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Roping a Rustler.

A story has been going the rounds of the New Mexico press for some time to the effect that Associate Justice Edward A. Mann of the sixth judicial district, while holding a term of court here in October, took a ride into the Capitan mountains and captured a grizzly bear. Now, the correspondent who circulated that story must have been possessed of a vivid imagination, as there was but a particle of foundation for the story. Not that we believe the honorable judge would not be capable of capturing a bear, for we know he would, but that he did not do so on the occasion stated, although it is true that a bear was captured about that time and safely lodged in the county jail.

The facts in the case, as we learned them on the ground, and as may be verified to the satisfaction of any one doubting them by a visit to the county jail, are simply these: It having been brought to the attention of the court that cattle rustling in this county was on the increase, the judge took occasion to call the sheriff to task about the matter. Sheriff Owen admitted that he believed such was the case, but that he had failed so far to "get next" to the outlaws, although he received word the previous evening that one of the gang was seen a short distance from town. The sheriff was instructed to proceed immediately and, if possible, capture the outlaw, and produce him in court. The judge is known to be a terror to this class of law-breakers. Sheriff Owen departed cap-a-pie and returned the next morning, having in custody a cunning and dangerous-looking prisoner, heavily shackled and firmly bound, and placed him behind the bars. He reported the capture to the court, and invited the judge, during recess, to walk around to the jail and take a squint at the outlaw, as he had not the necessary evidence to bring him to trial at that term of court. The judge accompanied the sheriff to the jail, who pointed out the villainous-looking rustler, remarking that he believed him to be a member of a "gang" that has been committing all kinds of depredations, and for whom a standing reward of \$20 was offered, dead or alive.

"But, sheriff," said the judge, "this is a bear and not a cattle thief."

"Well, your honor," said the sheriff, "he is the only kind of 'rustler' left in the county. You know that you sent the last of the two-legged kind to the pen."

His honor laughed heartily as he walked away, remarking, "All right, sheriff, see that your prisoner does not break jail."

Now, the above are the exact facts of the story of Judge Mann and the bear; and, further, the bear has never been out of Lincoln since his capture, although he has made several futile attempts to break jail.

Carrizozo Continues to Grow.

Among the many indications that Carrizozo will, in the near future, be one of the most important towns along the line of the Rock Island railroad is the steady growth of the town and the substantial nature of the improvements already made and the character of the buildings projected.

A visitor to this office from Carrizozo, who is familiar with conditions there, informed us that W. C. McDonald, who is very largely interested in that town, has let a contract for three large business buildings on Main street. The buildings will be of pressed brick, and an order for 90,000 has been placed with the manufacturers and are due to arrive in a few days.

These buildings have been already rented, which goes to show that some long-headed people are keeping their weather eye on that town. It is understood, also, that other buildings will soon be erected by other parties, which is quite probable, although unauthenticated.

In this respect we will say, from our knowledge of Mr. McDonald, others might do well to follow his lead, as he seems to have a faculty for seeing a good thing and grasping it, long before it comes within the vision of many. This paper is always proud to notice the acts of a public spirited citizen, in any part of the county, and is especially proud that Carrizozo has at least one; and hopes that the future will develop more, for as any portion of the county improves so will all the people share in the benefits.

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Pipe Arriving.

The pipe for the big water project, which is to convey the clear, crystal waters of the South Fork across the White Mountain range to Carrizozo, is now arriving in car loads, if not train loads. It is being distributed along the line at convenient points; some at Walnut, some at Indian Divide and still another portion at Capitan.

It is made of Michigan white pine, the staves are about two inches wide by one thick, grooved and put together in joints about eight feet long; banded with iron and a heavy coat of tar and sawdust applied. The sections of pipe brought here are about fourteen inches in diameter, outside, which would give a twelve-inch hole inside. The line throughout, however, we are told, will not be this large; twelve inches being the maximum and 7½ inches the minimum, graduated to ease the pressure.

Lincoln County Mining Notes.

Lamay and Cochran are preparing to do their annual assessment work on their claims about six miles west of Nogal.

W. A. Connor, who has been working on a coal vein near Carrizozo, is reported to have developed a good body of coal, and will soon be ready to furnish fuel for the market.

The Vera Cruz Mining Co. has encountered a good body of high grade gold ore, and the property is showing up better than ever before. The company's operations, however, have been hampered recently by the bursting of

their two boilers. Operations will be renewed as soon as repairs are perfected.

The Pittsburg Ore Reduction Co., on the Bonito, is installing some new machinery, and will begin sinking at once on one of their claims known as "Mineral Farm." Some high class galena has been extracted from this property, and the company feels justified in expending a considerable sum of money in its development.

The Eagle Mining & Development Co., operating at Parsons, has about completed its improvements, and are ready to grind out the yellow metal from a mountain of ore. The equipment on this property for treating ore is perhaps the best in the entire territory, and everything points to the successful operation of this famous property.

The Bonito Mining & Milling Co. is working a force of men on one of its properties. This company has a shaft down 200 feet, but the work has been impeded by a strong flow of water. The ore extracted runs well in silver and lead, and strong hopes are entertained by the owners that a profit-paying mine will be developed. Ed C. Pfingsten is manager and is in charge of the present work.

The president is full of promises, but he seems equally full of the quality to ignore all of them at will. He delights in making promises and many people enjoy having him do so, notwithstanding Teddy's propensity to forget them.

THE CAPITAN NEWS

CAPITAN, - - NEW MEXICO.

When might is master, right is servant.

Dr. Osler says soup is bad to eat, but neglects to suggest a soup-errior article of diet.

A Texas girl killed herself because she couldn't go to school. She was just dying for an education.

There is a shortage of the prune crop, but people who are full of them will be as full of them as ever.

A Pittsburg man has bought a Missouri mule eight feet high and weighing 1,960 pounds. Make your own joke.

Mars may think that our great and friendly telescopes are 48-inch guns pointed its way and that we are trying to hold it up.

"Forty cocktails," remarks a New York contemporary, "cannot put a good man down." But a good man can put 40 cocktails down.

The new rag-pickers' union will be a public benefactor if it will take steps to prevent unauthorized persons from chewing the rag.

After his coast has been shelled the sultan of Morocco will begin to shell out from the royal treasury. This target practice costs money.

A dispatch says that English golfers walk 250,000,000 miles a year. St. Louis shoe manufacturers should give Great Britain the sole kiss.

"Always build a fire in the shade, for it will not burn so well if the sun plays upon it." What have the scientific sharps to say to this?

When Peary reaches the chilly slab known as the north pole will he find the business card of Walter Wellman tacked on it in a conspicuous place?

Rameses II. overlooked a point by not setting up a monument at the mouth of the River Nile, with an inscription to the effect that he dug the stream.

An Indiana widow accepted the undertaker at her husband's funeral and married him the next day. We are certainly leading the strenuous life these days.

