

The Artesia Advocate.

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WULD GIVE ACCESS

Large Quarries Across the Pecos River.

OTHER REASON FOR BRIDGE

The people of Artesia are beginning to awake more and more to the importance of securing the new bridge. Hereafter it has been necessary to put in stone for foundations. There are excellent quarries just across the river and their use would greatly facilitate building, and at the same time give remunerative employment to our own people.

A careful canvass of the opinion with many of the leading citizens of Artesia convinces us that the sentiment is almost unanimously in favor of the bonds. Sensible people here say that the talk about trying to injure another community at our expense is foolish. We need a bridge and ought to have it, and there is no reason why Carlsbad shouldn't have one also, as long as people there feel they require it. We are pleased to say that we have assurance from several leading Carlsbad citizens that a similar spirit prevails there. For Woods and W. C. Leeding, of Lakewood assure us that sentiment in the "White City" is favorable to the bonds and we hear encouraging reports from Hope and Dayton.

We venture to say that the bond and his black hand and allance and his high binders cut but little figure even in Carlsbad when the votes are counted. The Pecos Valley is not the place to develop such societies and Tong associations.

The Tuesday Recital.

According to announcement in a week's issue of the Advocate, Helen Cooper and Miss Elizabeth Garrett, of El Paso, appeared in a musical program at the Christian church, Tuesday evening. The recital had been arranged by the Ladies of the Library Board. Because of the convention at Roswell and other attractions, the audience was not so large as had been hoped for, but it was a music loving audience and showed due appreciation for the various musical numbers which made up the program. Miss Cooper's voice showed training and her selections were from the best of the popular composers. Miss Garrett is entirely blind; her selections were played and sung with the delicacy and feeling peculiar to blind musicians and were sympathetically received by her audience. We are glad to learn that the young ladies played to larger houses down the road.

Sunday Dinner at Artesia Hotel

The Artesia, the leading hotel of the city will hereafter give a special Sunday dinner, from 12 to 2 o'clock local time at regular price. Also board and room \$1.50 per day. Meals 25 cents. Board and room \$7.00 a week or \$25.00 a month.

John R. Richey of San Antonio, Texas, and one of the early settlers of Artesia is in town. He will be here and in Roswell on business for several days.

WATCH US GROW!

Telephones and Postoffice Receipts Tell Story.

LOTS OF NEW SIDEWALKS

"We have put in four new telephones this week," said Harry W. Hamilton, president of the Artesia Telephone Company Thursday. "We put the phones in for John Hook, A. C. Keinath, Wm. Meek and E. S. Porter," he continued, "this makes fourteen we have put in this month." The company is extending a line to the C. A. P. ranch.

Mr. Hamilton is also postmaster of Artesia and his report of box rent receipts in the postoffice is equally flattering to the prosperity of Artesia.

Rent for January, February and March was \$92. During the first eighteen days of April over \$100 box rent was paid.

Mayor Crandall informs us that more than fifteen blocks of cement sidewalks are now being put in on the side streets; and more is contemplated. Work is being pushed on the city water works and the light plant is getting along nicely.

Now for another cement business block in the Main street with opera house upstairs.

Like the Loadless Gun.

According to one Prof. L. R. Tatt, the seedless apple is in the category with painless dentistry, tasteless cod-liver oil, and the endless chain—not what it is represented to be.

Contest Notice

Department of the Interior
United States Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
March 6, 1907.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Isaac R. Daniel, contestant, against Homestead entry No. 8309, made July 10, 1906, for SW 1/4 Section 12, Township 17 S., Range 21 E., by C. Ernest Kouwenhoven, Contestee, in which it is alleged that said C. Ernest Kouwenhoven never established his residence on said land as required by law, and has abandoned it for more than six months prior to date of said affidavit; and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps of the United States in time of war, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on May 8, 1907, before Albert Blake, U. S. Commissioner at his office in Artesia, N. M., and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on May 15, 1907, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roswell, N. M.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed April 2, 1907, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

Howard Leland, Register.

The Price of Health

"The price of health in a malarious district is just 25 cents; the cost of a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills," writes Elia Slayton, of Noland, Ark. New Life Pills cleanse gently and impart new life and vigor to the system. 25c. Satisfaction guaranteed at Pecos Valley Drug Store.

W. W. Duckworth of Dallas is visiting Judge McCrary and family. He is brother of Mrs. McCrary's.

HURT IN RUNAWAY

Thomas Chapman, Wife and Little Girl Severely Injured.

TWO OTHER RUNS

Three runaways took place during the preparation to receive the excursionists yesterday morning.

The first and most serious occurred about an hour before the arrival of the train when Thos. Chapman's horse became uncontrollable on Second street near Main.

In trying to control the animal Mr. Chapman was thrown from the vehicle; his right leg caught in the wheel and sustained a partial fracture below the knee. His hip and back were also sprained.

The horse then ran south on Second street to the corner of Quay, turning west on that street. Here Mrs. Chapman and her two little daughters were thrown out, Mrs. Chapman's right ankle was severely hurt, the tendons being torn loose, she received a scalp wound in the back of her head and her face was badly lacerated. The older of the little girls was badly injured.—She was in a comatose condition for some time and it was feared that her skull was fractured. The younger little girl was not hurt.

