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BUG EXPONENT ARTICLE IN WEEK'S ISSUE

Artesia, N. M.

A little sketch along in news of Doodlebug exposé I am the Doodlebug am not trying to dupli- cation's march to the sea as plenty of room this side. show whether this little from a disgruntled man geologist that thinks in on his vocation. are alright and we but they don't go far know a little about geolo- and can work out a struc- well as most of them can. my opinion and findings locations and wells drill- field to a few operators, they might check them as developed and see how call them and then they whether they wanted my not, to pass on their lo- I have spent thousands experimenting and years surveying oil fields, passing and locations and watching

thousands of dollars to well, when perhaps by a advice from the right is honest to himself and that employs him, by moti- a few hundred feet him large sums of money in get the oil he is look- all practical oil men it often happens there good producer and two set away be a dry hole. and my Doodlebug it is to distinguish where all and where there is not hard part is to tell if ough to pay or not. So a man he will get a good unless I am positive he I mean by an oil well, producer.

of trying to condemn the trying to help to develop at time I was in the field, only the possibilities but abilities of a good oil field sure territory I go over all I find and think it will field. They are going to spots that will not give that is what I can over- for your satisfaction I with you to any well drill- tion, I prefer a location, all oil on surface, as oil has some effect, will written opinion and when drilled in you can see self.

Respectfully yours,
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THE TRUE MAN



Don't believe there was ever a woman about Adam?

CAUSE FOUND



My wife declares that last time you published almost heart. So that's why our cir- set back!

Examples of Engraving—Ar-

LOG OF FLYNN, WELCH & YATES NO. 11

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1 to	9 feet—gyp
9 to	241 feet—red bed
241 to	250 feet—gyp
250 to	450 feet—red bed
450 to	500 feet—gyp; water 455
500 to	605 feet—lime
605 to	610 feet—red bed
610 to	625 feet—lime
625 to	785 feet—gyp
785 to	815 feet—red bed
815 to	820 feet—lime
820 to	830 feet—red bed
830 to	835 feet—lime
835 to	855 feet—red bed
855 to	860 feet—lime
860 to	945 feet—gyp
945 to	1265 feet—lime
1265 to	1275 feet—red bed
1275 to	1290 feet—lime
1290 to	1525 feet—lime shell
1525 to	1560 feet—red sand
1560 to	1565 feet—lime, red lime, brown shale
1565 to	1685 feet—hard lime
1685 to	1690 feet—red sand
1690 to	1760 feet—lime
1760 to	1770 feet—gray sand
1770 to	1790 feet—sandy lime
1790 to	1825 feet—red bed
1825 to	1835 feet—lime
1835 to	1845 feet—red bed
1845 to	1950 feet—lime
1950 to	1955 feet—gray sand
1955 to	1970 feet—lime
1970 to	1993 feet—hard, gray sand
1993 to	2015 feet—oil sand, soft
2015 to	2040 feet—lime
	10-inch pipe to 290.
	8-inch pipe at 534.
	8½ hole not reduced.
	Perforation set 2-inch tubing 20 ft. from bottom.

Hard to Distinguish

Mrs. Junebride—Don't you think I've made a pretty good sponge cake?
Her Husband—Fine! One can hardly tell it from a real bath sponge.

REASON FOR DANCING



She—Mother says the girls wouldn't have thought of dancing like this in her day.

He—That's probably why they didn't dance this way then.

Politeness Akin to Gilt

It is because gold is rare that gilding has been invented, which, without having its solidity, has all its brilliancy. Thus, to replace the kindness we lack, we have devised politeness which has all its appearance.—De Levis.

Before Baking

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City Bakery

HAGERMAN STREETS WILL BE PAVED TO INTERSECT HIGHWAY

According to information given out following the county commissioners meeting last Monday, all arrangements have been completed whereby Main street from the railroad out to the new highway will be surfaced at once.

