobilists keep their tops up during the market for stolen cars. The com- winter, it can be fastened permanently mission is composed of about 100 in place, for that season at least. rector of the Associated Advertising inside of the front bow of the top. Beard, National Boy Scout commis-

### National Clearance Test.

"A national clearance test to be applied to all cars registered in the the snow or rain at the sides. United States has been carefully great majority of the unrecovered cars -Popular Science Monthly, stolen in the past, and that are still very large degree, the future sale, use, or registration of stolen cars in any state, regardless of changes in numbers and appearance," says a statement of the commission.

"The plans of the commission are considered the most constructive and business like that have been advanced since the advent of the automobile itself to adequately protect America's \$5,500,000,000 of motor car wealth against commercialized theft and fraud. Since its inception this body has enjoyed almost unqualified moral support and co-operation from many sources, among them police, detective, state, insurance and business authorities, civic organizations, motor car associations, clubs, manufacturers, distributors, dealers and owners."

### Owners' Aid Is Asked.

The statement added that owners aid the commission in eliminating automobile thefts throughout the country. It declared that automobile thieving "is today one of the most profitable forms of lawlessness." "Automo bile thefts retard the advance of every branch of the motor car industry," the statement continued, "impose a account for most tire trouble. burdensome liability upon owners, and police and state departments.

"Many laws to check the motor car theft and fraud evil have been enacted. The majority of them carry heavy penalties, and although many arrests are made throughout the country con- twice a year with sal soda. victions seem difficult to secure; in any event fewer than should be are

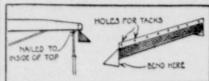
# TO MAKE RAIN VISOR

Tin Device Prevents Fogging of

Elements Kept From Striking Glass and Is Great Help in Stormy Weather-When Enameled Suitably It Is Not Conspicuous.

When it rains against the windshield the view of the road is uncertain and chances of accident are increased. Windshield cleaners are

This visor has been devised to prevent the elements from striking the



Attached to the top of your automosnow from fogging your vision.

persons in different parts of the coun- Cut out a piece of sheet tin the detry, including Deputy Police Commis- sired length and so it can be bent sioner Joseph A. Faurot, E. M. Allen, about as shown in the perspective member of the Insurance Committee of the windshield edge of the visor, of the United States Chamber of and should be punched with several Commerce; J. A. Hall, educational di- holes so that it can be tacked to the

Clubs of the World; Gutzon Borglum, Make it just low enough so that it the sculptor and president of the In- will ward off the snow or rain, but not ternational Sporting club, and Dan too low to prevent the driver from watching the road. Be sure the side shields come as close as possible to the glass without touching, as they will help to keep drafts from sucking in

When enameled a suitable color to worked out that not only will result match the car, it will not be unbe-In the detection and recovery of a coming or conspicuous in the least.

### CAN YOU QUALIFY?

What is the firing order of cylinders?

Number of points of lubrication on your car? Give three reasons for overheating the engine?

What is the purpose of the various speeds of a transmission?

Gasoline and oll consumption per mile? Road speed in miles per hour at which engine will perform

On average road, driving at a

speed of 25 miles per hour, what distance is required to bring your car to a dead stop?

# AUTOMOBILE

Under-inflation and over-loading

A not infrequent cause of hard starting is over-richness of the mixture.

Clogging of the cooling system may be prevented by cleaning it at least

Rubber is very quickly disintegrated accomplished, and no perceptible slack- by oil, and at the same time it has a ening of this lawlessness is generally most unfortunate capillary affinity for the oil.

NEW LIFE SAVER FOR AUTOMOBILES

STREET, STREET

The latest thing in bumpers is the new life saver for automobiles. The inventors are Charles Bearly, 11001 Wentworth avenue, Chris Hansen, 11254

South Michigan avenue and William Hasen, 11343 Forest avenue, Chicago, and

they are very confident of their invention. Here you see the "fender" in prac-

tical use.

# FOR ANY AUTOMOBILE

Driver's Vision.

good, but they keep one working.



### on the walls. Of course there wasn't any of it really there, but as Mary said: "It

makes it easier when mother comes home to look happy when you makebelieve all day that everything is nice and comfortable." So the little Fairy Make-believe

He came with a bashet of food.

about the nice dinner they were hav-

ing and how warm it was in the room

and how beautiful were the pictures

THE LITTLE FAIRY

came home at night, so they talked

crept right into their hearts and made them so interested in pretending that they forgot their troubles and then the fairy did more, for while they were asleep that night she ran to the home of her old friend Jack Frost and asked his help.

She did not ask him not to make It colder by coming down from his home up in Northland. She asked popularly supposed, but comes, eurihim to come that very night and paint ously enough, from Martha. For that on the windows of the house in which reason it means 'becoming bitter,' desthe children live all the lovely pic- pite the fact that it has always been tures te could before morning.

Then she ran to another home classic fiction. where the people had plenty and to Patty has a certain sacred signifispare, and this sly little fairy crept cance since it is derived from the Into their hearts and nestled so close Martha who was one of the sisters will give her strength, wisdom, and that the man put on his fur coat and of Bethany. It was she who is said with a basket of food and left it at their of her faith a fire-breathing dragon coral, it's power vanishes as if the

The next morning while Mary and were on a pilgrimage. Although she

### the sister of Mary Magdalen, there A LINE O' CHEER

As oftentimes we mortals pray they may, We'd live them as we lived before,

For me the good that lay in olden days.
Lost in the hurry of the onward

ways That lie beyond the curtains of Tonight.

And for their ills, the lessons that Will shield my path from many

I'll find them born again in my (Copyright.)

### Johnny were just opening their eye there came a man with a big load of THERE was once upon a time a wood and coal which the same nice man had ordered who brought the little fairy who helped all children food, for you see it was at his house play make-believe, and I expect that that the mother of Mary and Johnny same little fairy is about today if

people would only give it a chance. This particular little Fairy Makemake-believe about yesterday came believe, crept through the keyhole of true," said Mary. "I am so glad we the door to a house where there lived did not let mother know we were two poor enildren, named Mary and Johnny, and they were trying hard hungry."

worked every day.

"We did not get any beautiful picto play at make-believe, for there was tures," said Johnny, "and we made so me and my friens we stoppa for no food in the pantry or fuel for the Their mother had to work all day the other things."

and Mary and Johnny wanted to make night. "Look," she said, pointing to I dunno for sure. the windows, "there is a beautiful I was eata peanuts when we looka

and beyond is the forest, and through it will come the prince who is to rescue the princess from the tower."

Johnny opened his eyes wide at first when Mary began the story, but before she had come to the prince part Johnny saw, too, what she did, and again the little Fairy Make-believe came through the keyhole of the door and crept close beside them.

And so some day when you cannot go out to play, find a window where Jack Frost has been at work and see son-of-a-gun steala beem, too, I dunif you cannot find wonderful things just no. as did Mary and Johnny. (Copyright.)

BY MILDRED

MARSHALL

PATTY

THE charming name of Patty is not

bestowed on the sweetest heroines of

is some doubt among historians on

through Russia where Martha became

But however it may be, Martha was

this score.

a diminutive of Patricia as is



"You see, Johnny, that all we played LASA week I go geeva look at da zoo weeth some frien. And I gotta plenta trouble getta home weeth da health. I was never been data place before and I no tink I go again preety queeck.

We see een dat place some eleephant believe we had those just the same as geeva look. One was beega son-ofa-gun alla right and he looka lika was Mary thought for a moment and almosta sama ting both ends. You her think they were happy when she then her eyes fell upon the wonderful know I tink one end of da eleephant paintings Jack Frost had made in the ees some relash to da other end, but

> castle and away up in the tower I at heem. And before I know wot can expect there lives a beautiful prin- do he gota whole works. I buy dat peanuts and I getta preety sore when "See all the mountains around the he taka way. I smasha dat beega ting castle and the flowers like dalsies wot be reacha out weeth and righta growing out at the top. Below is a queeck he ees broka my hat and taka little lake and a swan sailing about, my watch, too. He trow me outside and I looka lika been een da wreck.

One guy run up and aska me wot's matter I try fighta hees eleephant. I say I no try fighta weeth heem-jusa getta back wot belonga weeth me. And dat guy laugh righta my face

and maka me sore, too. He tella me I am mad because da eleephant gotta my goat. I tella dat guy he was meestake. Dat elephant gotta my peanut and my hat and my watch, but I no losa da goat. I never owna da goat, but I tink eef I gotta one dat beega

Marfa under Slavic influence. The

name was so much used by the daugh-

ters of the imperial family, that it was

necessary for England, and later

America, to evolve Patty as an en-

Ireland set the seal of approval

upon Patty, preferring it to Martha,

whose only survival is in "Mab," queen

of the Fairles. France rejects Patty,

but uses Marthe and Marthon. Marta

Patty's talismanic gem is coral. It

Tuesday is Patty's lucky day and 7

(Copyright.)

Pope Didn't Always Take New Name.

It is well known that the pope after

Abbe Fleury, in his Ecclesiastical

History, says that Sergius the Fifth

was the first to change his name,

while the historian Onuphre says that

the first instance occurred in 956,

when Cardinal Vitourien assumed the

pagan ring. This motive evidently ap-

pealed to all his successors, for since

the election of Pope Benedict the

Ninth, in 1033, only one pope, Adrian

the Sixth, elected in 1522, retained his

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Dorothy Phillips

is the Italian version.

Wot you tink? (Copyright.)

What's in a Name?"

FACTS about your name; it's history;

meaning; whence it was derived; signifi-

cance; your lucky day and lucky jewel

dearment.

have destroyed by the sheer power stition. But if she breaks a bit of her

which attacked her family while they spirit imprisoned within had fled.

the forerunner of Patty and gives to his election assumes a new name. But

the latter name, not only a religious it is not equally of general knowledge

flavor, but a good old-fashioned name. that such was not always the custom,

which has become almost synonymous although historians do not agree as to

with domesticity. A curious fact in the time when this change of names

is popularly supposed to have been her lucky number.

her evolution is that she was derived was introduced.



