

Optimistic Business Outlook

SOME writers and speakers have indulged in quite a lot of pessimistic hot air over industrial conditions, but, of course, much of it was taken with a grain of salt prior to November 3, and, as a matter of fact, since that time the subject has been dropped. Everyone concedes that the European war has been productive of abnormal conditions, even in a country like ours, at peace with the world; for a disturbance that results from such a serious eruption cannot be allayed in a day. Practically half the world's commerce, agriculture and manufactures are at a standstill, and, at first glance, it would seem to be our opportunity; but new lines had to be established, new trade relations formed and new means of transportation secured. These are gradually being worked out and when everything gets in motion what we have to sell—and Europe must have—will produce much better conditions in this country. Dealing with this subject at length, we present below the view of the Studebaker corporation—one of the biggest in America—and its tone of optimism is calculated to inspire a better feeling among business men. The article reads:

It is very good these days to be an American. During the past three months our country has encountered a trying experience in which our finances, our foreign trade, and even our domestic business have been disturbed by the sudden and tremendous wars in our ancestral countries.

Yet we are coming out of it well. The president, with his cabinet and the congress and the co-operation of bankers and business men called to Washington for the purpose, promptly and nobly met the emergency by sensible rulings and wise laws, which will largely free our industries and commerce from restraint.

They are arranged for the issuance of emergency currency, through amendments of the Aldrich-Vreeland law, under which national banks can obtain all the currency needed for legitimate business.

They organized the federal reserve board which insured the opening of twelve new federal reserve banks inside of fifty days, thus giving ample banking facilities for business to every section of the country.

They amended the ship registry laws so that American capital will buy foreign ships, which together with the large number of ships already owned by Americans will fly the flag of the United States and furnish ample carrying capacity for our foreign trade.

They opened the Panama canal, and thus provided shorter routes for our commerce with South America, Australia and the Far East.

They completed a plan of financing the surplus cotton crop, so that our southern planters will be enabled to hold their cotton until normal markets are restored.

The Studebaker corporation, with its sixty-two years of business experience, its thousands of employees, and its millions of capital invested, appreciates the patriotic work that has been done and the opportunities thereby afforded.

Speaking from our experience and immediate forecast of possibilities, we feel cheerful and optimistic over the outlook for profitable business and steady employment of labor with increasing developments of foreign trade in neutral countries.

America today is the clearing house of the world. The great nations of the earth are depending upon the integrity of her friendship, the safety and saneness of her diplomacy, the extensiveness of her trade and the soundness of her finance.

It is time for the Americans to show their optimism, their patriotism, and their aggressive earnestness.

The foundations of our national prosperity have been laid too deep and too strong to be seriously disturbed even by so great a catastrophe as the war of all Europe.

We regret deeply and sincerely that the war must be, yet we are in nowise to blame and are happily far removed from the theatre of activities.

Friendship we feel for all, and toward all we must remain in both thought and action entirely neutral.

Our duty to ourselves and our moral obligation to the rest of the world compel us Americans to be up and doing, to maintain a cheerful and hopeful spirit, to operate our industries and enterprises, to pay our bills as usual, and to conduct our affairs generally on conservative but enthusiastic lines.

Absolute Neutrality observe a strict neutrality, and ended by saying, "This place is neutral."

Two local citizens—one of Teutonic ancestry, the other of Celtic origin—got into a heated argument one day the past week over the European war. The Teuton, true to his blood, took the side of Germany, the Celt of course, taking the side of the allies. The argument waxed warm and furious, each disputant placing the burden of the cause of the war upon the combatant other than the one to which he was giving his support.

Finally the proprietor of the place broke into the argument, called attention to President Wilson's request, that Americans

School Notes

10,760 miles were travelled by the 23 teachers of Lincoln county attending the state meeting of teachers in Albuquerque. Another year we trust directors and patrons and more teachers will take advantage of the state meeting gaining not only in the actual work of school but also being inspired by the enthusiasm of others.

The extent and variety of the industrial display of Lincoln county was a surprise to the home folks and won many words of praise from other teachers who appreciated the difficulties that had been overcome in such a display from rural schools. Many ribbons of "Award of Merit" were attached to articles showing careful workmanship and Certificates of Excellence were issued to the following schools: Capitan, Oscuro, Rabenton, Ancho, Gallinas, Nogal and Carrizozo.

Dec. 8, 1914 is Tuberculosis Day and all rooms that have pupils of the fourth to the ninth grades are to reproduce an article furnished by the New Mexico Society for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis. For the best composition in each grade of each school, same to be decided by the teacher or teachers, the society will give prizes of blue, red and white ribbons. For the best essay in each county selected by the County Superintendent from all the winners of the first prizes in each grade, a bronze medal will be given to the winner in each grade and ribbons for second and third prizes. For the best in the state to be selected by the N. M. Society, from all the County prize winners, the Society will give gold, silver and bronze medals for the first, second, and third prizes respectively.

Mail Your Christmas Packages Early

The local postoffice is making preparations for a big parcel post business in view of the approaching holidays. Every effort will be made to expedite the delivery of Christmas packages, but patrons of the office can assist materially. If patrons will prepare their packages securely wrapped and properly addressed, early they may rest assured the package will reach its destination at the proper time; but if they wait till the last minute not only will the postoffice be crowded and the sender be thus delayed, but also transportation may be delayed because of the congestion that is almost certain to occur.

Therefore to give the best possible service Christmas parcels should be mailed early, wrapped securely, and addressed plainly. Parcels may be marked "Not to be opened until Christmas," or with similar directions. Fifty pounds will go 100 miles, and 20 pounds will go anywhere. Parcels up to \$25 in value may be insured for 5 cents, and from \$25 to \$50 may be insured for 10 cents.

