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## KILLED IN THE YARDS.

A frightful accident happened in the railroad yards here Monday afternoon during a violent sand storm, in which Chas. L. Fite was instantly killed by the switch engine and three cars passing over him. It appears that an order had been issued to get the wrecking car and a crew ready to proceed to Ancho, where a wreck had occurred some hours previously, to assist in clearing the track. The deceased man was one of those ordered out, and was hurrying across the tracks to get a lunch to take with him when he met his death. The engine after passing the switch backed on to another track, which he was in the act of crossing. The wind was blowing a gale which seemingly prevented him from hearing or seeing the approaching engine. He was knocked down by the engine and dragged several car lengths.

One leg and arm were terribly crushed and the head and face were mutilated beyond recognition. When picked up he was dead. The remains were taken to the Spence furniture store, and an inquest held the same evening.

A jury was summoned, who, after viewing the body and examining witnesses, rendered the following verdict:

"We, the undersigned justice of the peace and jury who sat upon the inquest held this 8th day of February, 1909, on the body of Chas. Fite, found in precinct 14 of the county of Lincoln, territory of New Mexico, find that the deceased came to his death by reason of being run over by a switch engine while crossing the track, said engine being operated by G. L. Boyd, on Feb. 8, at about 3.45 p.m.

Witness our hands this 8th day of February, 1909.

S. W. Perry, justice of peace;  
M. G. Paden, J. H. Skinner,  
George Spence, Clay Van  
Schoyck, John Adams, C.  
Spence."

The deceased had been several years in the employ of the company at this point, having come here from Alamogordo, when the division was changed. He leaves a wife and two children, the younger being only three or four weeks old. The funeral took place Wednesday from the

Spence Undertaking Parlors and was largely attended. Much sympathy is felt for the widow and orphans, in their loss of husband and father.

## HALF MILLION DOLLAR SCHOOL BOND ISSUE

One of the most important measures ever enacted by a New Mexico legislature and a measure that is most likely to be most far reaching in its effects upon the development of the territory, was enacted Tuesday when both houses made a special order of the bill to issue \$500,000 in school bonds for the support and upbuilding of the common schools of the territory.

Both houses considered the bill in committee of the whole, the house in the morning, where it passed by unanimous vote, and the council in the afternoon, where there was one vote against this measure, and this one cast by Senator Hewitt, of Lincoln County, was not because of opposition to the bond issue, but because he objected to its passage without further time for its consideration. The reason for putting the bill through the legislature had practically unanimous approval and was because it was desired to get the bill before congress as quickly as possible in order that it may be approved at the present session.

The presence of Governor Curry and a number of other New Mexicans at Washington now and the fact that they desire to return home in a few days, made it necessary to pass the bill without any delay, in order that they might be able to present to congress the reasons for its approval.

## GOVERNOR REFUSES REQUISITION FOR MULLEN.

Santa Fe, N. M., Feb. 8.—It is now up to Iowa to make a showing that J. W. Mullen of Alamogordo is a fugitive from justice and is guilty of violating the laws of that state. Governor Curry has refused to grant the requisition for Mullen and sustained the contention of Attorney J. E. Wharton to the effect that Iowa has not shown that Mullen is a fugitive or that he has committed any crime in the state of Iowa. The governor has admitted him to bail in the sum of \$1,000 which was furnished at once and Mr. Mullen and his lawyer left here for Alamogordo.

Both Mullen and his attorney are not inclined to talk at length about the case, but both charge that it has been an effort to get Mullen out of New Mexico and into trouble while certain suits affecting the Sacramento Valley Irrigation company, in which he is interested are being tried in this territory. Mr. Wharton is confident that his client will not be taken back to Iowa, as he has been granted the right to respond to any showing which the state of Iowa may make in the case.

## A WRECK NEAR ANCHO.

A southbound freight was wrecked about three miles north of Ancho, Monday afternoon about three o'clock, the engine and fourteen cars being ditched.

Engineer Cook and his fireman remained at their posts till the last moment and escaped from the wreck uninjured, but brakeman Hoffman sustained a fracture of the hip.

The train consisted of about forty heavy loads of coal and coke, and was in charge of Conductor Manny.

The section gang, in the course of making some repairs, had removed two rails and stationed a flagman to stop any approaching train, and it is believed that it was owing to the negligence of the flagman that the train was ditched. The train was traveling slowly at the time which probably averted a more disastrous wreck. A curve in the road prevented the train crew from seeing the danger until it was too late to stop the train, and the only thing left for the engineer and fireman to do was to reverse the engine and depend upon it to keep right side up.

The officials at the front were notified and a wrecking crew hurried to the wreck, but all traffic was delayed for several hours.

W. J. Doering was in White Oaks this week installing a lighting plant in the S. C. Wiener Mercantile store. The store presents an attractive appearance in the evenings since the new lights were put in, and the satisfied expression on the face of its good looking proprietor indicates that he is as proud of the new lighting apparatus as he is of his pet Reo.

## A MINER'S OPINION OF THE NEW CAMP OF SYLVANITE.

A. H. Norton of Jicarilla returned Saturday from a two-weeks trip to the much-advertised camp of Sylvanite. Norton is a practical miner and prospector, and knows a lode, lead, ledge or mineral deposit when he sees one, and although he traversed the camp from one end to the other he claims he failed to see anything worth looking at. However considerable work is going on, and new comers are arriving daily. Every foot of ground is staked within a radius of twenty miles. He did not wish to be understood as saying there was no gold there, as there may be, but as far as he could see it yet remains to be found. Water has to be carried ten miles on burros, and sells at fifty cents a bucket, and everything else in proportion. During his two weeks absence he traveled close to a thousand miles, visited several other mining camps, but nowhere saw better indications for gold mining than may be seen in this county.

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Carrizozo, N. M.

**English Keen Observers.**

Our English cousins are becoming great observers of trifles. Therefore, one is not surprised to find in a London paper this comment on certain national characteristics: "Detection of foreigners is easiest at table. On Sunday this writer happened to be lunching at the Cafe Royal, where you may see more strangers to the square inch than in any London restaurant. While waiting for our food we speculated on the differences. And when a man or a woman held on to the fork we decided that this was English. For an American cuts the food and then eats it from the fork in the right hand. Those left-hand fork people, on aural investigation, were English. Over against us is a man whose hand and fingers are all conversational. They dart from face to the infinite, returning with a touch on the nose. In a second he jumps up to accede to the demands of a lady—his companion—who has forgotten the third button from the top of her blouse. His knife goes into the salt and his hands seek the gilded roof in surprise, protest, and the Britisher sits with knife and fork at the insular poise and knows that the man whose five fingers are in the air and whose knife is on the floor is a Latin. The pivot of the German's table manners is the table knife. He cherishes it, uses it, retains it, as the implement not only of feeding, but of argument. If you see a man waving a knife in the air in a discussion and hanging on to it when the waiter comes to change the plates, he is German."

