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## Malthusian Idiocy Again.

Among economists there are some who still cling to the Malthusian theory that population increases faster than subsistence and that the world will soon be so crowded that "race-suicide" will be the only solution of the problem. The latest advocate of the theory is an English alarmist, who believes that in a few hundred years there will be 6,000,000 human beings to every square mile in England. The Omaha World-Herald shows the absurdity of the theory:

Henry George never performed a greater service than when he demonstrated the utter and absolute falsehood of this method of reasoning and the conclusion it deduces. He showed that, according to this theory, the descendants of Confucius, in 2,150 years after his death, should have numbered 869,559,193,106,709,498,710,528 souls, whereas, their actual number was only about 22,000 souls. Nothing in nature bears out the theory. After thousands of years of human life the earth is still thinly populated. "Many of the hives of human are now deserted; once cultivated fields are rank with jungle and the wild beast licks her cubs where once were busy haunts of men." It would not be far amiss to argue that for centuries upon centuries the population of the earth has been practically stationary, decreasing in one place as fast as it increases in another. Henry George further adduced, in disproof of the theory, the generally recognized fact that wealth tends to increase, and does increase, relatively faster than population, and that it is in the countries most populous that the wealth necessary to sustain life is relatively as well as actually most abundant. Not only, he showed, is this true of inanimate wealth, but of the vegetable and animal kingdoms, which reproduce much more rapidly than man, furnishing constantly increasing store for his subsistence. The trouble, as the World-Herald has said before, is not that there are too many people on earth, or that there is too little wealth. The world would support many hundreds of millions of people more than are now alive, and there is wealth in

## Arizona Wants Statehood.

Tucson, Ariz. Nov. 17.—A number of leading business and professional men held a meeting here last night to organize a campaign in the interest of immediate statehood for Arizona on the best terms Congress will give. Ex-Mayor Charles Schumacher was made president and Dr. Mark A. Rogers, secretary.

The meeting adopted the following resolutions.

"Resolved, By the Arizona Statehood Association of Pima county, consisting of substantial and reputable business and professional men, tax-payers all, that we hereby announce to the people of Arizona and the Congress of the United States that we favor the admission of Arizona as a state in the union upon such terms as Congress may grant, even accepting annexation to New Mexico rather than remain any longer in a territorial condition."

A grand mass meeting is called for Monday night to set on foot a movement to secure statehood and arrange for a territorial convention for that purpose.

## Not Fairly Represented.

Hon. W. B. Childers, chairman of the executive committee of the Non-Partisan Joint Statehood league, is in receipt of a letter from a league friend in San Juan county, stating that the traveling auditor, Mr. Safford, and Judge Pendleton, of the board of immigration, when they voted for the resolution against joint statehood at Santa Fe the other day, did not represent to exceed five per cent of the people of that county, and that more than ninety per cent of the people of San Juan county are in favor of and anxious for joint statehood.—Albuquerque Citizen.

## Roswell Prohibits Gambling.

Roswell, N. M. Nov. 18.—The city council of Roswell last night adopted an ordinance prohibiting gambling.

It is the first city in the territory to adopt such an ordinance.

abundance for all, while the power to produce more wealth is practically unlimited. The whole trouble is not of production, but of distribution. It is not "race-suicide" that is required, but justice in the equitable apportionment of the products of toil.

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## Carlsbad Dam Accepted.

The United States government has accepted the offer of the Pecos Irrigation Company and will buy the Carlsbad dam project at the price agreed upon by the consulting engineers of the Reclamation Service. This means the saving of many improved farms that have threatened to go to waste the past year on account of the washing out of the Pecos Company's dam. Much unimproved land has been signed up under the project since the government began investigating the feasibility of rebuilding the irrigation works.—Roswell Record.

## Young DeLaney Killed.

Judge G. A. Richardson has just received word of the death of his first cousin, Hayden De Laney, at Los Angeles last week. The young man was an electrical engineer in the employ of the Los Angeles street car system, and at 11:30 one night last week went out to test the power of a plant. The car on which he was riding was hit by a freight car at a crossing, and he received injuries that were considered very serious from the beginning. He was removed to the receiving hospital, and after his external injuries were dressed, was removed to a Sisters' hospital, where he died the following night at 11:30.

Hayden DeLaney was the only son of Captain Hayden DeLaney, formerly in charge of Fort Stan-son, who is well remembered by all the old citizens of Roswell.—Roswell Record.

## In Darkest New York.

Ex-Senator McLaurin of South Carolina, in an interview with the Washington Star, gives New York a black eye over the manner the recent election was conducted. The ex-senator said:

"They talk about the ill treatment of the negroes in the south on election day," said ex Senator McLaurin of South Carolina, who called on the president today, "but there never was anything in the south, even in the most bitter days of partisan and race hatred, to compare with what I saw in New York on election day. I took an automobile and went down to eighth avenue and then across to the east side. If I had been a voter in New York I would have cast my suffrage in the morning against Hearst. If I had been allowed a vote at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, after witnessing intimidation, slugging, threats and every other known expedient to prevent men from voting for Hearst, I should have cast my ballot for Hearst. I never was more disgusted in all my life, never felt greater sympathy for a man than for Hearst, after seeing these things. New York papers do not want to talk about the negro not getting what is coming to him in the south. The treatment he gets there, even in the heat of politics, is a paradise to what I saw some of the Hearst voters get in New York."

The Rebekahs are preparing for an entertainment, ball and supper on the 30th. They ask only for good weather, as they will do the rest.

## THE CAPITAN NEWS

CAPITAN, - - NEW MEXICO.

