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Our Santa Fe Letter

MINORITY FIGHTS DAY LAW CHANGE

The democratic minority in the house of representatives stood solidly against a resolution asking an amendment to the state constitution to allow drug stores to handle intoxicating beverages. At present they may handle alcohol which is sufficient for prescription purposes.

Republicans in the house proposed an amendment that would have permitted the drug stores to have taken the place of the old saloon. The democrats proceeded on the theory that the people of the state had passed on the question, and refused to support the resolution.

ATTEMPT TO LIFT BOND DEBT LIMIT

Republican members of the house of representatives are seeking to jam down the public's throat the \$2,000,000 road bond issue which it refused to swallow at the last election.

Gallegos of Guadalupe proposed a resolution lifting the limitations on bonds to allow the legislature to vote road bonds to meet federal aid. The bond issue for this purpose was defeated by the people last November.

Accordingly, Nichols, democratic floor leader in the house, moved to table the resolution indefinitely. His motion carried, but later the majority held a caucus, decided to put the proposal through, and passed the resolution although the democrats resisted its passage.

SOLDIER MEMORIAL CARRIED IN HOUSE

The resolution introduced in the senate by A. L. Zinn, democrat of Quay, and passed by that body unanimously, has enjoyed similar success in the house of representatives, and with the signature of the governor, will be sent to congress.

The memorial requests the session to New Mexico of the unappropriated and unreserved public domain within the state in order that it may be given to ex-service men and nurses without other qualification except proof of honorable service during the war.

If congress acts favorably upon the request, the distribution will mean a substantial bonus to every ex-service man from New Mexico.

REPUBLICANS ASK TWO NOVEL JOBS

Pledged to eliminate useless jobs, the republican majority

seems bent on creating two political sinecures for everyone eliminated. The county road superintendents have gone, but in their place county food commissioners are likely to function.

The latest is the proposal to make the law clerk of the supreme court and the attorney-general revisors of legislation at the salary of \$10 per day apiece, although the judiciary committees usually revise legislation.

The passage of the bill would mean an expense during legislative sessions virtually as large as the annual salary of the legal adviser to the governor.

DIRECT PRIMARY ELECTION IN HOUSE

The state-wide primary bill of Hartell, democrat of Eddy, met with a cold reception when an attempt was made to bring it from the judiciary committee and secure its consideration by the committee of the whole house of representatives. The democrats and five republicans voted for such a consideration, but the republican majority ruled and defeated the proposal.

The bill was finally drawn from committee for the purpose of killing it. When it was before the house, Hartell moved final passage, but Carter, majority floor leader, prevented that by sending the bill to the law revision committee where it is expected to remain for the rest of the session.

Senator Zinn of Quay is co-author with Hedgesock of San Miguel of a bill to correct many of the present practices of the state land office.

The Zinn bill would require the filing of applications for the purchase or lease of land by serial number, and would make it necessary to write on the application the time and reason for rejection. Changes in rules in the office would have to be posted for ten days before they could become effective.

The Bell Ringers

The Dunbar Bell Ringers gave their performance last Friday night at the Crystal to a packed house. It was the fourth number of the Redpath Lyceum course which is being given here this winter, and notwithstanding the pleasing numbers that preceded it, many assert the Bell Ringers was the best so far presented. Not only was the music by the bells unique, pleasing and melodious, but the vocal renditions were all high-class. One more number remains, the date and title of which will be announced in due time.

Champ Clark, Democratic Leader Dies in Washington

Washington, D. C., March 2.—Champ Clark died here today at 2:10 p.m. in his 71st year, and within two days of his retirement from the House of Representatives, after service of 23 years.

Death was due to an attack of pleurisy and a complication of diseases incident to his advanced age. Up to ten days ago, however, when he contracted a severe cold, Mr. Clark had shared actively in proceedings of the House as Democratic leader.

Immediately after the death of Mr. Clark was announced, the House recessed for thirty minutes. Representative Rucker, Democrat, Missouri, who made the announcement, said it was Mr. Clark's wish, as expressed through his son, that there be no interruption of Congress in its closing days.

Immediately on reconvening after the thirty minutes recess, the House adopted a resolution providing for the payment to Mrs. Clark of a year's salary, totalling about \$9,000.

In the Democratic national convention at Baltimore in 1912, Champ Clark led 27 ballots for the nomination as candidate for President, and had a clear majority of nine ballots, prior to the naming of Woodrow Wilson. The two-thirds rule of the convention alone prevented Mr. Clark's nomination. The honor which his party thus paid him was the most notable of his public life. In American political history Martin VanBuren was the only other man who failed of the Democratic nomination for the Presidency after having received a majority of the votes in the national convention, but he enjoyed the unique distinction of being elected subsequently.