Pecans and other nuts, fruits, candies, etc., put up by the producer, manufacturer, or dealer as proprietary articles of merchandise, in fixed quantities in sealed packages, labeled so as to show the nature of the contents, quantity, and name of producer, manufacturer, or dealer, as the case may be, are available at the fourth-class rates of postage. If such sealed packages are enclosed

Playground for Young People of Carrizozo

The boys and girls of the Junior church are proving themselves, already, to be an enterprising crowd. They have been organized only a month, but those who were present Sunday night at the Methodist church saw how quickly they prepared themselves for a part in the service in giving us such excellent music. Those who were absent really missed a treat. Now remember those boys and girls are going to sing for us again real soon, so don't miss it.

Just now, however, the Junior church is preparing and equipping a public playground about the church and parsonage. They are installing swings, cross-bars, trapezes, croquet, tennis, basketball and other apparatuses necessary for the pleasure and exercise of the body. This playground although under the direction of the Junior church, is to be public and open for the free use of every boy, girl, young man and young woman in Carrizozo. In short it is for everybody. It is undertaken because there is nothing of the kind in town and we believe Carrizozo should be as up-to-date as any other town in the state or nation. The children and young people can come here under the shadow of the church and the oversight of the pastor and get real, helpful recreation without any care or worry on the part of the parents.

Now what we ask the people of the town to do is this: work has already begun on the grounds and some money has been expended. The Junior church is going to ask the people of the town to have a part in this effort by contributing something toward meeting the expense of it. Some of the boys and girls will be around to see you in a few days and we want you to encourage them by a liberal contribution. Remember this is your playground, and let us make it as attractive as possible. Certainly this is a public improvement and all of us are public spirited enough to want to see the town improved and beautified.

The Junior church desires to express its appreciation to Mr. Spencer for his kindness in granting the use of the vacant lots about the church for this purpose. They will be as grateful to the entire town if it will assist them in equipping it. I appeal to the town in behalf of the Junior church to be liberal in their free will offering to this cause.

E. D. LEWIS, Pastor.

in an outer wrapper the latter must not be sealed.

The name of the sender and inscriptions, such as "Merry Christmas," "With best wishes," "Do not open until Christmas," or words to that effect may be written on fourth class mail, or on a card enclosed therewith.

The establishment of the parcel post has given a great impetus to the use of the mails as a means of distributing Christmas gifts and we request the co-operation of the patrons in the quick delivery and dispatch of this mail. The public can aid by observing the following simple conditions:

Prepay the postage fully on all parcels.

Address parcels fully and plainly.

Place name and address of sender on all matter.

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Progressive Party Far From Dead

OLD line republicans have gleefully told us that the progressive party was dead; that it hadn't enough members left to maintain an organization, and that most of those who left the republican party in 1912 had meekly, but permanently, returned to their old faith, as shown by the last election returns. As a matter of fact, without going into an analysis of the November vote, and taking surface indications of the result as a basis, there appeared to be good grounds for the G. O. P. jollification. It was generally conceded that the big vote given the Bull Moosers in 1912 was partly due to a protest against the methods of Bosses Crane, Peurose, Barnes and that ilk and not, in reality, a turning from republican principles.

However, there was known to exist a large number of voters, formerly republicans, who were not in harmony with present day republicans, and that class of Bull Moosers left the republican party never to return. Their advocacy of certain principles was wholly out of line with anything for which old line republicanism stood that there could not possibly be an amalgamation. Therefore, those of the progressives who left the republican party because of this irreconcilable difference must needs retain their organization or go to the democratic party, which was more closely—much more so—in accord with their ideas than were those of the standpatters.

Now since an analysis of the November vote has been made, there appears some justification for the contention of the progressives to continue their organization. In this analysis, which was submitted to a meeting of the progressives in Chicago on the second inst., at which meeting thirty-two states were represented, figures were given out which show that the progressive party cast one and three-quarter million of votes in the 1914 election, which it must be admitted, was not as bad as first appearances indicated, and really a rather good showing for an off year.

Many of the prominent leaders were present, viz: George W. Perkins, Senator Clapp, Plinn, Garfield, Pinchot, Jane Addams, White, Murdock and Van Valkenburgh. Mr. Perkins, who presided, called attention to the vote given the progressives at the November election and declared his inability to foresee signs of disintegration.

Victor Murdock, the brilliant Kansas leader, is quoted as follows in the significant subjoined paragraph:

After insisting that the progressive party should continue in American politics, Victor Murdock turned his attention to peace and declared that every American should do everything in his power to keep the country at peace with the world. He said that he was heartily in accord with the efforts of President Wilson to preserve peace and would support him in every act, to that end.

Monthly School Report

First Grade, neither absent nor tardy: Lillie Mae Elliott, Lillie Harkey, Rue Shulda, Ethel Johnson, Jean Reily, Mariam Forrest, Maggie Lujan, Maudie Hamilton, Elizabeth Johnson, Mildred Bixler, Dollie Corn, Kathryn, Stidham, Loupie Gomez, Mersed Orosco, William Porter, Arley Steward, Jose Orosco, John William Elliott.

Second grade, neither absent nor tardy: Charles Byrd, Robana Corn, Josephine Lalone, Aileen Haley, Maurine Collier, Annie Montoya, Lois Stidham, Mae Bixler, Ollie Niles Opal Fite, Dora Anderson, Wilma Hust, Elbert Collier, Elmo Lovelace, Delbert Carl, Walter Foster, Albert Lalone, William Kahler.

Third grade, neither absent nor tardy: Harry Cole, Julian White, Daniel Elliott, Blake Lovelace, Wayne Richards, Beal Foster, Rinaldo Garcia. Third grade excellent list: Daniel Elliott, Rinaldo Garcia, Charles Goddard, Ella Rowland.