The horse turned north on third street and then south in the alley by the Star stable. The rig struck the corner of the telephone office and knocked out several bricks. He was caught by Harry W. Hamilton about this time.

Drs. P. M. Baker and J. Dale Graham were summoned and attended to the injured. Later the family was moved to the Lutkins residence. As we go to press all symptoms seem favorable. The little girl is much better and no serious apprehension is now felt in regard to her recovery.

The Chapman's are among the most highly respected people in Artesia. Mr. Chapman is a well drilled r. The misfortune which has befallen him and family is deplored by all.

Another runaway occurred later on second street when a team ran away with a load of shingles. The shingles were spilled but no other damage resulted.

At the depot just after the excursion arrived the team belonging to the Artesia Feed & Fuel Co. started. It was almost instantly brought under control, but not until a buggy wheel had been broken.

The Castlemens Convention.

This week all roads led to Roswell, and a great many people from Artesia and Hope went to swell the crowd that congregated in that city to attend the Castlemens Convention. We had a partial list but so many went from here that we were unable to get all the names.

Roswell did herself proud in the matter of decorations and entertainment and those who attended will look back on the occasion with genuine pleasure.

Canyon City Won Last Saturdays Game.

Artesia broke even with Canyon City last week. Friday our boys took all there was a comin', while Saturday the Panhandlers got the big end of the score. Lack of a pitcher was the trouble in the second game. Osborne was laid up and others were drafted under protest to fill his place.

Manager Linell is working hard to secure a series here soon but nothing definite has been decided as yet.

This much has been demonstrated: Artesia has a crack-a-jack nine that will give a good account of itself and the management couldn't be improved on.

Away Back Home

Away back home in Texas,
Where childhood's days were passed;
Where first the heart's fond tendrils
Were bound, so close and fast;
Though choice or fate may lead us
In distant lands to roam,
We often drift in memory
Away back home!

To breathe again the sweetness
Of fragrance-laden air;
To view the glow of earth and sky
That God hath painted there;
Recalling happy moments
Spent in enchanted bowers,
(Since no-where, on earth's bosom,
There bloom such wealth of flowers);
Here, every friend that proveeth true,
And all the joys that come,
Seem echoes of those joys we knew,
Away back home!

So dear the rose and jessamine
Of that beloved land,
Where grew, along the banks of
streams,
Magnolias, tall and grand;
Whose regal blooms of snowy white,
Unfurled their petals high,
Seemed pages, where the soul might
write
Love's message to the sky;
The fragrant flowers, by angels fair,
Up-borne to heaven's dome;—
God wrote His answer everywhere,
Away back home!

Yet in that land the shadows fell,
For in her valleys fair,
We heard the pulsing breast of earth
To lay our dear ones there;
Now, in the grass above their dust,
The warm south breezes play,
While we, who learned to weep and
trust,
Hath wandered far away;
And only in the fair dream-ships
That on the night waves come,
We go, with wreaths of immortelles,
Away back home!

'Tis sweet to think of heaven's strand,
Where angel friends abide;
To trust that to our reaching hand
Its gates may open wide;
But when at last, from earthly toil,
There comes the final rest,
Oh, be it, not in alien soil,
But one I love the best;
Where violets shall bend their heads,
O'er charged with tears of dew,
And mocking-birds, from leafy beds,
Shall sing the whole night through.
For when to break death's slumber,
God's wakening voice shall come,
I want to answer from my place,
Away back home!

L. G. H., Artesia, N. M.

A Narrow Escape

Col. W. H. Mullane, editor and proprietor of the two Democratic papers at Carlsbad, came up this morning to rope the next convention of the cattlemen for his town.—Wednesday's Record.

Mullane came down on the excursion yesterday, but failed to call and exchange the compliments of the season. We didn't know he was here until the danger was past.

T. R. Runyan was up from Lakewood yesterday. He says sentiment are there seems to be for the bridge bonds.

LOCAL and PERSONAL

SAW BIG WELLS

BAND LED THE PARADE

Four passenger coach carrying excursionists were sidetracked at Artesia for an hour yesterday. The visitors were received by the citizens who turned out with all the rigs in town. The liverymen furnished their share and the people were taken on a route which allowed them to see a few of the sights including the far famed Muncy well, the largest artesian well in the world.

The people expressed themselves as astonished at the growth of Artesia, the development of her farms and the high state of cultivation here found.

RENO WAS GOOD

The Conjurer "Conjured" Well at Presbyterian Church.

"The best I ever saw," was the verdict of most of those who attended the slight of hand performance of Reno the magician Thursday night. Everybody went home satisfied. This is the third number of the lecture course. The last number will be given by the Fichter Entertainers May 14.

They come highly recommended and will probably have a large audience.

The Hope Race

Blue Eyed Johnnie the famous little gray race horse owned by Ed Bass met defeat at Hope yesterday in a race matched with Billy a horse owned by Wade. Johnnie was only beaten by about eighteen inches. Having slightly injured his foot before going into the race was no doubt the cause of his defeat, for at the distance, 300 yards, Johnnie is hard to beat.—Carlsbad Current.

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We believe Carlsbad citizens will generally regard the matter in this light and appreciate Artesias generosity; all declarations of pinheaded pencil pushers in the last named town to the contrary notwithstanding.

Read the Richards ad. He does all kinds of blacksmith work.