William J. Bryan's sensational attack on Mr. Clark at Baltimore, charging him with being affiliated with leaders representing "the interests," held the convention in deadlock for more than a week, when it ended in the nomination of Mr. Wilson. Bryan's speech, declaring that Thos. F. Ryan, August Belmont and Chas. F. Murphy were supporting Clark, was a bolt from the blue which made the Clark ranks waver. Clark supporters declared afterward that none of the three leaders mentioned were for Clark as first choice, but that the unit rule carried the New York delegation to the Clark forces.

The breach between Bryan and Clark never healed, although they met at a luncheon arranged by mutual friends a few months later and exchanged perfunctory speeches. Coolness between Clark and Wilson wore off after the President entered the White House, and on legislative policies they worked in harmony, except in one notable instance, the repeal of the Panama tolls exemption, which Clark opposed unsuccessfully.

The failure of his candidacy at Baltimore never ceased to be the disappointment of Mr. Clark's life.

Hotel Changes Hands

The Railroad Eating House, more familiarly known as the Gurney Hotel, passed under a new management this week.

The Gurneys, who have conducted the hotel since 1908, invoiced stock, furnishings, etc. and turned over the management to E. H. Sweet, the new manager coming from Socorro.

The Gurneys, mother and son, retain considerable property here and are, therefore, still interested in the growth and prosperity of the town. They will go to El Paso for a time, but Mrs. Gurney has a penchant for farming and says she intends to retire to her farm in Kansas for a rest. (Just think of Mrs. Gurney rearing on a farm or anywhere else.) Anyway, wherever their lot may be cast, the Gurneys will give the best wishes of the people of Carrizozo. They have been among our foremost citizens, always liberally supporting every worthy cause, by word and deed, and their generosity was a household word. During the period of their residence in our town they have led in or rendered substantial aid to every move for the town's improvement and upbuilding, and their charity to the needy, the suffering and even the hungry wayfarer, be he ever so humble, was boundless. They will be missed by every man, woman and child in town, and it is with genuine regret that the substantial ties of friendship and association that have indelibly bound them to our people are to be severed by their departure.

The new manager, Mr. E. H. Sweet, comes from Socorro where he has lived the past forty years. He will be joined by Mrs. Sweet and daughter as soon as they complete the packing and shipping of their household and personal effects. Mr. Sweet is a very pleasant gentleman, enjoys the friendship and esteem of the people among whom he lived so long, and it would be superfluous to express to him and his family a welcome which we know is extended by all.

Patriotic Pleasing

The patriotic exercises, given by the Woman's Club at the Lutz Hall, under the direction of Mrs. F. E. Richard, were very interesting. The "Jolly Student," and a "Patriotic Medley," were well rendered by the High School. "America, the Beautiful" was sung with spirit by the Eighth grade. A drill by pupils from several of the grades, prepared under the management of Mrs. T. E. Kelley, was perfectly and charmingly given. Miss Mayme Humphrey had so well drilled a group of boys and girls of the Third grade for Washington's birthday that she was asked to repeat it for the Woman's Club. The Colonial costumes were beautiful and appropriate, and the little gentlemen and ladies conducted themselves very much as groups of revolutionary times would have done.

Senator Jones Urges Bonus Relief Amendments

Washington, Feb. 28.—Adjusted compensation for former service men, as proposed in the amended House bill presented today to the Senate, will cost between one and a half billion and five and a quarter billion dollars, Senator McCumber, Republican, North Dakota, estimated in his report. The exact cost will depend on the number of men accepting each of the five plans proposed.

Senator McCumber said the interest on war loans to the allies would "more than" take care of the obligations.

The plan to distribute the cost of the bill over the next twenty years, Senator McCumber said, would prevent its being burdensome.

If all war veterans took the cash bonus, Senator McCumber said, the estimated cost would be \$1,547,904,395. If all took the twenty-year deferred certificate, the cost, he said, would be \$6,251,264,000. All cash claims would require the treasury to pay out \$909,000,000 in 1923, \$600,000,000 in 1924, and \$38,500,000 in 1925. If all veterans took the certificates the 1925 requirements, the figures showed, would be \$44,256,000, increasing up to \$56,000,000 in 1942.

Senator Jones, of New Mexico, a Democratic member of the Finance Committee, tonight introduced three amendments to the bill and urged its immediate passage as an "emergency measure." His amendments proposed appropriations of \$25,000,000 for vocational training and \$100,000,000 for home and farm loans. He also offered an amendment authorizing service men to take up stock grazing homesteads of 1,280 acres.

"Kid" Vaughn came in this week from California. Railroad-ing does not require all the time of the "Kid" now, so as a side issue he has taken up the gentle art of "grafting" but "Kid" insists that his "grafting" efforts are more closely connected with the vegetable than they are with the animal kingdom.

Allies Scorn Germany's Proposal for Indemnity

London, Eng., March 1.—Germany, through her delegates to the conference with the allies here, today made reparation offers of approximately 30,000,000,000 gold marks, or about \$7,500,000,000. It was understood outside the conference that after Dr. Walter Simons, German Foreign Minister, had finished his statement on reparations to the conference, Mr. Lloyd George, British Prime Minister, replied in substance that unless the Germans had something more to offer than appeared in Dr. Simons' statement there was no need of continuing the conference.