The new \$20 gold certificate is said to be extremely hard to counterfeit. Unfortunately it is also hard to get.

Of course M. Witte's courtesy to his Jewish visitors was not tempered by the fact that most of them were bankers.

Philadelphia may vote its dead men, but there is ample evidence that it does not put them on its baseball teams.

The Harvard professor's discovery puts one vexed question forever at rest. The moon is not made of green cheese.

Wait till the football hero comes on the scene and then see how much ice the star pitcher and the ring "athlete" will cut.

Small waists, according to the fashion authorities, are to be "the rage." Plump sister, lace up with the fashion authorities.

Professors may require measurements to determine who is beautiful, but most people can do the measuring with their eyes.

Astronomers all agree that the moon has become thoroughly dried since it was scooped out of the place where the Pacific ocean now is.

We all know what kind of a time the sailors on the steamship Montrose had when 200 monkeys and forty parrots broke loose from their cages.

Some Englishman thinks there are too many Americans in London. There is, however, no complaint of a superabundance of American money there.

The New York World suggests that we be kind to burglars. If they can find anything valuable in our house we are willing to share it with them.

It is explained that the New York woman settlement worker who danced in blue pajamas for the gentlemen is 60 years old. She certainly acted like sixty.

Blame the earthquake on the sunspots, if it is any consolation to you. But have you stopped to think the sunspots may be caused by the earthquakes?

A London cable dispatch says the prices of sables have been nearly doubled, but unless there is an upward movement in "imitation seal" most of us will not worry.

The number of cigars manufactured in this country last year is given as 7,689,337,207. We are glad those last seven were included, for we think we know where they went to.

Life, according to John Oliver Hobbes, is becoming hard and serious, and we need humor as a relief. Yes, and something in the way of comfort to enable us to enjoy humor.

How would you like to be Mr. C. T. Crocker only son of the late California millionaire, who reached his 21st birthday last week, and now comes into his inheritance of \$6,000,000?

Despite the fact that peace has been declared, Godzyadani, Manchuria, is dying hard. Godzyadani looks so tough, despite familiarity, that we shall feel lucky if it is finally killed at all.

Young man, when your father says, "When I was your age I never had half as easy a time as you have," he is usually repeating what he heard when he was your age.—Chicago Tribune.

### Lace-Making Irish Girls.

Four little Irish colleens, straight from County Roscommon, and with the flush of health and beauty on their cheeks and the brightness in their blue and gray eyes which only country lassies from the Emerald Isle possess, came to New York on the Baltic Thursday to show New York girls and women how to make the priceless Irish crochet lace which adorns their gowns.

They were Annie O'Daly, Kate Killduff, Kate Burke and Katherine Kenny, and were in charge of two sweet-faced sisters of the order of Franciscan Sisters of Mary—Sisters Bridget and Columba, says the New York American. The little girls are students in the Doughlynn School of Industries at Castler, County Roscommon, and are such expert lace makers that they were chosen to represent the school at the Irish Industrial Show in this city.

### Bread-Fruit for Us.

Consul Anderson of Hangchow thinks the pomelo or Chinese bread-fruit would do well in this country. The fruit is grown in the United States by a few persons, but not commercially. Foreigners agree in declaring that the pomelo or Chinese bread-fruit would East. It combines the good points of the orange with the good points of the grape-fruit.

The Chinese say that a good-sized tree will ordinarily produce from 600 to 700 pomeloes. When it is considered that many pomeloes will run as large as seven or eight inches in diameter and even larger, it will be appreciated that such a tree is bearing a load. The fruit is more oval than round. Its color and appearance are those of grape-fruit.

### Best in the World.

Cream, Ark., Oct. 9th.—(Special).—After eighteen months suffering from Epilepsy, Backache and Kidney Complaint, Mr. W. H. Smith of this place is a well man again and those who have watched his return to health unhesitatingly give all the credit to Dodd's Kidney Pills. In an interview regarding his cure, Mr. Smith says:

"I had been low for eighteen months with my back and kidneys and also Epilepsy. I had taken everything I knew of and nothing seemed to do me any good till a friend of mine got me to send for Dodd's Kidney Pills. I find that they are the greatest medicine in the world, for now I am able to work and am in fact as stout and strong as before I took sick."

Dodd's Kidney Pills cure the Kidneys. Cured Kidneys cleanse the blood of all impurities. Pure blood means good health.

### Value of the Weather Man.

In spite of the standing jokes about the weather man, it is probable that for every dollar spent on the weather bureau \$10 are saved, says Country Life in America. At the time of the Mississippi flood of 1897 \$15,000,000 worth of live stock and other property was saved as a result of warnings issued a week ahead. Signals displayed for a single hurricane have detained in port vessels valued, with their cargoes, at \$20,000,000. The West Indian stations, established in 1898, inform us of hurricanes as soon as they begin. The course of the hurricane that caused the Galveston flood was charted for a week before it struck our shores—for hurricanes move slowly. Eighty-five per cent. of the forecasts now come true, and by the aid of rural free delivery 25,000,000 forecast cards were distributed last year to farmers, many of whom could not have had them five years ago.

### A Profitable Purchase.

The purchase price of Alaska was \$7,250,000, and it has been estimated that the money which its furs, fisheries and mines have returned to the people of the United States since its purchase is in excess of \$10,000,000,000.

Strange as it may seem, an abundance of grasshoppers does not add to the value of the hop crop.

Most of us can offer a sure remedy for other people's ills.

### ONE REQUISITE FOR SUCCESS.

Press Steadily Onward and Never Think of Failure.