EURKEKA

Yes, I Have Found it at Last

Found what? Why that Chamberlain's Salve cures eczema and all manner of itching of the skin. I have been afflicted for many years with skin disease. I had to get up three or four times every night and wash with cold water to allay the terrible itching, but since using this salve in December, 1905, the itching has stopped and has not troubled me.—ELDER JOHN T. ONCLEY, Rootville, Pa. For sale by City Drug Store.

Jack Bass and family of Carlsbad has moved to Artesia.

Richards does best horse-shoeing.

Buy a buggy at cost at Clayton & Dyer's.

Lee Christopher attended the races at Hope Monday.

E. S. Porter moved to the Gesler farm this week.

Get your buggy painted by J. O. Richards the blacksmith.

All wagons at Clayton & Dyer strictly at cost price.

Mrs. R. R. Sewell visited in Carlsbad this week.

J. D. Christopher was here and Hope several days this week.

W. P. Galloway left Thursday for a ten day trip to Kansas City and Winfield, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. King, of Roswell visited their son E. C. King in Artesia this week.

Better call up No. 5 and have a talk with them about that gasoline stove. It may save you serious trouble later on.

J. Kanaly is in from Falls City, Nebraska, looking over his interests in this part of the county.

We are pleased to note that E. I. Allen is able to be around again shaking hands with his many friends after a severe illness.

A gentleman named Older from Abilene, Kansas, is here with his two daughters to spend the summer in the mountains.

D. H. Wensler returned Wednesday from a trip to Oklahoma and Kansas where he has interests.

T. R. Logan returned Thursday night from Chicago where he has been attending the conservatory of music for the past three months.

Mr. and Mrs. Adlington came down from Roswell Monday night returning Wednesday Mr. Adlington has bought out Butler's interest here in the Saloon.

Harry E. Mull left Monday for Marlin, Texas, where he will spend a couple of weeks from them he goes to Mineral Wells and other Texas points. He will be gone about a month.

Otto Harris, Grant and Ed Muncy, Gent Brown and Myron Bruning went to Roswell Sunday. The boys started on an auto trip, but the machine broke down about seven miles from town and they had to do the pedestrian stunt back.

H. L. Birney, of the Dagger Flats, returned Monday from Albuquerque, where he has been in the Pulmonary Sanitarium, for the treatment of tuberculosis. When Mr. Burney left here he weighed 115 pounds, returning with 156 pounds a gain of 41 pounds. Mrs. Burney met her husband at Carlsbad where they spent Sunday.

Panhandle Excursionists Entertained In Artesia.

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The Advocate is published in the Great Pecos Valley of New Mexico, in the center of the flowing well district. These wells flow from 500 to 5,000 gallons of pure water per minute. There are hundreds of them and the smallest flow is sufficient to irrigate 250 acres in fruit trees. Production in this country has only begun. We have better inducements to immigrants than any other country offers. Land is cheap yet. Come and investigate.

Who Are the Sharks?

"The way Artesia real estate sharks have of tying up packages and banding them out to the balance of the county is remarkably clever. The plan is to have the county vote an enormous debt upon itself and then divide it, make Artesia the county seat and leave the balance of the county to pay the big end of the debt"—Carlsbad Current.

Say, Mullane, who are these real estate sharks anyhow? How did you get next to what they are saying and doing? We hadn't heard of anything like the things you report of them.

When the county division was proposed, the Carlsbad papers ignored the formal signed statement set forth by the Artesia Publicity Committee and devoted their columns to the refutation of the supposed statements of ghostly real estate sharks.

We never learned who those sharks were. The arguments attributed to them did not originate here. The sharks are not of this world. They exist only in the imagination of Carlsbad journalists.

Now the same leprechauns are despoiling themselves in Mullane's pocket, the same old bugs are causing the same old bugs in Reed's belly. The witches are abroad in the bridge matter as in the county controversy.

Now, whoever these real estate sharks are, and however they may "string" the easy mark editors of the Carlsbad papers, the fact is that the people of Artesia realize that eventually Artesia must pay for her own bridge. Carlsbad must also eventually pay for her own bridge.

When the new county is formed it will have to pay for all improvements in its boundaries. We are willing to accept division on those terms and we will have to accept it that way when we do get it.

The Current's supposition is moonshine. Both Reed and Mullane signed a petition for bonds for a Carlsbad bridge. This cannot carry unless coupled with the Artesia bridge bonds, as bonds for both must be voted on together. Those editors are opposed to the Artesia bridge.

It does occur to us that they are much in position of the fellow who met himself coming back.

Mullane's Consistency

"We are ruined by Chinese cheap labor."—Bret Harte in *The Heathen Chinese*.

In this week's Current Mullane makes a remarkable comment on our exposure of his inconsistency. He says we are not to be blamed for standing up for our town. This admits that in fighting for the bridge we are standing up for Artesia's interests.

This is right in line with what he said for months prior to his marvellous summersault last week. Then comes the peculiar declaration, to the effect

that if it had not been for "New-kirk no opposition would have developed." THE ADVOCATE does not deem it necessary to pose as the guardian angel of the editor of the Pecos Valley News. That gentleman seems to have learned the "manly art of self defense" to a degree of proficiency that induces us to believe he can worry along without our protecting care. However we cannot forebare remarking as an innocent bystander, that the discussion was turned originally by Mullane himself into the channels complained of by him. But in the sentence we just quoted Mullane admitted the justice of the Artesian claim on the bridge proposition and conceded that his personal grievance against a single Artesian is the sole reason for antagonizing a good measure. We do not believe he represents the people of Carlsbad in that attitude.