Mr. Lloyd George told the German Foreign Minister: "If the written proposals are of the same general character as the explanation of them, it isn't worth while for us to read them. You have a complete lack of comprehension of the position of the allies and of your own position. We will discuss among ourselves our reply and give it to you tomorrow at 11 o'clock."

When the Germans left the conference they appeared to be greatly depressed. Premiers Lloyd George and Briand were smiling as they came from the conference chamber.

Dr. Simons has not been given plenary powers by the German government, it was learned a short time before the conference began. For that reason, it was said, he could not accept or reject proposals outside his instructions.

Suggestions by Premier Briand that "Germany's pockets be searched" found cordial advocacy in several quarters today. Premier Lloyd George said that the question of Germany's taxation of wine, beer and tobacco would be one of the subjects discussed today.

The newspapers forecast the plan for joint invasion of Germany which Marshal Foch and Premier Lloyd George are supposed to have discussed over the weekend at Chequers Court. It was declared the plan doubtless contemplated the seizure of the Ruhr mining district, in western Germany.

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Yellow Men Sleep

By JEREMY LAKE

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"YOU ARE CONDEMNED."

Synopsis.—Cornelius Livingston, well-born, an orphan, comes to manhood through the devious ways of the underworld. He is saved for a better life by Andrew March. The strange adventures of "Yellow Men Sleep" begin when Con takes by force a small leather sack from Chee Ming, the Chinese cook of acquaintance. This sack contains a Chinese map of the Gobi desert, which is precious beyond price to Andrew March. Eighteen years before armed men in the Gobi had taken March's wife and infant daughter from him. Now he sends Con in search of them. On the way Con and Chee Ming a fellow passenger. Con is shot by a poisoned dart, and while he is in the consequent stupor his map is stolen. On the river boat to Peking, he again sees Chee Ming, and realizes they are seeking the same destination. Con keeps faith with Andrew March and starts on his mission westward with a caravan. After weeks of difficult travel he reaches the little settlement of Shan-shung and reads instructions from Andrew March to the effect that Con has been made a federal agent to search out Chee Ming, who has brought quantities of koreah, a deadly drug, to San Francisco. At Shan-shung Con is unexpectedly joined by March. The two Americans press forward into the desert. Armed horsemen swoop down on them, rob them of everything and leave them to die in the desert. March has a map tattooed on the sole of his foot. They press on, suffering incredible hardships. Again they are attacked by horsemen, in command of a sentinel in gray. They are taken as prisoners to the hidden city of Tau Kuan, of which Chee Ming is visitor. The sentinel in gray turns out to be the Princess Hsien.

What would you have done—condemned to die, face to face with the incredible?

CHAPTER VII—Continued.

After one of the large riders had advanced, salaamed before the prince, and spoken, and, following him, Chee Ming had concluded the evidence, the prince moved. His robe tinkled with spangles as he unfolded his long person and descended to the level of his courtiers. Chee Ming bent down to the rug as this young royalty brushed past. The prince wore no queue. He looked a moment at the white prisoners, close up, much as a child regards two stuffed speas. He gave no heed to the assembly. The royal litter came gliding up, carried by six slaves. In this the prince reclined his length. Swiftly he was borne away, his carriers moving like shadows. His highness had uttered not a word.

A dull confusion of voices closed in around March and Livingston.

"What was our friend saying?" asked March.

"Blood making—" began March, hurriedly; but they were patted before he could explain his meaning. March was taken away, and Con's slave moved in closer beside him, looking very busy and still. An order was given, and Livingston walked away, returning by the way he had come.

In his apartment, after sunset, he tried to think his way out, but failed to understand why he was not killed at once. Instead, a form of trial had been given them. Every physical comfort was bestowed. Courtesy was offered but unfeeling. When he had returned from court, a tray of baked vegetables was awaiting him, with a pot of tea, a brainer, and a salver of cool grapes. Yet he could not forget the violence of their reception at the head of the ravine, and the refined hate of Chee Ming.

He sighed to recall that the princess had wearied of their presence before the throne, and had taken leave without hearing the conclusion of their trial. Their death had previously been delayed by her order.

Plainly, Chee Ming had his own will in matters brought before the prince. Who, and where, was the monarch for the central chair that had been vacant? Livingston sat at the low stone table on the roof, to finish his dinner, and try to study out a means of escape. In the circumstances, he felt that their federal mission was doomed to remain unperformed. He looked out into the white lowlands, where the lifting vapors were colored by an afterglow of sunset into drifting peace-pleas, strands of bluish violet and gold. The ducks had disappeared. A wraithy silence pressed down over the valley—a twilight of apoplexies.

He started. A curious object dropped at his feet. It was the long-tailed monkey with the white face. Dequative, the creature had come to examine the new arrival, but its eyes twitched with fear and childlike uncertainty. Livingston teased him a red plum. The monkey seized the fruit and bit into it, keeping his eyes fixed upon the giver of the fruit.