Who cares how soon the coal supply is exhausted, if the water courses of the earth are capable of furnishing heat, light and power for the inhabitants thereof?

Scotch whisky is not Scotch whisky unless it is made in Scotland, according to a British court, which has never been in this country and ordered a Scotch whisky at an American bar.

The last stage coach in New York has passed away with the sale of the Fifth Avenue Coach company's horses, omnibuses, stages and harnesses. Fifth avenue was the last stronghold of the old-fashioned stage coach, and its passing will doubtless make many an old-time New Yorker feel a touch of melancholia, for there is an element of conservatism in us all which dislikes a rude break with the past.

The future sponsors of American war vessels who follow the precedent of saying: "I christen thee," etc., etc., might take a lesson in English from Princess Henry of Battenberg, who, when she broke the garlanded bottle of wine—the gift of the Australian commonwealth—on the largest British battleship, exclaimed: "I name this ship Bellerophon, and I wish success to her and to all who sail in her."

SERVING THE FOWL

TWO DELICIOUS WAYS OF PREPARING CHICKEN.

When Pressed It Makes as Fine a Dish as Could Be Desired—
Steamed with Rice and Mushrooms.

Pressed Chicken.—Cover a young fowl, cut in joints, with boiling water, and let simmer until tender, together with a few slices of carrot, half an onion, and a stalk of celery. Remove the skin and bones, and return them with the broth to the fire, and let simmer until reduced to about one cup; strain and set aside. When the flesh is nearly cold, cut into tiny cubes or chop fine; remove the fat from the broth, reheat, and stir the chicken into it, adding salt and pepper and other seasoning as desired. Decorate a mold with slices of hard-boiled eggs; in this pack the hot chicken, cover with a buttered paper bearing a weight, and let stand until cold and set. Serve, sliced thin, with salad.

Steamed Fowl with Rice and Mushrooms.—Truss a fowl for boiling, rub with the cut side of a lemon and lay on slices of salt pork or bacon and steam with an onion and two or three stalks of celery until tender—three hours or longer. Have ready a mound of boiled rice, seasoned with butter and salt, and dispose the fowl upon this. Arrange mushrooms cooked in the usual manner about the rice. Serve with the strained chicken liquor, thickened with flour and enriched with two egg yolks, beaten with a half cupful of cream.

Jellied Chicken.—Boil a chicken and let it get cold in the liquor. Skim the liquor from every particle of fat. Remove all the skin and bones from the chicken and cut the meat into pieces of uniform size. Soak a half-cup of gelatin in a half-cup of cold water. Mix with the chicken a dozen stoned olives cut up small and two dozen canned mushrooms, also cut small. Bring the chicken liquor to a boil, add the soaked gelatin and when this is dissolved take from the fire and set aside to cool. When it begins to "jelly," pour a little of it into a mold wet with cold water, put in a layer of the chicken mixture and when this begins to stiffen add more of the jelly and more of the chicken, continuing in this way until the mold is full. Set in the ice chest for 24 hours. When ready to serve wipe off the outside of the mold with a cloth wrung out in hot water and turn the chicken out upon a chilled platter.

Cleaning Rings.
Rings set with precious stones should always be inspected from time to time to ascertain if the gems are at all loose, especially in the case of claw settings. It is also a good plan to wash them periodically in warm soapsuds, to which a few drops of sal volatile have been added, an exception being made, however, in the case of turquoises, which should not be dampened. In every case the claw settings should be cleaned by means of a wisp of blotting paper rolled into the form of a shading "stump" and worked into the interstices so as to clear them of any accumulation of dirt.

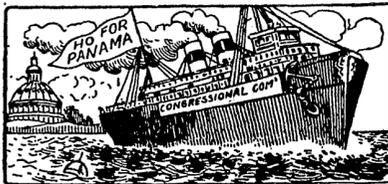
Cheese Wafers.
One cup sugar, three tablespoons shortening, two-thirds cup milk, three-fourths cup grated cheese, one egg. Flour to roll (about two cups, but flour differs); one teaspoon baking powder. Roll very thin and bake in quite a quick oven. Watch carefully as they burn easily. Nice for lunches.

Wash-Tub Wisdom.
When washing a woollen shawl do not wring it or pull it out of shape. Wring it out carefully by hand, laying it inside of a clean towel, and dry it by pinning it to a cloth on a table or on a bedspread.

At the National Capital

Gossip of People and Events
Gathered in Washington

CONGRESSMEN PLANNING TRIP TO THE ISTHMUS



WASHINGTON.—A sub-committee of the committee on appropriations of the next congress will go to the isthmus in November to investigate Secretary Taft's canal estimates for 1909, if present plans are carried out.

The proposed visit is the outcome of a suggestion from Representative James A. Tawney of Minnesota, chairman of the appropriations committee in the last congress, who was at the isthmus following the adjournment last March. He believes it will be to the best interests of the service, as well as to those directly and indirectly in charge of the administration of the forces at work there, if the members of the appropriations committee having in charge the preparation of the sundry civil bill go to the isthmus with the estimates for the next fiscal year and consider them carefully with the officials having supervision of expenditures for all kinds of work being done.

The suggestion has met with a hearty response from those identified with the commission's work, who believe that a great deal of good will result from a heart to heart talk between the congressmen who prepare the appropriation and the officials who spend it, and that it will clear away in advance any misapprehensions or misunderstandings that may exist as to the justness and propriety of allotting the money estimated to be necessary for the year's work. Of particular importance is the proposed visit regarded at the present time, when the question is now before the president whether the commission can lawfully expend during the present fiscal year any more money than was specifically appropriated.

ARMY COURTS-MARTIAL FEWER THAN LAST YEAR



THERE was a decrease of 683 trials of officers and men of the army by courts-martial for the fiscal year ending June 30 last, as compared with the previous year, according to the report of Maj. Porter, the acting judge advocate of the army.

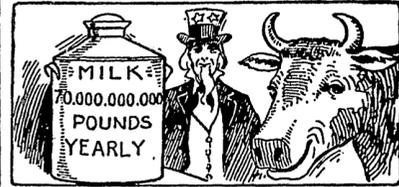
Thirty-four officers and nine were acquitted. Last year four officers were dismissed from the service as compared with 14 during the previous year. The number of enlisted men tried was 3,879 and 305 were acquitted. The total number of officers and men tried was 3,913.

Among the enlisted men 1,101 were

tried for desertion, 732 on the charge of absence without leave, 223 for drunkenness, 258 for larceny, 241 for disobedience to non-commissioned officers, and 211 for disobeying superior officers.

The report dwells upon the evil results following the passage of the anticanteen act, which, it is said, "has undoubtedly caused the location near military reservations of resorts for the sale of intoxicating liquors." These places are considered highly detrimental to military discipline.