QUALITY OF MARKET BUTTER

Department of Agriculture Offers

Commission Man Court of

Last Resort.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

In the past buttermakers have often

been in the dark as to the real quality

of the butter they put upon the mar-

ket, and frequently they feel that they

have not been fairly treated by com-

mission men and others in the mar-

kets. But the creamery man is not

without friends, for the United States

Department of Agriculture offers him

Stirring and Taking Temperature of Cream.

an inspection service that stands almost as a court of last resort. Any person who wants this service may have it by applying for it. The government inspectors examine butter in cars, in storage, or in stores, and the certificates they issue stand in court, out they seldom get that far, as they are almost universally accepted.

At the National Dairy show, which was held in St. Paul, Minn., October 8 to 15, butter inspectors showed how they do their work, and exhibits that have been prepared by the department showed the great advantage that comes from marketing butter of a high grade. On the face of it butter that scores 88 would not seem to be much inferior to that which scores 92, but it was shown that the spread of price between those two grades is very large. far greater than the difference in cost of manufacture. As Poor Richard might have said: "A little better butter makes a much bigger bank bal-

### MAKE BETTER SWISS CHEESE

bodily health, according to old super- Method Developed by Department of Agriculture Has Passed Into Commercial Stage.

The method of making Swiss cheese with purified and controlled bacterial cultures, developed by the dairy division of the United States Department of Agriculture, has now passed definitely into the commercial stage. This new process was worked out in the dairy laboratories, given thorough trials in the experimental cheese factory operated by the dairy division at Grove City, Pa., and is now being used by a number of commercial factories

in various parts of the country. The results obtained by two Ohio factories indicate that it will be worth while for those interested in the manufacture of Swiss cheese to adopt the method and give it a fair name of John the Twelfth, because he trial. For the cheese made in June thought that his original name had a of this year one of these factories received a straight price of 341/4 cents a pound; the other factory, 30 cents. At the same time other factories in this area received from 20 to 22 cents. Only one of them succeeded in selling for as high as 25 cents. For the July product, one of the factories received 36 cents for fancies and No. 1 and 27 cents for No. 2. The old-system factories received the same price as for June cheese.

The principal reason the buyers were willing to pay this margin over the general run of cheese made in the locality was that the percentage of high-grade cheese had been greatly increased.

### ASCERTAIN RECORD OF BULL

When Making Purchase Insist Upon Knowing Yearly Milk Production of Its Dam.

When buying a bull insist upon knowing the yearly milk production of his dam and the average per cent of butterfat. A seven-day record is of little value in determining the actual dairy worth of a cow, for by good handling it is possible to greatly increase her percentage of butterfat.

Cow Has One Purpose. A dairy cow has one purpose, which is to produce, and this the cows of the recognized dairy breeds do more profitably.

Keep Fire in Tank-Heater. Ice water is fine in summer, but keep the stock from it in winter by keeping a fire in the tank-heater.

Barnyard Manure. Haul out that manure and spread in her twenties, she is a veteran of the it on your fields. It will pay you well for the time and trouble.

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THE OLD DAYS

Or joy, according to the special

I still may find, I'm sure, in coming

be wrought

By John Kendrick Bangs.

WONDER if the Old Days came

a lurking sorrow— And if of Old Days my New Days

Tomorrow, 





to establish smooth sailing on the sea ing or declining an invitation from a of social intercourse. f social intercourse.

Can you, for instance, glibly and Now, all these seem like simple

strangers? Do you know how to intro- sometimes baffle even persons who your wife to the wife of a business social usages. Stop and ask yourself friend, your son to your employer, if you can do them. They are the sort your mother to the mother of a of thing that failure to understand friend? None of these introductions sometimes causes no end of embarrassshould be worded the same, each calls ment when the time comes. for slight modification.

Can you, for instance, offer your seat to a woman in a crowded car in rules for good form when walking knowledge.

crowded street of a city? THERE are certain things that Can you word a letter asking a every one who wishes to be well young woman to go with you to a bred should learn how to do-certain dance, or, if you are a young woman things that one should master in order can you word a letter politely accept-

without embarrassment introduce two things to do, but they are things that duce a business friend to your wife, have had an opportunity to observe

> (Copyright.) Some people are always at school,



former name.

Baltimore, Maryland, Dorothy Phillips claims as her birthplace. After receiving her education there and at Shaftesbury college she commenced her histrionic career with a stock com pany. Soon after she was attracted to the "movies," and although still

# he Right Thing

the proper way? Do you know the always storing up precious bits of

# Right Time CAN YOU --?

# DUFFEE with a woman acquaintance in the

By MARY

### Vandagriff Bros. **Pool Hall**

Billiards and Pool Cigars and Cold Drinks We welcome you to our hall

Now just look at them heels, it makes no difference how well you are dressed, rundown heels spoils it all, take them to George's shoe shop he makes three year Proof, to establish claim those four hundred registered sheep them new.

them new.

three year Proof, to establish claim that were grazing in the fields.

S. W. Gilbert, at Artesia, New MexS. W. Gilbert, MexS. W

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J. M. Jackson, Prop.

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Our Christmas Club is conducted o accomadate those wanting to save money for any purpose CITIZENS STATE BANK.

Mexico, April 25, 1922.

NW 1/4 NW 1/4; W 1/2 SW 1/4 NE 1/4 SW- molish that dinner. Meridian,

S. W. Gilbert, at Artesia, New Mexico, on the 3rd day of June, 1922. Claimant names as witnesses: Edward Cary, Robert K. Caraway, William S. Williams, of Artesia, New Mexico; Zack Taylor,

of Lovington New Mexico.
EMMETT PATTON.

FORFEITURE NOTICE Artesia, N. M., May 5, 1922.

To A. A. Ward and J. H. Alberts: You are hereby notified that I mail distributor. have expended \$100 in 1921 upon the Placer Mining Claim, located in the Northwest quarter of Section 12, Township 19, Range 21 East. N. in itself is a marvel of construction. M. P. M., Eddy County, New Mexico, It is self starting, self-speeding, selfsaid section 2324.

Nowata, Oklahoma. May 5-July 28, 1922.

# **Pecos Valley Abstract** Company

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## PICNICKERS AT WOODLAWN FARM SEE MARVELOUS NEW MAIL DIS-TRIBUTOR

Mr. Harshey and family and Mr and Mrs. Donohue from Kansas City and myself took a trip last Saturday down to the Cottonwood and landed NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
Department of the Interior, U.
S. Land office at Roswell, New
Mexico, April 25, 1922.

at Wood Lawn Farm, the home of
Mr. J. F. Donald, where he had the
most delightful picnic among the
trees of his spacious lawn. The NOTICE is hereby given that Rob- ladies spread a large canvass and ert M. Fletcher, of Artesia, New cooked a regular picnic dinner over Mexico, who, on the 11th day of a camp fire. It would have been November, 1920, made Additional a treat to have seen the bunch, in-Homestead Entry, No. 046167, for cluding Mr. Donald and his son de-

Mr. Donald is a delightful host 14 Sec. 23; E½E½, Section 22, Mr. Donald is a delightful host Township 16 S, Range 31 East, and nothing on the place was too has good for us, although he did not filed notice of intention to make consent to let us take away any of

inventor, took us into his work shop where he explained to us for two hours the mechanism of the "Rural Mail Carrier' that he has been working on seven years and which

is now about completed. It would not be fair to Mr. Donald to mention anything in detail, of which there are numerous really remarkable inventions; but since he has the patent applied for it will perhaps be violating no confidence to mention the salient features of this

and that unless within 90 days from designating and self-stopping. Plac the service hereof you pay your por- ed on the wires at the post office them a few years later for \$2,000. Auto and Machine work as low and tion of said sum, your interest there- it is supposed to take its course, Today a billion dollars is invested in lower than before the war in will be forfeitue to me under section 2324 Revised Statutes of the United States, no notice of a desire less of how many switches there a good thing. Yet the Ford Motor to hold said claim having been filed as provided under resolution of Congress suspending the provisions of said section 2324.

Like a Yale company could not interest capitalists and business men. They did not have time nor inclination to bother with this new enterprise. through on a main line as though About a half dozen poor and comthere were no switches there. The paratively poor persons scraped tolittle car is started at the postoffice, gether a few hundred dollars. Most the postmaster merely turning on of these have become multi-millionthe electricity.

> High and Low Gear Without Shifting a Gear

It is so constructed that it automatically throws itself into low or high speed according to need; throws its own switch, and on landing at destination throws off the current, remaining at this point until the postmaster wants its return, when he again turns on the current and it returns. The switch problem is a marvel of simplicity and is really, in my judgment, the heart of the invention. A number of cars Frank E. Kepple, of Artesia, New may arrive at this switch from op-Mexico, who, on January 11th, 1917, posite directions, but only the proper one may pass through until the switch is clear, when they pass on successively in like manner. The little motor and magneto that run the car are especially built, and the inventor has been able to supply 100 per cent of the electricity where orper cent of the electricity where or-dinarily motors consume but 6 per cent. This is another invention that will undoubtedly be applied to ture. It is marvelous how simple it all is and how it is possible to send innumerable cars out at the same time, each one finding its own same time, each one finding its own is, of Artesia, New Mexico; George W. Lewis, of Artesia, New Mexico. motors in general in the near fuhome station there is also a designator so that the farmer on going These cars and switches are all made of aluminum, except to his box can tell just where the the mail box suspended below the car, which is a round, pointed regulation size.

To illustrate, the inventor's idea is To illustrate, the inventor's idea is that it will save the patrons of the rural route from 24 to 48 hours in receiving and answering mail. For instance, the mail arrives in Hagerman one day at 2 o'clock and is delivered the following day. A relation of the inverse of intention to make the control of the inverse of intention to make the control of the inverse of intention to make the control of the inverse of intention to make the control of the inverse of intention to make the control of the inverse of intention to make the control of the inverse of intention to make the control of the inverse of intention to make the control of the inverse of intention to make the control of the inverse of intention to make the control of the inverse of intention to make the control of the inverse of intention to make the control of the inverse of intention to make the control of the inverse of intention to make the control of the contro livered the following day. A re-ply must wait until the third day before it can reach the postoffice at

its destination a few minutes after arrival at the postoffice, and remains By this device the mail will reach there until time for the postmaster to put up the mail, when a turn of a switch at the postoffice returns all the boxes containing outgoing mail, so that a reply to a letter can al-

ways be sent by return mail. There are many other uses that it can be used for, when the farmer needs anything from town that can be carried in this mail box.