Fourth grade, neither absent nor tardy: Alvie Porter, Vaden Galacher, Raymond Bixler, Karl Kahler, Clayton Hust, Edward Corn. Fourth grade excellent list: Nellie Sandoval, Herndon Reily, Mary White, Rose Goddard, Lucile Dutton, Dora Gray, Bessie Rowland.

Fifth grade, neither absent nor tardy: Velma Howell, Nona Norris, Ruth Schaeffer, Kathryn Spence, Claire Adams, Alma Lacey, Nell Hanson, Thelma Perret, Weldon Harkey, Garland Brazel, Johnnie Cole, Alejandro

Chavez. Fifth grade excellent list: Claire Adams, Ruth Schaeffer, Kathryn Spence, Weldon Harkey, Garland Brazel, Johnnie Cole.

Sixth grade, neither absent nor tardy: Barbara Hust, Clarissa Leggett, Esther Bixler, Vera Howell, Ruth Edmiston, Kathryn Pine, Oreno Stevens, Dero Stevens Allison White, Sidney Hust, Johnny Rowland, Lesnett Anderson, Elmer Eaker, Deon Miller, Frank Norris, Joe Chavez. Sixth grade excellent pupils: Esther Bixler, Clarissa Leggett, Ruth Edmiston, Kathryn Pine, Elmer Eaker, Albert Bixler, Joe Chavez, Deon Miller, Guadalupe Luras.

Seventh grade, neither absent nor tardy: Erva Adams, Lorena Haley, Sallie Johnson, Gladys Murray, Pearl Kennedy, Perola Stevens, Pearl Hyde, Tom Chant, Linza Brannum, George McGee, Gordon Pine, Pink Roberts, Homer Donaldson, Lawrence Rowland. Seventh grade excellent list: Pearl Hyde, Perla Stevens, Lorena Haley, George McGee, Pink Roberts, Gordon Pine, Mayo Hamilton.

Eighth grade, neither absent nor tardy: Ethel Hoffman, Joe Spence, Carrie Roberts, Eunice Williams, Ware Brazel. Eighth grade excellent list: Ethel Hoffman, Margie Lacey, Ware Brazel, Deane Gumm, Gladney White, Joe Spence.

Klansner Case Affirmed

News reached here this week that the State Supreme court had affirmed the Klansner case. It will be remembered that Mrs. Klansner was convicted at the Lincoln county term of court, in 1912, on the charge of larceny of calves. The case was appealed, reversed, a new hearing was then given, and now as stated, the case has finally been affirmed.

NATIONAL CAPITAL AFFAIRS

Europe Being Closed, the Rich Flock to Washington

WASHINGTON.—War in Europe will increase Washington's winter population. Last winter, in what is known in the light words of the "common people" as the "swell section" of the city, there were scores of vacant houses. In the main these empty residences will be occupied during the coming winter, for already the "to let" signs in most of the staring windows have disappeared.



It is reported that many American families who have been living abroad are to come this year to see the capital of their country, for which some of them seemingly cared little or nothing until they found that the homeland was about the only place in which their sacred necks and still more sacred pocketbooks were safe.

There were twice as many vacant houses facing the avenues and streets of wealth last winter than there were the winter before. Why? The reason is a curious one, but that it is the right one cannot be doubted. There are more rich Republicans in the United States than there are rich Democrats.

Banker Ailes Has Chance to Get Rich on Snakes

MILTON A. AILES, vice-president of the Kings National bank, has had a fresh opportunity for fortune thrust upon him. Heretofore he has pursued the jade with marked success. But it remained for his casual recital of a snake story to bring him an unexpected chance for wealth beyond the dreams of avarice.

Mr. Ailes is in receipt of a letter from Forrest W. Brown, an attorney at law in Charlestown, W. Va., in which is laid down the tentative plan for the accumulation of vast riches, the establishment of a rattlesnake farm. Mr. Brown writes:



THEY ARE GENTLE AS KITTENS

"I tried a case two or three years ago in Morgan county, involving the title to several thousand acres of land, which the witness described as not being worth anything except to raise rattlesnakes on. I succeeded in getting a judgment in favor of my client. Then an old friend of mine inserted in a New York paper a communication in which he said that I had acquired a large tract of land in Morgan county, and had organized a corporation for the purpose of raising rattlesnakes."

This, according to Mr. Brown, was the beginning. Many letters followed from all quarters. Exporting companies in New York and New Jersey wanted to make arrangements to take all the rattlesnake skins that could be furnished. They would fan them, in case Mr. Brown lacked the facilities. The skins were wanted for export trade to Paris and London.

"I had letters from a number of friends," continues Mr. Brown, "stating that they wanted me to reserve large blocks of stock for them. I think that if I had taken all those offers I would have had \$1,000,000,000 worth of stock in the enterprise by now. But it all failed because I could not find a general manager. Kindly write and tell me whether you will accept, so that the great enterprise can be inaugurated and continued with success."

When asked as to his intentions, Mr. Ailes spoke regretfully of the press of engagements in other fields of endeavor. He said, however, that it required no fertile imagination to grasp the immense possibilities in the plan. In fact, he was of the opinion that it beat Col. Mulberry Sellers' eyewater scheme all hollow. With the eyewater there was a natural limit, dependent upon the exact number of ophthalmic Chinamen. In the case of the rattlesnakes, however, it was altogether different. There was the skin, to begin with, following which were various by-products almost too numerous to mention. Rattles for babies was one that occurred offhand.

No More Persons Will Be Interred in This Tomb

A QUIANT and curious old family tomb, built according to the custom prevalent in portions of the South early in the last century, is to be found on the old Patterson estate, in the northeast section of the city, and adjoining the Gallaudet college. It is constructed of solid granite blocks, almost square in shape, and surmounted by an arched roof set off by a heavy projecting cornice, resembling somewhat those used by the ancient Egyptians at Luxor and Karnak.



