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Taken to Children's Home.

Rev. W. A. Nicholas, of Silver City, field worker of the Children's Home Society of New Mexico, arrived on Monday's train, to look into the condition of a number of children in the adjacent coal camp, Coalora. After ascestaining that the parents of the children would not voluntarily give up their children, the matter was taken to the probate court, and an order secured therefrom giving the cuttody of the children to the society.

There were six children embraced in the order, as follows: Cora Ellis, age 11; Carl Ellis, age 7; Alma Ellis, age 3; Goldie Price, age 11; Maggie Price, age 7; Edith Price, age 3. These children, in charge of Dr. Nicholas, left on yesterday's train for Carrizozo, at which point Dr. Lukens, the superintendent of the society, will meet them.

The society's home is in the city of Albuquerque, and is supported entirely by voluntary contributions. The liberality of the Capitan people was again shown when the call of charity was made, and subscribed the sum of $167.50.

The objects of the society are to take chage of little children, care for and educate them and ultimately place them in good families, surrounded by uplifting moral influences. These are noble purposes, and it was a pleasant sight yesterday morning to see Dr. Nicholas hovering around the sextette, having neatly clad them, and anticipating their wants: and yet the picture had its dark side. Those of the little ones who were old enough to realize the situation were weeping and would not be consoled. The majesty of the law had been invoked to take them from the only home they had ever known, and allow that it was not what it should have been, still it was home; and, be it hovel or palace, the same sentiments animate the hearts of peasant and prince, as the sacred ties of home are rent asunder.

It was but a page from the Book of Life, showing that all, even the children, have a part. The philosopher tells us that life has its sunshine and its shadows, and the inference is that the sunshine predominates. Let us hope that the shadow that for the present hangs like a pall over these little ones will be dissipated by the sunshine of joy and love and peace; and that the society which has them in charge will find good homes for them, where training and influence will have the effect of making them useful men and women.

That Bryan will be nominated at the Denver convention in June is now beyond question, and that he will be the next president of the United States is equally certain. Like good wine he has improved with age. It has been modestly estimated that Bryan has increased at least 15 per cent in popularity since 1900, when he received a vote of 6,358,133 as against 7,207,923 cast for his opponent. Besides Bryan's steadily increasing popularity, a combination of circumstances have developed on the other side that insures the defeat of the republican candidate. This makes it apparent that Bryan, Democracy's nominee, will win the presidential game this fall without much of a struggle. It is about time that the "outs" had an inning anyway.

THE BUREAU OF IMMIGRATION.

The Territorial Bureau of Immigration held an important meeting at Silver City Saturday last, at which contracts were let for several large printing orders and the secretary authorized to proceed with several other large contracts for which the matter is being prepared.

The secretary was instructed to let contracts to the lowest bidder for the printing of bulletins on Lincoln, Otero, Chaves, Quay, Guadalupe, Roosevelt and Colfax counties. Electro types of farms, orchards, etc., sent to this office will be forwarded to the secretary who may use them to illustrate the write up; or a good photograph could be used.

A revised edition of 10,000 copies of the homeseeker's pamplet "The Land of Sunshine." was ordered printed. This book carries a map of the territory as well as a rainfall charts, and full informaton as to homestead and territorial lands.

Considerable other business of importance was transacted, and the board adjourned to meet at Albuquerque in October during the Irrigation congress.

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CAPITAN, . . . NEW MEXICO.

If Anna Gould did not have enough of French nobility the other time she must be hard to satisfy.

A visiting English woman says that husbands are clams. Well, who is it that makes them shut up?

A New York physician wants society to fly kites for its health. Anything at all so it isn't a useful occupation.

Now that their convention is over the scientists may hurry back to the society of the guinea pig and the giant potato bug.

Maybe those Europeans who still think there will be war between this country and Japan have not seen a picture of our fleet.

Virtue hardly gets a chance to pat itself on the back in San Francisco before vice rises up and hands it one or two in a tender spot.

That it is the duty of a man to walk the floor all night with a crying baby is the opinion handed down by a Chicago judge. Impeach him.

Because a mule sat down on him, an Iowa miner demands $25,000. The mule will know better next time and merely kick the stuffin' out of him.

Something will have to be done to make service in the army more enticing than a job in the steel mills before there will be a grand rush to enlist.

Great Britain can now put into practice some of the theories it was so willing to try on us when we were having trouble with Japanese immigrants.

The peanut diet so strongly advocated in Illinois has received a hard backset. A New York boy was run over by a truck while on his way to buy goobers.

Dyspepsia makes liars, says a London medical journal. As all men are liars, according to the psalmist, it would appear that something is radically wrong with the world's food.

There is an idea prevalent in the house of representatives that the army needs some men to put behind the guns rather than more highly paid officers to shout commands to nobody in particular.

Students who live in marble halls and have all the luxuries do not make as good grades in Yale as do the poor boys. That is natural. They do not need as good grades for the purpose of making a living.

It is all very well to attack the navy from the seclusion of a New York magazine office, but would the writer of the article care to meet the fleet in the middle of the Pacific on a dark night and attack it there?

Owners of the new Brooklyn tunnel are much disappointed. Not every strap on every train was in use the first day. Still they should give such staid persons as Brooklynites at least a week to get the tunnel habit.

Automobile scorchers are to be put in jail. That is treatment more nearly fitting the disease. Some scorchers would rather pay a fine than eat peanuts. It makes them feel heroic without crippling them financially.

New York hotel keepers will learn after awhile. Henceforth when a man signs his name "Duke de Deadbeat" or something quite as noble and impressive it will be to the street for him unless he has a few tons of baggage along as an evidence of good faith.

HOSPITALITY OF TO-DAY.

Very Businesslike Indeed is the Modern Hostess.

In these days it would seem that the word hospitality has assumed a new and strange significance, or rather suffered a transformation, and we who float along on the stream of social life accept the idea with thoughtless ease and take it for granted that mere forms and ceremonies, social bargaining, lavish display, and elaborate entertainments stand for true hospitality. When we are so exact as to look up the meaning of the word we find that, according to the best authorities, hospitality is the reception and entertainment of guests without reward, and with kind and generous liberality; also that to be hospitable is to be sociable, neighborly, given to bounty, generous, large minded.