Last week we called attention to the injustice the utterances of the Carlsbad press were doing Artesia and Carlsbad, by reversing themselves. But they are doing a graver injustice to the county commissioners. For months all the Carlsbad papers have been crying lustily for two bridges. The commissioners were justified in assuming that these papers were talking in good faith and that they would support the proposition. We do not believe for a minute that the opposition of the Carlsbad papers will defeat the measure, but, should such a result be accomplished, it would be a betrayal of the county board.

HARRIMAN-ROOSEVELT LETTERS

The Harriman letter recently printed, with the correspondence in relation thereto given out from the White House, did not make pleasant reading in republican circles, whatever may be the presidential view of it. The especially important revelation is that President Roosevelt seems to have been employing Harriman to raise an election fund at the end of the presidential campaign of 1904, for use in New York state and New York city, within the very week apparently of that indignant outburst given from the White House last July Judge Parker for daring to assert or imply that the republican campaign committee was putting the corporations under tribute in order to carry the election.

Mr. Roosevelt's denial of that time emphasizes particularly an alleged charge that Mr. Cortelyou as chairman of the republican campaign committee was using knowledge of corporation practices, gained while secretary of the department of commerce and labor, to compel the culpable corporation to disgorge. But the president went further. He said:

"The assertion that there has been made in my behalf by Mr. Cortelyou or anyone else any pledge or promise, or that there has been any understanding as to future immunities or benefits, in recognition of any contribution from any source, is a wicked falsehood."

And now comes the Harriman statement, made in private correspondence during the life insurance exposures of 1905, that in return for his effect in raising the money Mr. Depew was to be made ambassador to France. It will also not escape observation that the Harriman statement implies that there were life insurance company contributions in that fund of \$200,000, which he raised "in three or four hours" after getting back to New York from Washington.

The president's letter of last October to Chairman Sherman of the republican congressional committee, now given out from the White House as an answer to the Harriman statement, makes emphatic denial that there existed any promise or un-

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Hagerman; N. M.

derstanding that Depew was to be sent to France, and it is furthermore denied that the fund raised by Harriman had any thing to do with the presidential election; instead, it is asserted that it had to do with the New York state election exclusively and was in the interest of the Harriman-Odell outfit more than anything else.

Now what are we to make out of all this? It is to be admitted evidently, that the New York republican state ticket in 1904 was regarded as in danger, and in that case it is idle for Mr. Roosevelt to contend that this had no bearing on the presidential result and was of no concern to him and his political fortunes of the moment. But even if we accept the president's contention at its full face value, he nevertheless appears as urging a liberal use of money at the very last moment to save the day in New York state and approving measures to raise the money—and whether the money was employed to elect Higgins, regardless of the fortunes of President Roosevelt, or otherwise, can not of course make any difference in the moral aspect of the affair.

That the money was used illegitimately is not asserted or implied. But it may be said that money raised at the very end of a campaign to be spent in large sums on election day may not easily be employed in wholly legitimate ways. It may be said on behalf of the president, however, that he was brought up in the latter-day school of republican politics; which has taught the great virtue of much money for substantial results at the polls, and if he is now shown as reposing great confidence in the power of an innocent employment of money on election day in 1904, we need not be surprised or fail to recognize that he has doubtless since come to view such a matter in a different light.

One more unpleasant fact is made apparent by these letters. It is that President Roosevelt was entertaining the name of J. H. Hyoe for the French mission, if not that of Depew, at a time when Hyoe's insurance company was apparently making a large contribution to the republican campaign fund and when the president may know of the fact and when Mr. Cortelyou certainly did, whether the president did or not. And Mr. Roosevelt was not then ready to say definitely that he would not appoint Hyoe. The insurance scandal and the republican party's relation thereto is made all the worse by the revelations of this correspondence.—Las Vegas Optic. (Rep)

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Citation by Publication

John B. King vs. M. O. Ricketts Assumpsit by Attachment, in Justice Court of Precinct Number 6, of Eddy County New Mexico, before J. E. Swepton J. P.

To M. O. Ricketts, defendant in the above styled and numbered cause: WHEREAS, suit by attachment was instituted in the justice court of precinct Number 6, of Eddy County, New Mexico, before J. E. Swepton, Justice of the Peace, against you by John B. King on the 28 day of March A. D. 1907 and WHEREAS, upon your failure to appear before the said court on the return of the said writ, it was ordered by the said J. E. Swepton Justice of the Peace, that you be cited by publication as the law directs.

THEREFORE, I hereby give you notice that on the 23 day of March, A. D. 1907, a writ of attachment was issued against you and your property from justice court of precinct Number 6 Eddy County, New Mexico, in which court suit is pending wherein John B. King is plaintiff and yourself defendant, in an action of assumpsit for the sum of \$15.00; that your property has been attached to satisfy the sum of fifteen dollars and cost of suit; that unless you appear before the said J. E. Swepton, Justice of the Peace, at his office in the town of Artesia, New Mexico, on the 25 day of April 1907, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., and show cause to the contrary, judgment will be taken against you for the said amount of \$15.00 and all costs of suit, and your property will be sold to satisfy said judgment.

