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## The Carlsbad Current

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### TARIFF POINTERS.

All debate has been time cast to the winds.

The tariff bill is a finished product as far as the powers that be can fix it.

All amendments in the interest of a square deal for the people have met a common fate and are junk in the scrap pile.

The machine gang led by Aldrich et al have fixed what the bill can not do for the dear people and said what the tariff bill must do to help the trusts rob the people.

The conference committees are machine men and know what is wanted of them and are ready to deliver the goods.

A wrangle will take place in the committee room from day to day while the bill is in the hands of the conferees but the senate amendments will be accepted and if changed will be made to help the trusts get a larger slice or advantage.

The people accepted the hue and cry of the republicans that the tariff must be revised by its friends and the republican leaders have fixed up a bill that gives the trusts all they had the nerve to ask for.

The Payne-Aldrich tariff bill is as good as enacted and the friends who have done the revision turn out to be the trusts and other privilege grabbers.

Republican machine leaders have passed up all campaign pledges to the people, and given the trusts more than other tariff bills—thus the political robbers of fourteen states shape the tariff bill so as to lay all the rest of the country under tribute to their trade and money grabbers.

How do you like it?

What interest have you in a trust to be helped to rob you and your neighbor?

The trusts and syndicates put up millions to lead you to the polls and vote you against Bryan that the trusts might not get hurt.

The trusts are not hurt, but you are hurt bad; and who is to blame? You, only you.

The West, Central and Eastern states have had warm waves that caused much suffering and made the tenement sections like unto a pest house. New Mexico and the Southwest these days are getting a sample of what a hot wave can do when it gets busy. The weather of last week and Monday handed out the real thing such as burn Kansas and Nebraska into a drouth ruin, but at Carlsbad with plenty of water the warmed up land boosts the crops into a more vigorous growth.

A protracted warm wave usually brings a heavy rain. If the rule holds good this district will be well soaked ere many days. A general rain would mean better pasturage on ranch and range lands.

Hot and dry as it is and has been the second cutting of alfalfa yields a good tonnage. Irrigation commands the crop conditions. The man who depends on the sprinkling of the heavens harvests what he can get. The man who uses a water right wins with hands down.

Is it hot enough for you? How much more can you stand?

### LOS ANGELES.

A trip to the Pacific coast would not be complete without seeing Los Angeles and vicinity, which includes a half dozen trips in various directions, from and around the city. Los Angeles is a tourist's paradise for living is cheap and food of all kinds to be had reasonably. There are hundreds and even thousands of places to stop and hundreds of ways to pass the time pleasantly. But there are also shadows on this picture for the Southern Pacific and other giant monopolies have secured many natural advantages and now compel the tourists to pay twice as much as formerly to see Catalina islands and other sights. Last season the fare on small launches to go to the islands was only \$1.25 from Long Beach, but this year it is \$2.50 from San Pedro. This is caused from a company having succeeded in coming into full ownership of that portion of Los Angeles county known as Catalina Island and the people of the county who paid in taxation for improving the island and built the roads and bridges dare not even land a row boat on the shores of the island. This was brought about by the Bannings purchasing from other owners all the lands of the island and then by some smooth work convincing the county board that they (the Bannings) would save the county much if the roads were turned over to them, thus leaving the public without a place to land on the island. Then the company started a line of excursion boats to the island and charged monopoly prices, for the day of the independent skipper is over when the Catalina trip is considered. The balloon trip which is by street car from the center of town to Redondo, thence up along the beach to Santa Monica and through the Soldiers' Home and Sawtelle back to town, requires about seven hours and is worth the money. A guide accompanies the car and explains everything of interest. The national home for soldiers is well worth seeing. There are at present about 2,500 old soldiers in the home, and the place is one of the most comfortable and the climate the most salubrious of any on the Coast. Near here is the home of A. J. Bryant, a former Carlsbad painter and to whom a short visit was paid. Mr. Bryant and family seem well contented and well they may be for he has an acre of the most fertile soil on earth. He has banana, orange and lemon trees under which the Irish potatoes are growing to perfection. He has a black berry patch, a strawberry bed and hundreds of different kinds of garden truck. He waters the ground with a hose fed from iron pipes that are laid all around the place. With all the comforts Mr. Bryant has not fully recovered from home sickness, for he said: "This is a splendid climate and good soil and we can do well here, but we miss our old Carlsbad people very much, for no matter where you go you will never find in all the world a community with as many good people as Carlsbad." Jack James and family were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bryant and Bart Patrick, a former drayman of Carlsbad, was a near neighbor, so Carlsbad was well represented at Sawtelle that day. Sawtelle is practically a portion of Los Angeles, for it is only twelve miles from the center of the city almost east and only requires half an hour on the street car to reach from any portion of Los Angeles.

The city of Long Beach is twenty miles south of Los Angeles and contains about 20,000 people, all apparently living off of tourists and fish. Boats run every hour to San Pedro, some eight miles south up the coast, for here the coast line is very crooked and in going south along the beach one is really proceeding toward the north, for the line bends abruptly at Point Firmin, two miles from San Pedro, where there is a government light house located. We were shown over the light house by the gentlemanly keeper who opens it to visitors for two hours from three to five each Tuesday and Thursday. There is a unique town on the coast a few miles from Long Beach, called Naples, where it is proposed to use canals for streets and where people use gondolas and small boats to go from house to house. Then there are other towns, Ocean Park being one of the most beautiful. Tourists may be seen in droves along the beach, picking moon stones and shells, and we were no exception. Were it not for the grasp that monopoly has secured upon the people by securing control of the natural advantages the country would be much better. As it is there are nine months of every year that the sun is obscured by fog or clouds while even in summer the real sun shine days are as scarce as hens teeth. This is along the coast for 100 miles east the days in summer are warmer than in Carlsbad.

Oranges are cheap and plentiful everywhere, baskets containing from fifteen to twenty fine large ones selling at a quarter. Oranges do not grow near the coast, the nearest groves being about thirty miles east, though in some spots they are grown closer. Good orange land produces after the eighth year from planting, and is sold from \$100 per acre where there is no water right and where pumping must be depended upon to \$2,000 per acre where a grove is producing. Oranges are ripe in February and March and the Valencia orange that ripens in March may remain on the tree until November and improve in quality, getting sweeter each day. However, the grower generally finds satisfactory market early in the season and sells his crop. The most remarkable feature in this country where fruits and flowers thrive so well is the immense acreage in oats and barley hay. Probably nine tenths of the acreage of the country is given up to growing hay. The summers are very dry and pasturage is scarce, and water for irrigation scarce, but this crop can be grown in the winter without irrigation. This hay sells at from \$15 to \$25 per ton every season for there is an immense quantity used in the cities. Beans are also grown in large acreage, the lima and friole growing in abundance without irrigation and produce about fifteen hundred per acre and sell at four dollars per hundred. If it were not for patronizing that giant monopoly, the Southern Pacific, the coast would be a good place to visit every summer for a couple of months, but deliver us from the fogs and rains and consequent rheumatism of the winter.

WM. H. MULLANE.

A woman with a temper must be a warm number these sunny days.

As it is not as you like it, this is the weather.

These hot days a dog wears his pants.

### FOR SALE AT A SACRIFICE.

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J. E. McDonald has purchased the Andrew Pray place in Power's addition, and will improve it with an addition to the house, a well and fruit trees.

THE final act in the negotiations for the building of the bridges across the Pecos at Carlsbad and across Black river at Malaga was consummated yesterday when a draft was received by the First National Bank of Carlsbad for the sum of \$27,384.00, which amount has been placed to the credit of the bridge building fund of Eddy county. The contractors will commence work as soon as the material arrives for the bridges, and it is safe to predict that before the year of 1910 is ushered in, that people, including Mr. Wersell, the milk man on the east side, will be crossing on the first concrete bridge to span the Pecos. The successful disposition of the bonds and the final solution of the problem of getting the bridges is due to the efforts of Messrs. Bujac & Brice, who found a buyer at a premium of nearly three thousand dollars after the bonds had been turned down by a firm of so-called lawyers in Chicago that probably knew less about bonds than they claimed to know. The bonus of \$3,000 is a strong contrast on these bonds of \$24,500 to only \$400 on the issue of \$30,000 voted by the town of Carlsbad to build sewers. That those bonds were sold too cheap is very evident, for no other town of the size of Carlsbad ever was known to give away bonds at so low a premium. This town should have had at least \$3,500 for those bonds as a bonus.