BIG GROWTH IS SHOWN IN THE DAIRY INDUSTRY



EVER since that day, nearly three centuries ago, when a spotted calf went for a walk through the fields of a Massachusetts Bay colony, and so laid out the first street in New England, old Brindle and her family have been of much importance in the domestic and commercial life of America. This is the cow's only recorded use as street-makers, but as producers of the great milk, butter and cheese supply of the nation they have a series of long and successful years back of them.

The dairy industry of the United States is a congenial study for those who like statistics. The growth has been tremendous. There are more than 21,000,000 cows milked in the United States every day, each gives 3,500 pounds of milk a year, making the annual output of this country about 70,000,000,000 pounds of milk. It is disposed of in various ways. A little over half of it is required for the making of butter, 1,000,000,000 pounds of it goes into condensed milk, 3,000,000,000 into cheese, and the rest is sold as cream, fed to the calves, or divided among the people of the country, each of whom should receive seven-tenths of a pound of milk a day—a good-sized tumbler full.

If the cows were all told off and assigned to specific duty in this dairy products business, 6,400,000 of them would be required to furnish the milk, condensed milk and cream; 10,900,000 would confine their attention solely to butter, and would each be expected to furnish 151½ pounds a year; 840,000 would be assigned to the cheese industry, and the remaining number would have the raising of all the calves.

As each individual in the United States is supposed to eat 20 pounds of butter each year, the Brindle family cannot quite supply it, so we still import something like 45,000 pounds to make up the deficiency. One-third of the nation's output of butter comes from the farms where 3,500,000 farmers and their families, still churn it, pack it in firkins or tubs and deliver it to the nearest shipping point. Over 6,000 factories make the rest of the 1,500,000,000 pounds that we use annually.

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NEW WAYS OF SERVING EGGS

When the Palate Becomes Tired of the Old Preparations.

There are a good many articles of food which are digested easily, but which lack flavor and the palate easily tires of them. One of these is eggs, and the difficulty can be overcome by serving them with some decided flavor. Tomato sauce, anchovy toast, stewed celery, and many other things will suggest themselves to the mind of the housekeeper who is seeking to make this easily digested nutritive food acceptable to some member of her family. Sometimes it can be flavored with a sprinkling of cheese, sometimes worked into the diet in some other form as custards. The principle in dealing with the simple foods for invalids or people who have some difficulty in nutrition is to use flavors in different forms with discretion to avoid tiring the taste and yet give the amount of nutrition necessary under cover of different flavors.

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When ready to use, take one coffee cupful of the "Quick and Easy," shave half a cake of soap, and add them to your boilerful of clothes. Boil half an hour. A good rinsing in your bluing water is all that is necessary, unless some collar or wristband is very much soiled.—Harper's Bazar.

Regenerate Salts.

Smelling salts can be made to last for years if fresh spirits are poured over the balls of salt from time to time, so as to keep up the original strength of the mixture. Many people use spirits of ammonia in this connection, but a still more powerful specific may be found in a combination of this spirit with oil of lavender, in the proportion of two parts of the former to one of the latter. In procuring the ammonia, however, care must be taken to avoid choosing aromatic spirits of ammonia in error, the water which it contains preventing it from amalgamating with the oil.

The Baby's Bib.

Danish angora cloth is splendid material for infants' bibs on account of its weight, and it launders beautifully.

The embroidery should be done with a fairly heavy cotton and the stitches should be close and even.

If daisies are used in embroidering the bib they should be worked in satin-stitched, the leaves voided, or, in other words, worked from mid-vein to edge on both sides. French knots may be used to fill the centers.

A lingerie button and a little loop close the bib at the back.

Raspberry Whip.

Beat the white of one egg with one cupful of pulverized sugar and one and one-half cupfuls of mashed raspberries together 30 minutes. Pile in the center of a chop plate or platter and pour around a custard. Serve with macaroons.

New Piping.

The increasing demands for piping has made the progressive dressmaker seek for some more perfect and easy method of making her dress trimmings. The shops are now showing bias-seamed tapes made of good quality and in every shade.

WORN TO A SKELETON.

A Wonderful Restoration Caused a Sensation in a Pennsylvania Town.

Mrs. Charles N. Preston, of Elkland, Pa., says: "Three years ago I found that my housework was becoming a burden. I tired easily, had no ambition and was failing fast. My complexion got yellow, and I lost over 50 pounds. My thirst was terrible, and there was sugar in the kidney secretions. My doctor kept me on a strict diet, but as his medicine was not helping me, I began using Doan's Kidney Pills. They helped me at once, and soon all traces of sugar disappeared. I have regained my former weight and am perfectly well."



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JUST A GENTLE HINT.

One Remedy Appearances Indicated Nobleman Had Never Tried.

The earl of Surrey, afterward eleventh duke of Norfolk, who was a notorious gourmand and hard drinker and a leading member of the Beef-steak club, was so far from cleanly in his person that his servants used to avail themselves of his fits of drunkenness—which were pretty frequent, by the way—for the purpose of washing him. On these occasions they stripped him as they would a corpse and performed the needful ablutions.

He was equally notorious for his horror of clean linen. One day, on his complaining to Dudley North at his club that he had become a perfect martyr to rheumatism and tried every possible remedy without success, the latter wittily replied: "Pray, my lord, did you ever try a clean shirt?"

CASE OF ECZEMA IN SOUTH.

Suffered Three Years—Hands and Eye Most Affected—Now Well and is Grateful to Cuticura.

"My wife was taken badly with eczema for three years, and she employed a doctor with no effect at all until she employed Cuticura Soap and Ointment. One of her hands and her left eye were badly affected, and when she would stop using Cuticura Soap and Ointment the eczema came back, but very slightly, but it did her a sight of good. Then we used the entire set of Cuticura Remedies and my wife is entirely recovered. She thanks Cuticura very much and will recommend it highly in our locality and in every nook and corner of our parish. I. M. Robert, Hydropolis, La., Jan. 5 and Sept. 1, 1906."

A Foine Bird.

An Irishman who wasn't much of a hunter went out to hunt one day, and the first thing he saw to shoot at was a blue jay sitting saucily on the top of a fence. He blazed away at the bird and then walked over to pick it up. What he happened to find there was a dead frog, which he raised carefully at arm's length, looking at it with a puzzled air. Finally he remarked: "Well, begobs, but ye was a devil of a foine looking burd befur Oi blew ther fithers off o'yers!"—Judge's Library.

Explosive Expert Dead.

Dr. August Dupre, chemical adviser to the explosives department of the English Home Office since 1873, has died at Sutton, Surrey. At the time of the Fenian agitation it was his duty to examine the bombs and infernal machines discovered by the police.

American Money for Canada.

The value of settlers' effects taken into Canada by American immigrants in 1906 fiscal year was \$1,158,933, against only \$11,223 by British immigrants.

Tom Ochiltree's Moon.