WITNESS MY HAND OFFICIALLY, this the 3 day of April 1907.
G. T. Bane,
Constable Precinct No. 6 Eddy Co. N. M.

Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, March 14, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Joshua F. White of Artesia, New Mexico, has filed notice of his intention to make final commutation proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 5132 made May 13, 1904, for the SW 1/4 NE 1/4, SE 1/4 NW 1/4, NE 1/4 SW 1/4 and NW 1/4 SE 1/4 of Section 35, Township 16 South, Range 26 East, and that said proof will be made before Albert Blake, U. S. Court Commissioner, at his office in Artesia, N. M., on May 4, 1904.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, the land, viz: John R. Blair, David D. Temple, Albert Williams, of Artesia, New Mex. John Wolcott, of Lake Arthur, New Mex. Howard Leland, Register.

Atavism

The frank confession of the Carlsbad papers that in opposing the joint bridge proposition they are prompted by a desire to get revenge for supposed past injuries and not by any wish to secure equity in the question at hand; of course removes the whole issue from the field of controversy, as far as they are concerned.

In assuming this attitude the Current professes to believe it represents the sentiments of the people of Carlsbad. We do not believe it does. But suppose it does? Our duty is none the less plain. We should support the bond issue and all Artesians should do the same. Artesia is inhabited by a progressive people who are up-to-date—men and women of the twentieth century.

Revenge for the sake of revenge is the attribute of barbarism; is the characteristic of the savage. It calls back to the days of "torture, totem, tom-tom and topefather."

Great men have occasionally preached the gospel of hate, but they were great in spite of such teaching, not an account of it. To the extent that men engage in feuds and vendettas for the sake of playing even, they revert to the bushman, and to the diciples of voodooism. We know Artesians are not in this class. We do not believe the people of Carlsbad are. But if they were our duty would be none the less obvious. We can probably carry the bonds anyway. We are assured that most people at Lakewood favor their issuance.

Utilitarianism unites with Christian principles in this case.

Artesia and Carlsbad both need bridges. The thing to do is to get them. The county fight has nothing to do with it. The Advocate is for a new county. It is also for the bonds.

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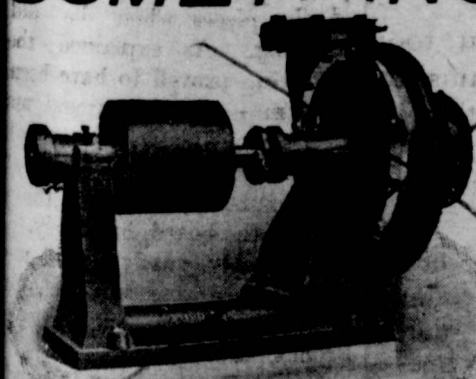
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Department of the Interior, and Office at Roswell, New Mexico, March 14, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Thomas J. ... of Hope, New Mexico, has filed ... of his intention to make final five-year proof in support of his claim, viz: ...

He names the following witnesses to ... his continuous residence upon, and ... of the land, viz: Joseph T. Fanning, Simeon N. White, ...

Howard Leland, Register.

Notice for Publication

(Desert Land, Final Proof) United States Land Office, Roswell, New Mexico, March 14, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Cyrus Eakman, of Canyon City, Randall Co., Texas, assignee of William S. Moore, has filed notice of intention to make ...

He names the following witnesses to ... the complete irrigation and reclamation of said land:

E. A. Cox, E. A. Clayton, C. B. McCree, T. J. McCree all of Artesia New Mex. Howard Leland, Register.

LAW ON ARTESIAN WELLS

The Act Recently Passed by the Territorial Legislature Regulating the Casing, Flow and License of Artesian Wells.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of New Mexico: Section 1. That any Artesian Well that is not tightly and securely cased, capped or furnished with such mechanical appliances as will readily and effectively arrest and prevent the flow of water from such well, is hereby declared to be a public nuisance. The owner, tenant, or occupant of the land upon which such well is situated who causes, permits or suffers such public nuisance, or suffers or permits it to remain or continue, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

Section 2. Any person owning, possessing or occupying any land upon which is situated an Artesian Well, who causes, suffers or permits the water to unnecessarily flow from such well or to go to waste, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

Section 3. An Artesian Well is defined for this Act, to be an artificial well, the waters of which, if properly cased, will flow out continuously over the natural surface of the ground adjacent to such well at any season of the year: Provided, nothing in this Act shall apply to water flowing from mining shafts.

Section 4. Waste is defined for the purpose of this Act to be causing, suffering or permitting the water flowing in such well to reach any porous substratum before coming to the earth's surface, or to flow from such wells unnecessarily upon any land, or indirectly into any river, creek or other natural water course or channel, or into any lake or pond, or into any street, road or highway, unless it be used on land for beneficial purposes. Provided, that this section shall not be so construed as to prevent the use of such water for domestic purposes or the proper irrigation of agricultural lands by direct flow or from storage reservoirs furnished by such wells or for supplying or helping to supply through natural or artificial water courses, channels, public or private irrigation canals, or systems for ornamental ponds, or fountains, or for ponds used for the propagation of fish and provided where the water so used for the maintenance of ornamental ponds, fountains, or ponds for the propagation of fish shall in any case not be greater than the flow through a pipe one inch in diameter.