It is being made plainer every day that the remedy for reckless running of automobiles must come largely from within. It is impossible for the police and constabulary to cover the entire ground. The automobilists should make their influence felt by frowning upon daring drivers and insisting upon the severest punishment of those who are constantly taking murderous risks.

In declining to entertain a neighborhood complaint against a crying baby, the Brookline health authorities show a proper appreciation of their responsibilities. It is their obvious duty to promote the birth rate as well as to reduce the death rate. Give the infants a chance to vociferate and multiply.

Turkey imported 6,000,000 pounds of soap last year. Young Turkey's apparent determination to wash the grime of centuries from its face will commend itself to the considerate judgment of mankind.

The German lieutenant who proposed to a Chicago girl by cable was only carrying out, says the New York World, the army theory that campaigns should be conducted at a distance from the firing line.

According to Dr. Sven Hedin, the Swedish explorer, the famous Asiatic river, Brahmaputra, rises from an enormous glacier in the northernmost Himalaya mountains.

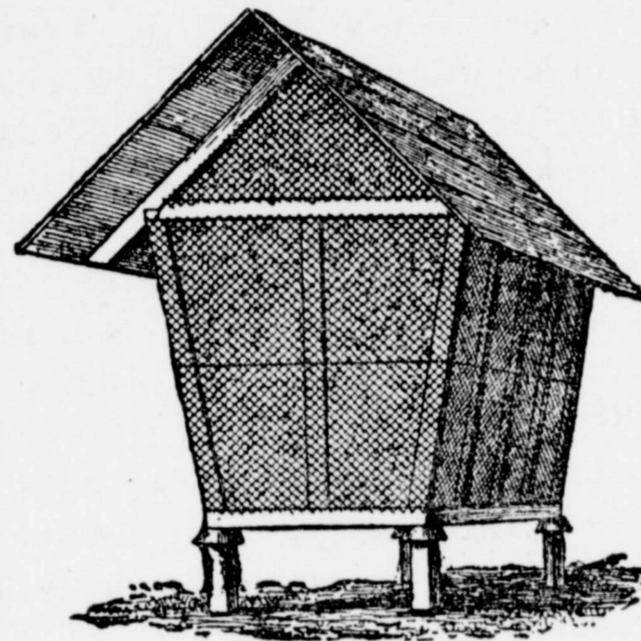
The three leading sugar refineries of Japan have put up \$245,000 gold as a guaranty to an agreement that their combined production would be restricted to 279,000 bags.



**WIRE FENCE CORN CRIB.**

**It Is Inexpensive But It Will Keep Out the Rats.**

In the drawing is shown a handy, inexpensive corn crib, which possesses several advantages not possessed by the ordinary slat corn crib, says the Orange Judd Farmer. It is made on 4x4 posts, with pans at their summits, to prevent rats from climbing in. The sills are 4x4, scantlings 2x4, and two feet apart. The fencing is nailed to these on all sides, and the door frame is similarly covered. The roof is



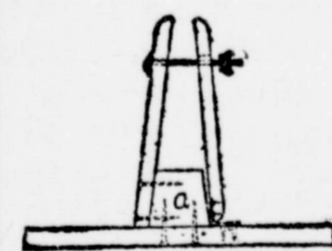
Novel Corn Crib.

made wide, so as to shed all possible water. The height, length and width may suit the farmer's convenience. A convenient width is about five feet at the floor, widening to seven feet at the eaves. Owing to the very open nature of this crib, corn dries more quickly than in a slat crib, and as there is less chance for water to lodge in the cracks, the crib will be more durable than if built entirely of wood.

**MENDING BROKEN HARNESS.**

**Make a Harness Horse and Learn to Sew the Leather.**

Quit patching your harness with wire and twine and learn to sew and rivet it. Make a horse for holding the straps to be sewed. Take a piece of hard wood, a three inch cube and taper it 2 1/2 inches wide at the top,



then take two pieces three inches wide and ten inches long to be used as jaws. Nail one of these solid to the tapering piece and hinge the other to the bottom board, as shown. Put a bolt through the jaws with a thumb screw so you can tighten or loosen it with your fingers. The crosspiece at the bottom, explains the Farm and Home, should be about six inches wide and 16 inches long. You can place this on a box and sit on it while sewing. A good awl and some waxed ends complete the outfit.

**Plaster Paris for Rats.**

The rats overran the barn and corn cribs and poisoning proved of no avail. Now all are gone and this is how I cleared them out: Procure some plaster paris and cracked corn, not too coarse. Mix dry in proportion of one-fourth plaster paris to three-fourths meal and place in their runs where it will keep dry. The rats eat it readily and as the plaster paris hardens in the stomach and intestines it is good-bye, Mr. Rat.

**Journalistic Notes.**

There is no foundation for the rumor that our contemporary, the Egyptian Daily Post, is starting a "Page for the Home," to be conducted by "Mummy."—London Globe.

**TO MEASURE AND MIX CONCRETE.**

**Points Which Should Be Remembered to Do Good Job.**

In the making of concrete a few rules should be laid down and followed. Concerning these rules Frank R. Crane of Illinois mentions the following points:

1. Measure exact amounts of each part.
2. Mix thoroughly and not too long a time should elapse between the time of applying the water and the putting of the mixing board. Mix this thoroughly. Remember that cement will set in from 20 to 30 minutes and should not be disturbed after that time has passed else the concrete loses its strength.

The proper manner of mixing is to spread the sand and cement first upon a mixing board. Mix this thoroughly, adding enough water when mixed to bring it to the consistency of mortar. Then add the proper quantities of crushed rock, mixing all together, after which it is ready for use. In this manner the sand grains are all covered with the finer particles of cement and the crushed rock when added has all voids filled with a temperate mixture. This undoubtedly gives us the greatest strength for material used.