After Tom Ochiltree, that able congress raconteur and laugh generator for the afflicted rich, settled in New York as the amuser of the John W. Mackay family, he effervesced in a thousand different directions, and was as good in some ways as Sam Ward. One night he escorted John Mackay's friend, the Count de Biscoun, down to the Battery to show the sight of New York. The moon was grand, and the count went into raptures as "her maiden reflection rippled over the pearly waters." He cried: "Eet iss grand! Eet iss grand! Dair iss no such moon in all Italy!" "Count," said Ochiltree, solemnly, as befitted the occasion, "you just ought to see the moon in Texas!"

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NEXT TUESDAY'S ELECTIONS.

Twelve states will hold elections next Tuesday, and, as some of them take place in doubtful states and this is the last election preceding the general election of 1908, considerable interest has been aroused.

In Kentucky, Maryland, Massachusetts, Mississippi, New Jersey and Rhode Island governors and other state officers are to be elected. Close results are expected in all these six states mentioned, except Massachusetts, where two democratic tickets are in the field, and therefore, easily beaten; and Mississippi, whose democratic primary last summer settled the question.

Nebraska, New York and Pennsylvania will elect supreme court justices and other minor officials, and little importance is attached to the result in any of them.

California, Ohio and Utah will hold municipal elections only, and especially in San Francisco, Salt Lake City and Cleveland are of more than passing interest. Particularly is this true of the Cleveland fight, where the administration is using all its efforts to defeat Tom L. Johnson, the best mayor any city ever had.

In all cases where homestead entries are made after November 1, 1907, commutation proofs must show actual and continuous bona fide residence for the full period of fourteen months. In all cases where the entries were made before November 1, 1907, the rule heretofore existing that six months constructive residence following the date of the entry will be considered as a part of the required fourteen months residence, will remain in force.

The Commissioner of the General Land Office has issued an order which requires the registers and receivers of all United States land offices to prepare all applications to make entries and filings on public lands when they are requested to do so by the applicants. This order will insure greater accuracy in papers of this kind, and be a saving to the applicants who have heretofore been required to have their applications prepared at their own expense.

Governor Curry has visited many portions of the territory, and in every place he has aroused enthusiasm for statehood. The governor has been able to do this for the reasons that the people want statehood and he brought a message from President Roosevelt that he would do all he could to secure statehood for New Mexico. The president, however, after arousing hope, now throws cold water on the proposition by asserting that New Mexico has no chance for statehood at the hands of congress this winter. If the president isn't a "quitter" what is he?

SPECIAL MASTER'S SALE.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT, LINCOLN COUNTY, TERRITORY OF NEW MEXICO.

WELCH & TITSWORTH, Plaintiffs, }
vs. } No. 1677
J. B. CHANDLER, ET AL, Def'ts }

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that under and in pursuance of the Decree of the said Court in the above entitled cause, dated July 24th, A. D. 1907, the undersigned Special Master in Chancery will, on the 2nd day of December, A. D. 1907, at the front door of the Court House of Lincoln County, in the town of Lincoln, New Mexico, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and the setting of the sun, on said day, offer for sale at public vendue, and sell to the highest and best bidder for cash, the premises hereinafter described and all the right, title and interest of said J. B. Chandler and Beulah H. Chandler, his wife, defendants therein, to satisfy the indebtedness by said Decree, decreed to be due from said co-defendants to said plaintiffs, to wit: the sum of Four hundred and thirty-five dollars principal; Forty-eight and 32-100 dollars interest and Forty-eight and 32-100 dollars attorney's fees, to wit: Five hundred and thirty-one and 62-100 dollars, together with Twenty-one and 90-100 dollars for costs and necessary disbursements, with ten per cent interest from said 24th day of July, A. D. 1907, to the day of sale, and a Special Master's fee of Twenty-five dollars, and the cost of this notice, to wit: Twenty and 25-100 dollars, making a total of \$617.50, due upon said day of sale, which indebtedness was decreed to be a lien upon the hereinafter described premises, and which said indebtedness remains due and unpaid.

The premises to be sold are situated in the County of Lincoln, Territory of New Mexico, and are more particularly described as follows, to-wit: The east half of the northwest quarter of section 11, in township 9 south of range, 15 east; together with all and singular the lands and tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

J. W. OWEN, Sheriff of Lincoln County, N. M., and Special Master in Chancery.

Lincoln, N. M., October 31st, A. D., 1907.
11-1-5t

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior,
Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico,
October 23, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Rinaldo Moya, of Arabela, New Mexico, has filed notice of his intention to make final five-year proof in support of his claim, viz.: Homestead Entry No. 2092, made October 23, 1901, for the E½ of the SW¼ and the W½ of the SE¼, of Section 30, Township 9 South, Range 18 East, and that said proof will be made before the Register or Receiver at Roswell, New Mexico, on December 9, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, the land, viz:

Juan Rubio, of Roswell, N. M.; Juan Rafe Montoyah, of Analla, N. M.; Pas Torez, of Analla, N. M.; Pedro Torez, of Arabela, N. M.
10-25-6t HOWARD LELAND, Register.

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Department of the Interior,
Land Office at Roswell, N. M.,
September 12, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Higinio Zamora of Capitan, N. M., has filed notice of his intention to make final five-year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 2960, made September 30, 1902, for the W½ SE¼ and E½ SW¼, Section 20, Township 7 S., Range 15 E, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Kimbrell, probate clerk, at his office in Lincoln, N. M., on November 5, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of the land, viz: Melcor Chavez and Lorenzo Otero, of Richardson, N. M.; E. E. Knight, of Hondo, N. M.; Jose Torres y Sedillo, of Lincoln, N. M.
9-20-6t HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior,
Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico,
October 11, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Mrs. Annie E. Long, one of the heirs of John H. King, deceased, of Parsons, New Mexico, has filed notice of his intention to make final five-year proof in support of his claim, viz., Homestead Entry No. 2994, made October 9, 1902, for the SE¼ of Section 29, Township 9 South, Range 13 East, and that said proof will be made before N. S. Rose, U. S. Court Commissioner, at his office in Carrizozo, N. M., on November 26, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of the land, viz: Roy Lamay, of Nogal, N. M.; Cleve Bourne, of Carrizozo, N. M.; Wm. Ferguson, of Nogal, N. M.; Bowen Zumwalt, of Nogal, N. M.
10-18-6t HOWARD LELAND, Register.

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WELCH & TITSWORTH.

S. T. Gray visited the county seat Wednesday.

WANTED—Spring chickens and fresh eggs.—Welch & Titsworth

P. G. Peters has put on a delivery wagon, and will take orders for and deliver goods to any portion of the town.

FOR SALE—1500 head of shearing goats, from four years old down.—Address 9-6-8t HENRY STUTZ, Lincoln.

The flood gates of heaven opened again Sunday, and for thirty-six hours a sizzle-sizzle drenched the earth.

