

THE CAPITAN MOUNTAINEER

FIFTH YEAR NUMBER 16.

CAPITAN, NEW MEXICO, AUGUST 2, 1919

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Principal for Capitan Schools Changes in County School Board.

The Capitan School Board has elected Mr. C. S. Rowles, of Savannah, Ga., Principal of the schools, and he expected here soon. Prof. Rowles was elected after the Board had canvassed many applications, and the selection is no doubt a good one. There now remains only one vacancy in the faculty and that will be filled soon.

Capitan has the assurance of a first-class school the coming year, and there is no necessity for people to move to other points for school advantages, because they can find no better than we have here.

The contract for the improvements on the school building will be awarded to some contractor in a few days, which, when completed, will give accommodations and facilities that we have never had before in our school. The grounds will also be improved, which will give the premises attractions that have long been wanting.

There is no other town in all this country more favorably situated for an educational center than Capitan, and with the efforts that are now being made we believe that we will have a school here in which the people of the whole county will look to with pride.

Boy Shot.

Lawrence Dow, thirteen years old son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Dow, of Capitan, was accidentally shot last Saturday afternoon. Lawrence and Thomas Howard, another boy about his own age, had been out in the woods worth pasture hunting with a target gun, and when coming home on the road just beyond P. G. Peters, residence, they got into a scuffle and the gun was discharged, and the bullet entered Lawrence's side. He was brought home and Dr. Price, of this place, Dr. Neal, of Lincoln, and a Doctor from Fort Stanton, attended to the wound and came to conclusion that it was not of a very serious character. He is getting along nicely and will be able to be out again very soon.

R. H. Box Buys a Home in Capitan.

Mr. Roland Box has bought John Merryfield's place just north of town. He move here from his place on Little Creek before the opening of school. We are glad Mr. Box and family are coming among us; such people are desirable in a community.

Prof. Boughman Returns.

Prof. L. B. Boughman, Superintendent of the Capitan schools, returned Thursday morning from Silver City, New Mexico, where he attended the Normal, and took the College Section Degree with the graduating. Prof. Boughman is here for active work, and will devote his time from now until the commencement of school superintending the improvements on the school building and grounds.

Wanted--

At once three dozen (3 dozen) young hens. Address Mrs. J. T. Hicks, Alto, New Mexico. Highest market price paid for strictly fresh eggs and butter at The Restaurant. 18th

There has been changes made in the County School Board as follows:

Porferio Chavez, of Lincoln, has been appointed to fill the vacancy made by the resignation of Mr. Martin Chavez, who has moved to Santa Fe; E. M. Brickley has been appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of H. S. Campbell. The appointments made are good ones. Mr. Porferio Chavez is one of the old settlers in the county, and is a well educated and a very intelligent man. He held office in the county many years and goes into this office with a full understanding of its duties.

Mr. Brickley was a member of the Board prior to entering the military service and will be perfectly familiar with the duties of the Board and of course will make a good and useful member.

The members of the Board as now constituted are Mrs. Maud L. Blaney, County School Superintendent; E. L. Moulton, Robert Brady, Porferio Chavez, and E. M. Brickley.

Alto News.

We are having a nice rain at this writing, which we were beginning to need. The potatoes were suffering for moisture.

Yours truly got to go to church at Providence yesterday and it was a treat. The songs were excellent and the preaching good. The water would be better spiritually if he could have a treat like that every Sabbath. A party of young and old folks visited Corona last Saturday.

Quite a number of Carrizozoites were pleasure seeking in the White Mountains yesterday.

There is quite a demand for chickens, eggs and butter at the mines on north Eagle.

Mr. Bruce's mother and sister are visiting him this week.

Several families from Alto are attending the Avenet meeting at Mountainair this week.

Mrs. Van Doran is home from Roswell.

Mr. Evans is driving a new Ford car. It looks like he would take some of his less fortunate friends joy riding.

Roating ears will soon be plentiful and Mr. Editor you must come to the country and get conn fed without the hay.

Everybody in this neighborhood are and saucy.

White Mountain Kid.

Stock for Sale or Trade.

The following described stock will be offered for sale in Capitan on Sales' Day, the first Tuesday in August;

One dun colored saddle and work horse.

Two good work horses, wagon and harness.

One good work and saddle mule.

Two good young work and saddle horses.

One good, well bred Jack, seven years old, well broke.

Watch, clock and all kinds of Jewelry repairing promptly and correctly done at the Sunshine Pharmacy.