A very common method, however, is to mix all three parts at one time while yet dry and then to mix with water until the mixture will pack well and handle with a shovel.

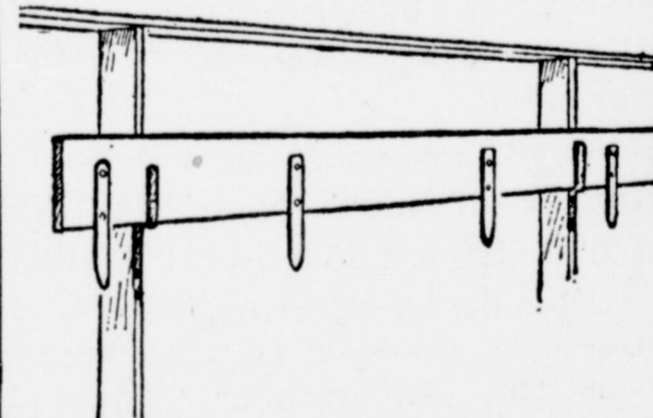
In two weeks' time concrete gains strength sufficient for ordinary use, although 60 days should elapse before given a full load.

Do not allow concrete work to dry out fast, as cracks will appear. It should be protected from the sun for from three to five days and sprinkled with water so as to insure even setting throughout the concrete.

**PLACE FOR TOP BOX BOARDS.**

**Make an Iron Bracket in Which to Slip Them When Not in Use.**

The best way I have found to keep the top box boards of the wagon from the ground, where they are often run over and broken, explains a correspondent of the Iowa Homestead, is to make two iron brackets out of old rake wheel or cultivator wheel tires,



Top Box Board Rack.

as shown in the cut. Bolt these up against the inside of your wagon shed and place the top boards in them.

**The Clover Crop.**

Clover is rich in protein and is a crop which should be grown by every farmer wherever possible to raise it. Next to alfalfa, it is the best roughage crop grown. Even with alfalfa it is advisable to have some clover to feed as a variety. All classes of cattle and sheep and hogs like it and thrive upon it. It is rich in muscle building material and is better to feed than bran at \$20 a ton. Good clover hay should be bright in color and never black. There are many kinds of clover and in selecting seed buy only from reliable dealers and be governed by the experience of those you know have made a success of growing this fine hay.

**Human Nature.**

It's human nature for most of us to expect credit afterwards for the good things we do unconsciously.

**Tumbles.**

After all, falling 4,000 feet with a balloon isn't always as bad as stepping on a banana peel.

**BED-BOUND FOR MONTHS.**

**Hope Abandoned After Physicians' Consultation.**

Mrs. Enos Shearer, Yew and Washington Sts., Centralia, Wash., says:

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Merry Knight—Ha, ha! That shows it is an advantage sometimes to have a draw back.

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## OF YELLOW CHIFFON

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Quite like an old picture is the costume shown. The gown illustrated was of yellow chiffon, with a garniture of white chiffon embroidered in gold and a sash of black satin. The most remarkable feature of the costume is the sleeves, which suggest



Yellow and White Chiffon Costume.

somewhat the plate mail of the old knight's armor, with a top piece of chain mail.

The chemisette of the costume is of ivory chiffon laid in horizontal plaits, the collar being of the same, finished with a frill of the material doubled.

### HOW TO MAKE TRIMMINGS.

Clever Girl Can Save Much Drain on Her Purse.

This is to be a season of trimmings, and the girl who is clever enough to make her own can save her purse. One of the easiest for home manufacture is thick cotton cord covered with bias silk sewed on the machine and then used in the form of braiding.

As the cord is large the work is quickly done when sewed into curves, scrolls or circles. It is specially effective on net or mousseline. It is sewed by hand with loose stitches.

Another showy trimming that can be made at home is from bands of flowered silk cut to outline flowers and applied to white or ecru mousseline de soie or chiffon. The raw edges are finished with a gold or silver cord, very narrow, or with a ruffle of the narrowest ribbon that can be bought.

### Lace Negliges.

Lace matinees sound delightfully coquettish and just a bit extravagant, but in reality they are the most prac-

A band of black satin is used to border this chemisette, and this is finished at the lower corners with a large chiffon flower, from which depends a cluster of gilded balls attached by gold cord. The rest of the bodice is made of the embroidered chiffon, the sleeves being made of the tucked or plaited ivory chiffon and finished with a double frill extending well over the hand. The sash is of black satin draped, two long ends finished with black tassels hanging from the left side. At the point of the girdle from which the ends depend there is a round ornament of gold, black and yellow, from which a cluster of the small golden balls hangs.

### Short Circulars for Walking.

Though the long skirt is had has been for a year past the fashionable skirt, considered from the viewpoint of the woman who usually goes about in a carriage and also in the opinion of her sister who walks more frequently than she rides, it is not a suitable skirt for shopping or long journeys. Moreover, the American winter is not one to which the practice of wearing a long skirt for walking purposes is well adapted, and while the majority of the fair sex intend to keep abreast of the clinging effects demanded by the fashions of the hour, the majority will be content to wear them in a modified form. Hence the short, circular skirt will undoubtedly be the popular walking skirt of the autumn and winter. No woman or tailor can truthfully predict at this moment what the spring will bring forth.

### Color Reliefs Effective.

It is by the means of waistcoats, collars, cuffs and pocket flaps that the necessary color reliefs are given to the most stunning of the directoire costumes, whether they be of the long or short skirted type. In the instance of many of the black, dark brown, chardon, pastel and navy blue costumes there are often noted entire waistcoats, collar insets, cuff and pocket-piping of biscuit, mode or pearl gray broadcloth, and there are various practical suggestions in the way that some of these relief effects are treated. The waistcoat, for instance, although of so light a color, is protected from soiling by a bordering of dark fancy or soutache braid.

tical things imaginable and to be evolved from whatever transparencies may be in the catch-all trunk. They are made on empire lines, as are most of the negligees of the moment, the tops being of what you will—plaited net, chiffon or embroidered muslin. They are scarcely more than yokes as they extend an inch below the arm-size, and onto them are plaited, closely or scantily, according to the length of the piece of all over lace or flouncing at hand, the lower portion of the jacket. It should extend some distance below the hips, but if too narrow to accomplish that result let it go to the waist line and then piece it out with deep lace or net frilling. The sleeves, which are merely elbow puffs, may match either the upper or the lower portion of the garment.