An ivy vine, with thick roots and branches, nearly covers the sides and roof of the tomb, while the immediate surroundings are so heavily grown with deep underbrush and trees that it is almost impossible to see the vault before actually reaching it. Attention was in recent years directed to the tomb by the request of Francis Winslow, a trustee of the Patterson estate, made to the health board of the district, for information relative to the burial laws governing the use of such vaults. Mr. Winslow stated that no interments had been made in the tomb in many years, and that, with one possible exception, none of the descendants of the Patterson family desired to be interred within the place. In view of the possible application for interment within the vault, Mr. Winslow requested information as to whether the health department would permit it.

As a result of the request, Health Officer Woodward had the records of his office searched, but nothing concerning the old tomb could be found. The question was referred to the city collector, who replied, in an opinion, stating that under the new code no person could be buried in any grounds except those known as private or public burial grounds, or such as may be so designated in the future by the district commissioners.

Uncle Sam's Money Factory Is Best in the World

UNCLE SAM'S great money factory is one of the wonderful sights of the world. Housed in a brand new building 550 feet long and with four wings each 285 feet deep, it takes 32,840 panes of glass to admit light to its four stories. The structure of the bureau of engraving and printing is built of Indiana limestone and it presents to the shining Potomac, which it faces, a row of columns on the front as imposing as those on the east side of the treasury.



This probably is the finest manufacturing plant in the world in point of scientific equipment to conserve the health and comfort of its inhabitants. The chiefs of divisions say that the records show 50 per cent less sickness in the bow than in the old building. The whole plant is virtually the creation of Director Joseph E. Ralph, who was determined that in the equipment and operation of the bureau of engraving and printing the United States should lead the world in welfare work.

The European war hit the bureau of engraving and printing as hard as any other American establishment. Its normal output of bank notes was 40,000 sheets a day and it is now turning out 300,000 sheets of four notes to the sheet. In addition to this currency its normal output of silver certificates and gold notes was 250,000. It is now printing \$10,000,000.

The Eugenicist.
Praising the science of eugenics, Harold Hols, the father of Eugenic, the eugenic baby, said in New York: "Eugenics is making headway everywhere. It is even penetrating into the exclusive circles of the old aristocracy of Philadelphia."

"A Philadelphia girl of the highest aristocracy actually got engaged last month to a young bank clerk. A Philadelphia clubman said to her reproachfully at a tea:

"Is it possible that you, of a family eminent for seven generations, can stoop to marry an unknown upstart?" "Well, I prefer to marry a man without a name rather than a name without a man."—Detroit Free Press.

A GRATEFUL ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Mr. F. C. Case of Welcomes Lake, Pa., writes: "I suffered with Backache and Kidney Trouble. My head ached, my sleep was broken and unrefreshing. I felt heavy and sleepy after meals, was always nervous and tired, had a bitter taste in my mouth, was dizzy, had floating specks before my eyes, was always thirsty, had a dragging sensation across my loins, difficulty in collecting my thoughts and was troubled with shortness of breath. Dodds Kidney Pills have cured me of these complaints. Dodds Kidney Pills have done their work and done it well. You are at liberty to publish this letter for the benefit of any sufferer who doubts the merit of Dodds Kidney Pills."



Dodds Kidney Pills, 50c. per box at your dealer or Dodds Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Write for Household Hints, Dainty Recipes; also music of National Anthem. All 3 cent free. Adv.

Take the Blood Out and Wash It. Drs. V. A. Urevitch and N. K. Rosenberg have discovered a way to take the blood out of the body, wash it and put it back again. In the Roussky Vratich the describe their experiments upon animals. The idea, of course, is to rid the blood of poisonous substances. They found they could remove half the blood, prevent its coagulation by adding sodium citrate, wash it with salt solution and return the purified red corpuscles into the circulation. It was not necessary to return the white corpuscles.

The New York Medical Journal remarks that this, taken together with the transplantation of organs and the growth of tissues outside the body, forms an entirely new chapter in experimental medicine. Who can tell what the future has in store for us?"

The Hydraulic Ram.
She was a Delaware country girl. She lived near Canton and was in Muncie with her escort, watching a piece of engineering work that was being done about a new bridge. Every once in a while there came a peculiar grinding noise whose origin she could not locate.

"Jim, what makes that noise?" she asked. "Oh, that's the hydraulic ram." "For land's sake! Where do they keep him?"—Indianapolis News.

A candidate must be a past master of political economy in order to get the most votes for the least money.

PRESSED HARD.
Coffee's Weight on Old Age.

When people realize the injurious effects of coffee and the change in health that Postum can bring, they are usually glad to lend their testimony for the benefit of others.

"My mother, since her early childhood, was an inveterate coffee drinker, had been troubled with her heart for a number of years and complained of that 'weak all over' feeling and sick stomach."

"Some time ago I was making a visit to a distant part of the country and took dinner with one of the merchants of the place. I noticed a somewhat unusual flavor of the 'coffee' and asked him concerning it. He replied that it was Postum."

"I was so pleased with it that, after the meal was over, I bought a package to carry home with me, and had wife prepare some for the next meal. The whole family were so well pleased with it that we discontinued coffee and used Postum entirely."

"I had really been at times very anxious concerning my mother's condition, but we noticed that after using Postum for a short time, she felt so much better than she did prior to its use, and had little trouble with her heart, and no sick stomach; that the headaches were not so frequent, and her general condition much improved. This continued until she was well and hearty."