One thousand dollars will be used for this work, it is said, providing payment of \$160, which has already been expended in grading work, will be deducted from the amount appropriated.

The graveling will start at the railroad track and extend to connect with the new surfaced highway from Dexter to the Eddy-Chaves county line.

It is fortunate that this contract may be let at this time, as experienced road men, who have been building the new highway, are still available for the work. Had it come at a time just a few days

later, however, all contractors and equipment would have been moved, and it is thought much less road for the money could have been had, owing to the contractors having to go to that additional expense of coming back to the job—Hagerman Messenger.

THREE BOYS PARDONED FROM REFORMATORY

Santa Fe, June 21.—Governor A. T. Hannett has granted conditional pardons to three boys in the state reformatory at Springer.

They are Alfred Lancaster, sentenced in Miguel county in May, 1925, to one to one and one-half years; Francisco Valdez, sentenced in Colfax county in November, 1923, to serve three years.

Lancaster was 10 years old at the time he was committed for assault with a deadly weapon. He has just passed the examination for the fifth grade with credit, and is said to be one of the brightest boys in the institution.

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DAYTON ITEMS

(Mrs. Irene Billings, Reporter)

Three months ago Dayton was practically dead—but in that short time has been resurrected, beyond doubt, and is fast becoming a new Dayton, a better Dayton than ever before with unlimited possibilities for the future.

Dayton now boasts a hotel, cafe, drug store, grocery, a garage and filling station, an auto camp, churches and a splendid school building, oil storage and loading tanks and pipe-line from oil field.

The Ohio Oil Co. are constructing a large storage tank in the field which will be connected with Dayton by an eight inch pipe line.

A lumber yard will open soon, an oil refinery being contemplated and more hotels, resident and business buildings are to be built.

At present time 1700 barrels of oil is flowing through the pipe line daily and tank cars are being loaded out as fast as they are placed in siding.

Loads of supplies and building material are arriving here both by truck and rail.

Every available house and building in town is now occupied.

Mr. Allen, bridge contractor, states that the Dayton bridge will be completed by the first of the month. The piling was driven Wednesday, the 16th. Piling were driven to a depth which encountered rock bottom, making a very desirable foundation for a bridge. The bridge is being built according to plans and specifications furnished by the state highway department, and will carry a load of twenty tons.

The grade on both sides of the river is nearing completion and the filling in of the approaches will be done as soon as timbers are placed as retainers for the dirt.

The reviewers appointed by the County Commissioners made recommendation with reference to opening section line as public road and the same has been acted upon favorably by county commissioners. Section line beginning at Dayton, running to the bridge and directly into the heart of the oil field. The road is now being graded from the public highway to the bridge and the copious downpour of rain which fell here last Thursday and Friday proved very beneficial in aiding this work.

The hotel has been purchased by C. E. Lindsley, of California, and is being completely remodeled and refurnished. Every room is being occupied as soon as finished. Water is being piped from the city well and bath and running water on both floors are being installed.

George Savoie and J. H. Estes are building a first class garage and filling station, just across the railroad tracks on the Dayton highway, in anticipation of the heavy traffic which will occur from this town to the oil field upon completion of the Dayton bridge.

G. L. O'Neal is opening an auto camp on the Dayton highway, next to the Savoie Garage, and is ready to accommodate all comers, including those who wish tent facilities. Drilling has been commenced on a water well, so there will be abundance of fresh water.

J. B. Henderson, who recently purchased the drug store, has installed a soda fountain in connection.

The Big Jo Lumber Co., who have a large lumber yard in Artesia, after looking over the situation here, decided to rebuild and stock a lumber yard on their former Dayton site, which fronts on the highway and is located directly east of the Banks hotel building. They will carry a complete line of rig timbers and building material. Fifteen carloads of building material, etc. are en route and will arrive in a few days. T. J. Dostalik, who is well known in Artesia, will be local manager.