Manuel Aragon and wife, of Lincoln, left on Monday's train for El Paso. Mr. Aragon expects to return in a few days, but Mrs. Aragon will visit Albuquerque before returning.

Bucks for Sale—Registered Angora Bucks from the famous J. C. Hightower flock sired by Hoerle buck imported from South Africa. Address—Stuart & Stephenson, Alto, N. M. 9-6tf

Thomas H. Moore spent last week in Carrizozo, returning Sunday. He says Carrizozo is a live bustling town, but that he feels more at home in Capitan.

Mrs. W. R. Ellis and children came over on Monday's train, and are now domiciled in a cottage on

the south side, made ready by Mr. Ellis pending their arrival.

OUR BUCKS are going fast at the following prices: One for \$35, two for \$65, three for \$90 and four for \$110 or five for \$125. These Bucks are grain fed and are therefore in good shape for fall service. STUART & STEPHENSON.

J. V. Tully has opened a general merchandise business at Glencoe, on the Ruidoso. The location is about midway on this thickly-populated stream, and a thriving business should be built up there.

Martin L. Moore has received notice from the department of forestry that he had successfully passed the examination for forest ranger, and that he would receive an appointment as soon as a vacancy occurs.

Joe Cochran, with a party of railroad men, returned Sunday from a week's hunt in the Capitan mountains. Joe, who acted as guide to the party, says he killed a bear, but failed to exhibit either the pelt or the claws.

Attention is directed to the advertisement of the Capitan Mercantile company in this issue, in which a chance on a beautiful and handsomely-dressed doll will be given away with each one

dollar's purchase in that store between now and December 24.

Another large gang of laborers came in on Tuesday's train and left the following day for a point on the Bouito-Carrizozo pipe line, to reinforce the crew now engaged digging the trench and laying the pipe.

The scarlet fever epidemic with which this community was threatened last month, seems to have subsided. The most pronounced case was the little girl of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Parker, who is now entirely recovered, the dwelling thoroughly fumigated, and, it is believed, all danger of contagion is past.

Newt Kemp has been requested to guide a party of railroad men to bruin's lair in the Capitans. If there is anyone in this peaceful village acquainted with the habits and haunts of the bear family it is Newt, and we expect to hear of thrilling adventures and deadly combats with the monarch of the mountains when the party returns.

A masquerade ball will be held at the Capitan schoolhouse on the evening of Nov. 28, under the auspices of the Rebeka Lodge.

Each lady is requested to bring a basket filled with good things to eat, sufficient for two. A com-

mittee will take charge of the baskets, and dispose of them at the popular price of fifty cents each. The dancers must remain masked until 10:30, when they may disclose their identity. A tip-top evening's pleasure is assured.

Off the Track and On Again.

The engine that pulled a train of material for the pipe line from Carrizozo to Capitan on Tuesday, while returning the same evening left the rails while rounding the curve half a mile from town, pulling the tender and caboose with it. The wrecking crew arrived next forenoon, and by hard work succeeded in getting the track cleared by evening, when the "toot-toot" of the engine whistle gave notice similar to the celebrated dispatch sent the superintendent by a section foreman named Finnegan on the occasion of a similar accident:

"Off the track and on 'agin,
All right and gone agin—Finnigan."

The rolling stock was not damaged, but a couple of hundred feet of track was torn up and the heavy ties splintered into kindling wood. The cause of the accident was a soft track caused by the recent heavy rains.

Capt. P. L. Krouse, chairman county commissioners, was in Capitan yesterday.

SALAD WITH THE MEAT.

Combination That Will Be Pronounced Excellent.

Shred finely half a small head of crisp, tender cabbage and a crisp cucumber, an onion, two sweet peppers; exclude the seeds and compartments where seeds rest; a stalk of celery, all shredded and mixed. Use the accompanying mayonnaise: One cup sweet milk, one teaspoon granulated sugar, a dash of cayenne and white pepper; thicken when at boiling point with a heaped tablespoon of corn starch; when cooked, remove from the fire. Add one tablespoon olive oil, one tablespoon good butter, one tablespoonful any favorite salad dressing, and two tablespoons lemon juice or best cider vinegar. Salt to taste. Keep on ice until served. Place a slice of tomato on top of each plate and your mayonnaise over all.

COFFEE FRAPPE IS GOOD.

Necessitates Only a Little Work with the Freezer.

Prepare a pint of strong, black coffee; boil granulated sugar with enough water to dissolve it until it almost strings, add this to the coffee and place the mixture in a freezer. The amount of sugar must vary according to your taste; it should be sweetened to about the same point that you like breakfast coffee; no more. Turn the dasher of the freezer first to right then to the left, alternating the movement and scraping down the mixture from the side of the freezer as it begins to harden. When it looks like rock crystal, that is, semi-transparent and showing little sharp points, heap in glasses and serve immediately with very thin wafers that are not too sweet.

For a Back Porch Shade.

A simple and inexpensive shade for the summer porch, or for a window, may be made by using Japanese matting, cut in the required length and bound at each end with a piece of strong cotton goods. To roll the screen up take two pieces of heavy string or cord about three times as long as the matting; tack the end of each string about two inches above the shade and about a foot from the edge; let the string come down behind the matting and up in front of it, and draw through an ordinary matting tack placed just beside the first one. This simple device will keep the porch cool and serve to darken any specially sunny window in the house. Good matting for this purpose may be bought for 10 to 12 cents a yard.

Rochester Pudding.

Set to boil one cup of canned, shredded pineapple, one cup of water, one-half cup of sugar. Wet three tablespoonfuls of cornstarch with three tablespoonfuls of cold water. Stir this into the boiling pineapple syrup and boil five minutes. Take from the fire and cool one minute. Beat the whites of three eggs, fairly stiff, and then beat into the boiling mixture for two or three minutes. Pour into a mold and set to cool. Serve cold with boiled custard sauce made as follows: Pour two cups of boiling milk on the beaten yolks of three eggs and three tablespoonfuls of sugar. Cook in a double boiler until as thick and smooth as cream. Cool and flavor with one teaspoonful of vanilla.

Sunshine Cake.

Three-quarters cups of butter and two cups sugar creamed, yolks of ten eggs, two and one-half cups flour, two teaspoons baking powder, one cup milk, one teaspoon of lemon or orange. Bake in steady oven 50 minutes and frost with yellow frosting, made of the yolk of one egg, one tablespoon water and one teaspoon lemon or orange flavoring. Add confectioner's sugar till thick enough to spread.

"They Say."

A good many people think it isn't a lie if they preface it with "they say."

IN THE SUPERLATIVE DEGREE.

Little Son's Explanation Seemed to Cover the Case.

Little son, aged seven, whose training has been of the most painstaking and conscientious, rather took away his mother's breath in describing the dog's game of ball. He ended with:

"And, mother, Topsy caught the ball in her mouth, and then just ran like h—!"