The inventor has a full sized section with a number of cars about completed and ready for installation and it is his intention to set it up in Hagerman for demonstration pur-

Other Great Inventions

Now listen to the "wise men." I predict that nine out of ten are going to discover all kinds of reasons why it is impracticable, worthless and simply a toy. I say this because past history proves that every new invention finds hard sledding in the beginning.

For instance, you will admit that Professor Morse had a good thing in the telegraph, and you no doubt think our financiers and business men immediately saw its great possibilities and rushed in to push It along.

They did not. All rights to the telegraph were offered to the federal government by Morse for \$2,000. wise government rejected the offer on the ground that it would not pay its way. Its first capital was furnished by a few small investors who had a vision, and todays the assets of the Western Union Telegraph

company is \$230,000,000. Predicts Big Success You admit that Mr. Bell had a good thing in the telephone. business men and capitalists did not furnish any of the original capital. Small investors, some of them gett-

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So I say again that you will find many doubting Thomases when this new invention is exhibited, but 1 look forward to the time when this will be in a class with the great inventions of the day.-George W. Butler, in Hagerman (N. M.) Mes-

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION Department of the Interior, U.

Land Office at Roswell New Mexico, April 15, 1922.

Claimant names as witness

EMMETT PATTON,

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION Department of the Interior, U. S Land Office at Roswell, N. M., April 15, 1922.

NOTICE is hereby given that Wade Cunningham, of Artesia, N. M., Beats Rural Mail Service 48 Hours who, on May 20, 1922, made home-Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before S. Commissioner S. W. Gilbert,

> Claimant names as witnesses: Joe Richard, John Runyan, George Long, Harvey Klopfenstein, all of Artesia, N. M.
> EMMETT PATTON,

ARTESIA MACHINE SHOP

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B. D. WILSON. Phone 207.

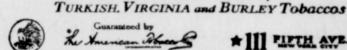
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# BUILD HAY BARNS. SOME ARE DOING IT

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Big Jo Lumber Company Artesia, New Mexico



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### THE LOCAL PAPER

A prominent magazine, of na-tional importance delivers the follow ing pertinent lecture which is thor-

Don't make fun of your local munity in which it is published and in' and a whoopin' up in the b. is the one product that goes to far grand stand. places bearing the town trade mark. It deserves the best you can give of our Reunion cowmen and sed:

ramental service. you handed it in.

too much money. If he's prosper-like next to a good sermon it's ous, he'll be foolish enough to give good hoss race.'" his community a better paper; that is an editor's ambitionhe engages in the publicity business. "Tell him when he has a good paper. You are willing to congra-

tulate your preacher on a good sermon and your merchant on an at tractive window display. The editor is no less grateful for a word

"Make it a point to visit the print shop and learn of its difficulties and complexities. At least that will give a more charitable attitude. paper should not be the product of the editor solely but of all those who are interested in it as friends, contributors, readers, or advertisers. -Exchange.

TO BE FEATURED AT THE VEGAS COWBOYS REUNION

(By Orroyo Pete) Las Vegas, April 26 .- When the Cowboys Reunion roped me into this

ARTESIA ADVOCATE here ink throwin' job, Big Jim Shoemaker the pres-i-dent took me to "Pete, you ain't one side and sed: no Rudyard Lewis or Sinclair Kipl- Notice of Hearing to Property We want you to dish out this J. R. Hoffman & Wm. Stranahan here Reunion "muligan" jest like you was gassin' to a pasel of cow- TO

hands settin' around the camp fire.' Well-reckon you all know that remember that it reflects the com- of the socalled human race a holler- from such intersections.) Now, provements is \$41,686.09.

active support and sympathetic un- am shore glad you're goin' to have given to the owners of property af- is as follows: a lot of racin' this year. You know, "Give the editor news, whether my wife, she's a red-hot church member and she ain't never been to "Don't ask him to print it on the the Reunion in 7 years, but when she heerd you was goin' to pull all front page and just the exact way them races she ups and sez to me Well, I am awful glad and I'm Don't worry lest the editor makes shore goin'. If there's anything I

## RESULTS OF PRIMARY IN LEA

	COUNTY
	Following are the results of the second primary held in Lea Count; on Monday of this week:
	For County Clerk: Chas. L. Collum
	For Tax Assessor: E. M. (Ed) Love
	For Treasurer: T. H. Dunham 628 D. C. Berry 784
	For Superintendent of Schools: Mrs. Sarah K. Ellis 699 G. R. Spencer 711
1	For Probate Judge: H. E. Wood
1	Commissioner's District No. 2: Walter B. Gainer

### PAVING PROTEST NOTICE Town of Artesia, New Mexico.

HEREINAFTER NAMED: the big Reunion comes alive on July adopted and approved by the Town day as the proceedings may require; 3, 4, 5? But probably you don't Council on January 26, 1922, or at which hearing, you, as a property know that the show this year is to dering certain streets and intersec owner affected or as a person interbe the snakiest we ever pulled. Yep, tions to be graded, gravelled, paved, ested therein, may appear before fact, is we are hopin' the movies will macadamized and otherwise improv- the Town Council in person or by stay away because the stuff'll be too ed the cost of such improvements to counsel and be heard as to the profast for them to shoot. What's go- be assessed against the owners of priety and advisability of making to make it fast is them races. property abutting on such streets, such improvements, and as to the 1922's Race year. Over half the alleys and street intersections; and cost thereof, and as to the manner events is races. The program starts a Resolution having been adopted by of payment thereof, and as to the with a race, ends with a race and the Town Council of the Town of amount thereof to be assessed has a herd of races saddled in be- Artesia, on Thursday, the 27th day against the property abutting theretween. There'll be free-for-all hoss of April, 1922, ordering a hearing on. In person, or by counsel, you races, 300 yard, 1-4 mile and 1-2 to be given to the owners of prop may appear at such hearing and conoughly appreciated by all publishmile, and a special free-for-all race erty abutting on such streets, alleys test the proposed assessments for ers of local newspapers and should for the ladies. There'll be range and intersections. (It being pro-such improvements the regularity of the ladies, with reference and otherwise improvements the regularity of the ladies. be read and considered especially by relay races, cowboy relay races, posed to pave and otherwise imquick hange relay races, pack races, prove such intersections and assess thereto, the benefit of such improvespud races, chuck wagon races and the cost thereof against the owners ments to the property, or any other paper. It has possibilities of being ending up the program wild mule of property abutting thereon within as good as any in the country—and races. All this here to say nothin one-half block in each direction total, estimated cost of said improvements in \$41,686.09 therefore,

fected by such Provisional Order, a public hearing to such property owners will be given by the Town Council of the Town of Artesia in Owners Under Paving Resolution the Town Hall of said Town of Artesia, beginning at 7:30 P. M., or PROPERTY OWNERS Thursday, the 18th day of May, INAFTER NAMED: 1922, such hearing to be adjourned A Provisional Order having been from time to time and from day to

The property which you own or You and each of you are here- in which you are interested and "Tother day a feller stopt one of by notified that, pursuant to such against which it is proposed to make "I Resolution, ordering a hearing to be assessments for such improvements

LOT NO.BLOCK NO. LEGAL DESCRIPTION NAME OF OWNER

The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company.

The Atchison, Topeka and

Santa Fe Railway Company.

100 feet of right-of-way abutting on South side of Main Street and extending from the East line of Lot 1 in Block 7 in Original Town of Artesia to the track of the main line of A. T. & S. F. Ry. Co., and

100 feet of right-of-way abutting on North side of Main Street and extending from the East line of Lot

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B. Hadley	12	5	Original	To	wn.	42	
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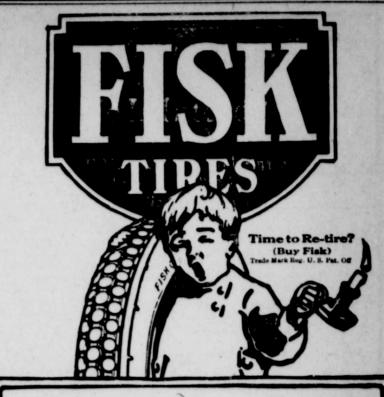
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Overdrafts		148.79
U. S. Bonds		68,140.00
War Saving Stamps		1,713.65
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures -		6,258.98
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank and Due from U	. S.	
Treasurer and other Stocks		10,300.00
Cash and Sight Exchange		107,937.27
TOTAL		\$485,183.77
Liabilities		
Capital Stock		50,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits		15,534.66
Circulation		50,000.00
Bills Payable and Rediscounts .		NONE

TOTAL . . . I certify the above to be correct.

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Mr. J. R. Hoffman, Artesia, N. M., Dear Mr. Hoffman .-

I would be pleased if you would mail to me to Newport, Ark., the Advocete of April 28th and May

days and then had to plow thru city. the mud every day but we have Mr. Proctor has not announced enjoyed it very much, it being a his plans for the future but will change from the dry weather and likely remain in Artesia.

We expect to reach Kansas City Buy advertised merchandise

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I am expecting to get back the first of June.

Yours truly,

F. G. Hartell.

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While excavating for a pumping plant, his men uncovered an instrument resembling an ax, the blade or cutting edge being about a foot long.

It had a lot of brick red spots on it, and the Doctor being a past member of the MEUSEUM De PARE of Philadelphia, and having more or less experience in Analology, he dug up his old glaeses and instruments and gave it the once over.

After careful investigation he decided the spote were petrified blood and probably human blood. He describes it as follows:

Some 1700 or 1800 years ago there inhabited this part of the country a war like people and and one of their laws was that if one of the tribe got in bad his neck was stretched accross a log and a good strong tribesman took this instrument and worked on his neck. The Doctor knowing the history of these ancients reasons that they had a poor unfortunate with his neck on the log when a hostile tribe appeared and the operator ceased work on the fellow's neek. The weapon was dropped and forgotton and as time passed became covered with earth and not 'till the other day has it seen the light of day.