A happy minded woman came from the West to take her place in the van with the girl who works—the girl with a purpose—an ambition beyond society. That she was in earnest there could be no doubt.

She began with stenography; she took a course in physical culture; she studied the work of book cover designing; she even spent a week as a cloak model; she tried to win success as an advertising agent. In nothing could she achieve any success. Yet she worked hard and was encouraged and aided by friends. But she failed to keep on at any of the many branches she adopted, says Success.

It is not always possible to see the stars beckoning us. A philosophic woman has written, we must dig to find our star. But we must keep on—blindly, sometimes—through the darkness, with nothing but the keeping on itself in view. Worry not over environment or lack of the immediate success that may be our due. Waste not time over small regrets or failures or small achievements.

These things only prove that you are alive and in the battle; just as the singing of a bullet tells a soldier that he is in the field. But when the tired time comes to you—the girl who works—and you look over untrodden fields where the daisies may glow alluringly and the star of success may perch low enough to reach without too much straining, just stick to your purpose, whatever it may be.

### Leading Up to It.

"I wish you would look at this watch and see what's the matter with it," the man said, handing it over.

The jeweler examined it. "I can't see anything wrong," he said. "What seems to be the trouble?"

"It has lost nearly a minute in the last three months."

"That isn't worth making a fuss over."

"I didn't know but one of the jewels might have broken, or something."

"None of 'em dropped out?"

"No, they're all right."

"It isn't full jeweled, anyhow, is it?"

"Yes, it's full jeweled."

"I've been suspecting lately that the case is only washed."

"You're wrong. It's solid gold."

"But it isn't a first class make, is it?"

"Yes, there's nothing better in the market."

"I'm glad to hear you say so. Perhaps you wouldn't mind letting me have a fifty on it?"—Chicago Tribune.

### The Chewing Puppy.

What household has not at some time had a puppy, and what woman has not been bothered by their chewing everything within reach? As soon as our puppies begin to want to chew anything we furnish them with a chewing stick, for the same reason we give a baby a rubber ring. This stick is simply a part of a broom handle about ten inches in length. Every time he chews anything else he is punished and then given the stick, and he soon learns to chew that and nothing else. We had one puppy who would even whine for it if it was where he couldn't get it.—Chicago Journal.

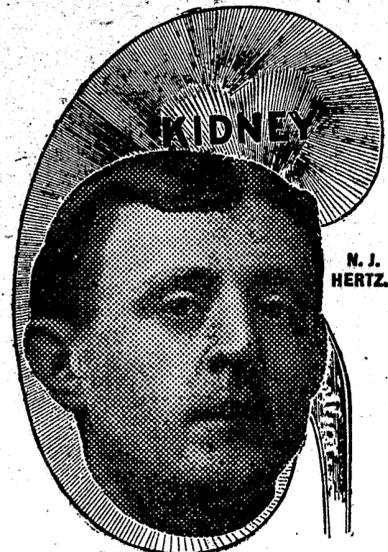
### Timely Warning.

At a certain high school in this city it is the custom to discuss briefly the morning's news before taking up the regular work of the day. In this connection, an instructor in the school in question tells of a funny incident.

One day the teacher ascended to her desk, paper in hand. She spread the paper on the desk and glanced at the head-lines of the first page. "The first head that I observed this morning," said she, "is 'Poolroom Raided.'" She then raised her head, and with the utmost feeling in her voice said:

"Boys, never, never touch a cue!"—Harper's Weekly.

## KIDNEY TROUBLE DUE TO CATARRH.



The Curative Power of PERU-NA in Kidney Disease the Talk of the Continent.

Nicholas J. Hertz, Member of Ancient Order of Workmen, Capitol Lodge, No. 140, Pearl Street Hotel, Albany, N. Y., writes:

"A few months ago I contracted a heavy cold which settled in my kidneys, and each time I was exposed to inclement weather the trouble was aggravated until finally I was unable to work."

"After trying many of the advertised remedies for kidney trouble, I finally took Peruna."

"In a week the intense pains in my back were much relieved and in four weeks I was able to take up my work again."

"I still continued to use Peruna for another month and at the end of that time I was perfectly well."

"I now take a dose or two when I have been exposed and find that it is splendid to keep me well."

### Hundreds of Cures.

Dr. Hartman is constantly in receipt of testimonials from people who have been cured of chronic and complicated kidney disease by Peruna. For free medical advice, address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.



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## AWFUL NEURALGIA

**Mr. Porter Thought He Should Go Mad But Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Cured Him.**

"It seems like a miracle that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills should have cured my neuralgia," said Mr. Porter. "They are certainly a marvelous medicine and I am always glad to recommend them."

"For two years," he continued, "I had suffered almost unendurable pains in my head. They would start over my eyes and shoot upward most frequently, but they often spread over my face, and at times every part of my head and face would be full of agony. Sometimes the pains were so intense that I actually feared they would drive me mad."

"My eyes ached constantly and there was always a burning sensation over my forehead, but the other pains varied, sometimes they were acute, and again they were dull and lingering. I could not sleep. My temper was irritable and I got no pleasure out of life."

"I tried remedy after remedy, but finding no help in any of them, I became a despairing man. Even when I began to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I had no great hope of a cure."

"That was in December of 1903. To my surprise, a change in my condition took place right away. The pains grew less intense and the acute attacks were further apart, as I kept on using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The improvement began with the first box, and when I had used six boxes I stopped. My cure was complete and has lasted ever since."