A new line of stationery at the Sunshine Pharmacy.

National Forest Timber for Sale.

Sealed bids will be received by the Forest Supervisor, Alamo-gordo, New Mexico, up to and including August 5, 1919, for all or any part of the dead timber standing or down on an area of about 2500 acres in Sections 9, 10, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, and 21, T. 8-S., R. 15 E. N. M. P. Meridian, Capitan Pass watershed, Lincoln National Forest, New Mexico, estimated to be 2000 cords of dead juniper fuel wood more or less. No bid of less than 50 cents per cord will be considered. Deposit with bid \$100.00. The right to reject any and all bids reserved. Before bids are submitted, full information concerning the timber, the conditions of sale and the submission of bids should be obtained from the Forest Supervisor, Alamo-gordo, New Mexico. July 5 1919.

Notice of Contest.

Serial No. 036161
Department of the Interior.
U. S. Land Office.
Contest No. 9965.
Roswell, New Mexico.

June 25, 1919

To the heirs of Oligio Melendez, deceased, formerly of Arabela, New Mexico, Contestee: You are hereby notified that Juan Valdez, who gives Arabela, as his post-office address, did on June 25th, 1919, file in this office his duly corroborated application to contest and secure the cancellation of your Homestead Entry, Serial No. 036161, made December 1, 1916, for S1NE1, Section 11, SE1NE1, NE1SE1, S1SE1, Section 12, Township 9-S., Range 15 E., N. M. P. Meridian, and as grounds for his contest he alleges that Oligio Melendez died January 1919, intestate and without any heir or widow surviving. That he abandoned said land two years before he died; and since his death the land has not been occupied or improved. That he was not a citizen of the United States; that no administration of his estate has been had; that said defects still continue. He was not in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps of the United States, and did not die as a result of wounds or disability; he never served in any of the United States forces or National Guard.

You are, therefore, further notified that the said allegations will be taken as confessed, and your said entry will be cancelled without further right to be heard either before this office or on appeal, if you fail to file in this office within twenty days after the FOURTH publication of this notice as shown below, your answer, under oath, specifically responding to these allegations of contest, together with due proof that you have served a copy of your answer on the said contestant either in person or by registered mail.

You should state in your answer the name of the post office to which you desire future notices to be sent to you.

EMMETT PATTON,
Register.

1st publication July 19th, 1919.
2d " " 26th "
3rd " Aug. 2nd "
4th " " 9th "

C. A. PERKINS
ATTORNEY AT LAW
CARRIZOZO, N. M.

Cow Boy Boots
\$16.00 TO \$20.00
—ALSO—

Barber Shop

Come in and let me give you a good haircut and shave

GEO. R. HYDE
Capitan, New Mexico.

Wanted to Buy--
A Mower and Rake. Call at this office.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

No. 082703
Department of the Interior
U. S. Land Office
Roswell, New Mexico
July 17, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that Jesus Sanchez, of Arabela, N. M., who, on August 25, 1915, made Homestead Entry, No. 082703, for S1SE1, Section 6; N1NE1, Section 7, Township 9-S., Range 18-E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof to establish claim to the land above described before Register or Receiver in U. S. Land Office, at Roswell, N. M., on the 28th day of August, 1919.

Claimant names as witnesses:
R. C. Moss, Jose Barola, Manuel Corillo, Rinaldo Fresquez, all of Arabela, N. M.

EMMETT PATTON,
July 20-- Aug. 23 Register

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

031854
Department of the Interior
U. S. Land Office
Roswell, New Mexico
July 19th, 1919

Notice is hereby given that Hilario Analla, of Tinnie, N. M., who, on May 29th, 1916, made Homestead Entry, No. 031854, for SW1NW1 and SW1, Section 35, Township 9-S., Range 17 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof to establish claim to the land above described before C. C. Merchant, U. S. Commissioner at Capitan, N. M., on the 25th day August, 1919.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Rogelio Moss, Juan R. Montoya, Antonio Torres, Bentura Gonzales, all of Arabela, N. M.

EMMETT PATTON,
July 23-- Aug. 23 Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

032313
Department of the Interior
U. S. Land Office
Roswell, New Mexico,
July 21, 1919

Notice is hereby given that Robert C. Bowder, of Picacho, N. M., who, on June 24, 1915, made Homestead Entry, No. 032313 for SW1SE1, Section 21, NW1NE1, NW1, N1SW1, Section 22, Township 11-S., Range 18 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Register or Receiver, at Roswell, N. M., on the 4th day of September, 1919.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Modesto Chavez, Boney Biffrell, Samuel Burgner, William Kelsey, all Picacho, N. M.