The Doctor contemplates sending it to Philadelphia to the Meuseum de Pare for further examination. The Instrument may be seen at the Doctor's Garage.

# Mary Marie

ELEANOR H. PORTER

### SOME GIRL!

"Father calls me Mary. Mother

"Father calls me Mary. Mother calls me Marie. Everybody else calls me Mary Marie. The rest of my name is Anderson. I'm thirteen years old, and I'm a cross-current and a contradiction."

Mary Marie is telling the truth, but not all the truth—she isn't doing herself justice. For she's also adorable; that's just what she is. And the story she tells proves it. You see, her austere father and her sunshiny mother are divorced and sunshiny mother are divorced and Mary lives fifty-fifty with them. So with her father she's Mary and with her mother she's Marie. And alto-gether she's a delictous blend of demureness and liveliness, of sense of duty and love of mischief.

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The author? Oh. yes-Eleanor H. Porter, the most popular American woman writer, author of Polly-anna," "Dawn" and a dozen other novels that have sold by the million

### PREFACE

Which Explains Things. Father calls me Mary, Mother calls

me Marie. Everybody else calls me Mary Marie. The rest of my name is

I'm thirteen years old, and I'm a old nurse.) She says she read it once
—that the children of unlikes were always a cross-current and a contradiction. And my father and mother are father and mother that are getting is, I'm the child. I'm all there is. And now I'm going to be a bigger crosscurrent and contradiction than ever, for I'm going to live half the time with Mother and the other half with Father. Mother will go to Boston to live, and Father will stay here—a divorce, you

I'm terribly excited over it. None of the other girls have got a divorce in their families, and I always did like to be different. Besides, it ought to be awfully interesting, more so than just living along, common, with your father and mother in the same house all the time-especially if it's been anything like my house with my father and mother in it!

That's why I've decided to make a book of it-that is, it really will be a book, only I shall have to call it a Won't it be funny when I don't have to do things on account of Father? And I won't, of course, the six months I'm living with Mother in Boston. But, oh, my !- the six months I'm living here with him-whew! But, then, I can stand it. I may even like itsome. Anyhow, it'll be different. And that's something.

Well, about making this into a book. As I started to say, he wouldn't let me. I know he wouldn't. He says novels are a silly waste of time, if not absolutely wicked. But, a diary-oh, he loves diaries. He keeps one himself, and he told me it would be an ex- ready to be divorced, from what it celient and instructive discipline for would have been living with the loving. me to do it, too-set down the weather happy-ever-after kind. Nurse Sarah and what I did every day.

day, indeed! Lovely reading that But I'm not suffering-not a mite. I'm would make, wouldn't it? Like this: just enjoying it. It's so exciting.

played one hour over to Carrie Hey- six months, then with Father. wood's, practiced on the piano one So I still have them both. And, hour, studied another hour. Talked really, when you come right down to with Mother upstairs in her room about | it, I'd rather take them separate that the sunset and the snow on the trees. way. Why, separate they're just per-Ate my supper. Was talked to by feetly all right, like that-that-what-Father down in the library about im- do-you-call-it powder? - sedlitzer, or proving myself and taking care not to something like that. Anyhow, it's that be light-minded and frivolous. (He white powder that you mix in two meant like Mother, only he didn't say glasses, and that looks just like water it right out loud. You don't have to till you put them together. And then, say some things right out in plain oh, my! such a fuss and fizz and splut-

novel like that! Not much I am. But them separate, I know. For now I can I shall call it a diary. Oh, yes, I shall be Mary six months, then Marie six call it a diary-till I take it to be months, and not try to be them both all printed. Then I shall give it its true at once, with maybe only five minutes name-a novel. And I'm going to tell between them. the printer that I've left it to him to | And I think I shall love both Father make the spelling right, and put in all and Mother better separate, too. Of those tiresome little commas and course I love Mother, and I know I'd periods and question marks that every- just adore Father if he'd let me-he's body seems to make such a fuss about. so tall and fine and splendid, when If I write the story part, I can't be ex- he's out among folks. All the girls are pected to be bothered with looking up simply crazy over him. And I am, too. how words are spelt, every five min- Only, at home-well, it's hard to be utes, nor fussing over putting in a Mary always. And you see, he named whole lot of foolish little dots and me Mary-

I love stories. I've written lots of But, there-I mustn't call it a them for the girls, too-little short "chapter" out loud. Diaries don't ones, I mean; not a long one like this have chapters, and this is a diary. I is going to be, of course. And it'll mustn't forget that it's a diary. But be so exciting to be living a story in- I can write it down as a chapter, for stead of reading it-only when you're it's going to be a novel, after it's got living a story you can't peek over to done being a diary. the back to see how it's all coming out. I shan't like that part. Still, it may be all the more exciting, after all, not to know what's coming.

I like love stories the best. Father's got-oh, lots of books in the library, west, casting golden beams of light inand I've read stacks of them, even to the somber old room.

there wasn't anything else to read. I'm beginning with my being born, of But there weren't many love stories. course, and Nurse Sarah says the sun Mother's got a few, though-lovely wasn't shining at all. It was night and chivalrous men, is deep in the study ones-and some books of poetry, on the stars were out. She remembers of its involved perplexities. the little shelf in her room. But I particularly about the stars, for Father read all those ages ago.

Mother's.

divorced you're free just like you were | night. before you were married, and that Well, I just guess!

And only think how all the girls along their humdrum, everyday existence with fathers and mothers already married and living together, and nothing exciting to look forward to. For really, you know, when you come right down to it, there aren't many girls that have got the chance I've got.

And so that's why I've decided to write it into a book. Oh, yes, I know I'm young-only thirteen. But I feel really awfully old; and you know a woman is as old as she feels. Besides, cross-current and a contradiction. That Nurse Sarah says I am old for my age, is, Sarah says I'm that. (Sarah is my and that it's no wonder, the kind of

And maybe that is so. For of course it has been different, living with a



And So That's Why I've Decided to Write It Into a Book.

says it's a shame and a pity, and that The weather and what I did every it's the children that always suffer. "The sun shines this morning. I Of course if I was going to lose

got up, ate my breakfast, went to either one, it would be different. But school, came home, ate my dinner, I'm not, for I am to live with Mother

words, you know.) Then I went to bed." ter! Well, it's that way with Father Just as if I was going to write my and Mother. It'll be lots easier to take

But I mustn't tell that here. That's As if anybody who was reading the part of the story, and this is only the story cared for that part! The story's Preface. I'm going to begin it to-morow-the real story-Chapter One.

### CHAPTER I

I Am Born

The sun was slowly setting in the

some of the stupid old histories and That's the way it ought to begin, I

biographies. I had to read them when | know, and I'd like to do it, but I can't. was in the observatory, and couldn't That's why I'm so thrilled over this be disturbed. (We never disturb tion of man's relationship with monkey new one-the one I'm living, I mean. Father when he's there, you know.) For of course this will be a love story. And so he didnt even know he had a There'll be my love story in two or daughter until the next morning when arching its eyebrows and looking three years, when I grow up, and he came out to breakfast. And he was askance upon the creatures, who, acwhile I'm walting there's Father's and late to that, for he stopped to write cording to the Scriptures, were created down something he had found out in God's image. Nurse Sarah says that when you're about one of the consternations in the

He's always finding out something sometimes they marry again. That about those old stars just when we made me think right away: what if want him to pay attention to somemarried again? And I should be there that I know it is "constellation," and for usefulness? to see it, and the courting, and all! not "consternation." But I used to said right off afterward that she didn't | tion mean that, and that I must forget she said it. Mother's always saying that about things she says.

Well, as I was saying. Father didn't know until after breakfast that he had a little daughter. (We never tell him disturbing, exciting things just before meals.) And then Nurse told him. I asked what he said, and Nurse

laughed and gave her funny little shrug to her shoulders. "Yes, what did he say, indeed?" she retorted. "He frowned, looked kind of dazed, then muttered: 'Well, well, up-

on my soul! Yes, to be sure!"

Then he came in to see me. I don't know, of course, what he thought of me, but I guess he didn't think much of me, from what Nurse said. Of course I was very, very small, and I never yet saw a little bit of a baby that was pretty, or looked as if it was much account. So maybe you couldn't really blame him.

Nurse said he looked at me, muttered. "Well, well, upon my soul!" again, and seemed really quite interested till they started to put me in his arms. Then he threw up both hands, backed off, and cried, "Oh, no, no, no!" He turned to Mother and hoped she was feeling pretty well, then he got out of the room just as quick as he could. And Nurse said that was the end of it, so far as paying any more attention to me was concerned for quite a while.

He was much more in erested in his new star than he was in his new daughter. We were both born the same night, you see, and that star was lots more consequence than I was. But, then, that's Father all over. And that's one of the things, I think, that bothers Mother. I heard her say once to Father that she didn't see why. when there were so many, many stars, a paltry one or two more need to be made such a fuss about. And I don't, either.

But Father just groaned, and shook his head, and threw up his hands, and looked so tired. And that's all he said That's all he says lots of times. But it's enough. It's enough to make you feel so small and mean and insignificant as if you were just a little green worm crawling on the ground. Did you ever feel like a green worm crawling on the ground? It's not a pleasant feeling at all.

Well, now, about the name. Of course they had to begin to talk about naming me pretty soon; and Nurse said they did talk a lot. But they couldn't settle it. Nurse, said that that was about the first thing that showed how teetotally utterly they were going to disagree about things.

Mother wanted to call me Viola. after her mother, and Father wanted to call me Abigail Jane after his mother; and they wouldn't either one give in to the other. Mother was sick and nervous, and cried a lot those days, and she used to sob out that if they thought they were going to name her darling little baby that awful Abigail Jane, they were very much mistaken; that she would never give her consent to it-never. Then Father would say in his cold, stern way:

"Very well, then, you needn't. But neither shall I give my consent to my daughter's being named that absurd Viola. The child is a human beingnot a fiddle in an orchestra!"