THE town board is to be commended for the effort making at present to compel a number of property owners to build who have defied the law and public sentiment for the past three or four years in refusing to build concrete walks in front of their property. It is a shame that these people were not compelled to build their walks at the time the first orders were issued. It is poor encouragement for those who are imbued with enough of local patriotism to improve the town, to see a lot of drags and knockers get off with as little punishment as those who refused to build their walks have succeeded in doing.

### Ordinance No.

An ordinance giving notice to the owners or persons in charge of certain lots to build sidewalks adjoining such lots, and repealing ordinance No. 77.

Be it ordained by the board of trustees of the town of Carlsbad:

Sec. 1. That in the opinion of the board of trustees of the Town of Carlsbad, it is necessary that concrete sidewalks along certain streets and parts of streets in the Town of Carlsbad, as hereinafter designated, be built;

Therefore, notice is hereby given to the owners or persons in charge of the property lots or lots adjoining the sidewalks hereinafter described, to build or cause to be built such sidewalks, and they are ordered to build the same, or with the materials and of the dimensions described in Ordinance No. 74, passed by this board of trustees on the 23rd day of April, 1909, entitled "An ordinance providing for the manner of constructing sidewalks in the Town of Carlsbad and prescribing penalties for its violation."

Sec. 2. That said sidewalks so ordered to be constructed are as follows, viz:

On the west side of Canyon street adjoining lots 9, 11, and 13 in block 21.

On the east side of Canyon street adjoining lot 4 in block 74.

On the east side of Canyon street adjoining lots 4, 6, 8, 12, 14 in block 65.

On the east side of Canyon street adjoining lots 2 and 4 in block 36.

On the west side of Canyon street adjoining lots 1, 3, 5, 7, and 9 in block 57.

On the west side of Canyon street adjoining lots 1 and 3 in block 15.

On the west side of Canyon street adjoining lot 17 in block 9.

On the east side of Canal street, adjoining lots 2 and 4 in block 75.

On the East side of Canal street, adjoining lots 12 and 14 in block 27.

On the south side of Mermod street, adjoining lots 1 and 2 in block 40.

On the south side of Fox street, adjoining lot 5 in block 14.

On the north side of Stevens street, adjoining lots 13 and 14 in block 27.

On the north side of McKay street, adjoining lots 13 and 14 in block 21.

Section 3. The recorder of the Town of Carlsbad shall, as soon as this ordinance takes effect, issue and the town marshal shall serve, notice upon each of the owners or persons in charge of each of the lots and parts of lots abutting on and adjoining the said proposed sidewalks, to build the same as hereinafter ordered, by delivering to each of said persons a true copy of this ordinance; and if the owner of any lot or lots adjoining which sidewalks are hereby ordered to be built, is a non-resident of, and has no agent residing within the Town of Carlsbad, notice shall be given by posting in the most conspicuous place upon the said premises a copy of said notice. The town marshal shall make a return in writing showing how he served said notices.

Section 4. That in case the owner or person in charge of any lot, or lots or part thereof adjoining and abutting on the sidewalks hereby ordered to be built, shall fail to comply with this or-

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## The Groves Lumber Co. Building Material

Notice for Publication.  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office, at Roswell, N. M., May 25, 1909.  
Notice is hereby given that Bridget E. Hagar, formerly Bridget E. Heston, of Carlsbad, N. M., who, on August 9, 1902, made Homestead entry 2706, Serial No. 9038, for SW 1/4 Sec. 4, SW 1/4 Sec. 12, NW 1/4 Sec. 14 and NE 1/4 Sec. 14, Section 13 Township 35E, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before A. R. O'Quinn, Probate Clerk Eddy Co., at his office in Carlsbad, N. M., on the 25th day of September, 1909.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Julian Smith, D. Beach, W. A. Foxhand, Dean Smith, all of Carlsbad, N. M.  
T. C. Tillotson, Register.

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### OSTEOPATH

Dr. Ella Ray Hicks arrived in Carlsbad Monday night from Denver Co. She will open offices as soon as rooms can be secured and will be glad to meet the people of the city and get acquainted, later notice will give the location and Phone No.

### S. P. KEYNON Horse Dentist.

Many good horsemen feed and water three times a day and still wonder why their horse looks bad. A few of the symptoms are: Weak eyes, subject to colic, cribbing, holding the head sideways while eating, salivating while driving, all are symptoms of bad teeth.—E. A. M. (New Mex. Carlsbad.)



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New York—A deluge of fish in a Harlem street occurred when employees of the water department started to clean out the fire hydrants there. Hundreds of small perch came out and floundered about in the water, while troops of children who had been wading in the stream scrambled about gathering up the fish, taking them away in pails and jars.



## TATTLING TEA LEAVES.

Since that ancient time when erring Antony wandered after a light love the elusive and suspicious blonde has menaced the quiet home of domestic man. It must be assumed, however, that Antony knew nothing of the leaves, else the Roman senate was sadly deficient. All those since who have indulged in the cup that cheers have been wiser in their generation than that New York benedict recently accused of non-support by a wife expert in the reading of tea-dreg mysteries. The evidence was so patent that the guilty wretch sought no other defense than a quarrel. With sheer masculine strategy, which is alleged to have included cleaning out the house, he barred the door against his subtle feminine half, says the Washington Post. Whereupon came the airing of these things before that most unsensitive of persons—the local magistrate—a lowbrow who would not accept the testimony of a cup "turned three times slowly with a wish." The brute sided with the man, of course. The result achieved by such a dispensation of justice is not one to be desired. The domestic war has subsided to a feigned peace—a sort of armed neutrality. Such well-founded suspicion will never die. The only thing proved by it is that men will hang together, unless it be that there are those who should bar Oolong from the home Moral: Use a strainer.

The unwarrantable criticism of the duke of Norfolk which arose in some quarters when it was announced that he had sold his famous Holbein—a portrait of Queen Christina of Denmark—and that the painting would go out of England, is now silenced. The criticism was unwarranted because the picture belonged to the duke and he had given the National gallery an option on it which was not used, says the Troy Times. It appears that the purchaser of the Holbein is not an American, but a German, and that the price paid is \$300,000. Very well, the duke received a round figure, which would have tempted many another man to part with a scrap of canvas. The action of the duke which shuts the mouths of his critics is his gift of a park to the city of Sheffield. The property covers 60 acres and is the only park in the city. It is worth more than the duke received for the picture.

The fortune of \$3,000,000 which was acquired by Christopher Magee, politician and newspaper publisher of Pittsburgh, who passed away several years ago, has been released by his wife's death and will now go to the ultimate purpose for which it was devised by its accumulator—the foundation and maintenance of a hospital for women. The institution is to bear the name of the testator's mother, Elizabeth Steel Magee. One of its features will be a department for women in distress, who are to receive free treatment at all times and be asked no questions. "Chris" Magee did not escape sharp criticism while alive, but even the most inveterate of those who were his political enemies must admit the excellence of the great purpose to which he saw fit to apply his money.

The April fire loss in the United States and Canada amounted to \$19,345,300, making an aggregate of \$72,000,700 for the first quarter of 1902. Compared with the two years last past this shows a better state of things, which, it is hoped, may continue. The fire loss for the first four months of 1902 was \$90,000,000, and for the corresponding period of 1901, \$86,426,700.

An old inmate of an almshouse in New York, aged 86, who had never in the course of her life seen an automobile before, fell in a dead faint in the street when one whizzed by her, with the horn tooting. When she recovered she told the doctor who had attended her that she had been in hell and had seen Satan. None of the victims of the speed maniacs would quarrel with her diagnosis of the situation.

The truth is the young man who said the education he got at Yale was a "detritment" to him didn't get any there. The "detritment" came from fooling away his time at Yale instead of doing Yale work.

We trust that the coming aeroplane of commerce will learn to emit a prettier noise than "Honk!"

A Pittsburg man who thinks he is a great painter has been examined by alienists, who decided that he is crazy. Other people who think they are great in various lines of endeavor should get under cover before the alienists pounce upon them.

A Michigan woman committed suicide because her husband didn't kiss her good-by when he went to work. And then again there are some women who would drop dead if their husbands did.

## IN THE PUBLIC EYE

## GUARDS PRESIDENT'S LIFE



The changes in officialdom at the national capital that followed the inauguration of William H. Taft as president extended even to the personnel of that secret service corps charged with protecting the person of the chief magistrate of the nation.

It is not strange that each president should prefer to exercise strictly his personal preferences regarding the secret service men detailed as his personal escort, for very few officials of high or low degree are more closely or more continuously associated with the chief executive than these protectors in plain clothes. President Taft's selection for the post of principal bodyguard was Secret Service Operative L. C. Wheeler and it all came about in this wise.