Mr. Charles H. Porter lives at Raymond, N. H. He is one of many grateful people who have found that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will cure diseases of the nerves that have stubbornly resisted every other remedy tried. Not only neuralgia, but sciatica, partial paralysis and locomotor ataxia yield to them. They are sold by all druggists, or may be obtained directly from the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

"I am told that you called me a little busybody. Is that true?" "Believe me, my words were distorted. On the contrary, I said you were a busy little body."

### Advancing the Farmers' Interests

Traveling agents and salesmen are now sent from the home offices of the Chicago packers into all South American and Asiatic countries. They are going into every land, no matter what language may be spoken or what money be used. They will exchange their goods for cowries or elephant tusks—anything to sell the product and get something in return convertible into money. It may seem odd to some folks, but traveling men, carrying cases with samples of American meat products, can be seen in the desert of Sahara, the sands of Zanzibar or in Brazil, "where the nuts come from." Great is the enterprise of the Yankee merchant. The greater the market, the greater the price and stability of the price of the product and all that goes to make it in its various stages.

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**The Best Results in Starching** can be obtained only by using Defiance Starch, besides getting 4 oz. more for same money—no cooking required.

Many men spend their lives advertising themselves and then expect to be paid for it in transportation to Paradise.

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## TEA

The bulk of people prefer to be humbugged yet; we suppose they will always.

Your grocer returns your money if you don't like Schilling's Best.

Even the worm will sometimes turn before it is trodden upon.

**When You Buy Starch** buy Defiance and get the best, 16 oz. for 10 cents. Once used, always used.

A great deal of energy is wasted in talking that might be used in sawing wood.

## UNCLE IKE HAD A GRIEVANCE.

**Couldn't Vote for a Candidate Who Wasted His Money.**

When the late Melbourne H. Ford made his run for Congress he overlooked nothing that he thought would improve his chances of election. One of his moves was the taking of an orchestra to a meeting held in one of the small towns near Grand Rapids.

This generous departure may have won him several votes, but it unquestionably lost him one. Every village has its character, and the one there was "Uncle Ike."

Whenever that orchestra broke forth "Uncle Ike" fastened a fierce glance upon the bass drummer. During the ordeal the jaws of the village character worked like those of a buck rabbit eating cabbage, and his white beard of the spinach pattern waved furiously in unison. Next morning one of those who had watched the actions of "Uncle Ike" drew him out on the subject, keeping in mind that he played the bass drum in the local "sheepskin" band, and that jealousy seems an inseparable part of the musical temperament.

"I suppose that you'll vote for Ford, Uncle Ike?"

"Then you better hire some smarter feller to do your supposin'. No man has my support that wastes his own money like it was water."

"What do you mean, Uncle Ike?"

"Well, you hain't no musicianer, but I'd like to know what sense there was in payin' out money fur haulin' that bass drum and the man with it clean out here. He didn't hit the durned thing more'n four times, and he was out o' tune every doggone hit."—Detroit Free Press.

### Not Always Orange Blossoms.

Only in England, France and America is the orange blossom the bridal flower. When the German fraulein becomes a frau her head is garlanded with myrtle, except in certain sections, where gaudy wreaths of artificial flowers replace the natural blooms and are treasured from generation to generation. In Italy and the French cantons of Switzerland white roses are dedicated to the brides as well as the dead, but in Spain red roses and pinks lend an additional touch of color to the bridal dress of black and yellow. Greek brides are garlanded, appropriately enough, with vine leaves, and in Bohemia rosemary is supposed to bring luck to the bride who wears it. In most of the countries of Europe, however, the bridal wreath is considered as essential as the veil and pretty sentiment clusters about the faded wreath that is laid away, whether the wreath be of orange blossoms or laurel.

### From Ancient Days.

"Lounges," "couches," sofas, "tete-a-tetes" or "seats" are no longer talked about, for the old-fashioned "settle" is the accepted favorite of the present day. Set by the fireplace or on the side porch, the old Kensington rears its high carved back, the Chipendale braces its slender legs, and the "saw-horse settle" turns out its feet of claws. Even the popular divan has to hide its diminished head under its multiplicity of pillows before the wrought ram's heads of the new settles, which are said to be a reproduction of a style in use a thousand years before the Christian era.

### He Was Detained.

"I'd have been out ten days sooner," said the man, who had just been liberated from prison, "if it hadn't been for the chaplain."

"And what did he have to do with it?" was asked.

"It was him that had me detained up there. He comes to my cell one afternoon to see how I was getting on, and after a little he asks:

"And what crime did you commit, my man, that they sent you here?"

"It was highway robbery, your reverence," says I, "and now give me your confidence and tell me what you are in for."—Cleveland Plaindealer.

## AGAINST THE PUBLIC INTEREST.

**Overzealous Reformers Work for Law Against Proprietary Medicines.**

"Schemes to diminish or destroy the sale of proprietary medicines are constantly being devised by interested parties. Every now and then some zealous reformer comes to the front with the demand for a law to require every package of proprietary medicine to be labeled with a printed statement of the 'formula,' showing just how it is manufactured. The millions of people who use proprietary medicines seem to be satisfied; but the man with a mania for regulating the affairs of other people or who has some personal interest to serve is the one who agitates the proposition. To a person who has never taken time to consider it, such a proposition may seem reasonable enough; yet it is in fact nothing more nor less than a scheme to compel the manufacturers to put their trade throughout the entire country at the mercy of every commercial pirate who might choose to flood the market with imitations of their goods."