"Like what?" cried the startled mother.

"W'y, like h—, don't you know, mother?" innocently.

"No, I don't believe I do. Just how is that, dear?" she asked faintly.

"Well, I don't know jus' what it means, myself," he confessed, "but it's a whole lot faster than 'lickety-split!'"

A Horse's Good Fortune.

A spiritualist came to our house some time ago and claimed to be able to locate our lost friends if we desired. We had an old horse which we had sold years ago and my mother wanted to know where he was. Mother began:

"We had a very good friend who always did all our work. He passed from us several years ago and the last we heard of him was that he was in Los Angeles. I would like to know if he is still living."

The spiritualist made certain motions and knocked on the table and then said:

"Your friend is in Los Angeles and is married to a rich young woman."—Judge.

Of Little Faith.

At the Pine Grove camp ground in Canaan, Conn., a little girl was removed by her mother for disobedience and being naughty to her playmates. The child was told that when she said her prayers at night she should seek forgiveness and ask the Lord to help her be a better girl. Here is the prayer which the youngster made under protest:

"Oh, Lord, I want you to help me to mind my mamma, to help me to be a better girl, to help me to be good to my playmates, to—but, pshaw, Lord, what's the use? I 'spect you don't believe half I'm saying."

FAMILY FOOD.

Crisp, Toothsome and Requires No Cooking.

A little boy down in N. C. asked his mother to write an account of how Grape-Nuts food had helped their family.

She says Grape-Nuts was first brought to her attention on a visit to Charlotte, where she visited the Mayor of that city who was using the food by the advice of his physician. She says:

"They derive so much good from it that they never pass a day without using it. While I was there I used the Food regularly. I gained about 15 pounds and felt so well that when I returned home I began using Grape-Nuts in our family regularly.

"My little 18 months old baby shortly after being weaned was very ill with dyspepsia and teething. She was sick nine weeks and we tried everything. She became so emaciated that it was painful to handle her and we thought we were going to lose her. One day a happy thought urged me to try Grape-Nuts soaked in a little warm milk.

"Well, it worked like a charm and she began taking it regularly and improvement set in at once. She is now getting well and round and fat as fast as possible on Grape-Nuts.

"Sometime ago several of the family were stricken with LaGrippe at the same time, and during the worst stages we could not relish anything in the shape of food but Grape-Nuts and oranges, everything else nauseated us.

"We all appreciate what your famous food has done for our family." "There's a Reason." Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

A Pardonable Fault.

Dr. Edward Everett Hale, discussing a rather finicky attack that had been made on certain recent statements, smiled and said:

"But who or what is blameless? It is like the case of the Scottish hen. An old Scottish woman wished to sell a hen to a neighbor.

"'But tell me,' the neighbor said, 'is she a' thegither a guid bird? Has she got nae fauts, nae fauts at all?'"

"'Awell, Margot,' the other old woman admitted, 'she has got one fault. She will lay on the Lord's day.'"

Had a Cheer Coming.

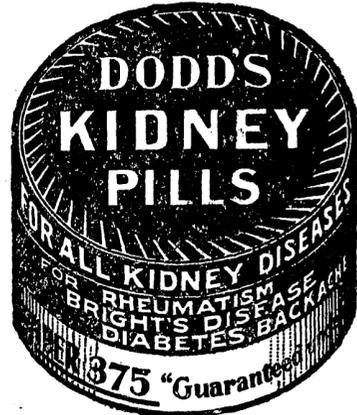
Years ago, when the G. A. R. annual department encampment was held in Boston, as the veterans were marching along one of the avenues a lady, who had secured an elevated position on a wagon in a side street, became conspicuous by the enthusiasm she displayed, and was dissatisfied with the lack of it in the by-standers. "Cheer!" said she. "Why don't you cheer? I guess you'd cheer if you'd lost two husbands in the war as I did."—Life.

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I don't think much of a man who is not wiser to-day than he was yesterday.—Abraham Lincoln.

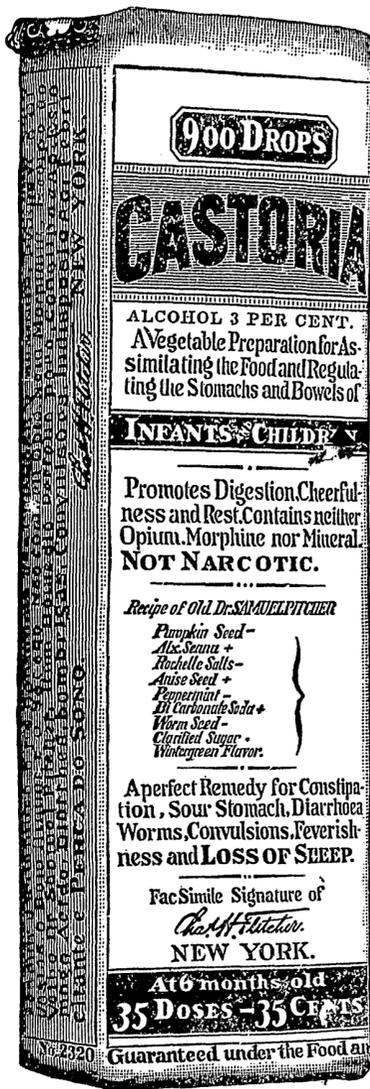
In this world every mountain-top of privilege is girdled by the vales of simple duty.—H. Van Dyke.



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A Disparity Between Fact and Fiction

BY ELLA SCHMITT

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"Why, Jean, are you still up?" exclaimed her roommate, as she came into the room wearily throwing her evening cloak and hat on a chair.

"Yes, I'm in the same position I was when you left me, Helen. I've been sitting here three hours trying to think connectedly," Jean went on, "but somehow my thoughts won't come. I never had such a time trying to write a theme in my life." The girl gave a dry, nervous little laugh as she took a turn around the room.

"Come sit here by the fire. You are too tired to think. I told you to cut that old theme; get it in late, I mean," Helen said, in a reproachful tone. "I was wishing all evening that you might have been with me at the frappe table. Bessie Merrill took your place and she's unendurable—so silly about the men. You ought to have seen her corner the 'cherub'—"

"Was Dr. Lyman there?" Jean broke in, emphasizing the name to show her disapproval of the descriptive epithet among the girls. "Of course he was there. I might have known he would be." She looked absently into the coals.

"Now 'fess up, Jean, aren't you sorry you missed a jolly tete-a-tete with Lyman?"

"Call him Dr. Lyman or Mr. Lyman"—Jean interrupted.

"He certainly is a cherub," Helen went on. "By the way, he came to the punch bowl several times—whenever he saw me disengaged."

"How material! I suppose he drank a whole glass of punch each time?"

"Oh, dear no, Jean, you're spiteful. He is too well mannered for that."

"Then you were the attraction, Helen? I'm glad of that."