There is something that pleases our imagination when we read about the hospitality in the olden times, when life was simple and when a delightful leisure existed which does not belong to modern times. In an old-fashioned novel we read that the heroine, in the fourth week of her visit at a friend's house, was in doubt whether she should continue her stay, and the painful consideration made her eager to be rid of such a weight on her mind. She resolved to speak to her hostess, propose going away and be guided in her conduct by the manner in which her proposal was received. It was directly settled between her hostess and herself that her leaving was not to be thought of and the limit of her stay depended on her own inclinations. Not so the hostess of these days, who invites a guest for a stated period, and it is tacitly yet positively understood that from Saturday until Monday does not include even luncheon on the day of departure. All this is far more sensible and more satisfactory, although so businesslike.

To-day we are told that those who entertain consider that they are paying their acquaintances a sufficient compliment by inviting them to a crowded reception, when the hostess has hardly time for a greeting. Society is nothing if not "practical and businesslike," and if a hostess "entertains lavishly and is well gowned" she does all that could be required and "cannot be expected to take much interest in her guests." This touch of satire shows how hospitality masquerades under false colors.

Try Smiling.

Have you tried smiling? It is the latest remedy for all the ills of the flesh and the spirit, and it is cheap. All that is necessary to do to try the new "smile cure," which the London doctors are recommending, is to lift the corners of the mouth slightly by means of the facial muscles, expanding the lips and showing the teeth. Practice this before the looking-glass night and morning until the smile has worn in, and the beneficial results will be forthcoming, it is seriously asserted. There is no state of affairs so discouraging that it can't be bettered by smiling over it, and there is no joy in life so joyous that it will not spread a little wider over the surface of the globe with the coaxing of a smile.

Mending Boys' Stockings.

When your boy comes in with his "whole knee out" don't spend an hour darning the unsightly hole in the stocking, but baste a piece of black crinoline a little larger than the hole on the wrong side and then with black darning cotton weave back and forth through the crinoline a few times each way and the hole is mended neatly.

Dress Covers.

Take a castoff night dress and cut it off just under the sleeves. Run in a neat casing for tape to draw it together around the coat hanger. This may be slipped over any party dress and will completely protect it from the dust.

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A Fearfully Long Siege of Daily Pain and Misery.

Charles Von Soehnen of 210 A St., Colfax, Wash., says: "For at least thirty years I suffered with kidney troubles, and the attacks laid me up for days at a time with pain in the back and rheumatism. When I was up and around sharp twinges caught me, and for fifteen years the frequent passages of kidney secretions annoyed me. But Doan's Kidney Pills have given me almost entire freedom from this trouble and I cannot speak too highly in their praise."

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AGREEING WITH THE ASSESSOR.

His Reason for Building Unneeded Addition to House.

Representative Birdsall of Iowa objects to the high rentals charged in Washington during the congressional season. He says he feels like an Irish farmer he knew out in his district. The farmer had bought a place out of savings as a farm-hand and renter. The tax assessor came around one day and put a valuation on Pat's new property which Pat thought excessive. His protest, however, was unavailing.

One day a neighbor visited Pat and found him building an addition to his house, and obviously the house was plenty big enough without it.

"Isn't that a piece of extravagance?" he asked Pat.

"Think agin it moight be," said Pat, "but I'm after havin' the ould place warth phat the assisser says it is."

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For neuralgia and sciatica Sloan's Liniment has no equal. It has a powerfully sedative effect on the nerves—penetrates without rubbing and gives immediate relief from pain—quickens the circulation of the blood and gives a pleasant sensation of comfort and warmth.

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Surely King of Burglars.

The most enterprising burglar as yet recorded is the Long Island chap who not only escaped from a brand-new county jail the other night but took with him all the locks and door-knobs in the place. If they catch him they ought to promote him to the best penitentiary in the land as a tribute to his genius.

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Sad but True.

Making his rounds in an isolated village the census-taker gave one of his official papers to a woman that she might fill in the required answers. One of the questions, instead of reading, "Married or single," read, "Condition as to marriage." The woman filled in the answer thus:

"Awful hard up before. Wuss after."

Little is heard outside England these days of Princess Henry of Battenberg, yet time was when she figured largely in the cable dispatches. She still flourishes, trotting about London to open bazaars and to aid charities in other ways, but she is not the conspicuous feature of court news she was in Queen Victoria's later years. The mother of the present monarch had a high opinion of Princess Henry, as well as of the prince, and it was a standing joke that she made a practice of reading to both of them extracts from her journal in the Highlands.

The Afghans are, as a rule, tall, bearded, fierce-looking, well-set-up men, and are brave, hospitable and intensely liberty loving. No nation has ever been able to hold them long in subjection, and, in fact, the late amir—Abdur Rahman—was the first of their own rulers who mastered them sufficiently to fuse them into one centralized nation. The language of the Afghans is called pushto or pashto, and the people as a whole are frequently called Pathans. The court language is Persian.

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NEW STYLE OF OMELET.

Add This to Your List of Breakfast Dainties.

Sift together a scant gill of flour and one and a half tablespoons powdered sugar; also a pinch of salt. Stir smooth with one-half pint cold milk. Strain and add one-half lemon rind, and cook to a thick paste which will free itself from the sides of the pan. Cool it a little and add five whole yolks one by one. Then stir in very gently the stiffly beaten whites of six eggs. Put into the omelet pan two tablespoons butter, melt it, and pour in the omelet, and turn out the gas flame. Let it stand three minutes, then put in the oven from eight to ten minutes till the top begins to dry. Butter a large piece of paper, put it on a tin cover, and invert the omelet pan on it, turning out the omelet. In the pan heat another tablespoon butter, slide the paper into the pan, omelet up, and put in the oven five or six minutes more. Heat a large jar of apricot jam or orange marmalade. Remove the omelet from the pan, fold it, and, lifting it up very gently, fill it with the warm jam or marmalade. Sprinkle the top with powdered sugar and glaze on the grill.

TO KEEP ROOMS "PICKED UP."