From the very day that Taft was elected president, four months in advance of the date on which he was inaugurated, the chief of the secret service, considering that Judge Taft was a personage whose well being was of vast import to the nation—detailed two of his best operatives to guard the president-elect. Mr. Wheeler was one of these men and he accompanied the Tafts everywhere they went—to Cincinnati; to Hot Springs, Va.; to Augusta, Ga., and to the Panama canal, with "side trips" to Washington, Philadelphia, New Haven, New York and other points. The qualities which Mr. Wheeler displayed during this strenuous season made a most favorable impression upon the new president and he asked that Mr. Wheeler be made his principal bodyguard when he was installed in the White House.

Now when President Taft walks, rides, drives or motors abroad in the streets of Washington or in the suburbs Secret Service Agent Wheeler is his inseparable shadow. The conscientious secret service man scarcely lets the distinguished object of his attention out of his sight during his waking hours. If the president plays golf, the faithful Wheeler is close by to ward off inquisitive or suspicious persons. If Mr. Taft occupies a box at the theater his involuntary escort is not far away, perhaps sheltered by the curtains of the box. If the chief magistrate strolls to church on Sunday morning the secret service man walks a short distance behind. President Lincoln always insisted that his bodyguard should walk by his side and chat with him as though he were an intimate friend. None of our later presidents have pursued that course, although under the Taft regime there has been introduced an innovation in that the secret service men who accompany the president to church wear frock coats and silk hats and could not be distinguished by the unknowing ones from fashionable club men sauntering leisurely and apparently unconcerned behind the president.

Wheeler, like to the other secret service men on duty at the White House, is about 30 years of age. He is of athletic build and keeps himself in the best of condition by daily exercise. All these secret service guards go well armed, but the weapons are carefully stowed away out of sight and there is nothing in either the dress or manner of these men to indicate their office.

## NEW INDIAN COMMISSIONER



Robert Gordon Valentine, the newly appointed Indian commissioner, is only 36, a fact which lends some travesty members of the elder contingent to remark that the chorus at Washington is full of squabs and all the leading men are juveniles. Nevertheless, Mr. Valentine is so well in touch with the affairs of the Indian bureau that he was the personal choice of retiring Commissioner Leupp for the succession.

Valentine's knowledge of the Indian was mostly gained back in Massachusetts, where the only Indians are those who come along with the medicine shows. But he knows his Indians, because he knows the poor white men pretty well. At least, those New England persons who pride themselves on following cold-ice-cold-facts rather than fancy and sentimental theory believe they know. The elder store Indian with the red blanket and the feathered headdress and the bear tooth necklace will not be in favor with the new Valentine regime any more than he was with the preceding Leupp administration. Valentine admits that, next to a corner's certificate, the best certificate of goodness one can have is to chuck his feathers, put on overalls and a hickory shirt, grab a shovel and get to work with the other Americans. The Indian of romance and Leatherstocking doesn't look as good to Valentine as the Indian with his crops all cultivated and his farm work up to date.

After graduating from Harvard Valentine was a teacher, a bank clerk and then a newspaper writer. The latter job led to his political preferment.

## COMPELLED TO BORROW



Henry M. Flagler, the Standard Oil magnate, who is popularly supposed to carry the state of Florida around in his pockets, has been compelled to abandon one of his dearest ambitions and announce a bond issue for the railroad he is building from the mainland across the coral beds to Key West. Up to date the engineering work has been nothing more unique in its way than this railroad of 500 miles. Flagler has been constructing it much as a man would build a stable, his manager in charge of the work being unlimited as to expense and only bound to make the road a good one. It has been Flagler's pet idea that when the road is completed it should be without a penny of indebtedness of borrowed money. No notes or bonds or other evidences of obligation were to be in its records. It was to show that the big Flagler fortune, which had built three palatial hotels at an expense of more than \$5,000,000, was equal to meeting all bills for the construction of a railroad—even such a railroad as this.

The announcement, made the other day, that a bond issue is to be put out shows that the Flagler fortune was not at all points equal to the emergency. Still, nobody will believe that the poor commissioners are likely to be called upon in Mr. Flagler's behalf for some time yet. Next to John D. Rockefeller, he is the largest individual stockholder in the Standard Oil Co. He was a poor boy, clerk in a country store, before he heard the rapping of opportunity on the door. But he let go his bundles, sallied out and got a half-Nelson look on the rapper before the echoes had died away.

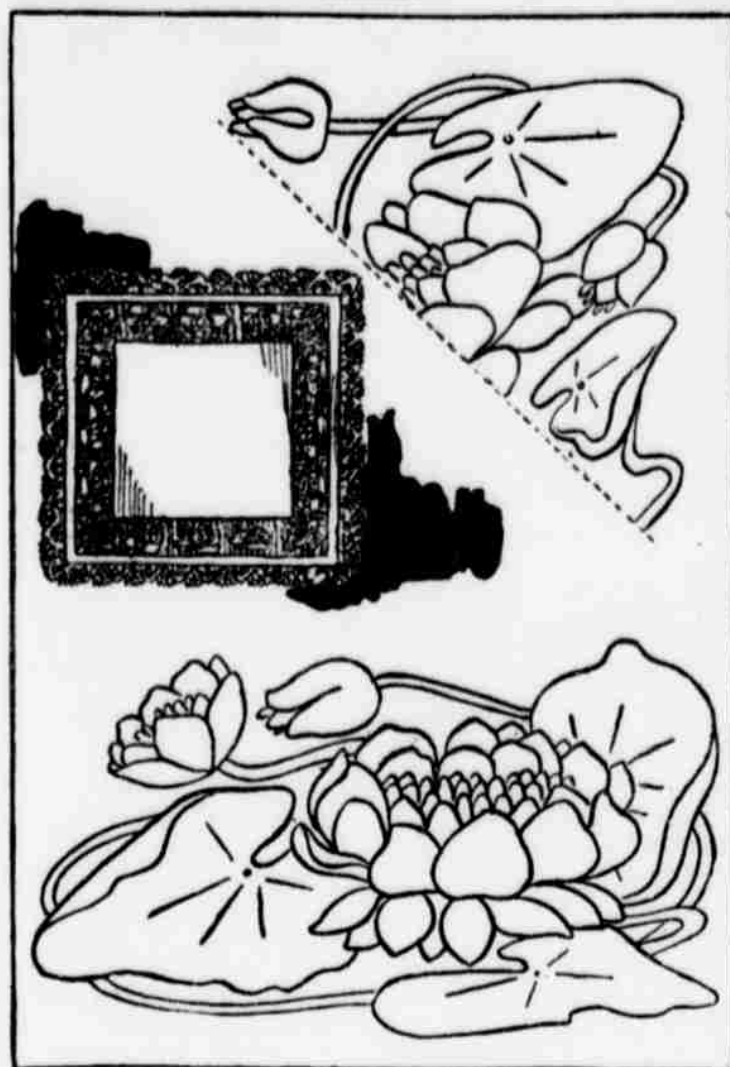
## GERMAN RAILWAY MINISTER



Herr Von Breitenbach, as minister of public works and railways in the Prussian government, is at the head of the public-owned railroad system. Germany has owned her railroads for a number of years and they are managed by an especially capable and conservative body of officials.

Reports just received from the experts who have been studying the situation there declare, however, that the plan is not a success. It respects both to the service received and the financial results public ownership in Germany is declared to be a long way from satisfactory. At the present moment Herr Von Breitenbach has in contemplation several changes of importance in the methods of his departments which look toward finally making the Prussian railroad business profitable to the government or satisfactory to the public, if either of both cases can be brought about.

## To Make Tea Cloth



Design in Outline in Old Blue on Gray Linen, with Fashionable Darned Background.

AFTERNOON tea on the porch is one of the most pleasant features possible on a summer day, and it is essential that the appointments of the tea table should be in keeping with the shady coolness of the porch. For this cloth, simple designs and materials of a rather rustic texture are the most effective, such as homespun linen, linen huckabuck and crash.

Among the most attractive of the tea cloths are those with the design outlined and the background filled in with darning stitch. Such a one is shown in the sketch. The water lily design is outlined with dark green floss, and the background filled in with a lighter shade of green—a delightfully leafy, silvery shade like June foliage. The material is natural color crash, and the Cluny lace edge is dyed to match the darker green in the embroidery.