### Protecting Patent Leather.

The girl who still wears patent leather shoes or pumps will find that she can keep them in better condition if they are cleaned frequently in sweet oil. They should be wiped off first with clean cheesecloth, then the oil rubbed in with the fingers or with a small sponge.

### IT DID.



Mr. Holesale—So old Pepperpot had a kick coming on that last bill of goods, eh? Wouldn't that make you sore?

Mr. Litewate (the salesman)—It did me, sir. He kicked me out.

### Uncle Ben Liked Her.

A Kansas City girl recently married a man who lives in one of the smaller near-by towns, and went there with him to live. The bridegroom was naturally eager that his relatives should like his bride and as one, an old farmer, voiced no complimentary opinion in his hearing he at last asked:

"Uncle Ben, what do you think of my wife?"

"Wal, for a fact, George," responded the old fellow, "you shore outmarried yourself."—Kansas City Times.

### A Riddle.

An English paper recently asked its readers for an answer to the following riddle:

What does a man love more than life, Hate more than death or mortal strife;

That which contented men desire, The poor have, and the rich require; A miser spends, the spendthrift saves, And all men carry to their graves?

All sorts of answers were sent in, but the correct one was declared to be "Nothing."

### Hadherway.

The oddest named country home is in Jackson county, according to a Columbian who is a friend of the owner. The name as it appears at the front gate is "Hadherway," and never fails to attract attention from passersby. For years the wife wanted to leave Kansas City and go to a farm. When the family finally moved they named the home "Hadherway."—Columbia Herald.

### UPWARD START

After Changing from Coffee to Postum.

Many a talented person is kept back because of the interference of coffee with the nourishment of the body.

This is especially so with those whose nerves are very sensitive, as is often the case with talented persons. There is a simple, easy way to get rid of coffee evils and a Tenn. lady's experience along these lines is worth considering. She says:

"Almost from the beginning of the use of coffee it hurt my stomach. By the time I was fifteen I was almost a nervous wreck, nerves all unstrung, no strength to endure the most trivial thing, either work or fun.

"There was scarcely anything I could eat that would agree with me. The little I did eat seemed to give me more trouble than it was worth. I finally quit coffee and drank hot water, but there was so little food I could digest, I was literally starving; was so weak I could not sit up long at a time.

"It was then a friend brought me a hot cup of Postum. I drank part of it and after an hour I felt as though I had had something to eat—felt strengthened. That was about five years ago, and after continuing Postum in place of coffee and gradually getting stronger, to-day I can eat and digest anything I want, walk as much as I want. My nerves are steady.

"I believe the first thing that did me any good and gave me an upward start, was Postum, and I use it altogether now instead of coffee." "There's a Reason."

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During the Honeymoon. She looked at him appealingly. "You don't love me any more," she pouted. "Don't love you any more!" he echoed in astonishment. "Why, only a minute ago I kissed you I don't know how many times." "But you stopped to take breath," she demurred.—Young's Magazine.

### Secrets of Trade.

"A hammock large enough for two?" echoed the dealer. "Do you want it with or without?"

"With or without what?" asked the girl.

"Crowding," replied the dealer, smiling at her ignorance.

Then she gave her order in a whisper.—Philadelphia Ledger.

### In a Receptive Mood.

"Do you accept articles here?" asked the caller with the long hair as he entered the country newspaper office.

"Sure thing!" replied the whiskered editor. "What ye got—kindling wood or vegetables?"—Yonkers Statesman.

### The Last Thing He Did.

The Powder Manufacturer—"Fancy old Bill, of all people, going into the gunpowder-shed with a lighted candle. I should have thought that that would be the last thing he'd do."

The Workman—"Which, properly speakin', it were, sir."—The Sketch.

### The Constant Sex.

Ted—What's that high-flown name you have in your note book?

Ned—For the life of me I can't recollect whether it's the name of a girl I was engaged to last summer or that of the Pullman car I rode in.

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### HARD ON THE TOPERS.

Among the house bills introduced in the territorial legislature this week is a bill to license drinkers of intoxicating liquors. The bill provides that each man who desires to drink intoxicating liquors must pay \$5 for a license, the money to go in the school fund for indigent pupils. The license must contain full description of the person to whom issued such as color of eyes and hair, height, age, etc., must appear on the back thereof and no license will be transferable. The saloon-keeper is required to use due diligence in finding out that the holder of the license is the right party and if any liquor dealer sells liquor to any person without a license he is liable to a fine for each and every offense ranging from \$5 to \$50 or must serve a jail sentence if such fine is not paid. The bill is now in the hands of the committee on education for consideration.

One hundred years ago today Abraham Lincoln saw the light of day in a little log cabin in Kentucky. He, in early childhood, was taken to Indiana by his parents, and later went to Illinois, in which state he gained a national reputation in his contest with Douglas for the United States senatorship in a series of joint debates being the first of that character in our history. Defeat was his portion, but it brought him the nomination and election to the presidency in 1860. During his incumbency negro slavery was abolished and the secession of the southern states, by the most stupendous war in the annals of any country, prevented. The south, therefore, claims the honor of his birth, the north his achievements and, since the passions of war have subsided, the entire country unites in paying homage to his memory. Born in poverty and obscurity, he lived to serve the people in the highest and most dignified position within their power to give, and died by the hand of an assassin, at the crowning moment of his career, a week after the cessation of hostilities between the Union and Confederate armies.

## HOME.

Home is the greatest school of life. Few can receive the honors of a college education, but all are graduates of home. The learning of the university may fade, its knowledge may moulder in the halls of memory, but the simple lessons of home impressed upon the hearts of childhood, defy the rust of years and outline the vivid picture of life. "Mid pleasures and palaces we may roam. Be it ever so humble, there is no place like home."

If there is heroism in the field there is equal heroism in many a home which the world knows nothing about, which only angels see. There are fathers who grandly struggle against the tides of fate, and never lisp the secret of their despair whose young dreams have all faded, but who patiently bear their allotted burden with what tries to be resignation. There are noble women whose domestic afflictions would crush them if they were not heroines, who silently suffer and make the most of their disappointed years. They sing in the minor, but still they sing, so the world thinks them happy when they are only brave.