Use of Scrap Baskets Will Save Much Time and Labor.

Have a scrap basket in each room. By so doing you will find that even the children will drop scraps of paper and waste matter into them. You will be saved the countless steps to the kitchen stove, or wherever is the final receptacle of your rubbish that you are accustomed to make. You will be relieved of the tiresome task of bobbing up and down picking up the little pieces of thread, scraps of paper, bits of lint and dirt that are unconsciously dropped upon the floor or table for the want of a place to put them. Then when you tidy up in the morning you can start right in with your sweeping and dusting without first going through that awful "picking up" ordeal. Take one scrap basket and empty all others into it and dispose of it all at once. Very simple scrap baskets may be made by cutting out pieces of cardboard and covering with pretty wall paper, or cheap denim and tying together with ribbons.

FOR HOP YEAST CAKES.

Easy Way to Have Useful Material Always on Hand.

Boil two handfuls hops in two quarts water until reduced to three pints. Strain the liquor and return to the pot. Thicken with one cupful of wheat flour mixed smooth with a little cold water. Let boil three or four minutes, then add six medium-sized potatoes, freshly boiled and mashed. Let the whole stand until lukewarm, then strain, add a cupful good yeast and set where it will keep luke-warm. When frothy, add a tablespoonful salt, stir in a little wheat flour and enough Indian meal to enable you to roll dough about an inch thick.

Cut into small round cakes, spread on shallow platters and dry in a shady airy place. Turn twice a day while drying. When perfectly dry and hard, put in a paper or cloth bag, tie tightly, and hang in a cool, dry place. When you wish to use them for bread, soak in lukewarm water until soft. One will be sufficient to make three or four loaves of bread.

Hot Ham Sandwiches.

Cut thin slices of white bread and spread half of them with soft butter and the remaining half with finely chopped ham. Press the slices together and remove the crust. Beat one egg slightly, add one-half cup milk and strain over the sandwiches. When moistened place them in a hot frying pan containing two level tablespoons of butter. Brown nicely on both sides and serve at once.

OPENS GRAVE FOR A PICTURE.

Sorrowing Widow Had to Have Picture by Which to Remember Hubby.

To be exhumed after he had been buried for 20 days and told to sit up and "look pleasant" was the tough luck that befell a corpse out at Woodlawn cemetery, New York, the other day. Henry Brown, a train dispatcher on the One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street elevated road, died December 6 of rheumatic gout and was buried decently and in order. Some two weeks after the funeral it occurred to Mrs. Brown that she would like a photograph of her husband, having none that did him justice. Immediately she petitioned the Bronx health department for permission to exhume Henry and snapshot him. The health department was somewhat dazed, but granted the request, and so, with a photographer and an undertaker, Mrs. Brown went to Woodlawn and had the three weeks' corpse dug up. Brown was taken both profile and full face.

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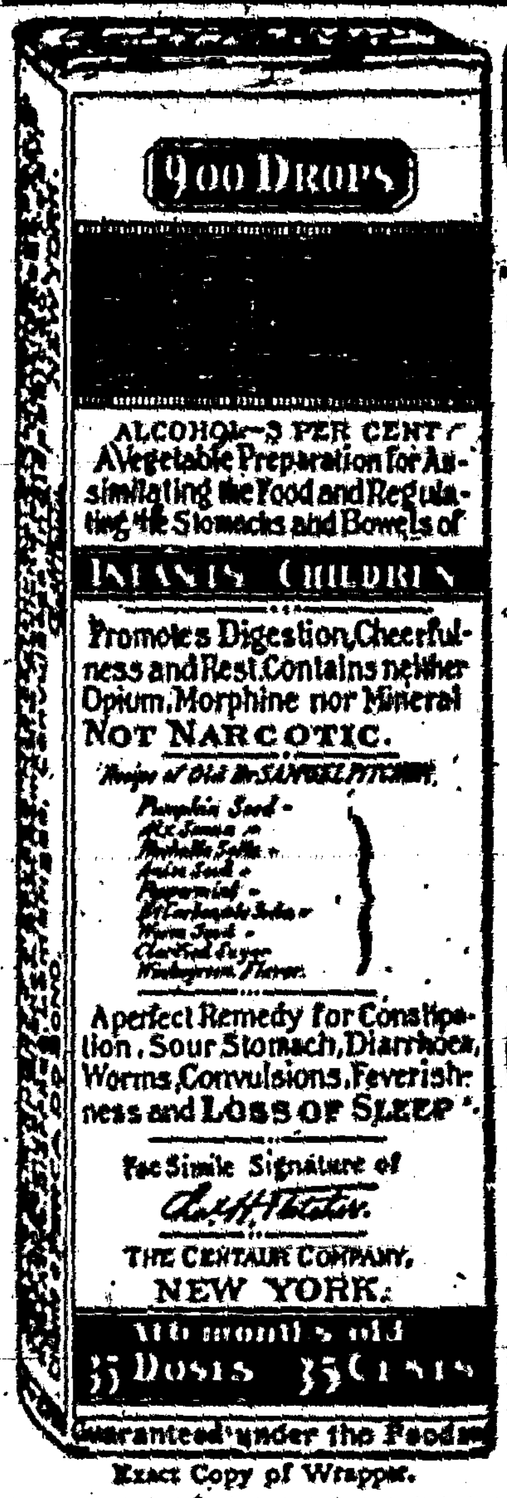

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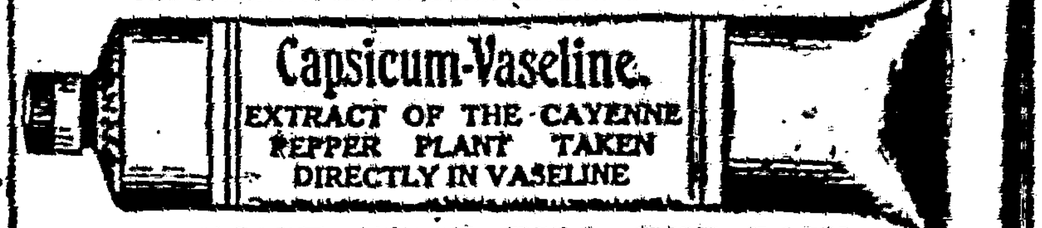

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An Interesting Trial in Which the Bottle Is Passed Around.