Section 5. Any person hereafter boring or causing to be bored, an Artesian Well, shall case the same with a good quality of casing, sufficient in all instances to resist the pressure of the water, the entire depth of the well to and into the last strata of rock, immediately above the flow of water, and shall keep a complete record of the depth and thickness of the different strata penetrated, which he shall verify under oath and when the well is completed shall file said record in the office of the District Artesian Well Inspector, where it shall be carefully preserved.

Section 6. To provide additional security for carrying out the provisions of this Act the Governor of the Territory may from time to time, as he sees fit or shall upon the request by petition of five per cent. (5 per cent.) of the qualified voters of any county or counties, create "Artesia Districts," consisting in each case of not less than one or more than four adjacent counties, shall thereupon appoint for such districts so created a "District Artesian Well Supervisor," who shall be qualified by both education and experience in Artesian Well matters and resident of the district of which he is appointed. It shall be the duty of such supervisor to inspect each Artesian Well in such district at least once in each three (3) months, and to keep a record of such inspections, in a book in his office which said record shall at all times be open to the inspection of any person. It shall be the further duty of such supervisor to see that the provisions of this Act are faithfully carried out within his district and for purpose he shall have all powers conferred upon city and county officers in section Eight person. It shall be the further duty of such supervisor to make complaint and appear against any person person violating any provision of this Act within his district, unless such complaint has already been made as provided in Section Eight (8) of this Act, in which case he shall appear and assist in such prosecution. The supervisor so appointed shall receive as his full compensation for their services, the sum of \$1,000.00 per annum, together with actual expenses while absent from his office, if this amount shall be collected from licenses hereinafter provided for, but in no case shall such supervisor receive more than the amount annually paid in on such licenses.

Section 7. For the purpose of creating a fund for the payment of salaries of the several District Artesian Well Supervisors, and the expenses incident to the prosecution in cases of violation of this statute, a license is hereby imposed upon each Artesian Well in such districts of \$5.00 per annum, and it shall hereafter be unlawful for any person, company or corporation to permit any Artesian Well to flow or to take water therefrom, without first having paid such license therefor. Such license shall be paid to the Treasurer of the county wherein such Artesian Well is situated, who shall keep a record thereof in his office, and the respective County Treasurer shall pay over to the Territorial Treasurer all the money derived from such licenses (less four per cent. (4 per cent.) which shall be allowed the County Treasurer for the collection of such licenses) in like manner as provided by law for the payment to such Territorial Treasurer of Territorial Taxes. Such fund shall be kept separately for each of such Artesian Well Districts, by such Treasurer and shall be used exclusively for the payment of the respective District Artesian Well Supervisors, and the expenses of prosecution for the violations of the provisions of this Act, which salaries and expenses shall be paid in the manner of paying Territorial officers and expenses.

Section 8. It shall be the duty of the County Commissioners, Road Supervisors, City Engineer, or City Officers upon complaint of any citizen within their respective counties, districts, or cities, for that purpose may, at all times, enter upon the premises where such well is situated to institute or cause to be instituted criminal actions for all violations of the provisions of this Act, committed within said county, district or city.

Section 9. All persons before beginning to bore an Artesian Well in any Artesian well district, shall first notify the district Artesian Well supervisor stating in writing the location of such proposed well, and shall thereafter, from time to time, furnish to said District Artesian Well Supervisor such information concerning such well and casing used, as such supervisor shall request. The supervisor shall have power and authority to condemn the casing and other appliances for controlling the water in any Artesian well, which are in his judgment unsuitable for the purpose intended and required.

Section 10. All persons or corporations now owning or controlling or using Artesian Wells, and all persons who shall hereafter own, control or use an Artesian Well in any Artesian well district, shall file a sworn statement in the office of the Probate Clerk of the county in which such well is situated, setting forth the date when such well was commenced and the date when completed, the amount of water flowing therefrom and the use made of the water from such well.

Section 11. It shall be the duty of the Artesian Well Supervisor to take pressure reading of each Artesian well at each inspection herein provided for and to carefully preserve a record of the same in his office, to be turned over together with all other records in his office, to his successor.

Section 12. Any person violating any of these provisions of this Act may be proceeded against for a misdemeanor in any Justice's Court in the county in which such an offense is committed or such well is located in the manner prescribed by law, and shall, upon conviction be fined for each offense not less than five dollars (\$5.00) nor more than one hundred dollars (\$100.00) There shall, also upon conviction, in addition to such fine, be taxed against the convicted party, costs of prosecution. Each day in which any of the provisions of this Act shall be violated shall be considered a separate offense. This Act shall take effect and be in force after thirty days from the date of approval.

This Act was approved by the Governor February 22, 1905 and became a law March 24, 1905. The License fee of \$5.00 per well is now due and must be paid to the County Treasurer of the respective Counties.