EMMETT PATTON,
Aug 2-- Aug. 30 Register

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

No. 038897
Department of the Interior
U. S. Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
July 11, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that Woodland P. Saunders, of Roswell New Mexico, who, on January, 29th 1916, made Homestead Entry, No. 038897, for W1, Section 1, Township 12-S., Range 17-E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Register or Receiver, at Roswell, New Mexico, on the 5th day of September, 1919.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Modesto Chavez, Boney Kimbrell, Samuel Burgner, William G. Kelsey, all of Picacho, New Mexico.

EMMETT PATTON,
Aug. 2-- Aug. 30. Register.

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General Merchandise, Dry Goods,
Groceries, Hardware and Gents
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Fresh Vegetables
Every Week

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CAPITAN MERCANTILE CO.

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It is upon these principles of cooperation and service that we invite your account.
Very much more than a mere business relation animates the service of this bank, for it is our belief that as our customers prosper so we grow in a like measure.
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We have a large quantity of Highest Grade Graham flour sent us by mistake which we are offering for **\$5.90 PER HUNDRED**
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TO INSURE AGAINST POVERTY ASKED HIM TO SEND THORAX

Writer is Confident That a Practical Scheme Will Be Worked Out Before Many Years.

Sickness is an insurable risk and there is no doubt that some very comprehensive and acceptable scheme of insurance against it will yet be worked out. Whether, in the United States, it will be a compulsory, state-managed scheme is by no means so certain. But the more that subject is agitated the faster sickness loss will be reduced, for agitation will direct attention to public health, and means that are tried and proved will be more extensively employed to prevent sickness.

Steady, intelligent public attention is what the whole problem of poverty needs. There is no doubt that a great part of it is preventable. The poor, it is true, we have always with us. Time was when we had always had slavery and smallpox with us. Now out of half a million persons one person dies annually of smallpox in the United States. Time was when slavery and smallpox were generally taken as a matter of course. As soon as they ceased being taken as a matter of course they were put into the way of practically disappearing—not by any magic formula but by tireless, sure-footed, practical-minded effort.

At length we have the means of reducing poverty to its practical, irreducible minimum. It is only very recently, as history runs, that we have had those means. But now we have the wealth—not enough wealth for a limousine and a grand piano to every inhabitant and a four-hour workday; but enough for the essentials of decent physical existence to every family. We have the social and industrial organization and the body of scientific knowledge. Poverty is a social loss and a social danger. We can take out an insurance policy against it.—Will Payne, in Saturday Evening Post.

DR. HALSTEAD
 EYE, EAR, NOSE, THROAT
 Room 16, First National Bank Building,
 ROSWELL, N. M.

BARBERING
 I will be in my barber shop in the Pool Hall on Friday and

specialist invited to forward X-Rays by Parcel Post Became Some-what Satirical.

Dr. Simon Elexner of the Rockefeller Institute, who has just received one of the French government's highest decorations, told a story at a New York dinner.

"The medical ignorance of some people is staggering," he said. "I know an X-ray specialist who got a letter from a middle western farmer the other day. The farmer wrote:

"Dear Sir: I have had a nall in my thorax for 17 years. I am too busy to come to New York, but want you to come down here to Paris Corners with your rays, as my case will be worth your while. If you do not find time to come, send a dozen rays boxed, by express, with instruction card, and I will try to work same myself."

"The X-ray specialist wrote back to the farmer of Paris Corners:

"Dear Friend: I regret to say that business engagements prevent a trip to Paris Corners, and I am unfortunately out of rays just now. If you cannot come to New York, send me your thorax by parcel post and we will see what can be done."

The Persistent Echo.
 "Good morning."
 "Good morning."
 "You remember that house you sold me last week?"
 "Certainly."
 "Well, I had my wife up to see it yesterday, and now I want to sell it back to you again."
 "But you said you admired the house."
 "I did."
 "What fault do you find with it now?"
 "It has an echo in it."
 "That doesn't hurt it."
 "Yes it does."
 "In what way?"
 "When my wife scolds me for staying out late the blamed old house will repeat it six or seven times, and gosh, how I do hate nagging."—Rehoboth Sunday Herald

For Sale and Lease...
 I will sell my entire stock of cattle and work horses, and also lease my ranch for twelve months. A good showing for the right person.
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Everything in the Auto Supply line especially gasoline and different kinds of oils.