A case was tried in the justice court here yesterday, in which considerable interest was taken on account of the sensational character of the evidence anticipated. A woman of the half-world, known by the flowery name of "Daisy," who lives on the road to Lincoln, was charged with selling liquor without a license. A deputy U. S. marshal from Fort Stanton testified that, from information received, he visited the defendant's house on the evening of the 23rd inst., accompanied by a friend; while there they partook of some liquid refreshment from a bottle labeled "Hill and Hill," for which Daisy refused to accept payment. The prosecuting witness then got a bottle to take away, and insisted on paying for it, but would not swear that he gave the defendant the money or that she accepted, but believed he placed it on some some article of furniture in the room. The defendant testified that she has lived in this county about 22 years, and, as a witness, was certainly a "daisy." She admitted keeping a little spirits in her house for medicinal use, to stave off the infirmities of increasing years, and to treat those who visited her, but denied keeping it for sale. Half a dozen witnesses were examined on each side, who testified that they had visited the place on divers occasions, and had from one to three nips from the "cup that cheers," while lingering in "the bower where pleasure lies carelessly smiling on fame," but that no payment was asked and none tendered, one witness stating that he "just helped himself." All the witnesses testified to the social and entertaining characteristics of "Daisy," and her liberality.

The bottle alleged to have been purchased was produced in evidence, and a question arose as to the nature of its contents. His honor, in order to settle the matter, reached for the bottle, drew the cork, took a long pull at it, and, smacking his lips, pronounced it "good stuff." The prosecuting witness advanced and took a pull, declaring it tasted similar to the stuff he drank in "the bower," the night of the 23rd. Several of the witnesses looked longingly at the bottle as if they wished to get a whack at it also, but his honor passed it to the sheriff with instructions not to let another mother's son have a drop out of it, as it was destined to go before the grand jury as "Exhibit No. 1," some of which might feel like taking a swig.

The silver-tongued orator who defended severely scored the prosecution, and asked the court to dismiss the case.

The court looked at the case differently, and bound the defendant over to appear before the grand jury in the sum of $500.

It was the general opinion of those who heard the evidence that the defendant had violated the law, but that the prosecution had failed to prove it.

A country weekly is often criticised for its failure to chronicle all the happenings in its community, and for lack of enterprise in its local information. Sometimes the criticism is well taken, for local conditions are not the same in every community. One paper may be located in a live, bustling town, where industrial development is going on by leaps and bounds, and where new people, new concerns and new conditions produce an ever-varying topic of interest for the pencil-pusher. But there are other places wherein a community plods along the even tenor of its way, staid in its movements, constant but slow in its advancement, where the same faces, scenes and topics are daily discussed; and that is the place usually, too, where the paper man has to gather the news, put it into type, sweep his office occasionally—just occasionally—kick presses, wash rollers, and at all times meet his acquaintances with his broadest smile. So it is but natural, under these conditions, that items that might be of interest to readers, escape the attention of the busy paper man. Then to secure anything like general information the man who works a Faber must, to a great extent, depend upon his friends. With this admonition, and with a desire to give everything going some notice, our friends are requested to advise us of any happenings of interest that may come under their notice, and regard us as a fit receptacle for everything but their troubles—these they are politely requested to tell to a policeman, as we have our own.

Fred Pfingsten was over from Angus today, and says the fruit is still safe in his neighborhood.

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WELCH & TITSWORTH.

W. K. Rowell, until recently an employe at Fort Stanton, left yesterday for Omaha, Neb.

Sheriff Owen was in town a couple of days this week, attending to some official matters.

R. A. Duran, Dr. Watson, H. B. Hamilton, C. C. Bennett, H. Blanchard, and others, delegates to the territorial convention at Silver City, returned Monday.

J. M. Pawley was up this week from Hondo. Mr. Pawley informed us, much to our surprise, that the storm of last Sunday did not damage the fruit in his section.

C. H. Byfield, of Nogal, has sold his ranch, situated between Nogal and Carrizozo, to a gentlemen from Oklahoma, by the name of Bryson. Terms and prices private.

Mose Walters, an old friend and schoolmate of the editor, made a pleasant call at this office yesterday, while on his way from Roswell to Carrizozo. Mr. Walters may locate in Carrizozo.

G. L. Bradford, formerly of this place, but for the past two years a resident of Dawson, has just been appointed postmaster at the latter place, vice T. C. Hill resigned. The friends of the new postmaster rejoice in his promotion in the service of Uncle Sam.

Easter Hats and other Spring Goods are almost all sold, but another large assortment of similar goods have been ordered, and will arrive in a week or ten days.

Capitan Mercantile Co.

F. W. Fuller, a mining man of Denver, Colorado, spent a week in this section looking over our mining possibilities. Mr. Fuller started on his return to Denver yesterday, very well pleased with the various mining properties he examined.

F. M. Miller came over last night from his Ruidoso home, and will take out a load of goods today for his store. Last Sunday's storm, he said, injured the peach crop to some extent, but in a general way was beneficial, as the snow moistened the earth and would start early vegetation.

A. B. Zumwalt, who sold his place on the Mesa, south of Nogal, sometime ago, has settled in a new home at Aztec, San Juan county. Mr. Zumwalt, writing to the NEWS, asks that his paper be forwarded to Aztec; and adds in his letter that he is very much pleased in his new home. He is in the celebrated fruit belt of San Juan county.

The Bureau of Immigration at their meeting at Silver City last week authorized the secretary to prepare a write-up of Lincoln county, and have several thousand copies of it printed and distributed. Everyone interested in Lincoln county should assist in the getting up of this bulletin, as much good to the county is bound to follow its publication, as the immigration into New Mexico, which is on the flow, will be directed towards Lincoln county. Therefore, all who can should endeavour to supply information about their particular district, and, if possible, send a good photograph or an electrotype of a pastoral or agricultural scene, which may be used to illustrate the productiveness of this county. The gods help those who help themselves, and any information that may be sent to this office will be attended to. The publication of this bulletin will be a great thing for Lincoln county, which, up to the present, has been kept in the back ground.