There are men whose nightly return to their homes always means needless misery to their households. They find fault with their dinners, with their household bills, with the children and with everything else. They make sarcastic remarks that burn and scarify the sensitive souls of their wives. They carry home the worries of business. They "take it out" of their families for everything that has gone wrong in the day's work, and some are cowards enough to revenge upon the innocent and helpless those wrongs and affronts which they have not had courage enough to resist and resent upon the offender. P. C. BAIRD.

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Has Opened a Butcher Shop in the old  
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The Best Brands of  
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## WELCH & TITSWORTH.

CAPITAN.

Wm. S. Bourne is in town today from Capitan.

Charles Spence was a visitor from White Oaks Tuesday.

George Murray was up Saturday and Sunday from Tularosa.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Reily went to Alamogordo yesterday.

Joe Ashford, postmaster at Oscura, was in Carrizozo Wednesday.

T. Howard was over from Capitan few days this week on school business.

J. E. Koonce of Nogal is assisting in taking stock this week in People's store.

Perry Hightower of Capitan now holds the ribbons on the Capitan fast express.

John H. Greer of Nogal spent three or four days here this week renewing acquaintance.

Mrs. Dr. Frick went over to Capitan yesterday to join her husband at Fort Stanton.

Joe Holzmen, of the Holzman Mercantile company of Carona, spent Sunday in Capitan.

Attorney Geo. B. Barber came up from Lincoln yesterday, and will be here several days.

Harty S. Comrey was down from Ancho Wednesday. He returned the following day.

H. H. McWilliams came over from Capitan yesterday, and boarded the Limited for El Paso.

Mrs. Dr. Dryden returned from the East this week, and went out to Parsons yesterday to join her husband.

Our neighbors in Corona are preparing to let the contract for a ten thousand dollar school building.

W. Roundtree passed through Tuesday night from Las Angeles on a visit to his brother at Corona.

Miss Annis Fewell, who resides beyond White Oaks, was in Carrizozo this week, visiting young lady friends.

J. H. Charles, of Roswell, a cattle dealer, was in Carrizozo yesterday, talking stock to our ranchmen.

The Southwestern painting car is side-tracked here, and company buildings, needing painting, will be attended to before it leaves.

J. M. Rice, manager of the Eagle mining company's property at Parsons, left on the evening train Sunday for Chicago.

Mrs. Jennie Cole and family, wife of John Cole, of Ruidoso, were visiting the family of W. S. Kirby of this place the past week.

Attorney A. H. Hudspeth of White Oaks returned last Sunday from Santa Fe where he was summoned the previous week on legal business.

Fred Ferguson, employed in the painting department of the Southwestern, came in from the northend Saturday. He expects to be detained here several weeks before going south.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Cofer entertained the semi-occasional card club last Friday evening. Mrs. Lumsden secured the first prize and Miss Georgia Lesnet had to be content with the other.

John H. Canning left Saturday night for the East, on a shopping expedition for the Carrizozo Trading Co. The company expects to show an attractive line of goods the coming season.

Valentine's Day, February 14, will fall on Sunday, but it is likely that the sending of love missives and the other "doings" incidental to that historic day will come off on Saturday.

W. W. Slack, of the Slack Bros. lumber company, came down from Holloway Wednesday, and left the following day for the White mountain country on business which will detain him several weeks.

Tommie Roberts left Sunday night for Midland, Montana, where he intends to remain indefinitely. Before leaving he ordered the News forwarded to the above address.

W. T. Crabtree of Corona came in Tuesday morning and returned the same evening. He was on the train that was ditched near Ancho Monday afternoon, and luckily escaped without injury.

N. B. Taylor has been quite ill the past week, suffering from an attack of erysipelas. His head and face are the parts affected, and the disease became serious before its spread was checked. He is slightly better, but yet far from well.

J. A. Montgomery of Fort Worth, Texas, who has been visiting his nephew, Robt. Hurt, at Capitan, the past week, returned to this point Tuesday and left the following day for California, where he intends to spend the winter.

A terrific sandstorm from the south passed over this county on Monday. All outside work was suspended, and it was next to impossible to be on the streets without goggles. It was a just taste of what they have been getting in other parts of the country.

# AMBITION REALIZED

PRINCE FERDINAND ORDERED CROWN MADE TEN YEARS AGO.

Design Made But Plans Made to Make Him Monarch Fell Through—New Ruler of Bulgaria as He Is—Fond of Music.

London.—It is exactly ten years ago that Ferdinand of Bulgaria had his first inclination to become a king. He was not content with the common or garden title of prince, since in his hands lay the reins of government of a not inconsiderable state. In 1898 he openly announced that he wished to become king, but at that time Bulgaria would have none of it. Ferdinand has never dropped this, his pet



Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria.

ambition. Moreover, his mother, Princess Clementine, was as anxious as he was that her son should reign as king, and so she ordered from a Munich jeweler a crown of surprising grandeur, in which she promised to set some of the brightest jewels from the family collection of the Saxe-Coburg-Gothas. She even went a step further, and commissioned one of the greatest artists in Bavaria to prepare a special design at a handsome fee for the crown. The design was delivered and approved, but the artist failed to receive a check, and when he gently insinuated that one would be acceptable he was informed that as soon as the crown was made he should receive it. Subsequently Ferdinand gave up the idea of being crowned a king till the other day.

It is an open secret that for some time Ferdinand has been doing his best to work his way into the hearts of his people—the very people whom, but a few years ago, he always addressed and treated as dogs. He refused at one time to go among them, for he publicly said that they were the most unwashed race in Europe. He probably was right, but the truth did not sound well, falling as it did from his lips. Most of his time is devoted to sports, for he does little or no work. He is always hunting or shooting; fishing is another favorite pastime of his. He is Russian in appearance, with the Russian beard, and the cold, gray eyes. The only one of the arts to which Ferdinand is inclined is music, and he plays atrociously on the violin. But at heart he loves good music, and will go out of his way to hear it. He is a man who would not recognize the gravity of his situation, and if his country were setting out to war to-morrow, he would sleep soundly in his bed of nights.

The other Ferdinand, namely Archduke Ferdinand of Austria, the heir-presumptive to the Austrian throne, is announced to be the wire-puller in the present instance, though most people

prefer to look further north. The archduke, it may be said, is a whole-some hater of Britain, and his antagonism to this country has only been quashed, when about to be openly displayed, by the emperor himself. The archduke has approached the throne by a devious route. The real heir, Archduke Rudolf, the son and favorite of the aged monarch, committed suicide in some gardens in a fit of dementia in 1889, owing to an entanglement he had been thrown into with a lady. The emperor's younger brother, Karl, was the next heir, but he had the drawback of the Hapsburgs, namely weakness of character, and when he died the present archduke, a man of 42 or thereabouts, came next to the emperor.