And that's the way it went. Nurse said, until everybody was just about crazy. Then somebody suggested "Mary." And Father said, very well, they might call me Mary; and Mother said certainly, she would consent to Mary, only she should pronounce it Marie, And so it was settled. Father called me Mary, and Mother called me Marie. And right away everybody else began to call me Mary Marie. And that's the way It's been

"First I found out how they happened to marry-Father and Mother."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

The Cause. Judge-Why does this prisoner's e look so pasty, officer? oliceman-I pasted him there, your

# Something to Think About By F. A. WALKER

### DARWINIAN THEORY

WE ARE reading a great deal these days about the Darwinian the Bible, the origin of man, or the theory. The newspapers tell us that omnipotence of Him who created the Kentucky, famed for its blue grass, its heaven and the earth?

All the way from school houses He him; male and female created He to the Kentucky senate, the ques- them." is being discussed with fervor.

The world is pricking up its ears,

Just how will all this controversy benefit you and me?

Will it make us better men and childish faith. women, elevate our minds to a high-

Power gravitates to those who can Wouldn't that be some love story? call them that when I was a little girl, use it, not to the wavering nor the good thoughts, to put unbelief and and Mother said it was a good name weak. It belongs to those who have doubt far behind us and make ourfor them, anyway, for they were a confaith, who believe as a child and ac-selves more worthy of the infinite love, would envy me-and they just living sternation to her all right. Oh, she cept biblical statements without questher only anchor which will hold secure

Who among the sons of men knows himself? Who by gazing in his or her looking-glass can see himself or

herself? The body which encases self is all that can be seen, yet who doubts that self, the image of God exists? Who questions the truthfulness of

blooded norses, beautiful women and Is it for the atom of dust to deny: "So God created man in His own image, in the image of God created

> Let us not go out of our way to seek the dark places, whose mysteries must forever baffle human understanding.

There is more joy in the sunshine, more happiness in useful effort, more pleasure in the acceptance of existence as it is, more delight in self-abnegation and in doing good to others, than in the painstaking avoidance of

It is not for us to become crazed Father or Mother, or both of them, thing else. And, oh, I forgot to say er sphere and give us greater power about frisky monkeys, nor for us to try to make monkeys of ourselves. But it is for us to work, to think

in this life and in the life to come.

THOU HAS LEARNED TO LOVE ANOTHER. THOU HAS BROMEN EVERY YOW

HE HAVE PARTED FROM EACH OTHER

MO MY HEART IS LONELY NOW!

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### THE ROMANCE OF WORDS

"PIN-MONEY" DURING the Sixteenth and

Seventeenth centuries pins were so extremely expensive that only the wealthy could afford them. By a curious law, the manufacturers of pins were permitted to sell them on only two days each year-January 1 and 2-and when those days came around the women whose husbands could afford the expenditure secured "pin-money" from them for their purchases.

While savages have, for ages, used thorns and splinters for the purpose of joining bits of hide or making garments of leaves, pins-as we know them today-did not come into use until the early part of the Fourteenth century. They were introduced into England in 1540 but it was not until 1824 that an American named Might invented a machine for manufacturing pins very rapidly, and now more than 1,500 tons of iron and brass are annually converted into pins in the United States alone, a condition which renders entirely obsolete the original meaning of the phrase "pin money" which, however, still persists as a synonym for "an allowance given by a husband to a wife to cover her personal expenses."

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# SCHOOL DAYS

# Uncommon Sense By JOHN BLAKE

### TIME WASTERS

THE gentleman who comes into your office, when he knows you are busy, and sits down for a friendly little chat, must be got rid of. If he is intelligent, you can get

rid of him without hurting his feelings. If he is stupid, it will be necessary to hurt his feelings. But get rid of him you must,

whether his feelings are hurt or not. Efficiency experts could figure, no doubt, that many thousands of working hours go to waste every year because busy people are too good natured to invite idlers to get out of their offices. Most of the precautions taken by the

"hard to get to" business men are not due to their haughtiness, but to their knowledge of the value of time. If every small business man could surround himself with inner and outer guards, to keep pests from bothering

him, he might soon cease to be a small business man, and become a big one. In most offices the clerical force and the general employees are not to be seen during business hours. It re-

quires a very intrusive person to get by the boys at the gate. But the boss or the manager has hours. If you are, break yourself of always some friend he hates to of the habit. fend who will drop in during busi-

lars' worth of time without a blush. far rather they would come to his selves. house uninvited, and consume his Tell them as kindly as you can that food uninvited, than to come uninvited you are busy, and ask them to go. to his office, and consume his most If they get offended, their friendship

valuable commodity which is time. is not worth having. It may be that you are one of those | And if you happen to be one of the who will lean back in your chair and time wasters-well, break yourself of 'Th' cross-sticks balanced up jus' right listen to business-hour visitors who the habit, before your feelings are bring no business to talk about, rather hurt.

Don't depend on signs saving, "This ness hours, and consume several dol- Is My Busy Day," or "Five Minutes Is Long Enough for One Conversa-The victim of these gentlemen would tion." They never take those to them-

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# IDDIES SIX Will M. Maupin

SIGNS OF THE TIMES

MY PA

MY PA c'n make th' finest kite 'At any feller filed; An' tail all fixed and tied. 'At is, my pa he says he can, But it jus' seems somehow 'At ev'ry time I ast him to

My pa can take a willer stick An' trim it nice an' clean, As any feller's seen. At is, my pa he says he can-He can, too, bet a dime-

He says, "I haven't time."

Of any man I know. At least he's told me so. (Copyright.)

"What is your object in refusing to be interviewed?" inquired the scribe. "I'll be perfectly frank and confidential with you," replied Senator Sorghum. "If you will give it out that I decline to be interviewed it will create an impression among my constituents that I know a whole lot, but am tu

## I want it said of me that I plucked a Add to a saucepan a tablespoonful of thistle and planted a flower where I thought a flower would grow.—Lincoln. ful of chopped cooked meat, one ta- My pa c'n catch th' mostest fish blespoonful each of chopped onion and

Mother's Cook Book

new, but worth remembering, should minced meat and pipe the seasoned

WHAT SHALL WE EAT

be served often: Lucanian Eggs.

Break macaroni in one-inch pleces and cook in boiling salted water until tender; drain and pour over a cupful drain, divide into small bunches; dip of cold water. There should be a cup- into a fritter batter and fry in deep ful of cooked macaroni. Grease a fat. To make the batter use one baking dish and put into it a layer of beaten egg and one cupful of flour, macaroni; cover with a layer of rich one-half cupful of milk, a pinch of salt, white sauce, prepared by cooking to- and one tablespoonful of olive oil. gether two tablespoonfuls of butter Beat well and let stand in a cool place with two of flour, and when well blend- for an hour. Serve garnished with ed add one cupful of milk, seasoned parsley. with anchovy and onion juice. Add five hard-cooked eggs sliced, season highly with salt and cayenne, cover with buttered cracker crumbs and bake until the crumbs are brown.

Potato With Sliced Mutton.

Make a mound of mashed potatoes on a platter; surround with slices of roast mutton that have been simmered in the gravy with onion jurce, butter, jelly and minced parsley. Strain the gravy over the meat after laying it around the potato.

Stuffed Baked Potatoes. potatoes; bake until done, then cut po-tatoes into halves lengthwise, scoop out the petato and put through a sieve.

green pepper. Season well with salt, He's caught an awful lot, I guess; A S EGGS are more plentiful, the butter and pepper, adding a little gravy following good dish which is not if at hand. Fill the shells with the potato around the edges.

> Cauliflower in Batter. Cook cauliflower until nearly done;

Stuffed Raisins.

Select a large bunch of raisins, wipe and remove the seeds by making an incision in each. Insert a small ball of fondant or a small salted nut. Almonds are best. Use as a garnish for the top of a box of home-made candy.

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First Paisley Handkerchiefs.
The first paisley handkerchief was made in 1743. Handkerchiefs wrought Wash and bake three good-sized long and edged with gold used to be worn

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He says, "I'm busy now."

Then make a whistle jus' as slick But when I ast t' make me one

Subtle Suggestion.

such a position of delicate responsi-

bility that I can't tell it."



# Mary Marie

ELEANOR H. PORTER

Copyright by Eleanor H. Porter

### SOME GIRL!

"Pather calls me Mary. Mother calls me Marie. Everybody else calls me Mary Marie. The rest of my name is Anderson. I'm thirteen years old, and I'm a crosscurrent and a contradiction.

Mary Marie is telling the truth, but not all the truth—she isn't doing herself justice. For she's also adorable; that's just what she is. And the story she tells proves it. You see, her austere father and her sunshiny mother are divorced and Mary lives fifty-fifty with them. So with her father she's Mary and with her mother she's Marie. And altogether she's a delicious blend of demureness and liveliness, of sense

of duty and love of mischief. While you're reading Mary Marie's story you're absorbed in its romance and love. After you get through you realize that you've read a powerful preachment on marriage and divorce—and real

The author? Oh, yes-Eleanor H. Porter, the most popular American woman writer, author of Polly-anna," "Dawn" and a dozen other novels that have sold by the million.

### PREFACE

Which Explains Things. Father calls me Mary. Mother calls me Marie. Everybody else calls me

Mary Marie. The rest of my name is

I'm thirteen years old, and I'm a cross-current and a contradiction. That is, Sarah says I'm that. (Sarah is my old nurse.) She says she read it once -that the children of unlikes were always a cross-current and a contradiction. And my father and mother are unlikes, and I'm the children. That is, I'm the child. I'm all there is. And now I'm going to be a bigger crosscurrent and contradiction than ever, for I'm going to live half the time with Mother and the other half with Father. Mother will go to Boston to live, and Father will stay here-a divorce, you know.

I'm terribly excited over it. None of the other girls have got a divorce in their families, and I always did like to be different. Besides, it ought to be awfully interesting, more so than just living along, common, with your father and mother in the same house all the time-especially if it's been anything like my house with my father and mother in it!

That's why I've decided to make a book of it-that is, it really will be a book, only I shall have to call it a Won't it be funny when I don't have to do things on account of Father? And I won't, of course, the six months I'm living with Mother in Boston. But, oh, my!-the six months I'm living here with him-whew! But, then, I can stand it. I may even like itsome. Anyhow, it'll be different. And that's something.