A. J. Gilmore, of Alto, while passing through town this week, called at this office and had his subscription advanced one year. He was afraid the recent cold snap had destroyed the fruit at his place, but later information from there indicate that his fears were unfounded. He was returnin from his cattle ranch in the San Andres mountains.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior.
Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico,
February 13, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Elena A. De Vigil, widow of Francisco A. y Vigil (deceased), of Lincoln, New Mexico, has filed notice of his intention to make final five-year proof in support of his claim, viz., Homestead Entry No 8764, made Feb. 25, 1903, for the SW¼ NW¼, NW¼ SW¼, Section 20; NE¼ SE¼ and SE¼ NE¼ of Section 19, Township 11 South, Range 17 E., and that said proof will be made before W. E. Kimbrell, Probate Clerk, at his office in Lincoln, N. M., on March 30, 1908.

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

Tiofilo Sisneros, of San Patricio, N. M.; L. M. Casaus of Carrizozo, N. M.; Sambrano Vigil of Lincoln, N. M.; Miguel Vigil of Lincoln, N. M.

3-21-4t. HOWARD LEMANS, Register.

Affidavit and Order for Publication of Notice of Contest Against a Non-Resident Entryman.

Before United States Land Office, at Roswell, New Mexico.

Clement Hightower, Plaintiff,
Vs.
William M. Smith, Defendant.

Contest Homestead Entry No. 5331, dated March 17, 1903, for the SE¼ of NE¼ and NE¼ of SE¼ of Section 4, Township 9 South, Range 14 East.

The State of New Mexico,
County of Lincoln.

Clement Hightower, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the plaintiff in the above-entitled contest; that he has, with a view to obtaining personal service of the notice, made diligent service of the notice, made diligent search and inquiry for the defendant within the last fifteen days, as follows: that he has made personal inquiry of George A. Titsworth, postmaster at Capitan, N. M., that being the nearest postoffice to the land involved, as to the place of residence of residence of William M Smith, and that he has made like inquiry of the postmasters at Dawson and Yankee, N. M., respectively, last known address of said William M. Smith; and of W. M. Riley, and W. H. Ormo Johnson and S. W. Hale, who reside in the immediate neighborhood of said land, and from his own personal knowledge, as well as the information acquired from said parties, states that said William M. Smith abandoned said land and went to Dawson, thence to Yankee, in the territory of New Mexico, on or about July, 1905; that he has since that time been absent from said land, and that his present place of residence or postoffice address is unknown, and on account thereof a personal service of the notice of said contest cannot be made. Wherefore affiant asks for an order to serve the said notice by publication.

CLEMENT HIGHTOWER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of March, 1908. D. J. M. A. JEWETT, Notary Public.

AROUND THE HOUSE

LITTLE THINGS OF MORE OR LESS IMPORTANCE.

Cheap Method of Renovating Old Chairs—Good Home-Made Clothes Closet—Convenient Shelf for the Pantry.

Cheap Upholstering.—To renew the seat of the old chair which has worn out and you do not consider it is worth having recaned: First, remove all small pieces of cane left in holes; then use the stout brown cord which the economical housekeeper saves or picture wire, and tie the cord or wire in one of the holes at the side of the chair and cross to the opposite side and then through into the next hole and back to the other side until it is finished; then begin from the front and weave in and out to the back. When it is done, if you do not think it is strong enough, tack two strips of webbing from front to back and side to side. If you have not curled hair use excelsior to make a padding after first covering the strips with a piece of cloth to keep the padding from falling through. Cover with whatever you wish, leather, tapestry or velour, and tack down with brass-headed tacks

Home-Made Clothes Closet.—Take a pine strip of the desired length, another strip the desired width of the closet, each strip one inch thick and three inches wide. Nail these strips to the joists in the ceiling with tenpenny nails in the corner of the room where the closet is wanted. Shelves can be put on the side wall or end wall, or both places, and clothes hooks and hangers can be fastened to shelves and wall. Drape a curtain of any desirable material to the outside of the pine strips to inclose the closet.

Shelf in the Pantry.—If placed just below the lowest shelf a narrow shelf in the kitchen cupboard will be found a great convenience. It should be made from a board as long as the cupboard, but only four inches in width; rest it on cleats or four flat screw eyes, using two at each side of the cupboard. This shelf may be used for holding small jars, bottles and spice boxes.

Home Builder's Suggestions.—When building a house, if the hot water boiler is placed in the bathroom it will give its warmth where most needed instead of in the already overheated kitchen.

Have a trap opening in the roof, operated by an iron rod that extends down into one of the rooms. This admits of a thorough ventilation of the attic, releasing the accumulation of hot air next the roof.

Each room below the attic may have an iron shutter ventilator that opens and closes by means of two hanging brass chains.

Prevent Dust from Furnace.—If users of hot air furnaces will tack a piece of coarse burlap over the cold air duct on the outside of the house they will be astonished at the amount of dust, smoke and soot it will keep out, to the advantage of walls and curtains. Brush the burlap frequently; it will need it.

Proper Place to Burn Garbage.—Put garbage in the middle hole in front of your coal range, not in the fire and not by the stove pipe. After it is burned shovel it out and empty with the ashes or use as a fertilizer in the garden.

Baked Veal Steak.

Order a slice of veal steak cut three-fourths of an inch thick. Butter a dripping pan and sprinkle it with salt and pepper and a bit of finely chopped onion. Lay the steak on this. Sprinkle the top with salt, pepper, chopped onion, and a few bits of butter. Bake for 30 minutes in a moderate oven. Remove to a hot platter. Add to the pan two level tablespoonfuls of butter. When melted add two tablespoons of flour and stir in gradually one cup and a quarter of boiling water. Season with salt and pepper, cook three minutes, then strain it over the veal. Garnish with parsley.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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There is nothing in the maxim "laugh and grow fat" or else the jokesmiths fail to grow mirthful over their own merrymaking.