Another equally pretty color scheme

is grayish linen with outline stitch in dark old blue, darning in lighter blue, and the lace matching the darker shade.

One motif for the border and one-half of the corner are given, to be traced on the linen by means of carbon paper and a hard lead pencil. A plain, two-inch hem is put in, with a row of outline stitch five inches above it, and another row five inches below this, which forms the top of the border. Then the motifs are placed between the two rows, outlined, and the background filled in.

The cloth when completed should be one yard square, with a two-inch edge of lace for a finish. It is advisable to use a good grade of floss, so that it will not fade, and in washing it is well to put a good handful of table salt in the water to set the color. The cloth is quickly and easily made, and the result sure to be pleasing.

## BLUE SERGE COSTUME.



Blue serge is very useful for costumes of this description. The skirt is quite plain, and is finished at the foot by a single row of stitching. White cloth is used for the collar and cuffs of the semi-fitting coat, which fastens down center of front by three large smoke-pearl buttons.

Hat of straw, trimmed with a wreath of flowers and two quills. Materials required: Six yards serge 45 inches wide, one-fourth yard wide cloth, three buttons, four yards lining for coat.

## Cravat with Double Ends.

If you have a strip of brown silk, taffeta or messaline, and a little silk in pretty contrasting color, such as ecru, delicate green or blue, make one of the new cravats with double ends. These are cut like a man's striped tie, but with a difference. A perfectly plain bias fold of the silk is used to go round the neck, but where it meets in front each end branches off into two parts, giving four ends in all. These ends are all lined with silk of a contrasting color. The effect when tied is very pretty. The cravat must not be less than a yard in length.

## NOVELTY IN HOME AQUARIUM

One That Is Made with a Picture Frame Front and Intended to Hang on the Wall.

A novelty in balanced or self-sustaining home aquariums is made to hang on the wall like a picture. The tank is oblong, narrow at the bottom, but wider at the top. The side to go against the wall is vertical, while the front slopes up outward, as a picture hangs, and this outer side is in fact surrounded with a picture frame.

The back and ends of this aquarium are inclosed in a metallic holder, with hooks at the top by which it may be hung, and at the back between this metallic holder and the back wall of the glass tank is inserted a picture, a landscape having at the bottom in the foreground a brook.

The bottom of the tank is covered with gravel, and set in the water is suitable vegetation sufficient to please the eye and to keep the water aerated, and then of course there are the fishes, and when you have it thus stocked you hang this aquarium up on the wall to have the effect of a picture with fishes swimming around in it.

## Water.

Are you forgetting to drink the proper amount of water every day?

Do you drink two glasses before breakfast?

You should.

But by all that is hygienic, do not take your water until your mouth has been rinsed with an antiseptic and your teeth thoroughly cleaned.

People who know tell us that an acid forms during the night in the mouth and around the teeth. This acid will decay the teeth, therefore common sense tells us it is not good for the stomach; it certainly should not be washed down there deliberately anyway.

Hot a cold bath for the average stomach is a tonic just as it is for the body. Try it.

## To Improve the Neck.

To fatten the neck massage with warm olive oil. A good cold cream is excellent, but the best results are obtained with the olive oil. To apply this first wash the neck with warm water and a mild, pure soap, then rinse carefully and apply a cloth or flannel wrung out of hot water and folded several times. This compress is kept on until it begins to cool, and then another is supplied, but do not prolong the treatment more than ten minutes. This softens the skin and opens the pores. The oil, slightly warmed, should be rubbed in, giving especial attention to the hollows, which should be massaged with a firm rotary motion.

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## Decollete.

Wu Ting Fang, at a dance in Washington, criticised the modern ballroom belle.

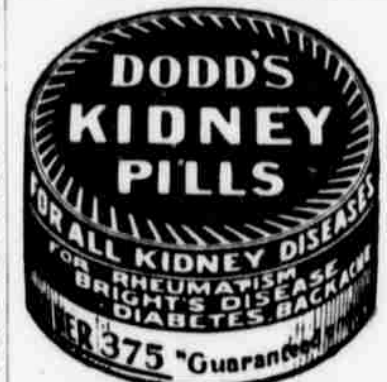
"Like the ancient Briton, who dressed in blue woad," he said, "the belle's idea of a magnificent toilet seems to be plenty of paint and very little clothing."

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## PUP IS WARD OF CHICKLESS HEN

ST. LOUIS FOWL ADOPTS YOUNG SCOTCH COLLIE AND IS REARING IT AS HER OWN.

### CLUCKS AND OFFERS WORMS

Repels All Advances of Visiting Animals and Jealously Guards Dog, Who Sleeps Under Protecting Wings at Night.

St. Louis.—Down in South St. Louis a chickless hen has adopted a puppy, three weeks old, and it isn't even a bird dog.

The remarkable hen and the unfortunate puppy belong to Clemens Bentler of 714 Marion street, whose rear yard is now an attraction for amateur naturalists, curious persons, and incredulous ones willing to cry "nature fake" until convinced.

At night the hen crawls into the box which Bentler has provided as the pup's quarters, and spreads her wings over him as if he were the prettiest and daintiest chick ever hatched. All night long she keeps her wings between the pup and the cool, damp air, while he sleeps, sound and secure.

None but Bentler or members of his family dare approach the pup while the hen is near. A reporter for the Post-Dispatch, desiring to prove the bond of affection between the little dog and its protectress, was menaced savagely, with ruffled feathers and raucous clatter.

Both the pup and the hen are gifts to Bentler. His brother gave him the hen a year ago. Three weeks ago one of his customers—a woman to whom he delivers ice—asked him to take the puppy and drown it. When Bentler appeared at home with the cunning little bit of dogflesh, his children begged for its life. Next they brought their father to keep the little animal for a pet.

The first day the puppy was put in his box in the yard the hen showed her yearning for an object of motherly love and devotion. She thrust her



She Skirmishes for a Bug or a Worm.

head into the box and clucked softly. Her first advances terrorized the pup, but as her benevolent designs grew manifest to the pup he began making journeys about the yard in her company, occasionally stopping to take a nap in the protection of her wings.

Since Bentler has had the hen she has been without chickens. Her owner believes that the maternal instinct having been denied its usual course has prompted the hen to adopt the pup.

The pup is a Scotch collie, hardly as big as a man's double fist. Its wealth of white and black hair when it curls in a corner of its box gives it somewhat the appearance of a chicken.

In the three weeks that the hen has been bestowing her maternal attention on the pup in her attempt to bring him to healthy, happy doghood, she has thrice saved him from the attacks of an envious cat and two dogs.

A strange cat which spat venomously at the hen's ward was chased into the street. A dog belonging to Mrs. H. Graft strayed into Bentler's yard and tried to scrape acquaintance with his little brother. He was put to flight by vicious "pecks" on the nose.

Next day Mrs. A. Cecilia's rat terrier came from next door to see the pup and was driven yelping to his own premises by the angry foster mother.

Whenever the old hen hears the pup whining she runs to its side and clucks reassuringly. Then to put his mind at entire ease she skirmishes for a bug or a worm. This delicacy she drops in front of him and by feigning to eat it herself, essays to tempt him to devour it.

Long Snake Among Turkeys.  
Milton, Ind.—Mrs. Catherine Swafford, living on a farm about five miles south of here, heard a commotion among the turkeys in the orchard. On investigating she found a long black snake stretched out in the way. She took up a rail near-by and hit the reptile on the back, thus disabling it, and then, with the assistance of her girl killed it. The snake measured six feet eight inches long, and was about eight inches around its body.

## NEW SENSATION FOR DOBBIN

Come to Think of It, He Would Have Felt Funny Sitting in the Position Indicated.

The family horse, who rejoiced in the eminently proper equine name of Dobbin, had earned a rest by long service, and was accordingly sent away to the country to spend his declining years in the broad pastures of a farmer friend of his owner. The distance being somewhat excessive for his rheumatic legs, he was shipped to his new home by rail.

Little Edna, the family four-year-old, viewed the passing of Dobbin with unfeigned sorrow. She sat for a long time gazing disconsolately out of the window. At last, after a deep sigh, she turned with a more cheerful expression, and said:

"Did old Dobbin go on the choo-choo cars, mamma?"

"Yes, dear," answered her mother.

A broad grin spread over the little girl's face. "I was just thinking," she said, "how funny he must feel sitting up on the plush cushions."—Woman's Home Companion.

## DREADFUL DANDRUFF.

Girl's Head Encrusted—Feared Loss of All Her Hair—Baby Had Milk-Crust—Missionary's Wife Made

Two Perfect Cures by Cuticura.