"Well, little friend, is it all right?" The small beast stopped innocently to think out a reply. He took a bite, he dug out the seed to the piece, inspected it, bit it, cut it down, and forgot all about the question. He wiped his face upon his hairy breast, and came a chattering chatter. Like a cat he leaped upon the bench, and came striding to the head that had

contained a tubercle vegetable now to the prisoner. The monkey was disappointed. Then he looked up sharply, shrieked and sprang across the space to the top of the wall. He gave one backward glance, whispered, and was gone over the edge of the wall. Livingston also turned to look, and saw Chee Ming.

"You are condemned," said the Chinese.

"I guessed it. But why?"

"You have come to Tau Kuan, emperor of the Yellow Sun."

"It's a good place," said Con.

"Here are all races of mankind," continued Chee Ming. "Here every blood is blended in one true nation. Man, in time before time, divided himself and his substance into many peoples. It was folly, and should never have occurred. But in Tau Kuan they are again united. Here is the perfect empire. This sacred city is older than the Tower of Babel. All the other states of Asia, when the Gobi was not a desert, rushed into that folly. Of all the world, only the Monsoons of Tau Kuan had wisdom. Tau Kuan alone did not enter into that confusion. Tau Kuan alone has remained holy and fertile. You have seen the fate that befell the others: They are but tombs forgotten, beneath a sea of cursed sand. Here only are green things, and pure. Here only is the unbroken tradition of light. It is a small thing to die for Tau Kuan, when necessary."

"Thanks, I suppose you wish me to die?"

"In a month—two months—not longer."

"Why the delay?"

"Your white blood is to be preserved."

"How do you mean?"

"Blended," replied the Chinese.

"An Arab maid of purest strain will come to you. When her child is born, you work is ended. But you do not wait for it to be born. Two moons shall suffice you."

The American was caught by surprise, and the cool statement of over-head arrangements left him speechless. Chee Ming turned about and departed.

Livingston paced the roof in his anger at the fantastic injustice. From the words of his enemy concerning Tau Kuan he began to understand some-



His First Impulse Was to Send Her Away at Once.

thing of why this inaccessible country had been so wonderful a magnet to his spirit. He was glad he had answered the draw of this remote treasure-land. In other circumstances he would have been deeply interested in the claims of antiquity, and esoteric history. But its plans and purposes meant nothing to him. He had no desire to aid in blending the races of the world, particularly not at the command of his Chinese enemy. His heart was Western and demanded freedom.

Twilight had deepened across the fertile valley when he heard footsteps and the soft flange of bracelets. A slave, leading a girl, approached him. The maiden's robes were but veils. Her eyes were not reverent but were faintly regarding her new white master. Fear was written there, and fascination. Her breathing was tumultuous. The slave withdrew, and the girl cried out at being left alone, averting her glance. Con did not move, and presently she looked up again. Her cheeks were brown and smooth, her lips red. She was nearly as tall as himself.

"It's all right," he said, meaning well.

ing his hand. He raised her, wishing that the Tower of Babel had not resulted in such a marked difference between English and Arabic speech. Yet if she had known his language, his task would have been no easier. Con meant no disrespect, he almost fell inferior to her, but simply he did not want her.

The Arab girl went into his apartment to await him. The best he could do was to remain on the roof, sitting beside the stone bench. He considered the odds.

The stars appeared, and the final red and yellow gold was dimmed from the west. Somewhere beyond the rim of the valley, a wolf howled, its cry coming in very faintly. Having no further use for his slave, who was also a spy upon him, Con sent his gray boy away for the night. The coolness of the fountains rose up about the palace, and in the infinite darkening sky, innumerable night stars glittered. The white man on the roof was lonely. He wanted to talk to March. The Arab girl incident was depressing. And something about the far cry of the waif brought to him bitterly the fact of Tau Kuan's isolation. It was folly to think of escape.

Con thought over his own life, and it seemed a botch. He had dreamed, fought, laughed, dared. He had penetrated a world from which strangers do not return, was now at the source of lovely fables and many tales of terror. It was all worth while, and yet—he had learned nothing of koreah; he would be unable to report on it if he should; they had taken his friend from him, and the best that remained was death.

Resting his head upon his arms, he beat over the stone table, and his last thoughts were of a gray-cloaked rider who had raised her arm, the same princess who had glanced at him across the throne room. He had intended to remain awake, and devise if possible a way out, or move about the city if no one prevented, but it was full daylight when a gentle pressure roused him. Collecting himself from sleep, he felt something soft touching his face, and raised his head from the uncomfortable position of the night. It was the little white-faced monkey, chilled with the morning damp, snuggled against his new friend to warmth. Con took the animal in his arms, and stood up, to find that his back ached. He remembered, and crossed the roof to glance into his apartment.