"I know Postum has benefited myself and the other members of the family, but not in so marked a degree as in the case of my mother, as she was a victim of long standing." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Postum comes in two forms: Regular Postum—must be well boiled. 15c and 25c packages. Instant Postum—in a soluble powder. A teaspoonful dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water and, with cream and sugar, makes a delicious beverage instantly. 25c and 50c tins.

The cost per cup of both kinds is about the same.

"There's a Reason" for Postum. —sold by Grocers

IN THE NEW TAFFETAS

THEY WILL BE LARGELY USED FOR FALL COSTUMES.

Street and Afternoon Frocks In All the Fashionable Shades Already Are Seen—Model Designed for Royal Blue.

Because the manufacturers have made for us a beautifully heavy and lustrous taffeta we are allowed to have it for a fall dress fabric, as well as a summer one, and as it lends itself so readily to the designs and styles of the season needless to say



Attractive and Novel Trimming is Here Employed.

we are all glad of its further lease on life.

These new taffetas resemble somewhat a very fine twilled grosgrain, but have much more body. They are to be had in all the fashionable shades, and are being made up extensively in street and afternoon costumes.

Here illustrated is a charming costume in royal blue taffeta worn with fox furs dyed a delicate sulphur color and a jaunty chaquet in blue velvet with yellow tinged feather fantasia.

The blouse is plain and surplined over a tiny vest of white batiste, with a flaring collar and small lapels of batiste twined back from the V neck. Long sleeves are set smoothly into extended armholes, and are covered with a heavily embroidered black silk net, then finished with turned-back white cuffs.

The ornate net is applied to the border of the tunic skirt and makes a very handsome trimming. It will be noticed that the tunic is gathered to a hip yoke under a self-covered cording, but the yoke in turn is gathered, too, and the result is very graceful.

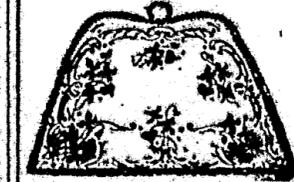
A broad girdele is cut out in square tabs about the top and along the line of fastening. The idea is repeated in the skirt placket to bring the closing in perfect alignment.

If desired, the sleeves and lower portion of the tunic can be made transparent by cutting the dress material from under them, but in that case the design could no longer answer the purposes of a street costume.—Lillian Young, in Washington Star.

ADORNMENT FOR TEA TABLE

Cozy Suitable for Practically All Occasions May Be Easily and Cheaply Made.

A cozy, as illustrated in the sketch, will be found most useful and suitable for almost every occasion. It is very simply made, for the covering consists of two pretty paper serviettes. A foundation is necessary; cozy pads can be had in all shapes, sizes and colors. Select serviettes that fit as neatly as possible over the pad in question, an odd pad or cozy can be covered quite well, so that the idea is an excellent one for renovating old cozies



cord, according to the choice of the worker; if paper is decided upon, it may be bought by the yard at any fancy shop where paper novelties are sold.

The cozy now has a very pretty appearance; it will be found to last for a long time and when the covering is soiled, fresh ones can be easily put on. It is useful for many purposes for which the best cozy is not suitable, such as nursery teas, children's parties, etc.

For party use generally, the idea will be found most useful; there is then no fear of a good cozy getting spoiled and the paper one can look most effective if the serviettes are chosen with a view to the particular occasion, for all kinds of designs are to be had.

Very Short Skirts.
In the new Bechoff-David models, which an enterprising buyer was fortunate enough to get to America, the skirts are decidedly short, and a striking feature of them is that in the evening frocks there are many trains hanging from very short skirts. Sometimes the skirt slopes gradually from the short front to the end of the long train; sometimes the long, pointed train hangs from a skirt that is short all the way around. The effect is novel.

Chiffon for Trimming.
Chiffon flowers are much used on hats and to catch the drapery on gowns. Small chiffon fruits, too, are used. Many of them are made of several layers of chiffon of various shades—red over purple, for instance, and then silver blue over that. The results are very interesting.

GOOD ADVICE FOR MATRON

Style Tips Woman of Middle Age Should Remember if She Would Look Her Best.

Don't think that, just because you have grownup daughters, it is your duty to always wear a frumpy black dress. Your daughters and everyone else will like you much better if you take pains to make yourself look nice.

If you have too much color, as some matrons have, never wear either black or white close to your face. Cream or string-color, or mole, will suit you much better, for they help to take down the color.

If you are colorless and sallow, never wear a dull dress and hat without a touch of brightness somewhere. A red rose under the brim of your hat, a snaplet sunshade, or a little flame-colored bow or piping on your dress will do wonders for you.

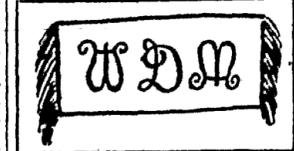
Don't wear a sport shirt with a turn-over collar and sailor-knot tie. These things are very nice for girls, but they don't suit you. If you want a shirt, have one that hooks down the back and is finished by a neckband and a little muslin stock.

Don't wear a hair net if you can possibly manage to keep tidy without it. They are dreadfully unbecoming things, which add years to a woman's age.

WILL PLEASE A BOOKLOVER

Attractive and Inexpensive Gift That Serves Its Purpose to Perfection.

An attractive and very inexpensive gift that is suitable either for a young person or for an adult is a bookmark embroidered with the name of the person for whom it is intended. Either wide or narrow ribbon can be used in making the bookmark and with the aid of paper mache initials which can be purchased in almost any store where embroidery materials are sold—even a young girl can make a really handsome one. If the ribbon is wide, as illustrated in the drawing, the initials should be larger than where narrow ribbon is used. It is not desirable, however, to place a thick bookmark in an expensive book and for this reason many booklovers prefer a long, narrow ribbon marked with small initials at one end where they will never be shut inside the book. Such a marker can be made from satin ribbon one inch wide, the length being from nine to twelve inches. This will



coat from five to eight cents. Three small paper mache initials will cost five cents, and a skein of embroidery floss will cost four cents. Arrange the initials on the ribbon and baste them. Good floss on white satin ribbon is very effective. Fringe the ends of the ribbon.