"For several years my husband was a missionary in the Southwest. Every one in that high and dry atmosphere has more or less trouble with dandruff and my daughter's scalp became so encrusted with it that I was alarmed for fear she would lose all her hair. After trying various remedies, in desperation I bought a cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment. They left the scalp beautifully clean and free from dandruff, and I am happy to say that the Cuticura Remedies were a complete success. I have also used successfully the Cuticura Remedies for so-called 'milk-crust' on baby's head. Cuticura is a blessing. Mrs. J. A. Darling, 310 Fifth St., Carthage, Ohio, Jan. 20, 1908."

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

## Sex in Cromwells.

Of course with the sexes on a footing of equality as regarded opportunity, it would not be long until a female Cromwell made her appearance, and, having made her appearance, was getting her portrait painted.

The painter, once more a fawning, courtly fellow, would have the picture a flattery; but she rebuked him in words that became historic!

"Paint in the hips!" she commanded, sternly, showing that she could be more reverently devoted to the truth than Oliver himself.—Puck.

## Hospitals a Benefit to Property.

The National association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis has recently concluded an investigation, which shows that 67.5 per cent. of the tuberculosis sanatoria and hospitals of the United States have been a benefit to the property and health of the communities in which they are located. In the case of more than 62 per cent. of the sanatoria the presence of the institutions has helped to increase the assessed value of surrounding property.

## Crime.

She—I can't bind myself until I'm sure. Give me time to decide, and if, six months hence I feel as I do now, I will be yours.

Ardent Adorer—I could never wait that long, darling. Besides, the courts have decided that dealing in futures, without the actual delivery of the goods, is gambling pure and simple.—Puck.

## ORIGIN Of a Famous Human Food.

The story of the great discoveries or inventions is always of interest.

An active brain worker who found himself hampered by lack of bodily strength and vigor and could not carry out the plans and enterprises he knew how to conduct, was led to study various foods and their effects upon the human system. In other words, before he could carry out his plans he had to find a food that would carry him along and renew his physical and mental strength.

He knew that a food which was a brain and nerve builder (rather than a mere fat maker) was universally needed. He knew that meat with the average man does not accomplish the desired results. He knew that the soft gray substance in brain and nerve centers is made from Albumen and Phosphate of Potash obtained from food. Then he started to solve the problem.

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## Teach Care of Home and Family.

An interesting experiment is being made in the higher education of women at King's college, London. The idea is that there is just as much educational value in a careful study of the principles of managing the home and young children as in the course usually read for the taking of a degree.

## Best in Existence.

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We lose money and comfort, and even temper sometimes by not learning to be more careful.—Dickens.

## Another Step Needed.

"I like my house all right," said Luschman, "except for one thing. I guess you'll have to fix that."

"What is it?" asked the architect. "Several times lately I've nearly broken my neck reaching for another step at the head of the stairs when I got home late, so I guess you'd better put another step there."—Catholic Standard and Times.

Laundry work at home would be much more satisfactory if the right Starch were used. In order to get the desired stiffness, it is usually necessary to use so much starch that the beauty and fineness of the fabric is hidden behind a paste of varying thickness, which not only destroys the appearance, but also affects the wearing quality of the goods. This trouble can be entirely overcome by using Defiance Starch, as it can be applied much more thinly because of its greater strength than other makes.

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## They Should.

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Bessie—Oh, Mabel! I am in an awful dilemma. I've quarreled with Harry, and he wants me to send him ring back.

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# THE COLONEL FARRAR MYSTERY



**AUTHOR'S NOTE**

The material facts in this story of circumstantial evidence are drawn from an actual recorded case, only such changes of names and local color being made as to remove them from the classification of legal reports to that of fiction. All the essential points of evidence, however, are retained.

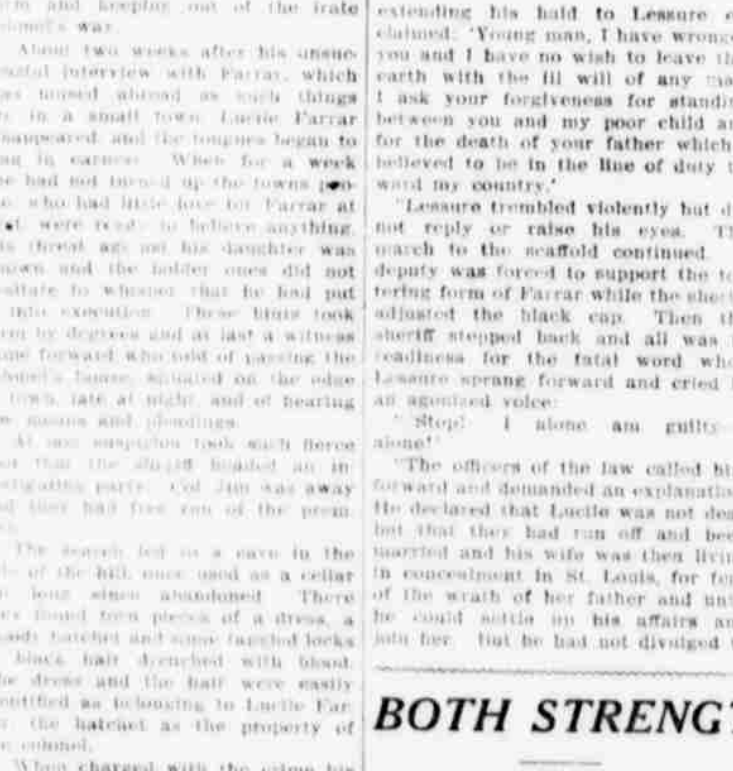
Judge Stokes, who had an excellent opinion of the week, was not to be deceived. He was a man of high character and high ability, and he was not to be deceived. He was a man of high character and high ability, and he was not to be deceived.

Judge Stokes, a large man of dignified presence, whose silver hair shone beneath his black coat and began to show in his temples, was not to be deceived. He was a man of high character and high ability, and he was not to be deceived.

Col. Farrar's household consisted of his only daughter, a young woman of about twenty years of age, and of that rare type of beauty which is often called out in an adventurous and warlike strain. The name was Lucile, and she was the daughter of every young man in the place. I had just come to the place, and I had just come to the place, and I had just come to the place.

The only question of a sister for his daughter's hand was sufficient to send Col. Farrar into a state of high excitement. He was a man of high character and high ability, and he was not to be deceived. He was a man of high character and high ability, and he was not to be deceived.

But the fact on which their happiness was based was destined to break. It was a fact of high character and high ability, and it was not to be deceived. It was a fact of high character and high ability, and it was not to be deceived.



her a plan which had formed in his brain to revenge himself upon her father both for his insulting words and for the death of his own parent. He had cut off a portion of her hair while she slept and dipped it in the blood of a lamb. He had also sprinkled blood over pieces of her dress. The hatchet was easily procured. These he had placed in the cave during one of Col. Farrar's numerous absences from the house and there also he had himself emitted the moans which had been heard. He would have carried his hatchet through to the end but that the colonel's plea for forgiveness at the gallows unerved him.



under arrest. He blew his brains out in his cell that night with a pistol procured, no one knew how, Lucile went mad on hearing of the tragedy, and was confined some time in an asylum. She recovered and ended her days in a convent.

That, gentlemen, is my story." There was a stirring of chairs and a general lighting of pipes which had been allowed to go out in the rapid attention that prevailed while Judge Stokes was speaking, when Judge Grover arose and said: "I believe I voice the sentiments of the club in extending thanks to Judge Stokes."

## The Affair of the Uptowners

By Edmund Vance Cooke

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"The rooms are all that we could ask," said Joseph Marmaluke, speaking to Mrs. Deadstone, but unconsciously allowing his gaze to rest upon her daughter. "Mr. Kersey and I are more than satisfied. We were just saying that the atmosphere suggested some rather than a boarding-house."

Mrs. Deadstone's face went flabby at the word. The network showed around her eyes, and two deep creases drooped from the corners of her mouth. "Mr. Marmaluke," she said with great dignity, "while you and Mr. Kersey are with us, please remember that you are guests, not—pot boarders." She gave another little shudder at the word and continued somewhat hastily: "To be sure, we shall be compelled to accept a certain—er—return for our hospitality, and if you—if you—if you could—"

"If you could help us with our little deception, mamma means, it will save the proverbial pride of the Deadstones," put in the daughter. "Pride is the only heritage we have left, and it's a horribly unhandy thing to keep house on."