The old city water well, which has been renovated and a gasoline pump installed, is now furnishing abundance of water to the town. This well has always been given credit for having the best drinking water in this vicinity.

Mr. Johnson, chief engineer for Ohio Oil Co., was in town Monday, locating a site for loading rack and tanks. Also the engineer corps were surveying and locating the

pipe line from here to the oil field.

LAKE ARTHUR ITEMS

(Mrs. Alva Spence, Reporter)

W. A. Hams, of Hagerman, was in town Friday, visiting friends.

Misses Marie Hedges and Mable Baker went to Roswell Saturday, shopping.

Mesdames M. W. Evans and Grace Murphy spent Friday in Roswell, shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. McKinney and family spent Sunday in Lake Arthur with friends.

Virgil Moore, of Kansas City was in town this week shaking hands with his many friends here.

Mr. Bert Wray, of Las Craces, came in last week to visit the home of his sister, Mrs. E. L. Selby.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Shinneman left Saturday for the mountains north-east of Roswell, where they will spend their vacation.

Will Walden and family returned this week from Black River, where they have been on a fishing trip. They report good luck.

Mrs. W. R. Urton and two children came in Sunday from Chandler, Arizona, and will spend several weeks visiting the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reeves.

Mrs. J. P. Shaddock and children left Monday for their home in Oklahoma City, after having spent two months here at the home of Mrs. Shaddock's sister, Mrs. Spence.


C. W. Bartlett and family, of Artesia motored up Tuesday to see Ocie Spence, who was a member of Mr. Bartlett's orchestra, but is now ill at the home of her parents here.

Mrs. Forrest Boone entertained a few selected friends at her home last Tuesday with a card party, in honor of her husband's birthday. Four tables were entertained, after which delicious refreshments, consisting of ice cream and cake, were served.

The address given by Rev. Hughes, of Hagerman, last Sunday evening, at the Baptist church, was well attended. The Masonic Lodge of Lake Arthur and Hagerman were in charge of the services. Special music was rendered.

The younger set was invited to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Williams last Saturday evening to spend the evening in social games and frolic, in honor of Ral Williams' birthday. The youngsters claim that the evening was all too short, but the close of which brought forth

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Mrs. Little, of Carlsbad, spent Thursday at the home of Mrs. Howard Sims, and in the afternoon organized a missionary society. A large number of ladies of the community were present and a complete organization took place. Mrs. Sims was elected president, and a list of other officers will be given next week.

The splendid lecture given Sunday morning at the Baptist church by Dr. Goodsell, of Roswell, was well attended by a large and appreciative audience. This was one of the best lectures of the kind the people of Lake Arthur have ever had the opportunity to enjoy. The subject was "The Making of a Man." Miss Helen Goodsell's violin solo was indeed a treat to the many music lovers of our community.

INDIANS HAVE US BESTED ON SNAKE BITE REMEDIES

In discussing what to do in case of a snake bite, the Santa Fe New Mexican brings to light an interesting fact, relative to the treatment of a snake bite by the Moqui Indians of the southwest, which says:

"An antidote against snake venom has been produced by Calmette of Paris. It is called 'anti-venom,' but is rarely obtainable when most needed. The Moqui Indians of the Southwest evidently have a real antidote against the venom, for during the dances many members of the tribe are bitten, but recover. No one has been able to find out what it is."

Port of New Orleans

New Orleans, rated the second largest port in the United States, is 110 miles from the Gulf of Mexico. The port facilities are valued at more than \$100,000,000, and are publicly owned. The public wharves parallel the Mississippi river for more than five miles.

An Important Change In Policy

STUDEBAKER herewith announces the discontinuance of the custom of presenting a new line of automobiles each year. Instead of bringing Studebaker Cars dramatically up-to-date once in twelve months, we shall keep them up-to-date all of the time—with every improvement and refinement made available by our great engineering and manufacturing resources. This policy not only directly benefits present Studebaker owners, but it also enables purchasers of new cars to obtain models that are always modern—without the necessity of waiting for annual changes, and without danger of their cars becoming obsolete.