The archduke is unlike a Hapsburg except in appearance. He is erratic and callous, a schemer, shrewd, wilful, yet withal a man of courage. He distinguished himself a short time ago by plunging into a roaring torrent at the base of a mountain to save the life of a shepherd boy, who had fallen in and was drowning, and, being a strong swimmer, he succeeded in dragging the half-dead youth to land.

## HISTORIC CHAPEL TO BE RAZED.

Mexico's Oldest Church Will Give Place to a Fountain.

City of Mexico, Mexico.—The Concepcion chapel, the oldest Christian church in the City of Mexico, is to be torn down to make place for a fountain, according to the plans of the city government. This little church, so tiny that only a few people can enter it at a time, stands in the Piazzuela de Concepcion, on first Calle de San Lorenzo, just a step to the north and to the east of Orrin's circus. It is now a melancholy and deserted ruin, a most depressing eyesore, indeed, and yet its restoration and preservation and not its destruction seemed its logical fate.

The story goes that this little chapel was built by the Spaniards soon after they reached the capital, on ground given them by the Aztecs that they might worship their gods. Here the first mass ever said in Mexico was sung by the priests of the army of the conqueror. The chapel was used for a long time, and then as larger parish churches were built it and its kind were largely abandoned as places of worship. Most of the old chapels were destroyed from time to time, and only this was left.

It had for long years, however, a single priest who cared for it, a Franciscan monk, whose name has been forgotten, but who held the services and said the masses and so kept the demon of destruction away from this little chapel. It was called Santa Lucrecia in those days, though now it is known as La Concepcion.

When the monk died, no more services were held, but the head of the Concepcion convent, across the street, claimed the chapel, and refused to let it be destroyed. Then came the laws of reform, and the chapel passed into the possession of Jose Maria Castillo y Velasco, and a Spaniard, they purchasing it for the sum of \$3,000.

The government then bought it for the sum of \$6,000, and it was used as a resting place for the bodies of the poor. Later this poor function was taken from it, and it was closed, and has so remained to this day.

### Something Soulful.

"You are going to say something soulful," declared the fiancee. "I see it in your lovely eyes."

"What I was going to say is this," responded the fiancee. "Won't you wear a rubber band around your head nights, so as to train your ears not to stick out?"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

### Best Patent Laws.

American patent laws seem to be the most satisfactory of any country, and it is probable that the statutes of many countries will be changed in the near future to conform with those of the United States.

### The Only Use He Knew.

The "head of the family" was reading the vivid account of the departure of the Israelites from the land of Egypt, and the four-year-old son listened with intense interest.

At length the reader came to the passage, "And Moses took the bones of Joseph with him," when the boy, whose limited experience had taught him only one use for such articles, shocked his staid relatives by crying in excited amazement:

"To make soup wiv?"—Harper's Monthly.

### Comforting.

Jones (sick)—My dear, what will you do if I should die.

Mrs. Jones—Is your insurance all paid up?"

Jones—Yes, dear.

Mrs. Jones—I'd have the loveliest mourning gown that's ever been seen on this street.—Toledo Blade.

It isn't safe to judge by appearances. The man who acts ferociously abroad may be as meek as a lamb at home.

Use Allen's Foot-Ease. Cures tired, aching, sweating feet. 25c. Trial package free. A. S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Never part without loving words to think of during your absence. It may be that you will not meet again in life.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

There are no vacations in the school for scandal.

**CANDY** For famous and delicious candies and chocolates, write to the maker for catalog, wholesale or retail. Gunther's Confectionery, 212 State Street, Chicago, Ill.

**PATENTS** Watson E. Coleman, Washington, D.C. Books free. Highest references. Best results.

W. N. U., DENVER, NO. 47, 1908.

Here's where the wear comes. Children's shoes need strong soles. Buster Brown Shoes have soles that wear. Mothers say they never saw children's soles wear so well.

**BUSTER BROWN Blue Ribbon SHOES**  
For youngsters, \$1.50 to \$2.50

White House Shoes for grown-ups. Ask your dealer for them.

**THE BROWN SHOE CO., Makers, St. Louis, U. S. A.**

## For Croup Tonsilitis and Asthma



A quick and powerful remedy is needed to break up an attack of croup. Sloan's Liniment has cured many cases of croup. It acts instantly—when applied both inside and outside of the throat it breaks up the phlegm, reduces the inflammation, and relieves the difficulty of breathing.

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gives quick relief in all cases of asthma, bronchitis, sore throat, tonsilitis, and pains in the chest. Price, 25c., 50c., and \$1.00.

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**Mayer's HONORBILT SHOES FOR MEN**

These splendid men's shoes represent the best there is in shoe leather. Every piece of material is of the choicest tannage. The workmanship is perfect; the styles are up-to-date. When it comes to service, there is nothing that equals them in lasting qualities.

**"HONORBILT" SHOES** are everything the name implies. They are "built on honor." No matter where you look, or what you pay, you will never find anything that will outclass them in wear, style or comfort.

If your dealer will not supply you, write to us. Look for the Mayer Trade Mark on the sole.

FREE—Send us the name of a dealer who does not handle Mayer Honorbilt Shoes, and we will send you free, postpaid, a beautiful picture of George Washington, size 15 x 20.

We also make Leading Lady Shoes, Martha Washington Comfort Shoes, Yerma Cushion Shoes and Special Merit School Shoes.

**F. Mayer Boot & Shoe Co. MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN**

THE NEWEST MODE.



Susie—What does the new baby at your house look like? Is it nice?  
Sammy—Must be the latest thing in babies. Maw's as tickled over it as if it just come from the milliner's.

**SEVERE HEMORRHOIDS**

Sores, and Itching Eczema—Doctor Thought an Operation Necessary—Cuticura's Efficacy Proven.