"My dear Violette," expostulated Mrs. Deadstone, "that's not quite what I was about to say. I am sure the gentlemen are sensible of the situation. Your outspokenness is positive ly brutal. If you were not the daughter of a Deadstone—and a Clinton—I should call it almost vulgar. We are not quite reduced to the extremity my daughter asserts," she concluded, turning to the gentlemen.

"Oh, no, Mrs. Deadstone," answered Mr. Marmaluke; "we understand both your delicacy and your daughter's charming candor. They do you both equal honor."

As the days passed both gentlemen congratulated themselves on their quarters, and the weekly interviews between Mr. Kersey and his hostess appeared to manage the wounded pride of Mrs. Deadstone to some extent. One afternoon, according to custom, after their daily labors in Union square were ended, the two friends traveled home together, "home," of course, being understood to be the Deadstone stories of brownstone and brick which did their little best to uphold the tradition of a past generation in its boardinghouse blighted neighborhood. As they reached this residence they were impressed by an unwelcome waste of Deadstone gas, and as they mounted the steps their surprise was increased by the flying open of the front door and the appearance of a negro boy in plum-colored coat and brass buttons. Such was their amazement they scarce could give utterance, nor could they proceed upstairs or decide what diplomacy was due the interloper in plum-color and brass.

ably as two healthy and hard-working young men should, and quite dismissed the affair of the uptowners from their minds. The callers would be vanished long before their return and probably would never cross their path again.

The lingering carriage, with liveried driver and footman, whose horses slowly loitered up and down the street to keep their thoroughbred blood stirring, should have warned the young men, but they gave no heed. Sleepily they ascended the Deadstone steps, deliberately they furnished the Deadstone lock, and then—then they were in the hall, with Mrs. Deadstone coming toward them, yellowish pale. The plum-colored coat and brass buttons were either occupied elsewhere or, more probably, had gone back to the establishment from which they had come. The lingering carriage was drawing up to the Deadstone curb, cutting off retreat. "Gentlemen, gentlemen," gasped Mrs. Deadstone, they are just going. She gave an agonized glance up the stair, toward where the Jowler and the Harper were presumably adjusting wraps and hats, and added: "Oh, what will they think?"

A moment more and the vinegar voice of Miss Harper and the oller tones of Mrs. Jowler suggested the salad dressing they could give this scandal, as they came trickling down the stairway. "Hide!" groaned Mrs. Deadstone. "For the love of heaven, hide!"

There was no opportunity to object. Mrs. Deadstone half pushed Mr. Marmaluke back of the perflures, which screened the door leading to the little "drawing-room," and half thrust Mr. Kersey into a low and seldom-used closet under the stair. There they stood and squatted, not daring to move, while the uptowners made their interminable farewells.

"As for those two young men," Mrs. Jowler was saying, "I am sure that one of them has some breeding and I am almost sure that he would show some brains, under normal conditions."

"Under normal conditions?" queried Miss Deadstone, wholly uncomprehending her mother's nervousness, for she had been abovestairs with their guests.

"Oh, don't pretend to misunderstand. Perhaps you can't see it, being in the same bedclothes condition yourself, but if your mother isn't in danger of losing a daughter, I never saw the symptoms."

"Oh, my dear Flora," said the perturbed Mrs. Deadstone, with a hysterical laugh, "you were always such a humorist."

Well, let us hope that you'll find it humorous," put in Miss Harper. "For my part, if you'll pardon my saying so, I was not impressed by the company Mr. Marmaluke keeps."

## BOTH STRENGTH AND BEAUTY

Proper Respiration Adds to Each, But Is Too Little Understood.

There will be fewer flat-chested women and much less nervous prostration when proper attention is given to breathing, says an exchange. As DeBartie has said, there should be "strength at the center, freedom at the surface," and this freedom is but acquired by learning to use one's lungs at will. By developing and enlarging them the thoracic cavity is increased, and upon the degree of this power depends expansion.

In order to control one's nerves one must learn to command one's involuntary muscles, which are diaphragm, the heart and the intestines. By breathing deeply and controlling one's breath and so increasing one's lung capacity, the heart action is stimulated, and this supplies the nerve centers with fresh blood, and the nerves act upon the muscles and the brain upon the nerves and muscles.

In order not to have any waste of nerve force, the chest should be kept active by deep inhalations, thus loosening the tension of unemployed members. The persistent and regular practice of a breathing exercise will not only do this, but will give poise and self-confidence.

The movements of respiration stand in a double relation to the nervous system, being required to introduce oxygen into the blood, which takes up the carbonic acid it contains, the latter thus acts as a powerful stimulus to the lung nerves.

One should remember to avoid collar-bone breathing, to cultivate the raised and active chest, and to gain control of the diaphragm in order to have complete mastery of breathing. It is not necessary to take a long, tiresome trip to some far away place in order to be taught to care for oneself, for nature will come to one's aid with joyful alacrity in one spot as well as another.

But knowledge is not the only thing required. It is its application that counts, and this means steadfast determination.



**LOCAL NEWS.**

WHY THEY COME WHEN THEY GO AND WHAT THEY DO

Rum Holt and Wesley McAllister came in on Tuesday's auto.

Wiley Welch was in from his ranch near T. X. headquarters Wednesday.

Ter passengers and two autos left Wednesday morning for the Knowles country.

Dolph Lusk, Holley Benson and Charley Walter were in from the L. X. ranch Tuesday.

Miss Brigrance, a friend of Mrs. J. W. Gamel, arrived Sunday en route to Texas from Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. Knablaugh are in Chicago. They expect to enjoy the lake breeze for about a month.

Mrs. L. L. Fuoss came in on Tuesday's auto, after a two weeks visit at their ranch thirty miles east.

L. M. Curtis, formerly of Monument, made a trip to Pecos Tuesday. He expects to become a resident of the Knowles country shortly.

The Carlsbad Project is keeping a large force at work on the ditch. Tuesday night a crew worked till midnight getting moss out of the siphon.

The auto company will commence to carry mail from and after August 12, the contract having been signed and bond accepted by Uncle Sam.

D. H. Coleman came in Saturday night from Knowles, going up to Roswell on land business Monday, returning Tuesday and going home on the auto Wednesday.

Misses Julia Cook and Mary Hill relatives of County Treasurer Merchant, passed through Roswell where they visited Miss Lucy Seyn, en route to their home in Abilene.

Mrs. Sid Kyle and son, Sid, Jr., returning from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. McGonagill, were passengers on Tuesday's auto en route to their Kyle ranch near Pecos.

Geo. F. Nelson, the big horse and cow man of Seven Rivers, was in town Tuesday and made his calling and election certain by depositing the needful for two years of current news.

Dr. Bearup, the most expert and experienced doctor of dental surgery in New Mexico, departed Wednesday morning for Chicago, where he will take a post graduate course in his profession, expecting to return within a couple of months.

Will Merchant states that in the course of a business letter he casually asked Tom Blackmore of Artesia how the weather was conducting itself in Artesia. Tom answered saying, "Owing to the postal regulations I decline to discuss Artesia weather just now."

E. S. Sprang has leased the Dr. Dieffendorf farm near Otis, including the horses, cows, chickens, and all tools, implements, etc. Mr. and Mrs. Sprang will reside on the farm and take a rest from hotel life while leasing hotel and furniture to some parties from Roswell.

Miss Lydia Woerner, of Epworth, Ill., Miss Mattie A. Hoffman of Brighton, Tenn., and Miss Hattie Wylie of Bloomington, Ill., came in last Thursday night and went out to Knowles on the auto accompanied by W. G. Woerner. The young ladies have each filed on 320 acres of Uncle Sam's domain and will raise garden sans and chickens for the cow men.

There is no question about the Carlsbad project furnishing plenty of water for irrigating the land under the project. Few of the farmers have used the acreage allotment and have a surplus of several inches coming if needed later in the season. Several new water rights have been granted and no doubt the water supply will amount to a much larger acreage to be brought under the ditch.

Aubrey Gist was in town Monday and received a message that his wife, sister, Mrs. Mary Barnes, was very low at Baylor hospital in San Antonio, Texas. Aubrey started at once, about eight p. m., and drove all night and until 10:30 a. m. next day, starting on the return trip with his wife about noon Tuesday and arriving at 1:30 a. m. Wednesday. Mrs. Gist and sister, Mrs. Mullane left Wednesday morning for San Antonio, where they will remain until Mrs. Barnes, who has been ill for nine weeks with typhoid fever, recovers or becomes worse.