Red and Brown.
Red and brown, an old-fashioned combination, have been well used this summer. A very smart hat that has been seen lately is a big brown velvet canotier, with two huge red velvet roses on one side of the top of the crown.

Patch Pockets.
On some of the new skirts that are full at the hips patch pockets are employed to control this fullness. On a gray velvet frock with a plaited petum big pockets of satin are used on the hips. Sometimes these pockets are embroidered.

THE CHARM OF MOTHERHOOD

Enhanced By Perfect Physical Health.

The experience of Motherhood is trying one to most women and marks distinctly an epoch in their lives. Not one woman in a hundred is prepared or understands how to properly care for herself. Of course nearly every woman nowadays has medical treatment at such times, but many approach the experience with an organism unfitted for the trial of strength, and when it is over her system has received a shock from which it is hard to recover. Following right upon this comes the nervous strain of caring for the child, and a distinct change in the mother results.

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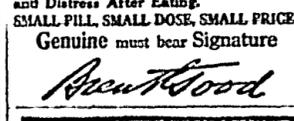
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"Across the Alps lies Italy" and Germany maintains that the tradition holds good.

Three contests have already been filed for one progressive and two democratic seats in the state legislature.

Hark from the Toomb(s) of Union county. A little thing like a shortage of votes doesn't seem to bother him.

The Rhine and Moselle wines are getting scarce—but the neutrality of Italy insures a good supply from across the Alps."

That coveted two-thirds necessary for the peace and prosperity of the old guard is in sight—three contests, with another in prospect.

The banks having secured a new supply of money through the reserve scheme the New York stock exchange will re-open and endeavor to borrow it all.

We've been licking George and Martha Washington and a few other celebrities all our lives—and who the victims are to be in the war revenue issue remains to be disclosed.

The strong demand for gold and silver properties is causing Lincoln county some prominence in mining circles. It is said that gold shares are readily disposed of where other stocks go begging.

The New Mexican insists that one hundred Bernalillo county teachers cast nearly five hundred votes in balloting for the selection of a future place of meeting. And even the teachers of the state learn the methods. Perhaps some of those Bernalillo county teachers had a few borrowed sheep on hand?

The triple entente appears to be making but little more headway—although united—than the triple alliance—even though the third member of the alliance declines to enter the contest.

Now, if Modesto will file a contest against his successful democratic opponent, the four contests, if the wires are pulled correctly, will give the old guard the coveted two-thirds in the house.

The metal markets are gradually showing a new strength, lead copper and zinc being quoted higher and strong. Some more strength and Lincoln county properties should begin shipments.

The big cattle monopolies are quarrelling over the stockyard privileges of El Paso, and at the present writing, the monopoly has the best of the fight. El Paso will do well to assure the southwest a free market, or El Paso will not get all the business.

There is a strong movement inside the republican party of the state to curb the old leaders and adopt new methods for the party. Chairman Ely heads an element of the party opposing the whole unseating of democrats for the sole purpose of creating a two-thirds republican majority in the lower legislative house. The people will be glad if any reform can be worked in the party under its present control, but they are doubtful and will watchfully wait.

\$10.00 Reward

Lost between Nogal, Carrizozo or Oscura, November 19, leather hand grip, containing Eastman 3-A kodak, Lematre field glasses in leather case, and other articles. Name written on lining of grip. Will pay above reward for return of grip and contents. Notify C. M. Harvey, 1805 Arizona street, El Paso, Texas. 12-4-3t

Irregular to Divert Funds

The Santa Fe New Mexican of the date of December first contains a report of the Traveling Auditor on Taos county. Quoting from the New Mexican of that date we find only one criticism of Taos county voiced by the Auditor, and with reference to that, a statement from Governor McDonald, which is of interest to boards of county commissioners. The article reads:

Governor McDonald today took occasion to reiterate his unalterable opposition to the use of any tax levy for purposes other than those specifically provided by the statutes.

He did this in connection with that portion of State Accountant E. A. Mossman's report on Taos county which refers to the use of the "Court House and Jail Repair Fund" for general court house and Jail expenses. After expressing himself as very well pleased at the excellent condition in which the state accountant found the Taos county books and records, Governor McDonald commented on the general use of the fund in question as follows:

"I am opposed to the making of a levy ostensibly for one purpose and using it for another. What was the purpose of the Bajeman act if this is permitted? This practice has been mentioned as being general, but it ought now to be discontinued. If a five mill levy for general county expenses is not sufficient the remedy should not be by indirection and the illegal use of the county funds. I have no objection to the transfer of an 'accidental' or 'dead' fund, but such a transfer is entirely different. In connection with the practice mentioned I am not criticizing the county commissioners, but I am calling attention to the fact that it is objectionable—that it would be objectionable even if it were not illegal. The fact that in Taos county the levy was not made for 1915 use seems to indicate that the practice has been discontinued in that county. I think that since the attention of county commissioners has been called to the statutes by the traveling auditor's office that this will be the case in most of the counties.

The statute in reference to the levy for the "Court House Repair Fund" is found in Section 13, Chapter 90, of the Laws of 1903. It provides for a "special tax not exceeding two mills on the dollar for the purpose of making needed repairs on the county court houses and jails," and that "the product of such levy, when collected, shall be kept separate and apart by the county treasurer," and not "used for any purpose other than above provided."