BACK of this new policy is an amazing story—of interest to everyone who owns or expects to own an automobile. The dramatic success of the present line of Studebaker Cars is one reason for this important change. Month after month we keep breaking records—sales keep piling up. This year we will sell almost four times as many automobiles as we produced in the big boom year which followed the war.

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FARM POULTRY

EGG PRODUCTION IS AIDED BY DRY MASH

One of the most common mistakes which many poultry keepers make is to leave the dry mash out of the ration which they feed their laying hens. The most common mistake of those who feed a mash is that they leave animal food out of the mash.

To obtain economical egg production without a well-balanced mash is an uphill proposition. The principal reason for this is that a hen will eat more feed when a portion of it is fed in the form of a dry mash. When a mash is fed the hens will hold up in production longer, as it improves their physical condition and prevents early molting, which throws them out of laying condition. A well-balanced mash also helps the hens to molt quickly when the proper time comes.

A dry mash without animal food, such as tankage or meat scraps, or a substitute for such food in the form of skim milk, buttermilk, powdered milk, evaporated milk, etc., is but little better than no mash at all. Those who feed a mash of ground corn and oats without a protein feed might just as well not feed mash at all.

For those who have not been using a dry mash it is suggested that they try the following simple mixture: 100 pounds ground corn, 100 pounds ground oats, 100 pounds wheat middlings and 100 pounds of meat scraps or tankage. If plenty of skim milk or buttermilk is available, put only 50 pounds of the meat scraps or tankage in the mixture. For the scratch feed use a mixture of 200 pounds corn, 100 pounds oats and 100 pounds of wheat. Feed the dry mash in a hopper from which the hens can eat at any time. Feed about one-third of the scratch feed in the morning and the remainder just before roosting time. Adjust the amount of scratch feed so that the hens will eat at least one and one-half pounds of the mash to two pounds of the scratch feed. If the hens do not take readily to the dry mash, feed a portion of it at noon in a slightly dampened, crumbly condition. A ration of this kind, supplemented by some succulent food, such as sprouted oats, will make the birds lay if they are reasonably well bred.

Flashlight Aids Seamstress

After wearing out her patience in threading the needle of her sewing machine, an ingenious housekeeper in Portsmouth, Ohio, attached a flashlight to the arm of the machine, and thus ended her troubles, says Popular Science Monthly. The light was clamped to the machine with a strap of brass and a pair of bolts and wing-nuts in a position that throws the needle into silhouette when the light is turned on.

Has a Bald Head

The curious appearance that the bald head and neck of the bald ibis gives is heightened by the bright red coloring of the top of the head and the pale blue of the neck and sides of the head, says Nature Magazine. The general color of the plumage is metallic green. This rare ibis is a native of the mountainous parts of South Africa. It is comparatively little known.

See our samples of Engraving—Artesia Advocate.

APPROPRIATIONS ARE HEART BREAKING SAY TAX PAYERS' ASS'N.

(By the Taxpayers' Association)

Santa Fe—In previous statements, the Taxpayers' association of New Mexico has called attention to the increase in the general appropriation bill, to the numerous levies for special roads and to the "pork barrel" appropriations for the permanent reservoirs for irrigation purpose income fund. To complete the picture painted by the last legislature, a list of the laws providing for increased expenditures is given below. Taken by itself, each appropriation seems small, but taken together they produce a heart breaking tax rate for the unfortunate property owner.

Chapter 32 continues for two years the annual appropriation of \$25,000 for the destruction of predatory animals.

Chapter 55 provides for the publication of the name, address, and amount of delinquency of each taxpayer who fails to pay his taxes. The list must be published each week for two consecutive weeks at a total cost of not to exceed 25 cents for each delinquent taxpayer.

Chapter 56 permits assessors and treasurers in counties of the third, fourth and fifth classes to employ assistants with the approval of the county commissioners and within certain limits.