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Equally fascinating to the American soldier is this city, with its car track, its air of cordial welcome, and its insalubrious climate, all of which combine to make him think more of the old home town than he did before he came here, says a writer in Italy Ambulance Service News. It is not difficult to find things to do, for one may always spend quite a while figuring out when he last saw the sun, or when he will see it again. And then one may also look at the lake.

But it is at night that Mantua discloses its true nature. With an electric light gleaming on every fourth block, and the comradely mist always with you, you can start out for a wild evening. There are plenty of places to go—all cafes. Variety is supplied by ordering beer in one place and wine in the next, until in a final burst of hilarity you end up with coffee-latte (the handle of recklessness). By that time it is 10:30, the shutters are up, the waiter jingles a pocketful of centesimi and looks bored, the last patron has departed and the girl behind the bar seems to wonder what secret sorrow keeps you from home. So you depart—via the back door, harking to your footprints echoing upon the still night air. The carabinieri look at you suspiciously, a cat runs across the black street, and you are all, all alone in the wicked city. You yawn and go back to bed, filled with excitement and beer. One night nearer home.

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The best Ice Cream made at the Payne Restaurant. 18th

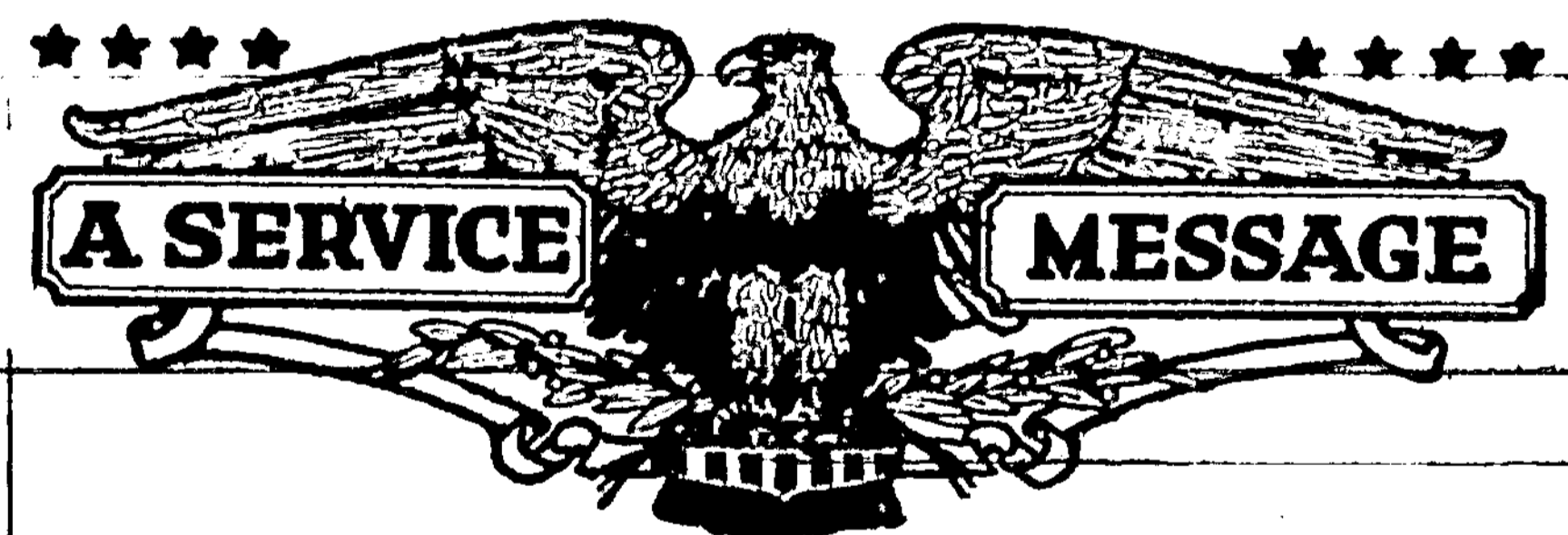
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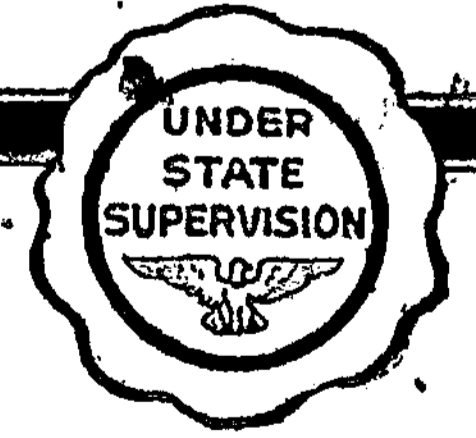


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"Oh, no, you won't," he offered.