"Under such conditions the incentive for the original manufacturer to advertise his goods would be practically destroyed, for the money spent on advertising would inure mainly to the benefit of the pirates and imitators. Without advertising, the public would receive little information in regard to the medicine, and all future sales would be greatly impaired if not wholly destroyed. It is mainly by judicious advertising that the knowledge of proprietary medicines is brought to the public. Nothing is more certain than that millions of people have found relief at a comparatively small expense by the use of some remedy first called to their notice through newspaper advertising. Why, then, should the manufacturer of a meritorious proprietary remedy be compelled by law to practically destroy his business as a condition of being allowed to carry it on? Yet that is exactly what these formula bills mean.—Exchange.

A woman, the thirteenth child, and born on the 13th of the month, recently died in Alabama at the age of 13. Might have known something would happen to her!

## TEA

What is good tea? Tea that tastes good and feels good afterward.

Your grocer returns your money if you don't like Schilling's Best.

The poor we have always with us, but even the rich man may be a frightful bore.

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

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Do not believe Piso's Cure for Consumption has an equal for coughs and colds.—JOHN F. BOYER, Trinity Springs, Ind., Feb. 15, 1900.

Fashionable women acquire embonpoint, the others just get fat.

**Sensible Housekeepers** will have Defiance Starch, not alone because they get one-third more for the same money, but also because of superior quality.

Boil the water—unless you prefer to be an aquarium rather than a cemetery.

## TEA

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## WOMEN'S NEGLECT

### SUFFERING THE SURE PENALTY

Health Thus Lost Is Restored by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

How many women do you know who are perfectly well and strong? We hear every day the same story over and over again. "I do not feel well; I am so tired all the time!"



Miss Kate McDonald

More than likely you speak the same words yourself, and no doubt you feel far from well. The cause may be easily traced to some derangement of the female organs which manifests itself in depression of spirits, reluctance to go anywhere or do anything, backache, bearing-down pains, flatulency, nervousness, sleeplessness, leucorrhoea.

These symptoms are but warnings that there is danger ahead, and unless heeded a life of suffering or a serious operation is the inevitable result.

The never-failing remedy for all these symptoms is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Miss Kate McDonald, of Woodbridge, N. J., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:

"I think that a woman naturally dislikes to make her troubles known to the public, but restored health has meant so much to me that I cannot help from telling mine for the sake of other suffering women."

"For a long time I suffered untold agony with a uterine trouble and irregularities, which made me a physical wreck, and no one thought I would recover, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has entirely cured me, and made me well and strong, and I feel it my duty to tell other suffering women what a splendid medicine it is."

If you are ill, don't hesitate to get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once, and write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for special advice—it is free and always helpful.

## HAVE YOU COWS?

If you have cream to separate a good Cream Separator is the most profitable investment you can possibly make. Delay means daily waste of time, labor and product.

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### HAGERMAN TO BE GOVERNOR.

Dispatches from Washington to Santa Fe state that President Roosevelt informed the Pecos valley delegation that he would appoint H. J. Hagerman, of Roswell, governor of New Mexico, on the expiration of Governor Otero's term.

The dispatch further states that, "Governor Otero was not an active candidate for re-appointment, although extensively endorsed by the republican organization and powerful eastern friends." Oh, No!

As stated in the News of last week, we have a joint statehood petition in this office and it's still open for signatures. After having made that announcement, we wish to say further; that every man to whom the petition has been presented has signed it, with one single exception, and he would not sign the petition because he said he was in favor of no statehood. We believe, and offer the foregoing as a basis for such belief, that not one man in ten—and the facts seem to warrant a statement of a still smaller per cent—is opposed to joint statehood in this section. The people are not making any great hullabaloo about it, but give them a chance and their votes will show where they stand.

Shortly after the announcement of the election of Pattison as governor of Ohio came the dispatch that a distillery was consumed by fire. Pattison had made his fight largely in opposition to the liquor traffic, with the proposition, if elected, to clap the "lid" on. Wonder if the fire was the result of rage, or because the distillers thought they couldn't sell the product?

The leaders in the United States congress have practically agreed that some kind of a rate regulation must be enacted into law at the coming session. Yet the big guns will see to it that only such legislation is adopted as will permit the rate dodgers a loop hole for escape.

### Thanksgiving.

President Roosevelt has issued a proclamation, duly attested by the secretary of state, naming Thursday, November 30th, as a day of general thanksgiving. Governor Otero has followed suit, and says he will also permit us to return thanks on the same date.

So, following the usual custom, instituted before the foundation of our government, the people observe the day according to their several ideas. All business, or practically all, will be suspended, many of the inhabitants will gather at the various places of worship, many others will take a gun and go hunting and others will pass the day in sports of different kinds. The proverbial turkey and cranberry sauce will grace the table of those lucky enough to secure same, and the young people will gather in the evening at suitable places of entertainment, and pass away many pleasant hours.

It is one of the great days of our annual observance, and in reality the people have much to return thanks for in this good year of our Lord. Graft and boodleism have been exposed and punished in high places, abundant crops have blessed the year's labor, and the future is more promising than it has been in many years.

Let us, then, return thanks for the good things we have received and the better things that are in store for us in the future.

Prince Louis, of Battenberg said a hostile fleet, in the position occupied by the English fleet under his command, could destroy the city of New York. But what would our tars, coast-artillerists do to a hostile fleet before it secured a favorable position?

Some one has said that as long as the Rough Rider brigade holds out the president will not lack timber from which to make official appointments. There may be few of that fortunate brigade that are capable of filling a judicial position, but most any of them will do for governor of New Mexico. The present governor might get in on the plea that but for his heroic efforts no such organization would have been mustered in: hence, he, in reality, gave the president the opportunity of his life. The New Mexican seems to have overlooked this fact, and the News offers it, without any restrictions, to that official organ. But the governor is not a candidate for reappointment, anyway; rather we should say was not,

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particularly since the announcement that the president has said that Mr. Hagerman is the man; and all this good advice goes for naught.