The girl was wide awake, and staring at him, her brown eyes eloquent with shame. He nodded to her and smiled, and she arose, wondering. At the door, he endeavored to make plain to her that the facts must be kept secret from all. She comprehended as quickly as if she had wished to warn him in the same way without knowing how. She sighed, and her low words were musical. Con smiled again. Swiftly she ran across the roof to the stairway, at which point she turned, bowed deeply to him, and then was gone.

CHAPTER VIII

The Princess.

Livingston was angry with himself for having slept, for he had intended to spend the night hours in finding some chance of escape, and now, in daylight, he knew no more of the city than before. He could not accept the impossibility of such a task, for his thoughts ran continually upon plans for flight.

Breakfast arrived—fruit and tea and brown biscuit, with the added courtesy of cigarettes in an ivory box. The round-headed gray negro squatted nearby while his master ate, and Con wondered how many kinds of blood were mixed in his heart.

The roof was blue with morning shadow. The city seemed to lie caged on the opposite side of the palace, out of Livingston's view, for only a few poor houses bordered the edge of the fields he saw to westward. A white fog was steaming up, obscuring the low hills that marked the western boundaries of Tau Kuan. The gray-veined monkey was also present, waiting nervously at one end of the bench for his share. His grumbled up a biscuit, but was as disappointed as Con had been. There was no salt in it. But the tea was fragrant and scalding, and the tobacco was smuggled from Tartary.

"Hada't you better go home to breakfast?" suggested Livingston.

The little beast did not think so. He stared at the white man, his head bright eyes seeming to express a mute warning, with conviction of right.

When the gray boy had taken away the dishes, Con stretched and reviewed the process of toasting. His normal powers of thought, that had been smothered away in surprise and fatigue, had returned. He wanted to tell of himself, to explain his own American identity. He pulled in his lip, however, at a sudden vision of a gray-haired woman or child at the job of a slave in the dark city back to the tower. Con pulled the sheet heavily down, and the Arab girl incident was forgotten. He was again alone. His own shadow was cast upon the wall.

far from cheering to remember that Andrew March had lost his nerve.

Con looked at himself in the clear shield, and did not recognize the hard brown face reflected. The sun that had darkened his skin had bleached his soul. The garb of a Tartar transformed more than mere appearance—white blouse above a wide sash, legs wrapped from hip to knee in white. He removed the snug turban, and glanced again, to see if any semblance remained of himself. He saw in his own eyes the tension of one who knows death to be near.

Impatience seized him, and he crossed the roof to the stairway. No one prevented his going down. To the left were a walled garden, the stinging of a bird, and a dull rhythmic sound like pumping. He went to the open gate. The garden, close walled, was roofed with vines, which concealed the bird. A bronzed slave, nearly naked, lounged against the arch at the gate. A radiance, soft and cottony, was reflected upward from the smooth flagging of the path. Livingston did not immediately understand the persistent beating.

This garden was a green and fragrant stillness in which rested a palanquin with curtains parted. Beating this, on the gray stones, men were kneeling, five of them, old warriors whose day was nearly done. A second slave stood near, thumping a bone drum. The guard at the gateway did not trouble the white intruder, for his chin was nodding with the drum. Again the hidden bird spilled melody like shattering crystal. The robes of the five who knelt were varicolored. The palanquin was canopied with purple and silver and pearls.

Within it, squeezing the cushions, was a thick, soft bundle of a man. The bird and the gentle drum had lulled him. His cheeks were the pallid yellow of lemons over-ripe, but his closed eyes were overcast and gray. He was fat and royal. The line of his mustaches was thin black, and long down, like drooping floss. His queue was a black rope. A hand, wide and pale, rested limp upon the silken arch of the abdomen. Something of ancestral quality was hid in the fat of his face, an essence of dominion and bitter statecraft; a narrow regal brow, a sharp nose, a beottled jaw—all the splendor of his inheritance now dimmed under a perfumed monotony. He had paid the full tribute to drug and food and senseless pursuits.

Livingston was free to gaze. The attention of all present had vanished. The drumming possessed their senses; also they were totally unaccustomed to strangers. Perhaps they mistook him for another slave, not regarding him directly. There was a soothing coolness in the blossomed air, an overmastering scent of honey and cinnamon. One of the tobed figures rose slowly and moved to the head of the drowsy monarch. From a yellow bowl he extended his fingers to the monarch's eyes, and caressed the lids with reverent, poised tips. The other four in the party rubbed their own eyelids, in catlike selection, then bowed again at his feet. The bird hesitated in his song, but the sober pulsing of the drum went on and on, until it seemed part of the planetary life. Con leaned near the outer guard, who had not turned. Sunshine trickled through the matted vines. Con's foot began to press the stones in rhythm with the drum.

From a screen of flowers appeared a girl, to dance. She was lithe and dark, her glistening hair bound up with gems. Sun-amber mottled her shoulders and body as she swayed before the monarch, and the tremble of the bird again colored the air; or at least Con saw it that way. As the maiden danced, she touched the yellow bowl with her finger-tips. Her arms were shining serpents of grace as she caressed her own eyes with sleep. A slow sigh of pleasure floated up from the cushions of the palanquin. There a fat hand trembled, started, then faltered dreamily. The monarch was thoroughly under.