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Beautiful silk and chiffon waists, regular \$7.00 and \$8.00 values at \$5.00
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Novelty Neckwear	.25 to 1.50
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Fancy linen towels 25 cents to \$1.00 each.
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Special price on Overcoats and
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blocks west of postoffice. For
terms call at residence. 11-6-2t.

Dr. Ranniger was up a short
time Monday from Oscura.

Fort Stanton

Chaplain Frund spent Thanks-
giving, the guest of Rev. Father
Girma, at Lincoln.

Dr. and Mrs. F. H. McKeon, of
No. 2, gave a Thanksgiving din-
ner to a number of friends from
around the square Thanksgiving
day at 6:00 p. m.

Regular bi-weekly non-sectar-
ian services will be held at Li-
brary Hall next Sunday evening
at 7:30, special music.

Mr. Nichols, of No. 3 B, left
Saturday for Roswell on a few
days business mission.

P. T. Hill will sing one of his
favorite solos during the non-sectar-
ian service next Sunday even-
ing.

Peter Duffy, president of the
Officer's Club and librarian of the
post, received a telegram Satur-
day announcing the serious ill-
ness of his mother at Washington
another message a few hours later
announced her death. We all
feel the shock, since Mr. Duffy's
popularity among us is such that
his troubles have been made part
of ours. Our heartfelt sympathy
goes out to him in this hour of
trial. Owing to the distance, be-
sides Mr. Duffy's physical con-
dition not permitting, he was not
able to attend the funeral which
took place in Washington from
the Sacred Heart church on last
Tuesday morning.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Laws, of
Lincoln, visited a few hours at
the Post Sunday, coming up in
their car.

A requiem mass for the repose
of the soul of Mr. Duffy's mother
who died last Saturday was of-
fered up in the local Sacred Heart
chapel last Tuesday morning at
8:15. Chaplain Frund celebrat-
ing the mass.

The Fulton orchestra gave an
entertainment in No. 10 last Sun-
day afternoon. Mr. Bell pre-
sided at the piano and Mr. Ecky
playing second to Mr. Fulton on
the violin. The sick boys en-
joyed the recital very much.

Reverend and Mrs. Bullock, of
Roswell, passed through here
Saturday noon on their way to
Roswell. Mr. Bullock delivered
a lecture at Capitan Friday even-
ing on his experience in the war
regions of Europe.

Mrs. Lieutenant Besse is ex-
pected soon to arrive here from
Iowa to join her husband here
and remain for the winter.

Mrs. F. C. Smith, of No. 1, is
still enjoying her visit in the east
and we understand is soon to re-
turn to Fort Stanton where her
many friends are anxiously a-
waiting.

Attorney and Mrs. Wood went
to the Mescalero Agency Satur-
day, returning Tuesday.

Mrs. Ben F. Nabours passed
through Tuesday enroute to Lin-
coln from Three Rivers.

WARNING!
No one can legally close any
well established road or put gates
upon same, or in any way ob-
struct or change roads without
permission from the Road Board.
Citizens in localities where
gates, fences or other obstruc-
tions are placed without legal
permission having been granted
by the Road Board have a per-
fect right to remove same without
appealing to this Board.

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Therefore this institution takes pleasure in furnishing its
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sonal counsel will be given concerning the individual financial
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All Bonded Whiskey \$1.75 per Quart.
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Blackberry Brandy .50 per Quart.
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Table Supplied with the Best
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Feed Stuffs, Etc.
Phone 16 Wood and Coal Carrizozo, N. M.

LOCAL & PERSONAL

Fred Burleson is up from Lincoln.

The poor now have their inning in this latitude—ice is plentiful.

A carload of canned vegetables and fruits just arrived at the Carrizozo Trading Co.

Attorney L. R. York has been over from Capitan this week, attending the District court.

Mrs. and Mrs. A. A. Highfill left last night for their home at Palomas Springs.

Remember we handle Corn Chops, Bran, Hay and Chicken Feed. The Carrizozo Trading Company.

Ellis Richardson, a Gallina ranchman, was here the past week.

The Kechns, father and sons, are in the city from their Oacuro home.

"Pratts Best Flour" is absolutely guaranteed or your money refunded. Sold only in Carrizozo. Sheriff Cole is reported to be improving. It is now believed he will soon regain his health.

E. W. Hulbert is up from Lincoln, assisting in the sheriff's office during the court session.

Pratts Best Flour is sold exclusively by the Carrizozo Trading Company.

R. L. Ransom is preparing to erect a residence near the school building. It is to be an adobe.

George W. Coe came through last night on his return from El Paso to his Ruidoso home.

H. Doyle Murray drove over from Tinnie Tuesday, remaining until the following morning.

John Hutchings, the Alamo-gordo automobile man, was here a couple of days this week.

Col. Geo. W. Pritchard arrived Saturday from Santa Fe to attend the adjourned term of court.

Frank R. Harvie was up from Oacuro Monday, making application preparatory to completing final proof on his homestead.

Attorney J. F. Bonham, of Las Cruces and El Paso, is in attendance upon the present session of District Court.

Jess Jenkins, a prominent cattleman of the Corona country, was here Tuesday talking livestock to local men.

The non-arrival of the revenue stamps had a number of our business men guessing this week, but business goes on just the same.

E. C. and Albert T. Pfingsten came down from the Mesa yesterday, making a delivery of pork to our local butchers.

Major W. H. H. Llewellyn is here from Las Cruces, attending the December term of District Court.

The Grandview Hotel is under new management, Mr. W. T. Peck having sold to Mr. C. K. Stillwell. The new management is prepared to accommodate the public with substantial, well cooked meals and good sleeping rooms. A share of the public patronage is solicited.

Ancho

A revival is in progress at the Baptist church, conducted by the pastor, Rev. R. L. Day.