"My dear, I can't flatter myself by thinking that. Shall I tell you why he sought me out?" There was a teasing intonation in the words.

"Well?" came impatiently from Jean.

"Well—because he wished to talk of you." The roommate paused, tapping her tiny slippered feet on the fender as she waited for the effect of the remark.

"And what did he say?" pressed Jean.

"He asked why you were not assisting. I told him the only thing that kept you away was an ugly old theme that you were writing for his class. He laughed and said, 'Miss Perrin has a conscience, I see. I'm sorry to miss her here. She might have arranged to get that in late. You can tell her that I sometimes make allowances on a plea of extenuating circumstances.'"

Jean flushed. There was a tired look about her eyes and her voice was a little unsteady as she said: "And think of it, Helen, I haven't written a word! What excuse can I give? I shouldn't care if it were any other Prof. but Lyman. You see, Lyman thinks I'm clever and that is why I work so beastly hard for his class."

"Can I help you, Jean?" suggested the roommate. "I say, girlie, can't you write up something of your own experience?"

"That's just the trouble, Helen. I have exhausted my experience," replied the girl. "That is why I am in deep water now. Lyman has always praised my narrative work; said my stories were so fresh and interesting. That's because I told about myself—only he never knew it. I've worked over every affair I ever had into a really romantic little story. It's a mean thing to do, but I haven't a shadow of imagination. I must stick to facts."

Helen smiled at her roommate's naive confession. "Then that ludicrous rejected suitor story and the

matinee hero escapade are scraps of your biography? Did you really write a note to the leading man?" She could hardly contain her glee. "Well, you do surprise me anew every day." The twinkle in Helen's eyes was irresistible.

"I'm wasting time!" Jean suddenly exclaimed, cutting short her friend's epigrammatic witticisms. But Helen was too evidently in a good humor to be serious.

"Then the trouble, Jean, is simply this. You must have some more experiences if you want to keep up the bluff and have Lyman think you clever."

"That's a bold way of saying it, but that is what it really amounts to," Jean admitted feebly.

"Well, then, girlie, I say cut it out for to-night. Let's go to bed and if you don't dream of some thrilling experience perhaps to-morrow will bring you one to help you out of your trouble."

Jean was tired and knew that she might sit for hours in the agony of waiting for an inspiration; and then her waiting might be in vain.

The following morning when the roommate awoke she found Jean bending over her desk writing as if she were driven under the lash. There were two bright spots burning in her cheeks, but for those she looked haggard and drawn.

"Did you have an inspiration, Jean?" Helen asked, sleepily, rubbing her drowsy eyes.

"No," Jean replied. "I tossed restlessly all night. You know that theme must be in to-day, so I've resolved to write the situation just as it is," she concluded, vaguely. Her pen scurried over the paper and she was lost in her own thoughts, uninterrupted by Helen's moving about and clicking the toilet articles on the dressing table.

A few days later, when the students of the advanced composition class were being dismissed, Dr. Lyman leaned over his desk, saying: "Miss Perrin, may I have a conference with you at 12? I should like to talk with you in regard to your last theme." Jean tried to appear nonchalant as she mumbled an assent, but her heart beat violently within her.

When she entered Dr. Lyman's office she found him tilted back in his chair looking idly out across the far-stretching green campus.

"This last theme of yours, Miss Perrin—" he began, looking fixedly at

the little page of the manuscript before him, "how did you come to write it?" He turned back a few pages, then hurried on without waiting for a reply. "In some respects it is the best work I have ever received from you."

"I—I—was half ashamed to hand it in," Jean stammered a trifle self-consciously.

"Why?" Dr. Lyman asked, looking intently at her.

"Oh, I knew you would think it foolish," Jean answered feebly, looking away to escape the fixed battery of his deep brown eyes.

"There's nothing to be ashamed of, Miss Perrin," her professor reassured.

"It was very good. Only—well, I didn't like the ending, as school girls say; and I did not like the man in your story. He was too much like the professor of conventional pattern—aloof, self-centered, an absent-minded dreamer. Can't a professor be a real, live man?" He paused a moment, then added: "Why didn't you make him in love with the girl?"

"Because he wasn't," Jean broke in.

But Dr. Lyman apparently did not hear her, for he went on as if uninterrupted. "It would have been more real to have him in love with the girl and have her a frivolous, butterfly thing that didn't care."

"But she isn't a frivolous butterfly thing, and she does care!" Jean burst out, her great eyes dilated with wounded feeling.

"She does care?" Dr. Lyman repeated, interrogatively.

"Why, of course she cares—in the story, I mean," Jean added, weakly.

"Oh, only in the story? Do you think she would care in real life, could she—Jean?"

She made no reply, but her lips quivered and two great tears gathered in her eyes. "He cares, too, Jean. He—has cared always. That is where your story is wrong. Shall we change the ending?" He had caught her hands and was looking down into her tearful, uplifted face. And in the joy of the moment their lips met.

A Law Lord's Answer.

Many quaint sayings of Lord Young, a famous Scotch lawyer who has just died, are being recalled by the English press. Once a little advocate who was slightly misshapen heckled the great lawyer beyond what his patience would stand, and finally pinned him on the exact meaning of a mark of interrogation.

"I would call it," said Lord Young, fixing his eyeglass in his eye, "a little crooked thing that asks questions."

Another Mystery.

Why does a slender man always get ready-made pants that come up to his breastbone in the waist?

In New York city tenements 37 children under one year old are dying each day.

GAVE HIS NAME TO STEAK

How the Famous Porterhouse Came to Be So Termed.

On almost every bill of fare are seen the words "porterhouse steak." Now, most people know what a porterhouse steak is, having on some occasion eaten one, or at least a piece of beef that went by that name, but few people know how the name itself originated. Years ago there was a hostelry near Harvard university kept by a man named Porter. Soon this tavern became famous for its viands, especially for its cuts of meats. The stranger stopping there for a meal and not knowing exactly what to order would be advised by his genial host, Mr. Porter, to order a steak. So good were his steaks that travelers often spoke of them, and gradually began referring to them as the "steak you get at Porter's house." From that it was but a short time before they were referred to as the "porter house steak." Since then butchers all over the country have

found out the way in which Mr. Porter cut his famous steak, and have been making the same cuts themselves, hence the porterhouse steak has been served the country over. Only a month or so ago the old Porter house was moved back to make room for a row of tenement houses that are now being built in front of it.

Italy's King a Student.

King Victor Emmanuel of Italy is, perhaps, the most literary monarch in Europe. He knows English, French and German equally well with his native language and has a reading acquaintance with Russian. He spends at least three hours a day in his study busy with current literature of every kind.

Rare Indeed.

How rarely do these three things meet—a man who wants something, is fitted for it, and any great number of persons who think he ought to have it.—Judge.

ALL HAIL PE-RU-NA.

A Case of
STOMACH CATARRH.