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 had so seriously affected my right lung, writes Mrs. Fannie Connor, of Rural Route 1, Georgetown, Tenn., "that I coughed continuously night and day and the neighbor's predicted—consumption—seemed inevitable, until my husband brought home a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, which in my case proved to be the only REAL cough cure and restorer of weak, sore lungs." When all other remedies utterly fail, you may still win in the battle against lung and throat troubles with New Discovery, the REAL remedy. Guaranteed by Pecos Valley druggist. 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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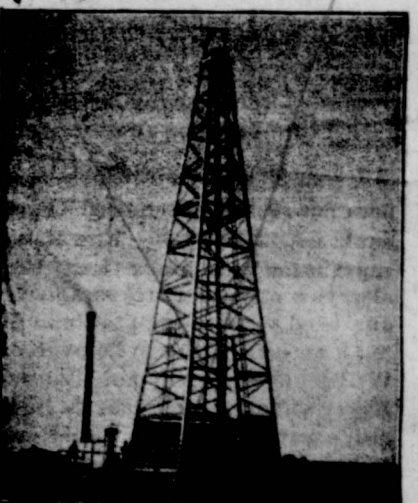
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Temptation

The subject of Rev. J. H. Messer last Sunday at the Methodist Church was Temptation, The text was I Cor. X. 13.

He said in part, "There is in the world a powerful intelligent, ever-active unseen agency leading men to become unholy. For six thousands years men have been led down the dark paths of vice by this baneful influence. In all ages men have sought and struggled to overcome this something that has filled the world with darkness pain and woe. All classes of men have recognized that certain actions were virtuous and well pleasing to their Creator, while others were immoral and degrading in their tendency and were to be avoided in every possible way. Feeling this way, all enticement towards wrongdoing, they have called temptation. It is any enticement towards sin. We should define sin as the Bible defines it, "Sin is the transgression of the law." "All unrighteousness is sin."

Sin presupposes law. But there is no doubt, but that every man is to some extent a law unto himself. Even where the light of Divine Revelation has not shined God has in some way written it on the minds of men that certain actions are right or wrong. So we contend that temptation is universal. It is common to all men. No class, no race and no age have been free from the attacks of Satan. Adam with all of his innocence and purity, Abraham with all of his faith and integrity, Job with all of his steadfastness and patience, Moses with all of his meekness and purity,

were each assailed by temptation. Even Jesus the Savior of mankind had to meet and overcome temptation. Hence we conclude that all men are tempted. Also that temptation will continue through life. The child when it first crosses the line of responsibility, the youth in his mirth and festivities, the individual in the prime of life and those whose faces are wrinkled and hair silvered by the march of time, all alike must engage in a continual warfare with sin. Not until the traveler has gone down into the dark valley and shadow and crossed over the river will the conflict come to an end. Now let us notice that temptation is always supposed to appeal to something in the individual that will predispose toward sin. Some people you could not tempt to drunkenness or lying or stealing or licentiousness because their whole nature is against these things, but perhaps they would be weak about pride, a bad temper, malice, or envy; Satan makes his attacks at those points where he is most liable to succeed. He assails us through our natural passions and appetites.

Those things so essential to our welfare, to the preservation of our lives and the continuation of our race, are often used by our adversary to drag us into sin. Our natural depravity, that disposition in every man that makes him love sin rather than righteousness is always a stronghold of temptation. We also acquire depravities. Sin grows on men, as their faculties enlarge the avenues of approach by Satan multiply. The man that has surrendered himself completely to sin can be approached in a thousand ways in which another man not so full of acquired depravity could not be touched. Now it is important for us to know that there is always a way for us to escape. No one need yield to temptation. Sin is not a necessity. All can be overcomers. We become strong by not giving away. Every victory prepares us to gain still greater victories. Just as our physical strength increases by exercise, just as our mental faculties enlarge by using them, so our spiritual strength is renewed by battling with and overcoming temptation. We should not run into temptation.

When we know we are weak we should avoid those places, scenes, occasions and associations that will bring us into temptation. We should never forget to trust Christ. He whose life was spotless, whose teachings are are matchless and whose power is infinite, will be our strength and never failing support in every time of trouble. He who said, "get thee hence Satan" will encircle us with his arms sustain us by his grace and sin shall cease forever. At last the church of God without spot or wrinkle, sin or sickness, sorrow or sighing, but as the Redeemed, shall march triumphantly home to Zion.

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Church Directory.

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M. F. CHURCH SOUTH—J. H. Messer, pastor. Sunday school 9:45 a. m.; preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Junior Epworth League 3 p. m. Senior Epworth League 6:45 p. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST, J. M. Blalock, pastor. Lord's Day Meetings. Bible School 9:30 a. m., W. F. Swartz, Superintendent. Communion and Preaching 11 a. m., Junior Endeavor 8 p. m., Mrs. W. F. Swartz, Superintendent. Y. P. S. C. E., 6:30 p. m., Miss Nannie Ross, President. Officers' Meetings, First Lord's Day in each month. C. L. Heath, Chairman of Board. Week Day Meetings. Ladies Aid, First and Third Tuesday, 2:30 p. m., Mrs. J. B. Atkeon, President. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Bible Class (out-line work) and Song Rehearsal Friday 7:30 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—E. E. Mathes, pastor. Sunday school 9:45 a. m., preaching 11 a. m., Y. P. S. C. E. 6:00 p. m.; preaching 7:00.

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Methodist Church

Let us see how large we can make our Sunday School. Brother Gage seemed to have the Banner Class last Sunday.