Chapter 58 provides that municipal and county boards of education may ask for allowances, in the regular school maintenance budgets for the support of systematic library work.

Chapter 59 permits county clerks in counties of the first class to employ additional assistants when the fees earned by the office exceed \$7,500 for the preceding year. Appointments are subject to approval by the county commissioners.

Chapter 60 permits a publicity tax in municipalities for the purpose of community advertising. Such a tax, however, must be kept within the total legal limit allowed for city purposes.

Chapter 64 increases the salaries of county superintendents of schools, making the number of school rooms the basis for the salary schedule. The new salaries will range from \$1,600 to \$2,500 a year, as compared with the present range of \$1,400 to \$2,000.

Chapter 69 increases the allowances of the district attorney's office in the First Judicial district.

Chapter 72 appropriates \$65,000 for a kindergarten and primary building at the Institute for the Blind, Alamogordo.

Chapter 73 makes possible several substantial increases in school budgets. The salaries of clerks of boards of education are raised somewhat, and larger expenditures are permitted for teachers' salaries by lowering the number of children per teacher in municipal districts.

Chapter 85 appropriates \$7,500 a year for the use of the State Board of Finance. This is an entirely new appropriation as the necessary expenditures of the board have been taken care of from the appropriations of other offices.

Chapter 101 permits the expenditure of \$7,500 in counties having artesian wells for the purpose of conserving the water supply from this source. This will probably effect Chaves and Eddy counties only. Apparently the levy for this purpose must be within the total limit for county purposes.

Chapter 112 appropriates \$30,200 for eleven institutions which care for the sick and the indigent. This is the same appropriation as made by several legislatures in the past.

Chapter 114 appropriates \$5,000 for the establishment of a State Publicity Bureau, with a commissioner and assistant commissioners. Allowances seem to be permitted for travel and other necessary expenses, but no appropriation is made therefor. By the same law, also cities and towns may contribute as much as \$500 from general funds. Donations and contributions from private sources may be received and expended by the Bureau.

Chapter 119 provides for a pension for members of faculties of the State Educational Institutions, \$1,500 a year, to be paid after 25 years of service.

Chapter 120 increases the allowances for district attorneys' offices. These increases, with those provided for in Chapter 69 aggregate \$6,350, as has been heretofore pointed out.

Chapter 121 creates the office of State Geologist, at a salary of not more than \$3,600 a year, to collect and compile information relative to oil and gas development and production within the state which may affect state lands. Other employees and expenses may be allowed by the Commissioner of Public Lands out of the Maintenance of Public Lands Fund.

Chapter 121 also authorizes county commissioners to appoint "Oil and Gas Inspectors" subject to the approval of the State Geologist. These inspectors are to receive \$15 per day when on duty, such compensation to be paid by the operator.

Chapter 128 appropriates \$65,000 for a building at the Insane Asy-

Undersized Pullets Are Low Producers of Eggs

Unlike chickens, turkeys do not lay during the winter and therefore no nests need to be provided for them until spring. Then, if at liberty and left to their own resources, they sometimes select locations for their nests that are much more suitable to the turkeys than to the owner. Often they are in such secluded places that the eggs are liable to get lost, chilled or broken.

Hence it is often advisable to place nests here and there about the place. Old barrels turned toward a fence or placed in a bush heap, or in the corner of a board pile and bedded with leaves or old hay with a china egg or two, will sometimes prove tempting. Old boxes with nests in them, placed in out-of-the-way corners or simply nests of hay containing china eggs in corners of the shed will prove satisfactory.

If any of these places are adopted by the turkey she will lay there and the eggs may be taken care of until she wants to sit. If the weather is cold the good eggs may be gathered and china eggs put in their places. The same thing may be done if they are in danger of being destroyed by rats, crows, or other varmints. However, it is never advisable to use new barrels or boxes, or anything which suggests the hand of man when making nests to attract the turkeys.