"Mary is going to be an old bachelor."

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"I mean an old witch," he asserted more positively than before.

About Eggs.

Ontario, Canada, now has an egg "circle." This egg circle has been organized for the purpose of eliminating the wholesaler and middleman. Its idea is specifically to prevent any person or persons coming between the farmer's supply of eggs and the consumer. More and more as the cold storage warehouse has come between the consumer and his egg, has the consumer suffered from the separation. "Most every one" will wish the egg circle well.

Notice.

Notice for bids on the heating plant to be installed in the Capitan School Building, District No. 28 is hereby given, upon the plans and specifications which may be obtained by application to Robert A. Hurt, Capitan, New Mexico, or Mrs. M. L. Blaney, Superintendent Schools, Carrizozo, New Mexico. All bids must be sealed and submitted to Robert A. Hurt, Clerk of School Board, District No. 28. Sufficient bond will be required by the contracting party. Bids to be opened August 4, 1919. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

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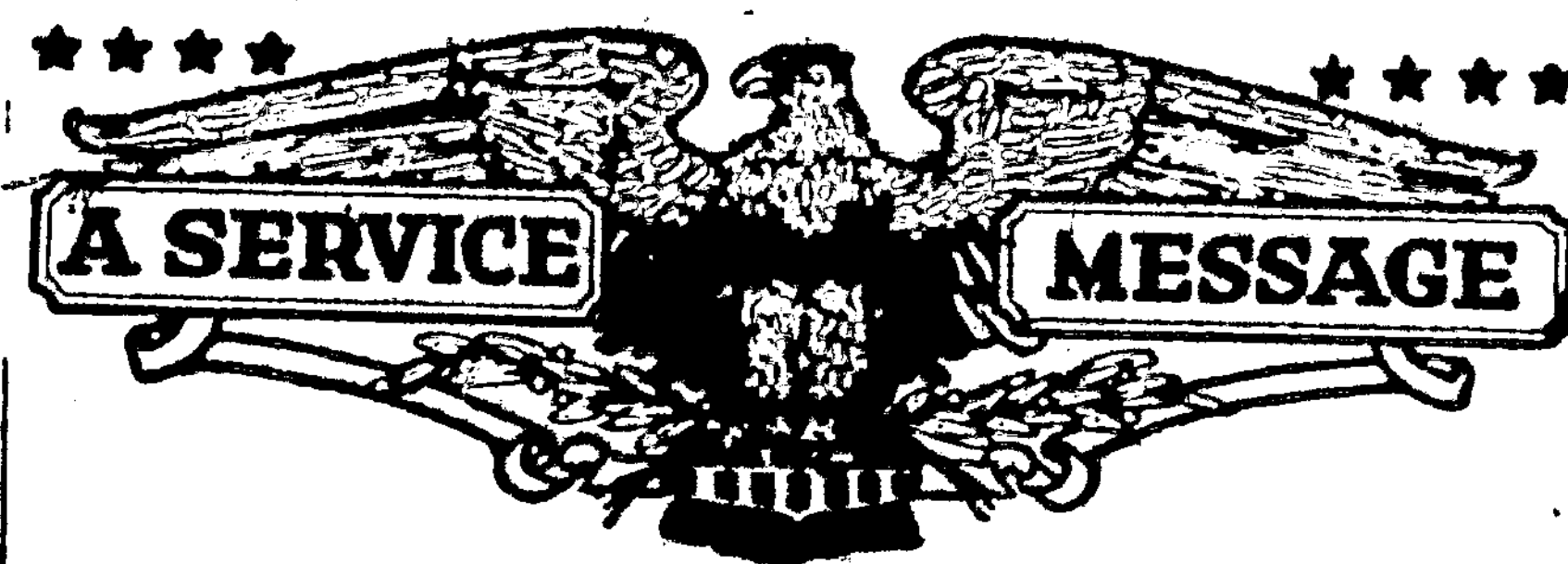
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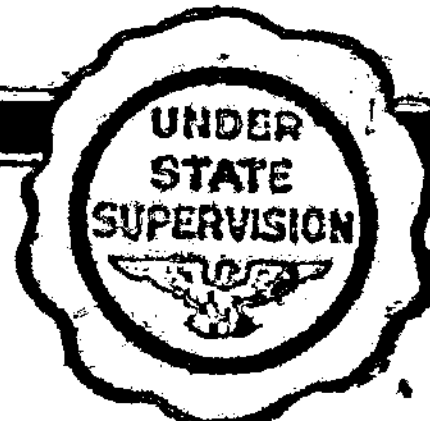