Great humorists seldom are fat. F. P. Dunne is the heaviest, weighing about 160 pounds. The weight of others living is: Mark Twain, 150 pounds; George Ade, 147; Jerome K. Jerome, 143, and W. W. Jacobs, 132. O. Henry is really a great humorist, but he is in the 180-pound class.—Home Magazine.

She Was in No Hurry.

Rev. Dr. Wallace, new pastor of the East End Baptist church, brought a new one to Cleveland with him.

According to the story, a Boston girl got on the street car one day carrying one of those muffs the size of an ordinary hassock. She had only one hand in the muff. A young man sitting next to her took advantage of the opportunity to slip his hand into the unoccupied end of the muff.

The Boston girl turned upon him severely. "I could have you arrested for such a familiarity," said she. "But," she added, "I'm from Boston and I purpose to keep calm. Now, I'll just give you ten minutes to let go of my hand."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

HAD TO GET STRENGTH FIRST.

Hard Worked Woman Not Ready to Face Hired Girl Problem.

A Massachusetts man, whose business frequently takes him over the line into Vermont, says that one evening he was a guest at a farm house in that state when he observed that the wife of the owner—a poor, wan little woman—was doing every bit of the work around the house.

As he himself put it, she did an amount of work that would have put an ordinary Massachusetts horse to shame and he really felt like a villain sitting there watching her.

Feeling considerable compassion for the woman, who looked as if ready to drop from overwork, the visitor asked:

"Why don't you get help here? Surely you are not going to try to pull through the long winter without a hired girl."

A sickly smile came to the pallid face of the woman. "Waal, I dunno," she said. "I don't feel as if I could just yit; but p'raps if I should get to feelin' a little better and stronger I might."—Illustrated Magazine.

PANTRY CLEANED

A Way Some People Have.

A doctor said:—

"Before marriage my wife observed in summer and country homes, coming in touch with families of varied means, culture, tastes and discriminating tendencies, that the families using Postum seemed to average better than those using coffee.

"When we were married two years ago, Postum was among our first order of groceries. We also put in some coffee and tea for guests, but after both had stood around the pantry about a year untouched, they were thrown away, and Postum used only.

"Up to the age of 28 I had been accustomed to drink coffee as a routine habit and suffered constantly from indigestion and all its relative disorders. Since using Postum all the old complaints have completely left me and I sometimes wonder if I ever had them."

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POOR JOHN!

Scrappeigh—I was a confounded fool when I got married!

Mrs. Scrappeigh—Well, John, married life hasn't changed you any!

IT SEEMED INCURABLE

Body Raw with Eczema—Discharged from Hospitals as Hopeless—Cuticura Remedies Cured Him.

"From the age of three months until fifteen years old, my son Owen's life was made intolerable by eczema in its worst form. In spite of treatments the disease gradually spread until nearly every part of his body was quite raw. He used to tear himself dreadfully in his sleep and the agony he went through is quite beyond words. The regimental doctor pronounced the case hopeless. We had him in hospitals four times and he was pronounced one of the worst cases ever admitted. From each he was discharged as incurable. We kept trying remedy after remedy, but had gotten almost past hoping for a cure. Six months ago we purchased a set of Cuticura Remedies. The result was truly marvelous and to-day he is perfectly cured. Mrs. Lily Hedge, Cambiewell Green, England, Jan. 12, 1907."

Oysters R In.

Waiter—Yes, sir; we can give you an oyster stew. Oysters are in season now.

Guest—Well, see that a few of them get into the stew.—Philadelphia Ledger.

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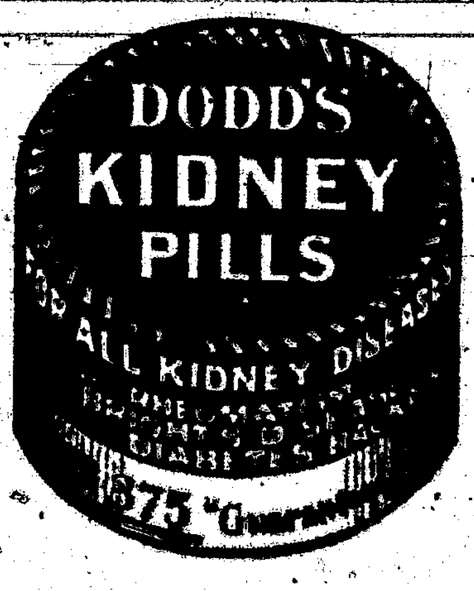

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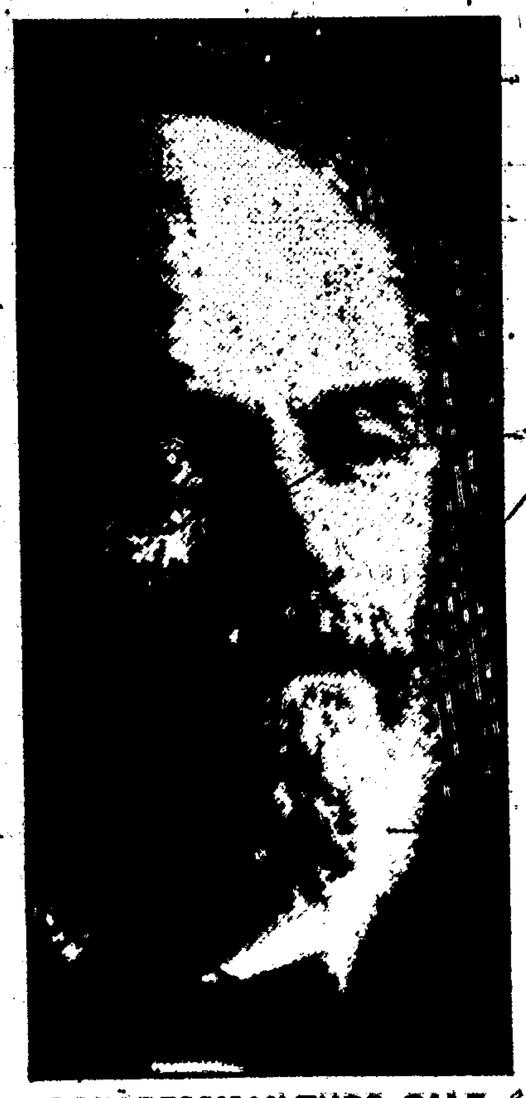

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IDEA FOR SUPPER DISH.