Well, about making this into a book. As I started to say, he wouldn't let me. I know he wouldn't. He says novels are a silly waste of time, if not absolutely wicked. But, a diary-oh, he loves diaries. He keeps one himself, and he told me it would be an excelient and instructive discipline for me to do it, too-set down the weather and what I did every day.

The weather and what I did every day, indeed! Lovely reading that would make, wouldn't it? Like this:

"The sun shines this morning. I got up, ate my breakfast, went to played one hour over to Carrie Hey- six months, then with Father. wood's, practiced on the piano one the sunset and the snow on the trees.

novel like that! Not much I am. But them separate, I know. For now I can I shall call it a diary. Oh, yes, I shall be Mary six months, then Marie six call it a diary-till I take it to be months, and not try to be them both all printed. Then I shall give it its true at once, with maybe only five minutes name—a novel. And I'm going to tell between them. the printer that I've left it to him to make the spelling right, and put in all periods and question marks that everyoody seems to make such a fuss about. If I write the story part, I can't be expected to be bothered with looking up ow words are spelt, every five minwhole lot of foolish little dots and

As if anybody who was reading the the thing.

I love stories. I've written lots of hem for the girls, too-little short ones, I mean; not a long one like this is going to be, of course. And it'll be so exciting to be living a story in- I can write it down as a chapter, for stead of reading it-only when you're it's going to be a novel, after it's got living a story you can't peek over to done being a diary. back to see how it's all coming out. I shan't like that part. Still, it may be all the more exciting, after all, not to know what's coming.

I like love stories the best. Father's got-oh, lots of books in the library. and I've read stacks of them, even to the somber old room. some of the stupid old histories and

But there weren't many love stories. Mother's got a few, though-lovely ones-and some books of poetry, on read all those ages ago.

That's why I'm so thrilled over this new one-the one I'm living, I mean. For of course this will be a love story. There'll be my love story in two or three years, when I grow up, and while I'm waiting there's Father's and late to that, for he stopped to write Mother's.

Nurse Sarah says that when you're divorced you're free just like you were | night. before you were married, and that sometimes they marry again. That Father or Mother, or both of them, to see it, and the courting, and all! Well, I just guess!

And only think how all the girls would envy me-and they just living along their humdrum, everyday existence with fathers and mothers already married and living together, and nothing exciting to look forward to. For really, you know, when you come right down to it, there aren't many girls that have got the chance I've got.

And so that's why I've decided to write it into a book. Oh, yes, I know I'm young-only thirteen. But I feel really awfully old; and you know a woman is as old as she feels. Besides, Nurse Sarah says I am old for my age, and that it's no wonder, the kind of a life I've lived.

And maybe that is so. For of course it has been different, living with a father and mother that are getting



### And So That's Why I've Decided to Write It Into a Book.

ready to be divorced, from what it would have been living with the loving. happy-ever-after kind. Nurse Sarah says it's a shame and a pity, and that it's the children that always suffer. But I'm not suffering-not a mite. I'm just enjoying it. It's so exciting.

Of course if I was going to lose either one, it would be different. But school, came home, ate my dinner, I'm not, for I am to live with Mother

So I still have them both. And, hour, studied another hour. Talked really, when you come right down to with Mother upstairs in her room about it, I'd rather take them separate that way. Why, separate they're just per-Ate my supper. Was talked to by feetly all right, like that-that-what-Father down in the library about im- do-you-call-it powder? - sedlitzer, or proving myself and taking care not to something like that. Anyhow, it's that be light-minded and frivolous. (He white powder that you mix in two meant like Mother, only he didn't say glasses, and that looks just like water it right out loud. You don't have to till you put them together. And then, say some things right out in plain oh, my! such a fuss and fizz and splutwords, you know.) Then I went to bed." ter! Well, it's that way with Father Just as if I was going to write my and Mother. It'll be lots easier to take

And I think I shall love both Father and Mother better separate, too. Of those tiresome little commas and course I love Mother, and I know I'd just adore Father if he'd let me-he's so tall and fine and splendid, when he's out among folks. All the girls are simply crazy over him. And I am, too. Only, at home-well, it's hard to Le utes, nor fussing over putting in a Mary always. And you see, he named me Mary-

But I mustn't tell that here. That's part of the story, and this is only the story cared for that part! The story's Preface. I'm going to begin it to-morow-the real story-Chapter One,

But, there-I mustn't call it a "chapter" out loud. Diaries don't have chapters, and this is a diary. I mustn't forget that it's a diary. But

### CHAPTER I

I Am Born The sun was slowly setting in the west, casting golden beams of light in-

That's the way it ought to begin, I

biographies. I had to read them when I know, and I'd like to do it, but I can't. there wasn't anything else to read. I'm beginning with my being born, of course, and Nurse Sarah says the sun wasn't shining at all. It was night and gas meter runs the bill up to four the stars were out. She remembers times that of last month, or your authe little shelf in her room. But I particularly about the stars, for Father tomobile gallops where you would like was in the observatory, and couldn't it to glide, you have but to go around be disturbed. (We never disturb the corner to get an expert, who tink-Father when he's there, you know.) ers a bit, shrivels the contents of your And so he didnt even know he had a pocketbook and sends you away, perdaughter until the next morning when haps sadder, but hitting on all your he came out to breakfast. And he was cylinders.

down something he had found out

about those old stars just when we be you have never thought of whether the beans and bake until a golden made me think right away: what if want him to pay attention to some- it is operating properly or not. And brown. thing else. And, oh, I forgot to say if it isn't you have had no idea of married again? And I should be there that I know it is "constellation," and where to get a repairman. You have one cupful of water in a saucepan; not "consternation." But I used to a town or a city. Maybe you live Wouldn't that be some love story? call them that when I was a little girl, right in the middle of it, or maybe ful of flour mixed with a little cold and Mother said it was a good name for them, anyway, for they were a consternation to her all right. Oh, she that town or city as a place to do has been beaten with one-half cupful said right off afterward that she didn't mean that, and that I must forget she said it. Mother's always saying that | tain a livelihood. about things she says.

Well, as I was saying. Father didn't know until after breakfast that he had a little daughter. (We never tell him disturbing, exciting things just before meals.) And then Nurse told him.

I asked what he said, and Nurse laughed and gave her funny little shrug to her shoulders. "Yes, what did he say, indeed?" she

retorted. "He frowned, looked kind of dazed, then muttered: 'Well, well, upon my soul! Yes, to be sure!" Then he came in to see me.

I don't know, of course, what he thought of me, but I guess he didn't think much of me, from what Nursa said. Of course I was very, very small and I never yet saw a little bit of a baby that was pretty, or looked as if it was much account. So maybe you couldn't really blame him.

Nurse said he looked at me. muttered. "Well, well, upon my soul!" again, and seemed really quite interested till they started to put me in his arms. Then he threw up both hands, backed off, and cried, "Oh, no, no, no!" He turned to Mother and hoped she was feeling pretty well, then he got out of the room just as quick as he could. And Nurse said that was the end of it, so far as paying any more attention to me was concerned for quite a while.

He was much more interested in his daughter. We were both born the bothers Mother. I heard her say once made such a fuss about. And I don't, regularly. either.

But Father just groaned, and shook his head, and threw up his hands, and feel so small and mean and insignificant as if you were just a little green you ever feel like a green worm crawling on the ground? It's not a pleasant feeling at all.

Well, now, about the name. Of course they had to begin to talk about naming me pretty soon; and Nurse said they did talk a lot. But they couldn't settle it. Nurse said that that was about the first thing that showed how teetotally utterly they were going to disagree about things:

Mother wanted to call me Viola. after her mother, and Father wanted to call me Abigail Jane after his mother; and they wouldn't either one give in to the other. Mother was sick and nervous, and cried a lot those days, and she used to sob out that if they thought they were going to name her darling little baby that awful Abigail Jane, they were very much mistaken; that she would never give her consent to it-never. Then Father would say in his cold, stern way

"Very well, then, you needn't. But neither shall I give my consent to my daughter's being named that absurd Viola. The child is a human beingnot a fiddle in an orchestra!"

And that's the way it went, Nurse said, until everybody was just about crazy. Then somebody suggested "Mary." And Father said, very well, they might call me Mary; and Mother said certainly, she would consent to Mary, only she should pronounce it Marie. And so it was settled. Father called me Mary, and Mother called me Marie. And right away everybody else began to call me Mary Marie. And that's the way it's been ever since.

"First I found out how they happened to marry-Father and

### (TO BE CONTINUED.)

Judge-Why does this prisoner's face look so pasty, officer? Policeman-I pasted him there, your

CONSIDER NEEDS OF TOWN

Every Citizen Should Once in a While Ask Himself If Community Is "Working Right."

If your typewriter stalls, or your sewing machine slips its band, or your

you live you have one piece of ma- grinder, a tablespoonful of sait, two about one of the consternations in the chinery that plays an important part tablespoonfuls of molasses and one in your existence, a stupendously im- tablespoonful of grated onion. Add He's always finding out something portant piece of machinery, and may- enough water to come to the top of you live out in the country and just your shopping, or to obtain your of sugar and a little salt. Bring to

> Well, is your town working right, wheel? Is it giving you the maximum of service, or does it fail you in half the ways it might serve you?

> When it has finally been determined which is the primary need of a given community, then the meeting of that need should become the first project of its chamber of commerce. A chamber of commerce is fundamentally a project organization, and its primary business is to determine the needs of the community and upon those needs build projects, which it proceeds to work out for the benefit of the community.-Washington Herald.

### PAYS TO PAINT AND VARNISH

Apart From Improved Appearance, the Economy of Such Proceeding Should Be Apparent.

When the floor coverings and window hangings are removed in the spring there is no better medium of cleanliness than a fresh coat of paint, varnish or enamel-they stand in front ranks as the best sanitary agents known.