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"I mean an old witch," he asserted more positively than before.

About Eggs.

Ontario, Canada, now has an egg "circle." This egg circle has been organized for the purpose of eliminating the wholesaler and middleman. Its idea is specifically to prevent any person or persons coming between the farmer's supply of eggs and the consumer. More and more as the cold storage warehouse has come between the consumer and his egg, has the consumer suffered from the separation. "Most every one" will wish the egg circle well.

Notice.

Notice for bids on the heating plant to be installed in the Capitan School Building, District No. 28 is hereby given, upon the plans and specifications which may be obtained by application to Robert A. Hurt, Capitan, New Mexico, or Mrs. M. L. Blaney, Superintendent Schools, Carrizozo, New Mexico. All bids must be sealed and submitted to Robert A. Hurt, Clerk of School Board, District No. 28. Sufficient bond will be required by the contracting party. Bids to be opened August 4, 1918. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

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Writer is Confident That a Practical Scheme Will Be Worked Out Before Many Years.

Sickness is an incurable risk and there is no doubt that some very comprehensive and acceptable scheme of insurance against it will yet be worked out. Whether, in the United States, it will be a compulsory, state-managed scheme is by no means so certain. But the more that subject is agitated the faster sickness loss will be reduced, for agitation will direct attention to public health, and means that are tried and proved will be more extensively employed to prevent sickness.

Steady, intelligent public attention to what the whole problem of poverty needs. There is no doubt that a great part of it is preventable. The poor, it is true, we have always with us. Time was when we had always had slavery and smallpox with us. Now out of half a million persons one person dies annually of smallpox in the United States. Time was when slavery and smallpox were generally taken as a matter of course. As soon as they ceased being taken as a matter of course they were put into the way of practically disappearing—not by any magic formula but by tireless, sure-footed, practical-minded effort.

At length we have the means of reducing poverty to its practical, irreducible minimum. It is only very recently, as history runs, that we have had those means. But now we have the wealth—not enough wealth for a limousine and a grand piano to every inhabitant and a four-hour workday; but enough for the essentials of decent physical existence to every family. We have the social and industrial organization and the body of scientific knowledge. Poverty is a social loss and a social danger. We can take out an insurance policy against it.—Will Payne, in Saturday Evening Post.

DR. HALSTEAD
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BARBERING

I will be in my barber shop in the Pool Hall on Friday and

specialist invited to Forward X-Rays by Parcel Post Became somewhat Satirical.

Dr. Simon Flexner of the Rockefeller Institute, who has just received one of the French government's highest decorations, told a story at a New York dinner.

"The medical ignorance of some people is staggering," he said. "I know an X-ray specialist who got a letter from a middle western farmer the other day. The farmer wrote:

"Dear Sir: I have had a nail in my thorax for 17 years. I am too busy to come to New York, but want you to come down here to Paris Corners with your rays, as my case will be worth your while. If you do not find time to come, send a dozen rays boxed, by express, with instruction card, and I will try to work same myself."

"The X-ray specialist wrote back to the farmer of Paris Corners:

"Dear Friend: I regret to say that business engagements prevent a trip to Paris Corners, and I am unfortunately out of rays just now. If you cannot come to New York, send me your thorax by parcel post and we will see what can be done."

The Persistent Echo.

"Good morning."
 "Good morning."
 "You remember that house you sold me last week?"
 "Certainly."
 "Well, I had my wife up to see it yesterday, and now I want to sell it back to you again."
 "But you said you admired the house."
 "I did."
 "What fault do you find with it now?"
 "It has an echo in it."
 "That doesn't hurt it."
 "Yes it does."
 "In what way?"
 "When my wife scolds me for staying out late the blamed old house will repeat it six or seven times, and gosh, how I do hate clogging."—Rehoboth Sunday Herald.

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