Standard Bred Poultry Should Always Be Used

In reply to the question, "What is the best breed of chickens?" the answer is, "There is no best breed." There is often a greater difference between strains of the same breed than there is between different breeds. From the 46 breeds and 125 varieties of chickens recognized by the American Standard of Perfection it should be easy to suit every one, no matter how discriminating. In choosing a breed or variety of chickens three things should influence the breeder. First, the availability and adaptability of the breed; second, personal preference; and third, choosing a breed or variety suitable to the purpose for which it is to be used. In any case decide on a standard breed because they are more efficient and profitable. Products from such a flock are uniform. There is nothing in the popular idea that cross breeds lay better or are healthier than standard breeds.

Mold in Oat Sprouter

The easiest method of stopping mold in the oat sprouter is to add ten drops of formalin to the water that is used to soak six quarts of oats or a similar proportion to other amounts. The formalin does not injure the feeding qualities of the oats, but helps to check the mold. In addition to the use of formalin, care should be exercised in keeping the containers sweet by cleaning. The use of only heavy oats will remove many which will not sprout.

lum for housing and dormitory purposes.

Chapter 130 appropriates \$1,500 for the transportation of war trophies, which have been allotted to New Mexico desiring such trophies. Local appropriations are also permitted.

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Items of Social Interest In and Around Artesia

BRIDGE PARTY

Mrs. Beecher Rowan and her daughter, Miss Eva, who is at home from Los Angeles, entertained a large party of friends at bridge last Friday afternoon. The Rowan home was attractively adorned for the occasion with sweet peas and other lovely flowers. Dainty favors in lavender and yellow accompanied the refreshments, which were served in two courses by the two younger daughters of the house, the Misses Aline and Maxine. The guest list included the Mesdames J. J. Clarke, S. E. Ferree, Earl Bigler, M. A. Corbin, E. J. Brooks, Frank Brooks, Martin Yates, Rose Ferson, Will T. Minor, C. W. Williams, J. H. Jackson, G. R. Brainard, S. D. Gates, V. L. Gates, Rex Wheatley, R. G. Knoedler, Landis Feather and A. F. Phillips and Miss Lorita Linell, also Mrs. W. H. Withington of La Pryor, Texas and Mrs. Bruce McClean, who was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rowan, from Dimmett, Texas.

A party of young folks left this morning for an outing at Max Coll's cabin on the Ruidoso. In the party, which was chaperoned by Mrs. A. F. Phillips, were the Misses Rosita Phillips and Marjorie and Phoebe Welch and Messrs. Max Coll, Oscar Samuelson and George Fritz.

The Susannah Wesley Class of the Methodist Sunday school held a monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. S. G. White last Thursday afternoon. The afternoon was very enjoyably spent in visiting and needlework. Mrs. Kruse, who is here from Burbank, California, joined with Mrs. White in entertaining the class, and serving delicious refreshments.

THE RALPH HENDERSONS HONORED WITH PICNIC

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Henderson were the honor guests at a pleasant picnic, which took place some three miles south of town on Tuesday evening. Supper was eaten in the open and later the company returned to town and enjoyed sherbet and cake at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Hamilton. The party included besides the honor guests, Mr. J. T. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Collins, Warren Collins and family, E. L. Paris and family, George Henderson and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Gilbert, Gayle Hamilton and family and Miss Dora Russell and Chester Russell.

DANCING PARTY

The Misses Aline and Maxine Rowan were hostesses at a delightful dancing party at their home on Tuesday evening. Piano music was furnished by Bob Hutton and Miss Katherine Clarke and the Victrola also was requisitioned for service. Punch was served during the entire evening. The guest list included the Misses Katherine Clarke, Glenda Gray, Eula Bee Clayton, Lois Burns, Opal Martin, Guenn Martin, Ruth Morgan, Eloise Brown, Margaret Brown, Barbara Denton, Marjorie Wingfield, and Virginia Atteberry and Messrs. Harold Dunn, Clayton Stroup, Stanley Blocker, Frank Wingfield, Roy Prior, Howard Rogers, Dalton Wilson, Guy Stevenson, Robert Burns, Floyd Staterwhite, Henry Kennedy, Ted Rowan, Harold Crozier, Oliver Crozier, Roy Muncy, Harry Jernigan, Robert Hutton, Louis Michelet and Garland Rideout.