"I am now 80 years old, and three years ago I was taken with an attack of piles (hemorrhoids), bleeding and protruding. The doctor said the only help for me was to go to a hospital and be operated on. I tried several remedies for months but did not get much help. During this time sores appeared which changed to a terrible itching eczema. Then I began to use Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Pills, injecting a quantity of Cuticura Ointment with a Cuticura Suppository Syringe. It took a month of this treatment to get me in a fairly healthy state and then I treated myself once a day for three months and, after that, once or twice a week. The treatments I tried took a lot of money, and it is fortunate that I used Cuticura. J. H. Henderson, Hopkinton, N. Y., Apr. 26, 1907."

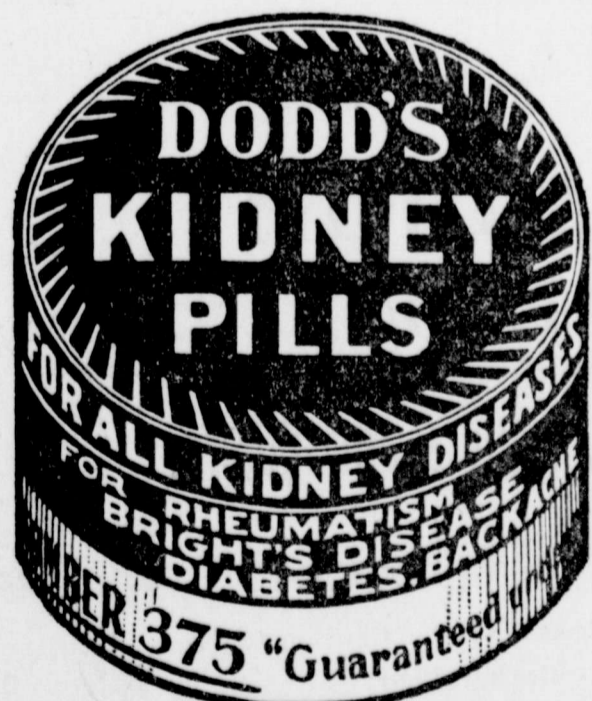
**Not Till Then.**

Percy—I dreamed last night that you had accepted me. What does that signify?  
Edith—That you will marry me.  
Percy—Ah! When?  
Edith—When you dream again!—London Opinion.

**Important to Mothers.**

Examine carefully every bottle of **CASTORIA** a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* In Use For Over 30 Years. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Some young men seem to think it better to have loved and lost than never to have lost at all.



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**CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.** Positively cured by these Little Pills. They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable. **SMALL PILL. SMALL DOSE. SMALL PRICE.**

**CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.** Genuine Must Bear Fac-Simile Signature *Brentwood* REFUSE SUBSTITUTES.

**Washington Whisperings**

Interesting Bits of News Gathered at the National Capital.

**Next Mistress of the White House**



WASHINGTON.—When Mrs. Roosevelt leaves Washington next March her place as "first lady of the land" and mistress of the White House will be taken by a woman gracious and tactful, of broad culture and intellectual strength, a fit hostess for the presidential mansion and a fit helpmeet for the president.

Mrs. William Howard Taft is no stranger to the White House. During her husband's term of secretary of war she was a frequent guest of Mrs. Roosevelt's and almost invariably held her place in the receiving line at the large presidential receptions.

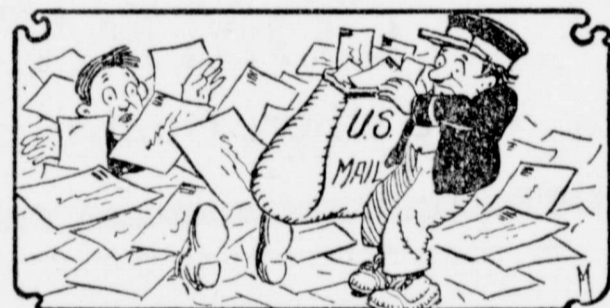
In her girlhood days Mrs. Taft, then Helen Herron, was the house guest for several weeks of President and Mrs. Hayes. This visit is said to be one

of Mrs. Taft's most highly-prized recollections, but it may be that in the earlier day in the White House no thought entered the head of the young girl guest that one day she would be mistress of the mansion.

The new cares and social duties which Mrs. Taft will have to take on may tax her strength to the utmost, but it is probably true that there could not be found a woman better fitted for the place than the wife of the next president. She has individuality, strength of character and an independence of belief, added to a mind of rare cultivation, the result of years of study and travel.

So well equipped educationally is Mrs. Taft that she will not only be able to converse intelligently on subjects of public interest with her own countrymen, but being a linguist, she will be able to discourse familiarly with foreign statesmen and diplomats in their own tongues. It is said that Mrs. Taft has devoted a part of each day for years to the study of languages and music, and in both has attained a proficiency reached only by the few.

**Great Problem for Country Life Body**



THOUSANDS of the half million farmers, teachers, physicians, business men and others who were invited to co-operate with the commission on country life have already sent in replies to the list of questions asked them, although the ink is hardly dry on the printed sheets rushed out to them.

The members of the commission which was appointed by President Roosevelt to conduct this extensive inquiry into the conditions of farm life the country over, have a problem of perhaps greater magnitude to work out than ever came before a similar commission. Not only is the subject of the inquiry one of great importance, but the breadth of its scope is such as to require the varied conditions of the whole country to be taken into account. The amount of work involved will hardly be realized by the casual reader. The mere reading of the letters which are flooding in each day in answer to the questions is a difficult, though most interesting, task, for the commission's incoming

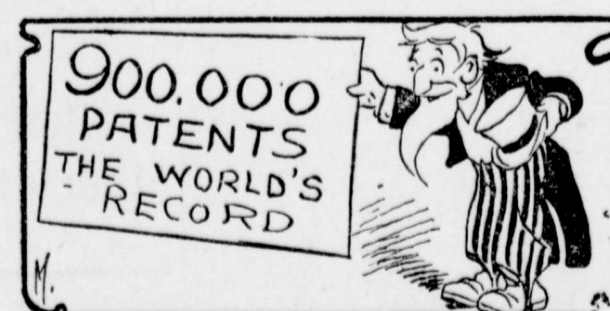
mail is running from 3,000 to 5,000 pieces a day.

And this is not all. There is vastly more ahead for the commission's interest is by no means confined to those who happened to be on the list of 500,000 to whom the questions have just been mailed. Only a comparatively few of the farmers and their families could be reached in that way, and hence the newspapers have been enlisted to bring the inquiry to the attention of the widest circle of readers it is possible to reach. The field covered is so broad that it touches the interest of every one familiar with country-life conditions. This is shown by the list of questions which are being asked the people of the country.