This recent foul weather has brought out the bad points in our public roads—or rather it has brought out the worst points. Most all roads are in bad condition, but the Bonito road, leading to Capitan, is said to be almost impassable. Farmers, merchants, in fact all the people, are interested in this question, and immediate steps should be taken to remedy the existing conditions.

William Grayham was over from Bonito Monday, and stepped into the News office to sign the joint statehood petition. Mr. Grayham said, "of course we want joint statehood, and that is the only kind we will get."

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**Didn't Know Him.**  
Says the Washington Post: New Mexico republicans are demanding of "Bull" Andrews that he resign as their delegate in congress. We have contended all along that the New Mexicans elected Andrews without knowing him, and their request that he resign is proof of it.

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The Capitan public school will close about Christmas.

Mrs. W. E. Palmer and son Willie went to Alamogordo Monday.

Miss Lucile Peters returned yesterday from a week's visit to El Paso.

Barbed Wire for sale at Welch & Titsworth's.

Stetson hats, Welch & Titsworth.

A Mr. Schick, traveling for the Springer glassware and crockery establishment, El Paso, was in Capitan yesterday.

Edward J. Coe and wife were storm-bound in Capitan this week. They returned home, Glencoe, yesterday.

Rev. F. M. Wylder, pastor of the Baptist church at this place, left on Monday's train for Alamogordo, to attend the Baptist convention.

Dr. Presley, specialist eye, ear, nose and throat, Roswell, N. M.

G. L. Bunting, head gardener at Fort Stanton, left yesterday for Stephenville, Texas, to visit relatives. He expects to return in January.

M. H. Fisher is up from Alamogordo this week, moving a large boiler to Fort Stanton. The weather has been far from favorable for such work.

Misses Jessie Coe and Selma Long were over from Ruidoso this week.

Fred Pfingsten came up from Lincoln Wednesday, and was hobbling around on the streets yesterday. His arm is still in a sling, but his ankle is becoming useful.

Born to Rev. S. Y. Jackson and wife, on the 16th inst., at their home on Ruidoso, an eight pound girl. Our correspondent says, "mother and babe are doing well, and father rejoicing."

The News man has received an invitation to attend a Box supper at Richardson December 8th, at the home of Mrs. G. A. Hunt, the proceeds of same to go to aid the public school at that place.

**Wanted.**—Hides, sheep pelts goat skins, etc. Highest market price paid by Welch & Titsworth.

The Rebekahs are making elaborate preparations for the entertainment of their friends on the 30th. Do not fail to be on hand on that occasion—they need your aid and will appreciate your presence.

A. W. Purcella returned last week from a trip up the railroad, to the Santa Fe cut-off. Wes says there is small opportunity for work on the railroad, as there are five applicants for every job.

Meadow Gold butter at Welch & Titsworth.

Large amounts of goods are brought to Capitan with each train. Our merchants get their share, while portions go to the outlying towns.

S. J. Woodland is over from Carrizozo, taking down the livery stable building at Coalora, which will be moved to Carrizozo. W. C. McDonald has purchased the building, and will re-erect it into a stable at Carrizozo.

R. A. Hurnicutt has been summoned as a juror in the United States court which convenes at Alamogordo. There were undoubtedly other Lincoln county citizens caught on the same service, but we have not learned who.

Tom Price, who has been confined in the Lincoln jail on the charge of larceny and forgery, took French leave Sunday night, and came up to see his people. He was recaptured Monday night and taken to jail the day following.

Clement Hightower, Forest Supervisor, and wife returned Tuesday from Roswell. Mr. Hightower was greatly impressed with the rapid settlement and development of the Pecos Valley. He says investors continue to come in by train loads.

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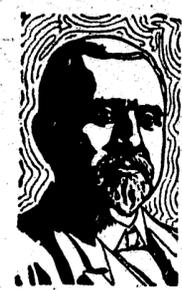
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George Dosza was a Szekler, or peasant of Szekelyfold, a district of Hungary. He was a quiet, law-abiding man, notable only for his great strength and tall stature.

One day, however, an Austrian noble thought fit to decoy away from her father's house Dosza's only daughter, a maiden of 14. The distracted parent sought the abductor far and near, but, failing to find him, journeyed to Vienna and laid his case before the emperor.

The latter only laughed. Whereupon the peasant returned to his own village and pasted upon the door of his little cabin a formal declaration of war against his sovereign. A month later he was marching on Vienna at the head of a huge, but undisciplined and ill-equipped army.

At first the luck was all on his side. He defeated the regular troops in a number of pitched battles, carried by assault several large and strongly fortified towns and was actually within sight of the capital, whence the emperor had already fled, when he was betrayed into ambush through the treachery of a guide.

The misfortune constituted the beginning of the end. The bulk of his followers fell away from him and were hunted through the mountains and woods like wild beasts. Altogether, it is said, that over 150,000 of them were put to the sword.

The "Jack Cade of Hungary," having been taken prisoner, was seated on an iron throne, beneath which a huge fire had previously been kindled, crowned with a red-hot iron crown, and his flesh torn from his bones with red-hot pincers.—Exchange.

**A Revised Version.**

John Alden had just concluded his eloquent praises of Capt. Miles Standish and waited anxiously for Priscilla's answer. Coily she regarded him for an instant, then, blushing, she inquired:

"Why don't you speak for yourself, John?"