Returned Traveler Tells How to Prepare Cuban Delicacy.

Charles J. Post, the illustrator, who has just returned from Cuba, is making all his friends happy by telling them how to prepare a new and most delectable supper dish, says the New York Times. This is the "Huevos Malaguena," which has long been one of the favorite viands served at the best Havana restaurants.

While it is possible to prepare this dish in the chafing dish, the Cuban method of cooking it is to make it directly over the fire in a porcelain lined stew pan. Into this the cook pours some good olive oil—not a teaspoonful or two, or enough to just grease the bottom of the pan, but a goodly quantity, that the oil may bubble conspicuously when sufficiently heated. When this result has been attained, drop some eggs gently into the hot oil; follow quickly with shrimp, French peas and capers, and let the mixture remain over the fire just long enough to enable the eggs to poach to the extent desired. Then, season to taste with salt, white pepper, and paprika.

As this combination of egg, fish and vegetable should appear at the table in the same utensil in which it is cooked, it may be made still more attractive by being prepared in individual dishes—one or two eggs and a corresponding quantity of shrimp, peas and capers being apportioned to each dish. But however it may be made, one thing at least is certain. It may be depended upon to play the role of a captivating surprise at whatever hour of the day of evening you may invite your guests to partake of it.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

When mixing mustard add a drop or two of salad oil to it. It will greatly improve the flavor.

A tablespoonful of borax is an agreeable addition to the dishwater and helps to keep the hands soft, instead of irritating them, as soda does.

To keep lemons as well as to improve their flavor, put them into more than enough water to cover them and change it every day or two.

A pan of borax and sugar kept under the sink will discourage roaches.

Plenty of hot water and washing soda put down the sink pipes will keep them clear and lessen the plumber's bill.

If tea or coffee be spilled on a woolen material it may be removed by applying glycerin to the spot, afterward washing out the glycerin with water.

Discolored ivory knife handles should be cleaned with lemon juice and salt. Cut a lemon in half, dip it in salt and with it rub the ivory. Wash off immediately with warm water and wipe dry.

New Boiling.

Here is a new cookery kink. It is "boiling" eggs without water. This novelty is exploited at one of Chicago's leading hotels, and as the feat is accomplished directly before the eyes of the guest, the new way of cooking generally attracts attention and comment. The waiter places a box-like apparatus before the guest and turns on a little electricity from the bracket on the wall and places the desired number of eggs in the heater. In about a minute and a half, or half the time consumed by the hot water process, the eggs are cooked to a turn. The process is an idea originated by Prof. Radtko of Armour Institute.

Delicious Potatoes.

Select potatoes of medium and uniform size. Wash very clean with a brush and drop into a kettle of boiling water to which has been added a little salt and a pinch of soda. Boil about five minutes until hot to the center, take out of water and put in a hot oven, baking until slightly brown. You will say you never knew what potatoes were before, if you time them right.

Too Interesting to Bury.

There is a certain little southern girl who is very fond of her negro mammy. The nurse's name is Sally, and she is a large woman, so she is known as Big Sally. Ethel, however, calls her "Biggie" for short. One day her mother took her to a museum, where, among other things, there were some stuffed animals. Ethel was greatly interested, and for many days she did not tire of talking about them. Perhaps a week later, at the supper table, after a preoccupied silence, she said:

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1. Give attention to detail.

2. Double disc by lapping one-half as soon as the crop is removed.

3. Plow deep, from 8 to 12 or more inches before the rainy season sets in.

4. Form a level, fine surface after plowing before leaving the field each day.

5. Renew the surface mulch as soon after every shower as the soil is dry enough to work without pudding.

6. Cultivate at intervals of from two to four weeks whether it does or does not rain.

7. If the ground was plowed in the fall, cultivate with a light harrow as early in the spring as possible, following this by a deeper cultivation when the soil has dried out.

8. Sow or plant rather deeply with a machine that will deposit the seed at an even depth in the moist soil beneath the surface dist mulch leaving a loose surface above.

9. After seeding cultivate at frequent intervals, and as soon after each rainfall as possible.

10. Begin harvesting early and remove the crop from the field promptly.

11. Use machinery of large capacity.

DON'TS.

1. Don't expect heavy crops, but make up for the yields by cultivating extensive areas with machinery of large capacity.

2. Don't expect every year to be a banner year—bad seasons will come.

3. Don't expect to succeed without deep plowing and frequent cultivation.

4. Don't sow or plant thickly.

5. Don't be too quick to lay the blame upon the soil, or the weather, it may be your fault.

The Arid Homestead Act.

It is more than probable that what is called the Arid Homestead Act, a bill which is now under consideration in the 60th Congress, will be favorably considered by both houses and will be enacted into law. The principal objects of this will be to increase the areas of a homestead entry from 160 to 320 acres on the public domain in what are commonly designated as the arid states and territories. The proposition is looked upon especially with favor by western representatives and senators who understand the situation and knows what that section wants and needs fully well. Under its provisions if it becomes law immigration into New Mexico, which is now beyond precedent, will be greatly stimulated and increased.

Referring to the measure the Denver Republican thinks that the committee of western senators and representatives having agreed upon the text of a bill authorizing the entry as a homestead of 320 instead of 160 acres within the distinctly arid states and territories it is probable that the measure will be pushed with the utmost vigor during the present session of congress.

The purpose of this bill is to compensate homesteaders in the arid region for climatic disadvantages by enabling them to secure twice as much land as a homesteader under the more favorable conditions which prevail in humid states.

It proceeds upon the assumption that a man trying to establish a home on the public domain should be given as much land as he may need in providing for the the maintenance of himself and family.

The wisdom of the proposition is so evident that it seems that no objection can be made to it by any one who sincerely desires to promote the settlement and occupation of public lands in the arid states and territories. It contemplates a more sparse settlement of the country than the original homestead act had in view, but it would be better that the arid states should be settled this way than not settled at all.

Partially Disrupted.