Miss Mary O'Brien, 306 Myrtle Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y., writes:

"Peruna cured me in five weeks of catarrh of the stomach, after suffering for four years and doctoring without effect. In common with other grateful ones who have been benefited by your discovery, I say. All hail to Peruna."

Mr. H. J. Henneman, Oakland, Neb., writes: "I waited before writing to you about my sickness, catarrh of the stomach, which I had over a year ago."

"There were people who told me it would not stay cured, but I am sure that I am cured, for I do not feel any more ill effects, have a good appetite and am getting fat. So I am, and will say to all, I am cured for good."

"I thank you for your kindness. 'Peruna will be our house medicine hereafter.'"

Catarrh of the stomach is also known in common parlance as dyspepsia, gastritis and indigestion. No medicine will be of any permanent benefit except it removes the catarrhal condition.

Gained Strength and Flesh.

Miss Julia Butler, R. R. 4, Appleton, Wis., writes she had catarrh of the stomach, causing loss of sleep and appetite, with frequent severe pains after eating. She took Peruna, her appetite returned, she gained strength, flesh and perfect health.

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Territorial Game Laws.

It is unlawful to kill, or in any way injure, any elk, mountain sheep, beaver or ptarmigan. The offense is punishable by a fine of \$100.

The 1905 session laws protect antelope, pheasant, bob-white quail and wild pigeon for a period of five years from the passage of the act.

Native or crested quail may be killed with gun only during the months of October, November December and January.

Deer with horns may be killed with gun only from October 15 to November 30. This is an act passed by the last legislature, and it willed that the deer season has been placed 30 days later than under the old law.

Turtle doves may be killed from July 15 to May 1, the closed season being two and one-half months.

Wild turkey, mountain grouse, or prairie chicken may be killed with gun only during the mouths of October, November and December of each year.

The minimum fine for violation of any of these provisions is fifty dollars.

SOME REAL ESTATE BARGAINS.

240 acres patented land.—Situ-ated in the Ruidoso Valley, this county. 18 acres in bearing fruit trees, mostly winter apples; present bearing capacity, 200,000 lbs; 40 acres in alfalfa; 40 acres other farming land; 1 seven-room dwelling, 1 large barn, 1 adobe apple house for storing and boxing apples; 1 adobe cellar and other out-buildings; 1 150 bbl. cistern and 1 well with wind mill; 6 head of horses and mules, 6 head of cows; also chickens and hogs, and all necessary farming imple-ments; kitchen, office and house-hold goods. Never-failing supply of water for irrigating purposes.

315 acres patented land.—On Eagle Creek, this county. 40 acres in cultivation, most all under ditch. Young orchard, just coming into bearing. Four room dwelling house; 3 room store building, with \$1,000 stock of groceries, etc.; 2 room tenant house; barn, sheds and crib; 5 head of milk stock; farming tools, mower, rake, etc.

House and lot in Carrizozo, well located, close in.

4 room dwelling house and ten acres in Capitan.

160 acres patented land on Carizo draw, about 10 miles north of Capitan; fine well of good water, inexhaustible; suitable loca-tion for sheep or cattle; contains some good farming land.

160 acres patented land, north of Capitan mountains; 15 acres

can be irrigated by ditch from the mountains; fuel near and in abundance: a paying fruit or- chard and truck farm could be made out of this.

All these ranches are located in the best stock growing country of the Southwest. Prices and any other informrtion may be secured by addressing
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Capitan, N. M.

SALE OF TIMBER, Wash- ington, D. C., October 11, 1907. Sealed bids marked outside "Bid, Timber Sale Application, May 23, 1907, Gallinas" and addressed to the Forester, Forest Service, Washington, D. C., will be re- ceived up to and including the 2nd day of December, 1907, for all the merchantable dead timber, standing and down, and all the live timber marked for cutting by the Forest officers, located on an area of about 1,810 acres to be designated by the Forest officers on portions of Secs. 23, 24, 25, and 26, T. 1 S., R. 11 E., N. M. P. M., within the Gallinas Na- tional Forest, New Mexico; esti- mated to be 1,300,000 feet B. M. of bull pine and Douglas fir, saw- timber, more or less. No bid of less than \$3 per M feet B. M. for all merchantable timber will be considered, and a deposit of \$400 must be sent to Geo. E. King, Fiscal Agent, Forest Ser- vice, Washington, D. C., for each bid submitted to the Forester. Timber upon valid claims is ex- empted from sale. The right to reject any and all bids is re- served. For further information and regulations governing sales, address JAMES H. KINNEY, For- est Supervisor, Capitan, New Mexico. Wm. T. Cox, Acting Forester. 11-1-5.

SALE OF TIMBER, Wash- ington, D. C., October 11, 1907. Sealed bids marked outside "Bid, Timber Sale Application, March 5, 1907, Gallinas," and addressed to the Forester, Forest Service, Washington, D. C., will be re- ceived up to and including the 2nd day of December, 1907, for all the merchantable dead timber and all the live timber marked for cutting or for such part as may be designated by the super- visor, on an area of about 885 acres located in the foot hills of the Gallinas Mountains in the S½ Sec. 25, S½ of Sec. 26, and the NE¼ of Sec. 35, T. 1 S., R. 11 E., N. M. P. M., Gallinas Na- tional Forest, New Mexico; esti- mated to be 693,000 feet B. M. of yellow pine, log scale, more or less. No bid of less than \$3 per thousand feet B. M. will be considered and a deposit of \$300 must be sent to Geo. E. King, Fiscal Agent, Forest Service, Washington, D. C., for each bid submitted to the Forester. Tim- ber upon valid claims is exempted from sale. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. For further information and regula- tions governing sales, address J. H. KINNEY, Acting Forest Su- pervisor, Capitan, New Mexico. Wm. T. Cox, Acting Forester 11-1-5.

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Now, some one is going to get this Beautiful Doll on Decem- ber 24th, and it may be YOU.

With each One Dollar's worth of Goods purchased in our Store between now and Dec. 24th, we will give a Ticket like this:

ORIGINAL Keep Me	Entitles Holder to ONE CHANCE ON DOLL.	DUPLICATE Put this End in Locked Box	Entitles Holder to ONE CHANCE ON DOLL.
	No. Drawing December 24, 1907 P. G. PETERS' STORE.		No. Drawing December 24, 1907 P. G. PETERS' STORE.

You keep the Original end, and put the Duplicate end in a locked box. On December 24th this box will be unlocked in pres- ence of all, and the tickets shaken up. Then we will blindfold some one, who will draw from the box FIVE tickets, one at a time. The fifth one will entitle the person holding the corresponding number to this Beautiful Five Dollar Doll.

Remember, Mr. Palmer, the railroad agent, will lock the Box and keep the key until the 24th of December, and then will unlock it in presence of all.

Don't forget to ask for a ticket when you purchase anything. (Sugar, lard, meats, grain and flour not included in this contest).

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