"I have found my little girl."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

The Fourth Trial.
"I admit," said the district attorney in summing up, "that a man is held to be innocent until proved guilty. However, when he has been found guilty three times it kind of puts a wring in his snivel standing. Gentlemen of the jury, I thank you."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Loosing Quantities of Oyster.
A grave marked Con up near Seattle disclosed a remarkable testament to the durability of Washington red cedar says the American Forestry Magazine of Washington. The date of death was December 30, 1903. The marker remained in almost perfect state of preservation.

Condemned.
In Tokyo a convict was threatening to be an incendiary if he didn't get 25 cents a day.

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ENVIED HIS SMALL DAUGHTER
 Duck Hunter Would Have Given Much for the Power She Exercised Over Ducks.
 Betty, four years old, lives in a modern apartment in Brooklyn, facing Prospect park. She knows all the squirrels in the park and the birds that stay there in the summer.
 For several weeks Betty has been lenient because all her feathered friends went in search of warmer weather, but now she has plenty of company again. Wild ducks are her newest friends.
 The ducks coming alight in Prospect park lake and generally remain a week or two to rest and feed. They are wary of men, but not afraid of children, if Betty is an example.
 The other day she was walking with her father, a duck hunter. Betty noticed she couldn't get near the ducks while she was with her father, but when she left him and ran along the shore alone she found she could approach them. After a little coaxing the ducks swam up and ate pieces of popcorn from her hand.
 "And I have to crawl through a swamp on my hands and knees to get within gunshot of them," mused her father.—New York Sun.

SAW THINGS IN NEW LIGHT
 Object Lesson Given Prisoner Altered His Determination to End Life by Rope.
 In a certain prison there have been several attempts to commit suicide. This desire to die has given the wardens much trouble and anxiety.
 A few days ago a warden entered a cell to find the inmate preparing to hang himself. He was standing on his stool and trying to throw the end of a strip of fern blanket around one of the cell bars. The other end was around his neck.
 "You're making a mess of it," said the weary warden. "Let me help you." In a trice the blanket rope was about the bar and the noose properly fixed.
 The warden gave a tug. He tugged and tugged until the man was raised from the stool—until he was standing on air. There he was held until his eyes and hands made eloquent appeal for release.
 "That's the way," said the warden, releasing him. "Now try it yourself." But the prisoner has not tried it. He had decided to live.
 Viewing Life Seriously.
 "Charlie Debbins has quit wearing silk shirts."
 "What's come over him?"
 "A stern realization that the nation must practice economy."
 "Is he going to work?"
 "Not yet, but if somebody were to offer him an executive position paying \$30,000 or \$12,000 a year, Charlie's no wrought up I believe he'd accept it."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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1—Indian chiefs on steps at the capitol at Olympia, Wash., where they went to lobby for their fishing rights in the Yakima river. 2—W. Frank Persons, elected vice chairman in charge of domestic operations of the American Red Cross. 3—Immigrants at Ellis Island being examined for traces of typhus, several cases of which developed in New York.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

President-Elect Harding Still in Doubt About Three of the Cabinet Places.

WOOD FOR THE PHILIPPINES?

Viereck's Hyphenates Present List of Impudent Demands—Attempt to Impose Judge Landis—Senate Passes the Emergency Tariff Bill.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD.

As March 4 draws near interest in the make-up of Mr. Harding's cabinet grows acute. The President-elect is, at this writing, believed to have decided upon seven of his ten advisers, while the men to whom he will entrust the navy, labor and commerce portfolios still are to be definitely selected.

For secretary of labor four men are being considered. They are James J. Davis of Pennsylvania, former steel worker; T. V. O'Connor of New York, leader of the Longshoremen's union; James Duncan of Massachusetts, who has been an official of the American Federation of Labor and of the Granite Cutters' union, and John L. Nolan of California, member of congress and an iron moulder. Mr. O'Connor was one of Mr. Harding's visitors in St. Augustine last week, and it was announced that he would confer with the President-elect again this week.

If the southern states are to have a representative in the cabinet—and they are urgently claiming such recognition—it may be he will be the new secretary of commerce. Many southerners think this would be fitting in view of the existing movement for industrial expansion in the South. Three gentlemen from below Mason and Dixon's line have been especially recommended to Mr. Harding. They are T. H. Hester and Newell Sanders of Tennessee, and Congressman C. Hanson of Virginia. Many petitions have been sent to St. Augustine asking that either Herbert Hoover or John Hays Hammond be given the commerce portfolio, and among others mentioned for the post is Charles D. Elliot, former chairman of the National Republican committee.