Ernest Burrell and Pierce Perry were in town a couple of days this week from the Spence ranch. They are sinking another well for Clarence Spence.

A good part of this section, especially the higher altitudes, was covered with snow the past week. In the Mesa-Bonito country, the fall was about eight inches.

A. T. Anderson was down Monday morning from Parsons to meet W. H. Rosecrans who came in on No. 3 from Mishawaka, Indiana.

Mrs. Louis Mundell is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Johnson, before returning to Chloride after having visited her parents at Lincoln.

Mrs. John Shaw and children came in last night from Clifton, Arizona. Mrs. Shaw is a daughter of Mrs. O. P. Humphrey and will visit with the family for about a month.

John H. Boyd, postmaster and merchant of Oacuro, who suffered a stroke of paralysis some three weeks ago, is still in a precarious condition. His many friends hope for the best.

Mrs. Pierce will entertain her friends this afternoon. The guests are invited to meet her aunt, Mrs. C. D. Fettinger, who is visiting her from Evansville, Indiana.

The farmers on the east side of the mountains are busy gathering their crops, threshing their grain and beans and are enjoying one of the best returns in the history of the county.

Hon. George Curry came up from El Paso last night and left this morning, in company with Henry Lutz, for Roswell. He met a number of old friends whom he has known for many years during his short stay in town.

Mrs. J. L. Shifflette was here this week visiting friends, many of whom she knew as a girl at White Oaks. Tucumcari is now her home, but her husband, an engineer in the service of the company, is temporarily running out of here.

R. J. Copeland was down Saturday from his Bonito home. Mr. Copeland is preparing to leave Lincoln county after having lived here for forty-six years. He goes, primarily, for his wife's health, seeking a lower altitude, and may locate in the Gila valley in the western part of the state. We regret to see the departure of this old Lincoln county family and join a host of their friends in wishing them health and happiness in their new home.

A Temperance Rally

There will be held at the Methodist church, December 15th at 7:30 p. m., a great temperance rally. Special music, short talks and an address by Mr. Seder, State Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of New Mexico. Remember the date, and come. More about it in the paper next week.

E. D. Lewis, Pastor.

Mr. Smith of Willard was here transacting some cattle business.

A fine program was rendered at the school house Nov. 20th. There were twenty-four numbers and all the pupils had a hand.

Our school has just installed a set of \$64 gasoline lamps.

Mrs. Warden is ill.

Miss Richardson of White Oaks is visiting home now.

Mr. Grube is cleaning out the railroad reservoir.

The government surveyors are still busy south of here.

A passenger train killed one of Alvin Hightower's cows the other day.

Turkey shooting is popular here now.

School reopened Monday.

The teachers claim that this was the banner year for the New Mexico Educational Association in Albuquerque, and we believe it. Here are a few observations which we made.

There were 2300 enrolled. Every county was represented.

Every county and city school superintendent in the whole state was present.

Hundreds of school boys and girls were present.

The State Superintendent and the Assistant State Superintendent were both present as well as the presidents of every state institution in New Mexico.

The exhibit work would have filled a car.

The hotels were soon filled, then the hospitable homes were thrown wide open.

The Indian schools were well represented. An Indian band from Isleta furnished some fine music.

Hundreds of trustees were present.

The presidents of the Universities of Tennessee, Michigan, Montana and Illinois were the main speakers.

The meeting commenced at eight in the morning and continued until midnight.

The Association cost thousands of dollars, but the benefit received will more than repay the cost.

The meeting will be held in Albuquerque next year.

In the Probate Court of Lincoln County New Mexico

In the matter of the estate of George J. Upchurch, deceased.

To Whom It May Concern:

George L. Ulrich, administrator of the estate of George J. Upchurch, deceased, do hereby give notice that it is my intention to resign as administrator of the estate of George J. Upchurch, deceased, on the first day of the next regular term of the Probate court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, and at the same time to present to said court for approval my final account as such administrator, and then and there to ask said Probate court for my discharge and the release of myself and estate from all liability under my bond as such administrator.

Carrizozo, New Mexico, November 26, 1914.

GEORGE L. ULRICH, Administrator of the estate of George J. Upchurch, deceased.

Notice STATE ENGINEER'S OFFICE

Number of application 311, Bahia, Pa. New Mexico, November 12, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that on the 9th day of November, 1914, in accordance with Section 24, Chapter 49, Irrigation Laws of 1907 (Act 11), and Hannah Rafferty, of Oacuro, county of Lincoln, state of New Mexico, made formal application to the State Engineer of New Mexico for a permit to appropriate the public waters of the State of New Mexico.

Said appropriation is to be made from Rafferty ditch or arroyo, Oacuro arroyo and Millagra ditch or arroyo at points in section 26 and 28, township 9 north, range 5 east, N. M. P. M. by means of diversion and storage works, by means of diversion and storage works and the equivalent of 5.3 cubic feet a second, to be conveyed to lands in lots 2, 3 and 4, section 26, 28, NW 1/4 NW 1/4, NE 1/4 NW 1/4, section 26, E 1/4 NW 1/4, section 26, township 9 north, range 5 east, N. M. P. M. by means of canals and laterals and there used for the irrigation of 400 acres and domestic purposes.

Any person, firm, association or corporation claiming that the granting of the application would be truly detrimental to their rights in the water of said stream system shall file a complete statement of their claims as herein stated, by affidavit with the State Engineer and serve a copy on applicant on or before the 11th day of February, 1915, the date set for the Engineer to take this application up for final consideration unless prevented. In case of protested applications all parties will be given a reasonable length of time in which to submit their evidence in detail or arrange a date convenient for a hearing and appoint a referee satisfactory to all to take testimony. Appearance in this necessary unless advised officially by letter from the State Engineer.

11-27-14.

John H. Boyd, State Engineer.

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