"Great Scott!" ejaculated the young puritan, "what do you suppose I am? I ain't workin' no Hoch nor Witzhoff game—I'm runnin' a straight, legitimate matrimonial bureau, that's what I am. I'll go straight back to Cap. Standish and tell him that if he wants that female bunko-steerer at the old man Mullin's house, he'll have to get somebody else to do the job. I'm through!"

And, jamming on his hat, he rushed forth, banging the door behind him, while Priscilla wept bitterly.—Detroit News.

**Conditional Piety.**

Two Scotch fishermen, Jamie and Sandy, belated and befogged on a rough water, were in some trepidation lest they should never get ashore again. At last Jamie said:

"Sandy, I'm steering, and I think you'd better put up a bit of prayer."

"I don't know how," said Sandy.

"If ye don't, I'll chuck ye overboard," said Jamie.

Sandy began: "Oh, Lord, I never asked anything of Ye for fifteen years, and if Ye'll only get us safe back I'll never trouble Ye again, and—"

"Whisht, Sandy!" said Jamie, "the boat's touched shore; don't be beholden to anybody."—New York World.

**Plenty of Bait.**

"Dear me," pouted the young wife, who was wedded to a disciple of Izaak Walton, "I don't see why a man can't go fishing without carrying a horrid bottle."

"My husband never carries a bottle," confided the matron next door.

"How nice of him."

"No, he carries a demijohn. But my grandfather was a great fisherman. He never carried either a bottle or a demijohn."

"Noble man. He must have been splendid."

"Yes, he always carried a keg."

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**BIG PUBLISHER SUED.**

Chicago, Oct. 16.—The Peruna Drug Manufacturing Company, manufacturers of a widely known proprietary medicine, has brought suit in the Superior Court of the City of Chicago against the Curtis Publishing Company of Philadelphia, alleging that it has been damaged to the extent of \$250,000 by a recent article in the Ladies' Home Journal.

The suit is based on a statement recently made in that journal that a testimonial as to the merit of the remedy manufactured by the plaintiff, alleged to have been given by Congressman George H. White of South Carolina, was fraudulent, denial from Mr. White that he ever gave such a testimonial also being printed.

The Peruna company declares that Congressman White did give the testimonial in good faith, and that it has two original letters from Mr. White. It declares that Mr. White was led to repudiate the testimonial through a misunderstanding.

This is the second large damage suit that has been filed against the Curtis Publishing company since it inaugurated its attacks on "Patent Medicines."

**Scarcity of Radium.**

Sir William Ramsay states that not more than one-tenth of an ounce of radium is known to be in existence, and that the amount of radium salts, commonly referred to as radium, is very small.

Every housekeeper should know that if they will buy Defiance Cold Water Starch for laundry use they will save not only time, because it never sticks to the iron, but because each package contains 16 oz.—one full pound—while all other Cold Water Starches are put up in 3/4-pound packages, and the price is the same, 10 cents. Then again because Defiance Starch is free from all injurious chemicals. If your grocer tries to sell you a 12-oz. package it is because he has a stock on hand which he wishes to dispose of before he puts in Defiance. He knows that Defiance Starch has printed on every package in large letters and figures "16 ozs." Demand Defiance and save much time and money and the annoyance of the iron sticking. Defiance never sticks.

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The old lady had lost the check to her trunk, and the depot officials said that she must enumerate the contents and satisfy them that it belonged to her.

"Wall, now," she began, "right on top of everything you'll find a red woolen shirt that I was taking to my brother William. William has rheumatism, and red woolen is powerful good for that."

"What else?"

"Then you come to three new sheets for Aunt Mary, with a new bed quilt for Aunt Sarah. Then there's a calico dress pattern for Aunt Mary's oldest girl, and a catskin cap for Aunt Sarah's oldest boy. Then you come to my clothes. There's a silk dress that has been turned top-to-bottom



"Then You'll Find a Jar of Raspberry Jam."

and made over again, and there's—"

"I think the trunk must be yours," said the baggageman.

"Wall, there's the old corset I bought five years ago, a white skirt that I'm going to put some new trimming on, and an alpaca dress that I may give to Aunt Mary if she hasn't growed too stout. Then you'll find—"

"You can have the trunk, ma'am."

"Then you'll find a jar of raspberry jam, a bottle of currant wine and some—"

"Take it along, ma'am—it's your trunk for sure."

"Yes, it's my trunk, but now that you have got me naming the contents I'd like to tell you that there are two pairs of shoes, three pairs of stockings, my last year's bonnet, an extra waist and—"

But the baggageman pulled the trunk around, broke off one of the handles, bent the lock and told her that he wouldn't be responsible for spontaneous combustion if the thing remained there fifteen minutes longer.

**A River That Bridges Itself.**

For a stretch of twenty-two miles the River Colorado in Texas, has bridged itself with logs of wood, which have jammed so tightly from one bank to the other that even dynamite is powerless to clear a way. It was at first only a slight jam of logs, which three or four men could have dealt with effectively; but it has grown at an enormous rate, and, in some places, has become solid ground, with vegetation and trees growing upon it. Roads have been cut through, over which teams cross from bank to bank as unconcernedly as though a great river was not rolling swiftly underneath. The monster raft has become an object of interest to tourists, but the authorities are taking steps to break up the bridge as soon as possible.—Montreal Herald.

**Alcoholic Drink from Rice.**

The alcoholic drink used in the province of Che-Kiang, in China, is made from fermented rice. Fermentation is induced by the addition of cakes made of wheat meal. An examination of these cakes by K. Saito shows that the particles of wheat are penetrated through and through by the mycelia of various fungi. Some seven or more different species were found. These fungi grow on the moistened rice, fermentation follows and a yellow liquid with an agreeable odor is produced.