Mr. Harding and those called into conference with him of course have not confined their discussions to cabinet appointments, for the new President will have innumerable diplomatic and other important positions to fill. No formal announcement about any of these places has been made, but it is now taken for granted that Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood will be made governor general of the Philippines to succeed Frederick Burton Harrison. This appointment probably would meet with the approval of all except those who are in favor of giving the islands their independence immediately, regardless of their ability to govern themselves or to protect themselves against the possible encroachments of the Japanese. American prestige in the islands is said to have declined markedly under Governor Harrison and the movement for independence has grown correspondingly. General Wood's ability as a colonial administrator is unquestioned, and doubtless under him American authority in the Philippines would be strengthened and the defenses in the islands would be perfected.

Albert Fletcher, who was one of Mr. Harding's guests during the houseboat cruise in Florida, is slated for appointment as ambassador to Japan. He was a Roosevelt Rough Rider and served as minister to Mexico.

Probably Mr. Harding cannot well refuse to meet delegations of presumably law-abiding citizens that journey to St. Augustine, but many thousands of Americans whose memory of

with resentment that the President-elect last week granted an interview to a committee of the "German-American Citizens' league" headed by the notorious George Sylvester Viereck, former editor of the Fatherland. Why cannot this man and his colleagues, who still cling desperately to their hyphen, be quiet until time and good behavior have somewhat rehabilitated them in the opinion of decent Americans? Here are the demands, requests and opinions which these hyphenates had the effrontery to present to the President-elect:

1. That Americans of German birth should participate equally with their fellow citizens in the government of "our country."
2. Immediate peace with Germany and the rejection of the "infamous" peace of Versailles.
3. A protest against the French annexation of the "ancient German provinces of Alsace-Lorraine."
4. Immediate withdrawal of the American forces from the occupied portions of Germany.
5. Condemnation of British action in Ireland as "in violation of the principles for which American blood was shed and American treasure lavished in defense of the British empire during the World war."
6. Condemnation of the "attempt to embroil this country in a war with Japan for the benefit of Great Britain."
7. Repeat of the Panama canal tolls act, which it has been said would be violation of our treaty with Great Britain.
8. Opposition to entangling alliances, "especially any alliance with Great Britain."
9. Investigation of the government handling of alien property is demanded.
10. Immediate release of Eugene V. Debs.
11. Resentment of attacks against citizens of German descent.
12. Prohibition condemned as "a breeder of death, corruption and contempt for the law."
13. A study of immigration "in a liberal spirit" urged.

Another man, who during the war made himself only a little less obnoxious than Viereck—Oswald Garrison Villard—ran into a hornet's nest when he undertook to deliver a Lincoln birthday address at the Woman's City club in Cincinnati. A great crowd, made up largely of ex-servicemen and men and women who lost relatives in the war, tried to break up the meeting, and only the intervention of the police saved Villard from possible injury and enabled him to go on with his speech.

Decidedly interesting if not very important is the attempt to impeach United States Judge Kenesaw M. Landis of Chicago. The attack on this spectacular jurist, who is both much loved and much feared, came from two sources and was based on two grounds, but the actual move for his impeachment was made by Representative Benjamin Welty of Ohio, who asks the senate to remove the judge from the bench because he accepted the office of supreme arbiter of organized baseball. The House committee on judiciary took up the Welty charge, and also received an opinion from Attorney General Palmer who ruled that Judge Landis had committed no offense in holding the two positions. The other attack on the judge was made by Senator M. E. Dial of South Carolina, who was enraged because Landis, in hearing the case of an embroiling bank clerk, criticized the bank directors for paying only \$50 a month to a young man who was required to handle large sums. The judge accepted Dial's challenge with glee and said some rather cutting things about the senator's interests in banks, cotton mills and child labor. As Dial has not been an especially influential member of the senate it is not likely his outbreak will have results.

The emergency tariff bill, supposedly designed for the relief of the farmer, was passed by the senate on Wednesday, but with such considerable amendments that the senate and house conferees faced a hard task in trying to complete the measure for submission to the President. Another

is assured that Mr. Wilson will veto the bill, and the vote in the senate indicated that it cannot be passed there over the veto. Party lines among the senators were broken in the voting. Among those who assailed the measure most bitterly were Moses of New Hampshire and Edge of New Jersey, both Republicans, and Reed of Missouri, Democrat. The senate is now going to get through with the 11 big appropriation bills which it has not yet passed and which Mr. Harding has especially requested shall be enacted at this session.

Only an immediate application of the principle of collective bargaining will settle the railway labor controversy and avert a national crisis in the transportation industry, according to B. M. Jewell of the railway employees' department of the American Federation of Labor. He told the railway labor board last week that the fight of the executives on the national agreements was a smoke screen to obscure the fundamental issues, and made these suggestions:

"First, that the board refer the national agreements which are now before it to a joint conference of the representatives of the railroads and of the labor organizations with the recommendation that their agreements be adjusted by negotiations as soon as possible, the board agreeing to pass immediately upon any points of difference which may arise from the negotiations.

"Second, that the board request the representatives of the railroads and representatives of the labor organizations to meet the board in conference to consider the establishment of boards of adjustment as contemplated by the transportation act.