The war started among Lincoln county republicans, a synopsis of which was given last week, and which had the promise of a fight to the death, was amicably adjusted at the Silver City love feast. The rival delegations were seated, each casting half a vote; thus compromising what was declared to have been a most outrageous wrong. Representing opposite beliefs, opposite actions, each claiming regularity and denouncing the other, both could not have been right—and this is why we say a wrong was compromised.

Harmony existed, so the returning delegates insist, in its most violent form; in fact, you could cut it off in chunks, and the Lincoln delegation, both the rump and the regular, but both bearing the stamp of regularity by the ipse dixit of the territorial boss, buried the hatchet and started home in the same train—not a hog train—and all was as smooth as a summer rivulet, flowing among embowered festoons and out again into the golden sunlight—until the city of El Paso was reached. There the reunited delegation, while waiting for the train, decided to hold a caucus and further hamonize the preexisting differences. An enthusiastic delegate secured a room, and the entire delegation, nolens volens, was hustled into it. When the purpose of the meeting was announced, one of the pre-regular delegates, who had not been informed of the portent of the meeting, arose to a point of order. He declared that he thought it unseemly for New Mexico republicans to hold any kind of meeting in the democratic state of Texas, that misrepresentations had been made to him or he would not be there; that as a republican he condemned the proceeding; that he had never before had a stain cast on his republicanism; he wished it understood that he had never in his life attended such a gathering, and never again would he be trapped into a meeting in such a place; so taking his hat backed out of the room. So the regular became irregular, and, to some extent, the open sesame still exists in the republican party in Lincoln county.

Notice for Notice.

Department of the Interior,
Land Office at Roswell, N. M.,
February 13, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that James L. Goodall, of Capitan, New Mexico, has filed notice of his intention to make final five-year proof in support of his claim, viz.: Homestead Entry No. 2656, made Sept. 8, 1902, for the SE¼ SW¼, Sec. 3; N½ NW¼ and SE¼ NW¼, of Section 10, Township 7 South, Range 14 East, and that said proof will be made be made before W. E. Kimbrell, probate clerk, at his office in Lincoln, N. M., on March 28, 1908.

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

Kirk E. Jacobs, L. F. Avent, Roy Jacobs, Milton Read, all of Capitan, N. M.

2-21-6t HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior,
Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico,
February 13, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that John A. McPherson, of Meek, New Mexico, has filed notice of his intention to make final five-year proof in support of his claim, viz.: Homestead Entry No. 2555, made November 6, 1902, for the SW¼ SW¼, Sec. 13; S½ SE¼ and NW¼ SE¼ of Section 14, Township 7 South, Range 18 East, and that said proof will be made before the Register or Receiver, at Roswell, New Mexico, on March 26, 1908.

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

Joseph Pendergrass, Jeff Wiley, Thomas H. Welsh, Robert Shilds, all of Meek, N. M.

2-21-6t HOWARD LELAND, Register.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

MYRTLE LODGE NO. 19.

Meets every Saturday night at 8 o'clock at K. P. Hall, in school building. Visiting Knights cordially invited.

JAMES FAGAN, K. of R. & S. J. C. COPPEDGE, C. C.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS, Francisco Cordoba and Mariana Cordoba, his wife, of the County of Lincoln and Territory of New Mexico, by their certain mortgage deed, dated the twenty-third day of May, 1906, and recorded in the Probate Clerk's office of Lincoln County, in Book "E" of the record of mortgages, on page 279, did convey to J. E. Wharton, as mortgagee, the following described real estate and personal property, situated in the County of Lincoln and Territory of New Mexico, as follows, to-wit: South half of the northeast quarter of section thirty-two, in township eight south, of range eighteen east, in Lincoln County, New Mexico; together with one pair of work mules, described as follows: One dun mule branded thus, 'P' on right hip, and one bay mule branded thus, S on left hip, to secure the payment of three promissory notes, dated May 23, 1906; two of said notes being each for the sum of one hundred dollars, and the other note for the sum of seventy-five dollars, and all three of said notes are payable to the order of the said J. E. Wharton, respectively, in the following order: one note in six months after date, one note in one year after date and one note in eighteen months after date, and all three notes bear interest at the rate of twelve per cent per annum from maturity, until paid.

AND WHEREAS, the said mortgagee, J. E. Wharton, for a valuable consideration to him paid by the First National Bank of Alamogordo, New Mexico, did, on the 11th day of October, 1906, sell, assign, and transfer to said First National Bank of Alamogordo, New Mexico, the above mentioned mortgage deed and three promissory notes; which said assignment of said notes and mortgage deed was recorded in the Probate Clerk's office of Lincoln County, in Book "E" of the record of mortgages, on page 370. And whereas also, said mortgage deed provides for the sale of the mortgaged property described therein, provided default be made in the payment of said promissory notes or either of them, and default having been made in the payment of all of said notes, which are long since past due, which said default still continues.

NOW, THEREFORE, public notice is hereby given, that on the 6th day of April, A. D. 1908, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and the setting of the sun on said day, at the front door of the court house, in the town and county of Lincoln, the said assignee, "The First National Bank of Alamogordo, New Mexico," its agent or attorney, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the premises and personal property hereinbefore and in said mortgage deed described, pursuant to the powers and provisions of said mortgage deed, and will make to the purchaser or purchasers at such sale, a good and sufficient conveyance of the property sold.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF ALAMOGORDO, NEW MEXICO, ASSIGNEE,
By G. E. BARNER, Its Agent and Attorney.

Dated February 20th, 1908. 3-6-5t.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior,
Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico,

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Notice for Publication.

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Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior,
Land Office at Roswell, N. M.,
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Notice is hereby [illegible] of Angus, N. M., to make [illegible] claim, [illegible] March 6 [illegible] Section 27, Township [illegible] said proof will be made before the Probate Clerk of Lincoln County, N. M., on March [illegible]

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

Ed. C. Pilgrim, of Nogal, N. M.; W. M. Ferguson, of Nogal, N. M.; P. G. Peter[illegible], of Capitan, N. M.; Jno. A. Haley, of Capitan, N. M.

HOWARD LELAND, Register.

Our stock of bulk dried apples have arrived. —Capitan Mer. Co.