The subject for the morning sermon, "The two reports of the spies." There will be no preaching service in the evening, but the League will meet at 6 o'clock p. m. We will go from the league to the Christian Church to take part in the Baccalaureate exercises of the public schools.

J. H. Messer, Pastor.

Baptist Revival Closed.

The Baptist revival closed last night. It was marked with the greatest success, a deeply religious spirit being manifest. There were twenty-three additions and ten conversions.

Notice For Publication.

(Desert Land, Final Proof)
United States Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
April 10, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that John P. Lowry, of Artesia, Eddy County, New Mexico, assignee of Robert W. Yeargin has filed notice of intention to make proof on his desert-land claim No. 1366, for the S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ and S $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 19, T. 16 S., R. 26 E., before Albert Blake, U. S. Court Commissioner at his office in Artesia, N. M., on Monday, the 20th day of May, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove the complete irrigation and reclamation of said land:
Gayle Talbot, L. C. Robertson, Enos P. McCormick and William C. McBride all of Artesia, New Mexico.
Howard Leland Register.

Bitten by a Spider

Through blood poisoning caused by a bite, John Washington of Bosqueville, Texas would have lost his leg, which became a mass of running sores, had he not been persuaded to try Bucklen's Arnica Salve. He writes: "The first application relieved, and four boxes healed all the sores." 25c. Guaranteed at Pecos Valley druggist.

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CROWS REAR YOUNG HAWK.

Later They Picked the Young Bird to Pieces.

How crows adopted a young red-tailed hawk, and what came of it is told by Bert Jennings, a young ornithologist, says the New York World correspondent at McKeever, N. Y. From time immemorial crows have been the enemies of hawks.

Jennings says that the crows descended upon the hawk's home while the parents were away, boosted out the youngster and worked him along the ground to the foot of the tree containing their nest. Then they boosted, hauled, pushed and pulled him up, using their beaks, wings and claws to get him there.

The parent hawks made a great fuss when they got home and found one of their young missing, but they didn't conduct any exhaustive search for the fledgling.

The ornithologist wondered why the crows didn't kill the young hawk instead of taking so much trouble to keep him alive, and eventually found out the reason. When the young bird got ready to fly the word was passed around through all the crow colonies, and big flocks gathered cawing and clamoring. When they had all assembled the leader started to peck at the young hawk.

This was a signal for a general onslaught, and soon all the crows were fighting for a chance to peck at the little fellow. He was harassed and worried, and then fairly picked to pieces. When there was nothing left of him the crows wheeled, circling overhead, until they spied the parent birds. These they chased clear out of the neighborhood, together with the youngsters they had been able to rear.

SHE ADVISED THE GOVERNOR.

Gov. Stokes, the bachelor executive of New Jersey, was about to pass into the Mechanics' bank, of which he is president, when a pretty little girl, playing on the steps, arrested his interest. Stopping he asked her name.

"I'm Catherine Johnson, eight years old," she replied. Then, turning to the governor, she inquired: "What is your name?" "Mr. Stokes." "Do I know your little girls?" "No, I guess not; I have none." "No babies—never had any? Babies are so cute, you ought to have one."

As the governor walked laughingly into the bank the child said: "When you get some around your house I'll come and play with them every day. Don't forget to let me know." The governor was not certain whether the matter was a joke or not, but a friend at the bank entrance settled the question by laughing loudly and telling the other bank officials.—Philadelphia Record.

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I want 100 head of horses to pasture. Plenty of salt and grama grass and good fresh water.

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I am offering the southeast quarter of section 17 Town 18 Range 25 in the Pecos Valley for five dollars per acre, cash.

This is a bargain and some one will double his money within a year.

E. E. McNatt
Artesia N. M.

Farmers Call At Broom Factory

I have moved my broom factory into the old Tom Logan Tin Shop next door to the bakery of Main Street and will furnish brooms direct to consumer at reasonable price. Call and see me about a farmers organization.

W. B. Naylor

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"D'you like roller skating?"
"I dunno. I ain't standin' up arauf ter find out!"

ACCORDING TO COMMON SENSE

When light battery A was mentioned on Wareham street, Boston, one of the officers was Lieut. Brooks. About the time he was elected lieutenant, Brooks, who was a painter, had a contract to paint the gunriages and caissons, which he had tried out in good shape.

When he was before the examining board for his assignment duty he was asked how he disposed the pieces when he finished painting. As explained, the mounting proved to have been in a most unconventional manner.

"Do you consider, lieutenant, you acted in the matter according to the regulations?" asked the man of the board, brusquely.

The reply was: "I did not mount the pieces as Lieut. Brooks, the painter."

Lieut. Brooks was passed right, and received his assignment to duty.—Boston Herald.

GETTING EVEN

Not a few of our society make a business of "getting even" got even when he had a blister on Mrs. —'s shoe with his cigarette by poking business end through a hole in the peek-a-boo blouse. One of the roosters said: "I'm expected dinner at Mrs. So-and-so's whimsical matron) next Monday night. You should hear from if she tries the double finger racket. I usually carry a pair of hands. I want no nations flung at me when I sit to eat." He made good his threat. There was the usual crowd of 12 guests, and when the antedial finger bowls were served the youngster calmly rinsed his forks and spoons in the spittoon and dried them with a napkin. It nearly killed the matron, who been the laughing stock of the ever since.—N. Y. Press.