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A servant who brings you something says "So good." You say "Tack" (thanks).

You take off your hat when you enter a shop and return the shopman's low bow.

Although drinking is common, one seldom sees a drunken man.

Tips are everywhere given, but they are small. Ten ore (2½ cents) is the ordinary tip to a cabman or porter.

A lady always waits for a gentleman to speak, instead of the reverse as in America.

The comedians crack jokes on the rich Swedish-American who has come home to spend his money.

Grand opera lasts from September 1st to June 1st. The state furnishes the opera house and endows it.

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**The Weather.**

This has been a year of surprises in weather conditions. Not the least of these is rain in November, although March was equally wet. About as much moisture has fallen in New Mexico this year as in most of the central states. In old times it was a pretty safe prediction that in winter we would have some snow, in spring plenty of dry winds, in summer an abundance of rainfall, and in the fall the brightest, clearest sunshiny days out-of-doors. But the weather man has chopped us all to pieces, and about the only prophecy one can now make with safety is that if it don't rain or snow, it will be dry, but if moisture enough falls the ground will be wet, consequently muddy—"In short," as Wilkins Micawber would say, "seasonable." And if seasonable, of course, productive; which latter condition farmers and stockmen can stand. Then falling back again on the faithful Micawber, "something will turn up."

**Charlee Elected King.**

Christiania, Nov. 18.—The Norwegian parliament today unanimously ejected Prince Charles of Denmark to be king of Norway. The result was declared at 5:50 p. m. As this dispatch is filed the fortress is firing the royal salute of forty-two guns in honor of the new king.

The Tucumcari News, among its local items, speaks as follows of an old time Lincoln county citizen: "S. J. Slane, the stockman, with whom we were acquainted in Lincoln county ten years ago, was a welcome visitor to this office yesterday. Mr. Slane has some of the best bred cattle in New Mexico. He has 25 head of fine young bulls for sale that are the result of nineteen years of grading."

J. G. Riggles has gone into the goat business on a small scale. He purchased a hundred head of Angoras from J. P. Perry.

**Notice for Publication.**

Land Office at Roswell, N. M. }  
Nov. 17, 1905. }  
Homestead Application No. 5391.  
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before U. S. Commissioner at his office at Lincoln, N. M., on Dec. 30, 1905, viz: Estanislao Cardon, of Arabela, New Mexico, for the N $\frac{1}{2}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , SE $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  & NW $\frac{1}{4}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. 13, T. 9 S., R. 17 E.  
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:  
Estaban Garza, of Arabela, N. M.  
Luciano Trujillo, of " " "  
Rumaldo Fresquez, of " " "  
Jose Archuleta, of " " "  
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Homestead Application No. 5493.  
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the U. S. Commissioner at his office at Lincoln, New Mexico, on December 30, 1905, viz: Jose Archuleta, of Arabela, New Mexico, for the N $\frac{1}{2}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$  and N $\frac{1}{2}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of section 4, T. 9 S., R. 17 E.  
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:  
Martin Chavez, of Picacho, N. M.  
Florencio Chavez, of Lincoln, " "  
Rumalde Fresquez, of Arabela, " "  
Augustin Torres, of " " "  
HOWARD LELAND, Register.  
1st pub. 11-24-05.

**Notice for Publication.**

LAND OFFICE AT ROSWELL, N. M. }  
Nov. 17, 1905. }  
Homestead Application No. 5492.  
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the U. S. Commissioner at his office at Lincoln, New Mexico, on December 30, 1905, viz: Augustin Torres, of Arabela, New Mexico, for the SW $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , S $\frac{1}{2}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$  section 4 & SE $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$  section 5, T. 9 S., R. 17 E.  
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:  
Jose Archuleta, of Arabela, N. M.  
Rumaldo Fresquez, of " " "  
Francisco Reyes, of " " "  
Martin Chavez, of Picacho, " "  
HOWARD LELAND, Register.  
11-24-05

**Notice for Publication.**

Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, }  
Nov. 17, 1905. }  
Homestead Application No. 5491.  
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the U. S. Commissioner at his office at Lincoln, N. M., on December 30, 1905, viz: Francisco Reyes, of Arabela, N. M., for the SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of section 11, T. 9 S., R. 17 E.  
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:  
Rumaldo Fresquez, of Arabela, N. M.  
Jose Archuleta, of " " "  
Augustin Torres, of " " "  
Martin Chavez, of Picacho, " "  
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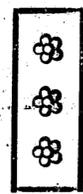
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**Notice for Publication.**

Land Office at Roswell, N. M. }  
Nov. 17, 1905. }  
Homestead Application No. 5409.  
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the U. S. Commissioner at Lincoln, New Mexico, on Dec. 30, 1905, viz: Rumaldo Fresquez, of Arabela, New Mexico, for the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$  section 10, SE $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$  & E $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  section 3, T. 9 S., R. 17 E.  
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:  
Martin Chavez, of Picacho, N. M.  
Jose Archuleta, of Arabela, " "  
Augustin Torres, of " " "  
Florencio Chavez, of Lincoln, " "  
HOWARD LELAND, Register.  
11-24-05

W. M. Reily is gathering a bunch of steers—about one hundred in number—for delivery on the first of the month to W. J. McAdams, at Corona.

**The Baptist Church.**

The pastor of the Baptist church preaches at the following places and dates:

Nogal, first Sunday in each month.

Capitan, second Sunday, each month.

Angus, third Sunday, in each month.

Everybody cordially invited to attend any and all of these services.  
F. M. WYLDER,  
Pastor.

If we don't get too much turkey and plum pudding we'll be out next week as usual.