Under each question an explanation for the reason of the condition is asked, and suggestions as to what should be done are invited. The pith of the whole matter is contained in the concluding question: What, in your judgment, is the most important single thing to be done for the general betterment of country life?

The commission is anxious to hear from everyone who is acquainted with or interested in conditions surrounding the farm, and letters will reach their destination safely if simply addressed to the Commission on Country Life, Washington, D. C. The questions may be replied to by number, or any phase of the subject discussed.

**American Patents Reach 900,000 Mark**



THE nine hundred thousandth patent from the United States patent office has been issued, and to it was attached the name of Patent Commissioner Moore.

The patent was an improvement on traveling stairs, such as are used in hotels and other large buildings, and while Mr. Moore ordinarily attaches only his last name, with his initials, he signalized the attainment of the nine hundred thousandth by using his

full name of Edward Bruce Moore.

In the early history of the nation the law required that patents should be signed by the president, and as the first one was issued during the first presidential administration it was signed by President Washington. It covered a device for making pearl ashes, and the document itself is said to be now owned by a Chicago collector. Mr. Moore estimates that the one millionth patent will be reached in the year 1911.

As going to show the inventive tendency of the American mind, as compared with other countries, Mr. Moore calls attention to the fact that notwithstanding this is among the newest of nations the total of patents issued by the United States is not very far below the total for all other countries for all time.

**Like a Dream.**

A bubble of air in the blood, a drop of water in the brain, and a man is out of gear, his machine falls to pieces, his thought vanishes, the world disappears from him like a dream at morning. On what a spider-thread is hung our individual existence. Fragility, appearance, nothingness. If it were not for our powers of self-detraction and forgetfulness, all the fairy world which surrounds and brands us would seem to us but a broken specter in the darkness—an empty appearance, a fleeting hallucination. Appeared—disappeared—there is the whole history of a man, or of a world, or of an infusoria.—Amiel.

**Deafness Cannot Be Cured**

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

**Nearly All On.**

"Hurry up, Tommy!" called mother from downstairs. "We're late now. Have you got your shoes on?"  
"Yes, mamma—all but one."—Everybody's Magazine.

**A SURGICAL OPERATION**



If there is any one thing that a woman dreads more than another it is a surgical operation.

We can state without fear of a contradiction that there are hundreds, yes, thousands, of operations performed upon women in our hospitals which are entirely unnecessary and many have been avoided by

**LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND**

For proof of this statement read the following letters.

Mrs. Barbara Base, of Kingman, Kansas, writes to Mrs. Pinkham:

"For eight years I suffered from the most severe form of female troubles and was told that an operation was my only hope of recovery. I wrote Mrs. Pinkham for advice, and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it has saved my life and made me a well woman."

Mrs. Arthur R. House, of Church Road, Moorestown, N. J., writes:

"I feel it is my duty to let people know what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I suffered from female troubles, and last March my physician decided that an operation was necessary. My husband objected, and urged me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and to-day I am well and strong."

**FACTS FOR SICK WOMEN.**

For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has positively cured thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, and backache.

Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health. Address, Lynn, Mass.

**CORONA NOTES.**

School is running along nicely since the scarlet fever died out. The attendance at present is about seventy-five, and a good interest is manifested by all. If the students continue to fall in line as fast as they have for the last two weeks a third teacher will be necessary.

When Corona gets its new school building there will be plenty of room for all pupils. It will be one of the most commodious school buildings in the county.

Following are a few of the grades of the pupils at end of first term:

Algebra—L. Simpson and Hattie Brown, E; Lucy Beaty and Mae Brown, F; Florence Fort and Lottie Parker, G.

Spelling—Loe Simpson, Hattie Brown, Bessie Dishman, Etta Holcomb, Ollie Beaty, Martha Simpson, Mitchel Sloan, Bert Penix, Joe Holcomb, E; Florence Forte, Mae Clements, Lottie Parker, Lucy Beaty, Ricnard Suttmeier, Jonnie Potter, Elwood Bond, Ila Simpson, Emma Sultemeyer, Dora Clements, and Lessie Haynes, G.

Flag Day will be celebrated by the pupils on the 12th. It will be the one hundredth anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln.

The railroad pipe line has just reached this place. There is a reservoir in connection which will hold an abundance of water.

Several mining companies have commenced work on their properties in the Gallina mountains, close by, and the indications are that Corona will be the center of the mining district. Preparations are underway for an ore-crushing mill at one of the mines, which means that a large force of men will be put to work. It is firmly believed by those best acquainted with geological formations that the Gallinas will prove to a rich mining belt when the necessary depth has been reached.

REPORTER.

**NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.**

All able bodied men over the age of twenty one years are subject to a poll tax of one dollar for the support of the public schools of the territory of New Mexico. After February 1st, 1909, this tax is due and payable. This is to notify all persons who are liable, to come forward at once and adjust this matter and thus assist in lengthening the present term of the public school, and also relieve the School Board of the necessity of enforcing the collection of this tax.—Respectfully,

JOHN H. BOYD.

Clerk School Board, District No. 7 Carrizozo, February, 12th, 1909.

**WHERE IS MY BOY TONIGHT?**

Where is my boy tonight? You are his father or mother, and if you desire to lay your hands upon your boy within five minutes any night, you wouldn't know where to find him. He's in the street somewhere, or at the depot jumping on freight trains, but just where, with whom, in what engaged, what plotting or what executing for the shrewder ones who plot for him, you could not tell for the life of you. He has a good home and he ought to be there at night. He desires to be somewhere else with the boys, and you lack the moral courage to insist that he shall be where he should be. You hope that he will escape the pitfall, but you know the chances are against him. Why don't you do the boy the kindness to keep him home nights? The time will come when he will thank you for it or reproach you for not doing it.

The boy's friend,  
P. C. BAIRD.

**BUSINESS NOTICES.**

FOR SALE—Or will trade for team, wagon and harness, a house and three lots in the McDonald addition to Carrizozo.—See A. G. Emerson. 8-4t

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**NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned was on the 4th day of January, 1909, appointed Administrator of the Estate of Richard J. Murphy, deceased, by the Probate Court of, in and for Lincoln county, Territory of New Mexico.

Any and all persons having claims against said estate are required to file the same with the undersigned or in said Probate Court within the time prescribed by law.

WAYNE VAN SCHOYCK,  
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