A party of young people drove up to Roswell to attend a dinner dance at the Gilder hotel on Tuesday evening. They were the Misses Eva Rowan, Lorita Linell, and Viola Pearson and Messrs. Rex Williams, Max Coll, Oscar Samuelson and Mr. Center.

MILLER-ILER

Announcements have been received here of the marriage of Miss Iris Iler to Mr. Charles P. Miller at Denver, Colorado, on Wednesday, May 13th. They will be at home after July 25th at 4208 Cheyenne Street, Golden Colorado.

The bride will be remembered as the elder daughter of Mrs. Mabel Iler, who was the popular instructor in the commercial department of the high school for two or three years. Miss Iris graduated from Artesia High, in which she distinguished herself as an all around capable student. Her friends will be glad to learn of her happiness.

Mrs. Iler has been teaching in a business college at Charleston, West Virginia the past year, but prefers the west and will return west of the Mississippi to live.

Vatican's Crowns Few

Among the valuable relics in the Vatican in Rome are two crowns, one given by Napoleon to Pope Pius XII, containing the largest emerald in the world, and another given by Queen Isabel of Spain to Pope Pius IX. The latter is said to be worth \$2,000,000 alone.

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ATTORNEY GENERAL RULES ON FEES FOR CHATTEL MORTGAGES

The fees fixed by the old law remain in effect for releases of chattel mortgages filed prior to June 12, the date when the new law became effective, says Attorney General John W. Armstrong in an opinion to State Comptroller R. H. Carter.

The opinion follows: Your inquiry based upon the request of Hon. B. L. Francis, county clerk of Quay county, is whether or not the provisions of Sec. 9, Chap. 25 S. L. 1925 shall govern the fees to be charged by county clerks for filing and entering releases to chattel mortgages filed prior to the going into effect of said Act of 1925.

Said Sec. 9, in part, reads as follows: "Such clerk shall make no charge for the filing and entry of satisfaction of a mortgage. * * *

If this provision were unqualified, any release of mortgage filed subsequent to June 12, 1925, whether the mortgage were filed prior to that date or afterwards, there would be no charges for such filing. But Sec. 14 of said Chap. 25 provides for the repeal of certain sections and chapters of former laws relating to chattel mortgages and that "all acts and parts of acts in conflict with this act are hereby repealed, except in so far as the same are applicable to chattel mortgages executed prior to the date when this act become effective."

In view of this latter Section, we are of the opinion that the act of 1925 is not applicable to chattel mortgages executed prior to June 12, 1925 and that the regular fees for all such releases should be charged for at the regular rate. In some instances there might be other reasons why such act would be in-

The good driver doesn't die young.
If Christianity is a failure, no one need bother with substitutes.

It's an outrage that nature gives the cat nine lives and the pedestrian only one.

Cheer up! The Department of Agriculture has discovered a new gooseberry!

With flivver prices down again, the baby's dime bank is likely to be raided any time.

This old world can stand a lot of "reforming" and still pull through in great shape.

There is very little puzzle about many of the cross-words passed in the family circle.

A Minnesota Judge ruled that cows have the right of way. Every motorist knows that.

The kind of a radio set a man puts in depends on just how much he wants to pay for static.

A railroad combine we can get along without is the one with the flivver at the grade crossing.

Now, says a travel ad, is the time to visit balmy Bermuda, the onion harvest being safely in.

The uncivilized tribes are the ones that wear feathers in lieu of nine hundred dollars' worth of fur.