This year will go down to history as the driest ever known to Carlsbad, and immediate vicinity, there being big loads of sotal still coming in to feed the cows. This is the latest sotal that was ever cut for feed here and the surprise is that it is still fine feed for there has been no rain to start a young and sappy growth that usually physics cattle and sometimes kills them.

Though the Black river country about four miles is green as a wheel and rain has fallen on Lone Tree and on Rocky as well as in the mountains west of the Hess ranch, the country for fifteen or twenty miles around Carlsbad is still dry and is said to be the driest yet. The fact, however, even will not stay down but has registered 110 frequently and two nights were too hot to sleep, which is exceptional in this country.

There will be a meeting of the shareholders of the Pecos Water Users' Association on Tuesday, August 12, at the association offices to discuss the proposed advance in the maintenance charges of lands under the project, recently announced by the Secretary of the Interior. Shareholders are earnestly requested to be present and take part in the meeting.

**EDITORS AND FIREMEN**

**Press Gang and Territorial Firemen Association Meet Together Here in September**

A meeting of the members of the Carlsbad Commercial Club was held Wednesday night at the club rooms to consider the proper steps to be taken by the club in connection with the territorial firemen's tournament and the meeting of the Pecos Valley Press Association, both of which are scheduled to meet in Carlsbad some time in September.

After listening to an explanation by Chief Ohnemus of the local fire department of the territorial firemen's association and the objects of that body it was the unanimous opinion of the members of the Commercial Club who were present that immediate steps be taken to insure the meeting at Carlsbad and a committee composed of Dick Thorne, J. C. Maxwell and Fred Dearborne, were appointed to solicit funds and make all arrangements.

It was understood that the town pledge \$500 to be given in prizes at the tournament and the committee is expected to raise this amount. A committee consisting of Wm. H. Mullane, W. T. Reed and A. M. Hove was then on motion appointed to solicit funds and make arrangements for the holding of the press association meeting at the same time as the firemen's tournament.

The committees have received much encouragement and at present it looks as if the town of Carlsbad is sure to be a lively place in September.

**Baker-Glasscock**

J. H. Baker, of Monument, and Miss Myrtle Glasscock of Artesia were married at the home of the brides parents at 5 p. m. Wednesday, July 14, Rev. J. Allen Ray officiating.

The groom is one of the successful ranchmen residing four miles east of Monument and has been deputy sheriff and constable for some time for that precinct. Miss Glasscock taught the Monument school the winter of '07-8 at which time the acquaintance was formed which has since consumed in a happy manner. The Current joins their many friends in wishing them a long and prosperous life.

**THE FAMOUS MOTHER HUBBARD BALL GAME**

Next week, Thursday, at 3 p. m., will occur the most celebrated ball game ever known in the Pecos valley, the line up being as follows:

American League: Pitcher, Killiam; catcher, Schmidt; 1st base, Rossman; 2nd base, Schaefer; 3rd base, Moriarity; short, Bush; right field, Cobb; left field, McIntire; center field, Crawford.

Joyce-Pruit Sluggers: Pitcher, Mathewson; catcher, Bresnahan; 1st base, Konetchy; 2nd base, Evers; 3rd base, Steinfeldt; short, Tinker; right field, Schulte; left field, Sheppard; center, Moran.

The stores will close at 3 p. m., and a grand parade will form at the Schlitz Hotel at that hour and march to the ball ground where a most exciting game will ensue.

**WATER USERS' MEETING.**

Every shareholder of Pecos Water Users' Association should make it a point to attend the meeting July 29, 1909, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., in the office of the Association in Carlsbad. The Board is anxious to have the views of the shareholders on several important questions. The Board will meet in the forenoon and transact routine business, so that the afternoon may be devoted to the shareholders' meeting.

If you want the best Saddles made, get the R. T. Frazier. Come in and look at them at Finley-Pratt Hdw. Co.

The Fire boys have donated \$10 toward the erection of a grand stand in the baseball park.

Miss Buna Heard and aunt, Mrs. Heard, of Pecos, came in last night on the auto from Knowles.

C. M. Rawles and son, J. L., and O. M. Jordan came in from San Angelo, Texas, last night to look up a location.

"Farmer" Smith, of Pearl, was in town today. He will bid for the mail contract from Pearl to Roberts, three times a week.

W. M. Locke and J. N. Hewitt are visiting relatives in San Angelo. On his return Mr. Hewitt is to take charge of the Draper ranch.

J. H. Henning, of Roswell, an old boyhood friend of J. D. Walker, and formerly, years ago, of Benton City, Texas, was in town this week, the guest of Mr. Walker.

F. B. Parsons, who owns a farm south of town, was a visitor at the hub Wednesday. While here he called in at the Current office and subscribed for the best county paper so as to keep abreast of the times.

Jim McMillan, the carpenter, received a very painful bruise, Wednesday, by falling from a scaffold, a distance of some ten feet, while at work on Albert Smith's new residence near the Methodist church.

Geo. Tracy departed this morning for his ranch in the Guadalupe, accompanied by Chas. Scott, who freighted out Mr. Tracy's household effects. Mr. Tuik and Mrs. Tracy leave this afternoon for the mountains.

Mr. B. C. Froman, of Memphis, Tenn., arrived last Friday from Rockport, Tex., where he is temporarily located. After spending three days with his brother, J. A. Froman, he left Tuesday evening for the Pacific coast on a prospecting trip.

News has been received here, by friends, of the engagement of Miss Benita Killough, of Center Point, Tex., to Mr. M. D. Dix, of Waco. Miss Killough is the daughter of B. T. Killough, formerly resident engineer of the Pecos Irrigation Co.

Miss Jimmie Kate Dublin, who has been visiting her cousin, Miss Camille Grantham, left Thursday for a short stay with her brother at Artesia. Miss Dublin made many warm friends in town who all wish her a pleasant visit and a speedy return.

A letter from F. G. Tracy, at Long Beach, Calif., to his brother, George, in this city this week, states that he and his party, composed of Mr. and Mrs. Tracy and little daughter, Josephine, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Stone, are having a splendid vacation.

Horace Wilson, who has 80 acres in sweet potatoes and alfalfa west of Otis, was bitten on the neck by a centipede while irrigating in his fields Sunday. He came hastily to town and secured antiseptics and by his prompt action escaped the serious consequences usually attendant on such a wound.

W. A. Finlay and family moved into their fine new home on their 40-acre tract just adjoining town on the west last week. The house stands on the ground occupied by their home that was destroyed by fire about two years ago and was known as the Green home place during the early days of Carlsbad.

Thirty-six hundredths of an inch of rain fell between ten and eleven o'clock last night in Carlsbad and from all appearance the rain was heavier to the north and east of town. The weather is still very sultry and cloudy and it would seem as if the great drought was broken, however, nothing but a soaking rain of six inches can be of any benefit for the ground is too hot and dry for a half an inch to have any effect whatever.

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Meet them at Shelby's, everybody trades there.

L. Ramuz, the Carlsbad Boot-maker is selling his \$14 and \$15 boots at \$12.

Fine wagon yard and camp-house at Ohnemus shop. He can fix it.

Good furnished rooms for rent by day, week, or month at Right-way Hotel. June 18, 11.

**J. F. Farrell Hurt**

Wednesday night young Farrell rode into town with the news that his father had been seriously injured by falling from a load of hay while at work on his ranch 45 miles southwest of town. Dr. Wheeler started immediately for the ranch in the Duncan car, reaching there at three in the morning. He found Mr. Farrell badly shaken but his spine not broken, as he had feared. After treating his injuries the physician returned, making the trip back in less than three hours.

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**QUEEN ITEMS.**

There was a dance at Mr. Thayer's house in Dark Canyon last week. Every lady had a nice time.

Mrs. W. H. Wilson, who lives near Queen, has been very sick for the past week.

Mr. Lee Middleton, who got his wrist badly hurt last week is able to be out again.

Dr. Blake, who has been down at Mr. Thayer's for about two weeks, now has returned to Queen.

Mr. Reagan Middleton of the Guardloop left last Wednesday morning for Crow Flat.

Mr. J. W. Tuik of Queen left last Saturday morning for Carlsbad.

Everybody has had a nice rain on the mountains and cattle are mending.

Mr. Bonnie Atman of Crow Flat visited the mountains during the fourth and stated he had a really nice time.

Mr. Charlie Ables of Orange is visiting the mountains this week.

Miss Rhada Tulk has gone to visit Mrs. C. A. Ezell of Carlsbad. She will return in about ten days.