As a medium for saving the surface and conserving property-painting and varnishing has been demonstrated as an investment of the first order and its economy is recognized by all new star than he was in his new thoughtful citizens. Every dollar invested in paint and varnish saves sev-But, then, that's Father all over. And pairs which arise from lack of proper that's one of the things, I think, that surface protection. If all property owners fully realized the loss which to Father that she didn't see why, takes place when painting and varwhen there were so many, many stars, nishing is postponed, they would be sheet and bake in hot oven. a paltry one or two more need to be inclined to paint and varnish more

### Look to the Lawn Now.

If the lawn is shabby in places this looked so tired. And that's all he said is the time to renew it. Fork over when nearly cold. That's all he says lots of times. But the thin spots, working in some good it's enough. It's enough to make you fertilizer, such as pulverized sheep manure, and after leveling the ground sow a good grade of fine lawn grass worm crawling on the ground. Did seed. Rake in the seed, and finish with the roller. The remainder of the lawn should also have attention. Rake it first to pull out all dead growth, and top dress with a good fertillzer. Moss in the lawn is a sure indication of sour soil; this can be remedied by a dressing of lime after first having raked out as much of the moss as possible. Lime is, however, best applied in the late fall, following with a dressing of quick acting fertilizer in the early spring.

### Street Signs.

Pontiac, Mich., tears down its street signs and replaces them with signs which show street names in letters eight inches tall.

The small signs used at street intersections are 30 years behind the times. They were all right when folks sogged along leisurely behind Dobbin and could stop to squint.

The motorist of 1922 has to get his street directions on the wing. The microscope sign is virtually useless .-Exchange.

### Stage Temperament. Abe Erlanger, wise in his years, used

to say that he never saw "any prima donna get temperamental with a policeman." But during the theatrical rehearsals it becomes static. The contagion of temperament

reaches even the stage carpenters, and they tell of one who suddenly threw down his hammer with: "I drive the best nail in town, but nobody appreciates me."

Might Cause Trouble. Aunt Susan, an old Maryland darky, was being registered for the first time. Like many other women who were torn between their desire to vote and

retain their youth, Aunt Susan neither relished telling her age nor disussing other private matters. "What are your affiliations?" asked the registrar. "Why, boss, I don' hav' to tell dem, do I?" queried Aunt Susan in dismay, "Answer the question," commanded the hard-hearted registrar, "But, boss." protested Aunt Susan, "I don't like to, He's got a wife and five children."

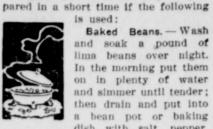
# The Kitchen Cabinet

"My candle burns at both ends; will not last the night;

But, sh, my foes, and oh, my friends-It gives a lovely light."

EVERYDAY GOOD THINGS

A good dish of beans may be pre-



dish with salt, pepper, and one courth of a pound of bacon But whoever you are and wherever which has been put through the meat

Lemon Butter for Tarts.-Put over when boiling hot add one tablespoonwater to pour, cook until smooth, then come in once in a while. But you use boil ten minutes. Add an egg which amusement, or an education, or to ob- the boiling point, add the :inl from a lemon finely grated and three tablespoonfuls of juice. Remove at once or is it humping along with a flat from the heat and beat two minutes. When cold it is ready to fill tart shells.

Crinkle Cakes .- Work one-half cupful of almond paste until smooth, add to it one cupful of washed butter and when creamy add slowly three-fourths of a cupful of sugar, one egg, one tablespoonful of mixed flavoring, using one teaspoonful of lemon, one-half teaspoonful of almond and the rest of vanilla. Add two and one-half cupfuls of flour and mix well; force this mixture through a pastry bag and a rose tube and bake in a moderate oven.

Corn Bread .- Take one cupful each of yellow cornmeal, white flour and sour cream, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one-half teaspoonful of soda and one-half teaspoonful of salt, Mix all the dry ingredients, add the cream in which the soda has been stirred. Mix all together, adding one tablespoonful of sugar. Beat well and spread in a sheet iron baking pan and bake in a slow oven for an hour.

Minced Lamb Sandwiches.-Take two cupfuls of lean cooked lamb chopped, add two tablespoonfuls of capers ground with the meat, onefourth of a teaspoonful of paprika, one-half teaspoonful of dry mustard and one teaspoonful of salt. Mix well and spread on slices of bran or whole wheat bread which has been buttered.

Raisin Drop Cakes .- Take one-third same night, you see, and that star was | eral dollars in depreciation. Paint and one cupful of raisins, one cupful of lots more consequence than I was. varnish prevents the expense of re- sugar, one teaspoonful of vanilla, one cupful of milk, two and one-half teaspoonfuls of baking powder, two cupfuls of corn flour and a little salt, Mix and chill, drop by spoonfuls on baking

> Frosting .- Take three cupfuls of confectioner's sugar, one whole egg. three tablespoonfuls of cream. Add the sugar to the other ingredients a little at a time. Spread on the cookies

> > The day's at the spring, The morn is dew pearled, God's in his heaven, All's right with the world.
> >
> > -Robt. Browning.

# POTATO COOKERY

Potatoes are a common food upon our tables but in the average home

are not prepared in enough ways to lend variety to the food.

Potato Soup. Boil four medium sized potatoes in salted water until soft, then put

them through a ricer. Slice one small onion and put it into a quart of milk to scald. Remove the onion and add the milk to the mashed potato. Melt three tablespoonfuls of butter, add two tablespoonfuls of flour, cook for two minutes, add to the milk with salt and pepper to taste, boil up one minute and serve sprinkled with parsley.

Stuffed Potatoes .- Take six mediumsized long potatoes, bake until done. Cut a slice from the side of each, scoop ou the potato, season it with cream, salt, butter; beat until well blended, then add the whites of two eggs beaten until stiff. Refill the skins and bake five to ten minutes in a hot oven. The potato may be sprinkled with cheese, paprika, or parsley before serving.

Franconia Potatoes.-Peel potatoes and cut into quarters, parboil ten minutes, drain and place around the roast an hour before serving time. Baste often to give the potatoes a rich brown color.

Plain boiled potatoes if sliced and carefully fried in butter, keeping the slices whole, is a most attractive manner of serving them.

Pokeweed, common in the South and Middle states, may be served cooked in bunches as one does asparagus, or a soup prepared as any cream soup, will make a most dainty

Neceie Maxwell

### **IMPROVED ROADS**

MONEY FOR BUILDING ROADS

According to Bureau of Public Roads \$339,875,000 Must Be Expended in Three Years.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The total of federal-aid funds for road building apportioned among the various states up to the present time by the bureau of public roads, United States Department of Agriculture, aggregates \$339,875,000, according to a tabulation prepared by the department. Of this sum \$73,125,000 is apportioned under the federal highway act, approved by President Harding November 9, last, and \$266,750,000 represents the total apportionment under the old acts.

Under the terms of the new act the federal aid money will be available to the states for two years after the close of the fiscal year for which the money is appropriated. This provision is made to apply to the money appropriated under the previous act and its amendment as well as to the new appropria tion. Accordingly, the new appropria tion must be expended by June 30, 1924, and the time allowed for the expenditure of the balance of the previous appropriation which remains in some states is extended to June 30, 1923. The forest road appropriation is available until expended.

The new appropriation is to be expended upon a definite, connected system of highways in each state, of not to exceed 7 per cent of the total mileage of highways already existing in the state. This system is to be divided into two parts; the first to include the more important roads, which are to be known as the primary or interstate highways; the second to



A Model Stretch of Improved Roadway.

include the secondary or intercounty highways. The primary roads, it is provided, shall not be more than threesevenths of the mileage in the system. The second part will make up the balance of the system.

### MONEY IN QUEBEC HIGHWAYS

Amount Now Reaches Sum of \$86,000,-000-Foreign Motorcars Leave \$35,000,000.

Forty thousand miles of roads in the province of Quebec occupy an area of 320,000 acres, which at \$50 an acre, makes a value of \$18,000,000, according to S. L. Squires, chairman of the executive committee of the Canadian Good Roads association. The cost of the work done on the highways prior to 1912 aggregated \$40,000,000, while the amount spent by the province since that date amounted to \$30,000,000. This constituted a total investment in Quebec roads of \$86,000,000

The number of motorcars entering Quebec in 1920 totaled 34,435. These foreign cars left no less than \$33,-867,200. It is expected that when the final figures for 1921 are compiled this amount will total approximately \$35,-000,000.

### FEW RURAL ROADS SURFACED

Of an Estimated Total of 2,478,552 Miles of Highways Only 299,135 Are Improved.

Despite the fact that the United States has 7,000,000 motor-driven vehicles in operation-leading the world in this respect-motorists will be surprised to learn that but 12 per cent of the roads of this country are surfaced. Out of an estimated total of 2,478,552 miles of public rural roads, only about 299.135 are surfaced or improved.

### Much Road Building.

A total of 28,135 miles of roads were built, under construction or under agreement for construction throughout the United States since July 1, 1916. The cost of the roadways is \$496,151,-683.43, or an average cost of \$17,630 per mile.

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Artesia, N. M.

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ORDINANCE NO. 175.