Advocate Want Ads get results. effective to abolish such fees but it is not necessary to discuss further reasons in view of the foregoing.

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A full line of Home Made Candies at the City Bakery. High grade chocolates, butter cream filling.

Milk Chocolates, per pound	60c
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Cocoanut Kisses, all flavors, per pound	40c
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Also all kinds fancy hard candies, from per pound	20 to 40c

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Main Street, Opposite Palace Drug Store

Ice Cream, Retail, City Bakery, Phone 90

1 Gallon	\$1.50
1 Quart	.50
1 Pint	.25

Ice Cream, Wholesale, Phone 92

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 Pastor.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
 At the Gospel Tabernacle
 Sunday school, 10:00 a. m. Preaching, 11:00 a. m. Young Peoples meeting, 6:45 p. m. Preaching, 7:45 p. m. Also preaching on Wednesday evening at 7:45. NORMAN R. NICHOLS, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
 Sunday service at 11:00 a. m., on west Main, between 8th and 9th streets. The public is cordially invited to attend this service. Subject for June 28, "Christian Science."

Scout's Epitaph.—A friend of the INDEX sent us the sad lines below. He said he saw them in some publication and that there was an illustration of a derrick with a new made grave on the outside. The lines which follow were roughly inscribed on a wooden head-board at the grave:
 Here he lies
 Dad burn his soul,
 He wanted to
 Know what was
 In the hole.
 He died with his
 Boots on, the
 Ignorant stew
 When he asked
 Us the question:
 "How deep are you?"
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OF THE NAZARENE
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 School, 9:45 a. m. C. J. Superintendent. Come Sun- of the outing that has for the near future.

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You are invited to join us on this occasion.
 Preaching services at 11:00 a. m. Young Peoples Society at 7:00 p. m.
 Evangelistic service a 8:00 p. m. Preaching on Cottonwood, Tuesday at 8:00 p. m.
 Ladies Missionary Society, Thursday at 2:30 p. m. at the home of sister Milton, on Grand Avenue. Subject for this week, "The Social and Physical Condition of the Chinese."
 Prayer meeting Thursday at 8:00 p. m. Because of the rain last week, our crowd was small, but the interest was good and all present greatly enjoyed the service.
 You are always welcome at our Church.
L. M. MAY,
 Pastor.

CLOVIS HAS MAMY FIRES DURING THE PAST FEW DAYS

The hot and dry weather of the past several weeks has been causing an increase in the work of the Clovis fire department, both in fighting fires and in vigilance to keep the fire hazard at a minimum.
 Thursday afternoon the department saved the residence of John Coffey on East Second Street, after burning trash had set the building on fire, only about \$50 damage being done.
 At three o'clock Friday morning both trucks and the full department were called when flames were discovered in the Miller & Crawford Tailor Shop, 310 Main. The peculiar construction of this building and the one occupied by Murray's Confectionery just south of it, made fighting the fire between the walls and between the ceiling roof, extremely difficult. Fire chief Miller comes in for deserving praise in the number of streams he had turned on the fire and the effective way they were directed. The fixtures and pressing equipment of the tailor shop were ruined, but the flames were kept from the new cleaning machinery at the rear. The fixtures in the Murray stock were saved in part but badly damaged. The stock was practically a complete loss. Both buildings were ruined, probably beyond repair. Some insurance was carried on each building as well as on the equip- ment.
 The buildings belong to C. F. Doughton and K. J. Houston. They own the property jointly and will in

all probability erect a modern brick structure there when the fire loss is adjusted.
 Sunday afternoon the residence of S. S. Allcorn on West Grand Avenue burst into flames and by the time the department could get the fire checked, the home was a complete loss. It is not known how the

blaze started as there had been no fire in the house. There was some insurance.
 Trash, oily rags and mops, etc., should not be shut up in closets or close rooms during hot weather, as the excess heat will cause spontaneous combustion, one of the greatest occasions of fire loss in summer.

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