T. W. Crow, of Riverton, Ala., will arrive next week to take possession of the W. E. Rogers place in La Huerta which he recently purchased for \$14,000, there being eighty acres with improvements, valued at about \$8,000 or \$10,000. Mr. Crow will be accompanied by his sister and brother-in-law, also his father and uncle. They will occupy all the buildings on the place and possibly erect more. Mr. and Mrs. Rogers will go the Pacific coast, and visit the towns from Los Angeles to Seattle, also the Yellowstone Park and Salt Lake City. Judge Rogers retains considerable interests in and around Carlsbad and will return in the fall, probably to remain in Carlsbad, for he always expects to have interests here and does not intend to leave for good, being well pleased with his investments here, and both Mrs. Rogers and the judge do not wish to live elsewhere than among the people of Carlsbad among whom they have many friends.

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**FOURTEEN DROWN.**

After Colliding With Another Vessel Steamer John B. Cole Sinks.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich. July 13.

Three minutes after the steel steamers Isaac M. Scott and John B. Cole collided the latter went down with fourteen of her crew.

**Index to Horse's Character.**

According to the Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons, England, the horse's face is a good index to his character. If there is a general curve to the profile and at the same time the ears are pointed and sensitive, it is safe to describe the animal as gentle and at the same time high spirited. If, on the other hand, the horse has a bent in the middle of his nose he is likely to be treacherous and churlish. A horse that drops his ears is likely to be lazy as well as vicious.

**FOR THE UNCLEY DANCE.**

Not interfere with walking or feeding, but the animal cannot run and is therefore easily caught. As a rule, in jumping, says the Farmer, it is also a good thing to apply to unruly cattle.

**The CITY LIVERY and FEED STABLE**

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This Stable is located near Hotel Schlitz on Mermod Street east of Masonic Hall and Carlsbad Furn. Co.

The best of horses that are guaranteed to stand a reasonable day's drive at all times and no others kept.

**Fine Rigs Always on Hand.**

**Small Quarters For Moses.**

Donald is fond of Bible stories. His auntie was relating to him the story of Moses in the basket of bulrushes, when he earnestly inquired:

"Did he ever grow to be a man?"

"Yes," he was told.

"A great big man?"

"Yes."

Donald remarked incredulously, "Well, I'd 'a' thought he'd 'a' busted the basket."—Belineator.

**Changed at Last.**

A butcher in a small way of business was in the habit of sending his son out with a small trap to deliver orders. The lad was a careless driver, and one day he knocked down an old lady. The inevitable lawsuit followed, and the butcher had to pay heavy damages.

Shortly after this the son was the cause of another accident, which had a similar unfortunate result, and the drain on the butcher's resources brought him to the verge of ruin.

A few days after the second case had been settled he was sitting in his shop thinking over his hard fate when a neighbor came rushing in breathless with the information that the butcher's wife had been run over by the careless driver of a private carriage and she was lying in the hospital with a crushed leg.

"Thank goodness!" exclaimed the butcher, as if greatly relieved. "My luck's changed at last!"

**A Town's Prosperity.**

The prosperity of a town is not gauged by the wealth of its inhabitants, but by the uniformity with which they pull together when any important undertaking is to be accomplished.

**Thoroughbred Dairy Cows.**

Not every farmer is calculated by nature to make a successful breeder, but any farmer who keeps cows can grade up and improve his herd by carefully selecting a good bull that has been thoroughly well bred along dairy lines. Grade stock requires a little more care than scrub stock. The education secured as each improvement takes place gradually fits the man to look after thoroughbreds.

**EVILS OF POOR ROADS.**

**Cost of Hauling Cut in Half by Good Highways.**

The average cost of carrying a ton of goods a mile by lake is eight-tenths of a mill and by rail 7 1/4 mills. The average cost of carrying a ton of goods a mile on first class roads is said to be 7 cents and on common country roads 25 cents.

The latest report made by the department of agriculture for 1904 shows 2,151,570 miles of public roads in the United States, of which 714 per cent were improved. In old, populous and rich states, such as New York, Pennsylvania, Illinois and Michigan improvements were reported on less than 10 per cent of the public roads.

Almost every pound of freight originating upon or destined to a farm moves over a country road, most of it over a "common" country road at a cost some three times as high as it would be if the road were first class. Sometimes the goods actually pay a heavier toll for a few miles' carriage between railroad station and farm than for all the remainder of the journey.

The railroads themselves spend millions to clip off 1 or 2 per cent from operating expenses here and there, and if farmers were presented with a feasible scheme for reducing their rail road freights, even one-quarter, they would feel that there indeed was a burning issue.

Road improvement receives much more attention than formerly, but much less than it deserves.

**Single, Yet Married.**

CHIVASSER—Are you single? MAN at the Door—Yes. "Why, the people next door told me you were married."

"No I am."

"Yet you told me just now you were single."

"Yes; so I did."

"Well, what is the matter with you?"

"Nothing, sir. My name is Single and I'm married. Good day, sir."

**Great minds are willing; others only wishes.—German Proverb.**

**Children's Answers.**

TOMMY is rather mischievous, and the other night before going to bed he locked the back door and hid the key. His mother reproved him next morning. "Then she said, 'Where did you hide it?' Daddy looked everywhere for it but he couldn't find it."

"Did mother," protested Tommy, "if he looked everywhere, why didn't he find it, then, the hat stand?"

**Being Run.**

When James was young and has been taken off the stove before it has spun a heavy enough thread it can be given the proper consistency, even though added to the white of an egg, by standing on the stove on an asbestos plate and being stirred constantly until it begins to stiffen.

**Proclamation**

Whereas, by virtue of an Act of the Legislature of the Territory of New Mexico, being Chapter 105 of the Laws of the 35th Legislative Assembly, a petition asking for the annexation of certain contiguous territory of the town of Carlsbad was presented to the Board of Trustees of said town, signed by majority of the taxpayers resident in such territory, accompanied by a survey and plat of said contiguous territory sought to be annexed, the same being described as follows, to-wit:

North Carlsbad, Rio Vista, Green's Highland Addition to the town of Carlsbad and Power's Addition to the Town of Carlsbad, as shown by the respective plats of said north Carlsbad, Rio Vista, Green's Highlands addition to the Town of Carlsbad, as the same appears upon the file in the office of the probate clerk of Eddy county, New Mexico, and all that portion of section 6, township 22 south, range 27 east, N. M. P. M., and the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section 7, of the same township and range, not now contained within the present corporate limits of the Town of Carlsbad and all that portion of section 5, same township and range, lying north and east of line drawn as follows: Commencing at a point on the section line between sections 5 and 6, township 22 south, range 27 east, N. M. P. M., 1323 feet north of section corner common to sections 5, 6, 7 and 8 in township 22 south, range 27 east; thence north 14 degrees, 13 minutes east through the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter and the west half of the northwest quarter of the said section 5 to a point intersecting the township line between townships 21 and 22 south, range 27 east, said intersection being about 1000 feet east of the section corner common to sections 31 and 32, township 21 south, range 27 east, and sections 5 and 6, township 22 south, range 27 east, as to plats hereto attached.

Whereas, the said board of trustees, by resolution duly passed and approved, consented to the annexation of said contiguous territory and

Whereas, said petition, survey and plat, together with said resolution, was duly filed in the office of the probate clerk and ex-officio recorder of the county of Eddy, the county in which said town of Carlsbad is situated, and thereupon the mayor of said town of Carlsbad, within sixty days thereafter, published an election proclamation in the Carlsbad Current, a newspaper published in the town of Carlsbad, for a period of thirty days before date fixed for the said election, fixing the date for submitting to the determination of the regular voters, residents and taxpayers of said contiguous territory, the question as to whether or not said contiguous territory should be annexed.

Whereas, on the 29th day of June, 1909, by virtue of said proclamation an election was held in accordance therewith, and said election having been duly canvassed in compliance with the statutes regulating the returns and canvassing of votes cast at said election, and majority of the votes cast were in favor of annexation,

Therefore, I, James M. Dye, mayor of the town of Carlsbad, by virtue of the power vested in me as such mayor, do hereby proclaim that the said contiguous territory is a part of the town of Carlsbad to all intents and purposes as if originally a part of said town.

Witness my hand at Carlsbad this 14th day of July, 1909.

JAMES M. DYE, Mayor.

Attest: J. B. HARVEY, Recorder.

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**Notice!**

The United Sons of Rest, a fast amateur base ball team of the city, hereby challenges the winner of the game to be played Thursday, July 22, for a matched game, to be played the following Sunday. Address all communications to,

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