AN ORDINANCE CONTRACTING INDEBTEDNESS ON BEHALF OF THE TOWN OF ARTESIA, NEW MEXICO, AND UPON THE CREDIT THEREOF BY ISSUING THE NE-WANTED-Dining room girls GOTIABLE COUPON BONDS OF Hardwick Hotel. \$50,000.00 FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSTRUCTING A SANITARY SEWER SYSTEM FOR THE TOWN OF ARTESIA, PRESCRIBING A FORM OF SAID BONDS AND PRO-VIDING FOR THE LEVY OF A TAX UPON ALL TAXABLE PROP-FOR SALE-Lot of hotel dishes, ERTY WITHIN SAID TOWN SUF-

PRINCIPAL OF SUCH DEBT. New Mexico, have authorized the Town Council of said Town to con-Furniture of 5 rooms for sale tract an indebtedness on behalf o said Town and upon the credit thereof, by issuing the negotiable coupon bonds of said Town in the amount of \$50,000.00, for the purpose of constructing a sanitary Sew-

er System for said town; and, WHEREAS, the Town Council of WANTED-Dining room girls the Town of Artesia now deems it to construct a sanitary Sewer Sys-FOR RENT-Six room house for such purpose, to contract the necessary indebtedness on behalf of of said bonds. said Town and upon the credit said town and upon the pagetiable falling due on said bonds on Decemcoupon bonds of said Town in the

NOW, THEREFORE, be it ordained by the Town Council of the Town of Artesia, New Mexico: Section 1. That a sanitary Sewer System for the Town of Artesia be constructed in such manner as,

to said Town Council, may seem necessary for the needs of the inhabitants of said Town. Section 2. That suitable and necessary ground, rights-of-way and \$200 worth of sidewalk in and paid. rights therefor be acquired by said

Town by purchase, donation, con-

demnation or otherwise for the necessary construction of said Sewer That, for the purpose of providing funds for the construction of said Sewer System for said Town, said Town shall issue its necond hand cook stove, for wash gotiable coupon bonds in the aggrehouse, one that will bake also. gate amount of \$50,000.00, consistPlease call 107 F 11 or write,
ing of One Hundred bonds in the each year for the purpose of paying denomination of \$500.00 each, pay-Artesia, N. M. able in lawful money of the United year 1932 and annually thereafter States, and bearing inverest from up to and including the year 1951, and after the first day of June, 1922, there shall be levied on said proper-An Ice Box 16x28x21 inches deep. at the rate of six per cent per an-just the thing for milk and butter. num payable semi-annually on the to all other taxes, sufficient to profirst day of December and the first duce the sum of Fifty-five Hundred day of June in each year, said i nter- Dollars (\$5500.00) for the purpose Ernest McGonigal was a visitor tached to said bond. Said t onds shall be numbered in regular

consecutive order, commencing with number, One, and shall be absolutely due and payable in the order of their numbers on the First day of June, A. D., 1952, with the privilege to redeem said bonds on or af-ter the first day of June, A. D., 1942. Section 4. That said bonds and coupons attached thereto shall be in substantially the following form: (Form of Bond)

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA State of New Mexico.
County of Eddy, Town of Artesia.
ARTESIA SEWER BONDS. Series of June 1, A. D. 1922

The Town of Artesia in the County of Eddy and State of New Mexico hereby acknowledges itself to be indebted, and hereby promises to pay to bearer Five Hundred Dollars in lawful money of the United States of America, for value received, on the first day of June, A. D. 1952, with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum payable semi-annually on the first day of December and the first day of June in each year, upon presentation of the annexed coupon and this bond as they severally become due, both principal and interest being payable at the Banking House of National Bank of Commerce in the City of New York, United States of

The Town of Artesia reserves the right, however, to pay and redeem this bond at any time before the maturity thereof after the first day of June, A. D., 1942.

This bond is issued by the Town Council of the Town of Artesia for the construction of a Sewer System for said Town, under the authority of and in full conformity with the Consitution of the State of New Mexico, the Provisions of Chapter 75 of the Statutes of New Mexico, Compiled in the year 1915, and all amendatory and supplemental acts thereto and in full conformity with Article 2 of said Chapter and of Chapter 98 and Chapter 165 of the Laws of the State of New Mexico, passed at the Legislative Session of 1921 and all other laws of the State of New Mexico thereunto enabling, and in pursuance of all Ordinances of said Town, duly adopted by said Town prior to the issuance of this bond; and it is hereby certified and recited that all the requirements of law have been fully complied with by the proper officers of said Town in the issuance of this bond, and the total indebtedness of said town, including that of this bond, does not exceed any limit of indebtedness prescribed by the Constitution or laws of the State of New Mexico, and that provisions have been made for the levy and collection of an an nual tax upon all taxable property within such Town sufficient to pay the interest on and to extinguish the principal of this bond when the

The faith and credit of the Town of Artesia are hereby pledged for the punctual payment of the principal and interest of this bond. IN WITNESSS WHEREOF, the Town Council of the Town of Arteia has caused this bond to be signed by the Mayor of said town, attested by the Clerk thereof under the Seal of said Town and counter-

arst day of June, A. D., 1922.

signed by its Treasurer as of the

Town Clerk. Countersigned: Town Treasurer. (Form of Coupon)

\$15.00 June On the first day of December

... the Town of Artesia, Eddy New Mexico, will pay the bearer Fifteen Dollars in lawful money of the United States of America at the banking house of Nation-WHEREAS, in full conformity al Bank of Commerce in the City of Tomato, cabbage, pepper and with the Constitution and Laws of New York, U. S. A., being six sweet potato plants for sale by the the State of New Mexico, the quali- months' interest upon Artesia Sewfied electors of the Town of Artesia, er Bonds, Series of June 1, 1922. (Fac-simile signature)

Town Treasurer.

when executed, shall be delivered to thirty years after their date, bearing Chowder with Purina Baby Chick bonds and the proceeds thereeof shall tum (6 per cent) per annum, pay-chicks and more profits. be used only for the purpose of con- able semi-annually, said bonds being your poultry and eggs structing a sewer system for said of denomination of Five Hundred Town, but the purchaser thereof Dollars each, and the principal expedient and necessary to proceed shall in no manner be responsible for the application or disposal by said tem for the Town of Artesia, and, Town or any of its officers of any of the funds derived from the sale

ber 1, 1922, shall be paid out of the general revenue of the Town for the purpose of reimbursing said general revenue fund for said installmnt of interest, and to meet the interest accruing on said bonds on June 1 1923, and December 1, 1923, there shall be levied in the year 1922 on all taxable property in said Town, in addition to all other taxes, a direct annual tax sufficient to produce the sum of Forty-Five Hundred Dollars (\$4500.00), that, in order to raise the necessary funds with which pay the interest due June, 1, 1924 cember 1, 1932, promptly as the same accrues, there shall be levied on all the taxable property in said Town in addition to all other taxes, direct annual tax in each of the years 1923 to 1931, inclusive, sufficient to produce the sum of Three each year for the purpose of paying the interest on said bonds; in the duce the sum of Fifty-five Hundred of paying two installments of said interest and produce the sum

one-twentieth of the principal of said bonds in the nineteen years from 1932 to 1951, inclusive; in the year 1951, there shall be levied on said property, a direct annual tax, in addition to all other taxes, sufficient to produce the sum of Four Thousand Dollars (\$4,000.00) for the purpose of producing the remaining one-twentieth of the principal of said bonds, amounting to Twenty-five Hundred Dollars (\$2500.00), and to pay the installment of interest amounting to Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1500.00), due June 1, 1952, and said taxes, when collected, shall be applied solely for the purpose of the payment of said interest and principal of said bonds, respectively, and for no other purpose whatever until the indebtedness so contracted under this ordinance, principal and interest, shall have been fully paid, satisfied and discharged, but nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to prevent said Town from applying any other funds that may be in the Town treasury and available for that purpose to the payment of said interest or principal, as the same respectively mature, and the levy or levies herein provided for may thereupon to that extent be diminished, and upon the payment of the principal of any of the bonds issued hereunder in said manner or by the use of the sinking fund herein provided for, the levy or levies herein provided for the payment of interest may to the extent of the interest on the bonds s

paid be diminished. And the sums hereinbefore provided for to meet the interest on said bonds and to discharge the principal thereof when due are hereby appropriated for that purpose, and the amount for each year shall also be included in the annual appropriation bills passed by the Town Council of said Town in each year

respectively.
Section 7. It shall be the duty of the Town Council of said Town, annually, at the time and in the manner provided by law for levying other town taxes, if such action shall be necessary to effectuate the provisions of this Ordinance, to ratify and carry out the provisions hereof with reference to the levying and collection of taxes; and to require the officers of and for said Town to levy, extend and collect such taxes in the manner provided by law for the purpose of creating a fund for the payment of the principal of said bonds, and such taxes, when collected, shall be kept for and applied inbefore specified.

by publishing a notice thereof in at the date of delivery. The Artesia Advocate, a newspaper published in and of general circula- chaser. tion in the Town of Artesia, New Mexico, and also in one newspaper of Artesia, New Mexico, by published in the City of Santa Fe. New Mexico, and also in one leading financial newspaper published in the Attest: City of New York, State of New York, stating the amount, rate of interest, time of maturity and conditions of said bonds, which said notice shall be in substantially the following form:

NOTICE OF SALE OF SEWER BONDS BY THE TOWN OF ARTESIA, NEW

MEXICO NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Town Council of the Town of

Artesia, New Mexico, will on the - day of -----1922, at the hour of

.. M., offer for sale and sell the negotiable coupon bonds of said Town in the amount of \$50. 000.00 for the purpose of securing funds for the construction of a sanitary sewer system for said Town. Said bonds will bear date June 1 1922, and will be payable at the op-Section 5. That said bonds, date, and absolutely due and payable next winter. Feed Purina Chicken purchaser thereof, and said interest at the rate of Six per cen- Chow and get bigger and bette-

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thereof and the interest thereon being payable at the banking house of National Bank of Commerce in the City of New York, U. S. A. Sealed and interest of said bonds as here- said time. All bids must be accomice of said sale shall be given at least once a week for four (4) con-

> Bonds to be furnished by the pur-The Town Council of the Town

Town Clerk. All Ordinances, by-Section 9. laws and regulations of the Town of Artesia, in conflict with this Ordi-

nance, are hereby repealed. Section 10. This Ordinance shall ANDERSON. Phone 24. be and remain irrepealable until said bonds, principal and interest shall have been fully paid, satisfied

and discharged. Section 11. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after five days from the date of its

publication as required by law. Passed and approved this the 11th day of May, A. D. 1922. (Seal)

M. H. FERRIMAN. Mayor.

B. STEPHENSON, Town Clerk.

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Section 8. That said bonds shall chartered bank in the amount of Library table, Book Case, Bucks be sold at not less than par and ac- \$1500.00, payable absolutely to the coal heater, majestic range, three crued interest to date of delivery, for cash only, to the highest and bonds will be sold to the highest dining table, 6 leather bottom best bidder; that publication of notleast once a week for four (4) consecutive weeks immediately prior to the date of opening bids therefor, less than par and accrued interest point electric iron, dozens of 5, 10 15 and 25 cent erticles, quick sale. Mrs. T. S. Stacy.

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State Land Selections.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

United States Land Office Roswell, N. M., April 25, 1922 Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico, by virtue of Acts of Congress, has selected through this effice, the following lands:

List No. 8747. Serial Number 050339, S½S½ Sec. 15, T 16 S, R. 31-E M. Mex. Mer. 160 acres. Protests or contests against any or all of such selections may be filed in this office at any time before approval. 5-12 6-9

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