"Third, that in reply to Mr. Atterbury's notice to the board and his subsequent letter to the chairman advising him that he contemplates filing a flood of individual complaints to reduce the wages of unskilled employees, the board recommend to Mr. Atterbury that he meet in general conference with the representatives of the employees affected so that the existing general agreements will not be impaired and the matter brought to the board in the form of a single complaint."

That dreaded pest, typhus, has invaded the United States through the port of New York and there have been several deaths already. It comes from the infected areas of Europe, and its spread here is being effectively fought by the strictest inspection of all immigrants.

Discoveries made and documents seized by the police of Paris, Barcelona and Milan have revealed a great communist conspiracy to overthrow the governments of France, Spain and Italy, the date set for the revolution being May 1. Funds for the conspirators came from Berlin in the form of checks and were transmitted through an American financial organization that has European headquarters in Paris and branches in Berlin and Vienna. The French police say seivets have been organized throughout France ready to take over the banks, railroads and all civil services.

With the opening of the British parliament last week Premier Lloyd George once more "faced the hardest fight of his career." But he is used to that now, and probably will again emerge victorious over his opponents. To be sure, the opposition is unusually powerful this time, and has been reinforced by the addition of the Cecil brothers, Lord Robert and Lord Hugh, who are quite influential. As soon as King George had delivered the brief address from the throne the fight began in the house of commons, Herbert Asquith, former premier, and J. H. Thomas, labor leader, heading the attack. Naturally, the Irish question supplied their chief ammunition. In reply to questions the premier said the situation in Ireland had improved greatly in the last six months and that if the British people would have patience order would soon be restored. "Expecting has completely ceased," he said. "Sixteen courts have disappeared; the police are recovering their authority, and the

Every

MRS. J. M. CRAIG, of Los Angeles, Calif., who says no one can feel more grateful for what Tanlac has done than she does. Declares she has gained twelve pounds and her health is now better than in years.



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"That was several months ago and from then until now I have been in as good health as I ever was in my life and have been doing all the housework by myself.

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Directed. "Professor, what is the logical way of reaching a conclusion?" "Take a train of thought, my boy."

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Thousands of women have kidney and bladder trouble and never suspect it. Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease.

If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they may cause the other organs to become diseased. Pain in the back, headache, loss of ambition, nervousness, are often times symptoms of kidney trouble.

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When the habit of perseverance has been formed, hard duties become easy.

Southwest News From All Over New Mexico and Arizona

(Western Newspaper Union News Service.)

COMING EVENTS. State Automobile Show at Santa Fe, N. M., March 4, 5, 1921.

The Wise building in Nogales, Ariz., was destroyed by fire with loss estimated at \$75,000.

The land commission resolution, placing a bi-partisan board of three members in charge of the state's lands has been passed by the New Mexico Senate without opposition.

Fire which broke out in the pump shaft of the Old Dominion mine at Globe, Ariz., was extinguished after fifteen hours' work by the mine rescue crew and other company employees.

The New Mexico House passed the Frisco county bill, after accepting an amendment by R. L. Baca of Santa Fe to call the new county created in western Socorro "Tom Catron county."

The Hecla Divide Mining Company, which has been operating the Pines Alto mines, near Silver City, has ordered suspension of all work until the title of the property can be cleared.

In the three months it has been open the Baptist hospital in Clovis, N. M., has taken care of ninety-four children from all over the eastern part of the state.

Miss C. Louise Dechinger of Yuma was elected first president of the Arizona State Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, organized in Phoenix. Mrs. Rosemary Campbell of Prescott was elected auditor.

Governor Campbell signed the House Bill No. 13, appropriating \$5,000 to the secretary of state to be applied in meeting expenses of the motor vehicle department until the end of the fiscal year. The bill carried the emergency clause.

The gravest problems that have ever confronted the livestock industry in New Mexico are coming up for consideration at the seventh annual convention of the New Mexico Cattle and Horse Growers' Association, which meets in Albuquerque March 26, 30 and 31.

At a recent meeting of the Gallup, N. M., school board the plans for the new high school building which were submitted by T. C. Gastra of Santa Fe were accepted as those by which the new building will be constructed. The new building will cost over \$100,000, the money having been voted in bonds over a year ago.

The cotton season for the Carlisbad, N. M., project is now over and estimates show that in spite of the low price during the year the crop will be worth a million dollars. The grand total for the valley is 6,772 bales, which if the season had been a normal one in price would have brought the farmers over one and a half million dollars.

At a short session in the Douglas Chamber of Commerce and mines directors, the directors decided to postpone indefinitely the proposed meeting of representatives from the sixteen important towns along the Bankhead highway from El Paso to San Diego in Douglas, Feb. 23, called to formulate plans to promote all-year tourist travel via this route.

The adoption of the Arizona method for the valuation of the metal mines is provided for in a bill by Speaker Clancy and Representative Otero, Santa Fe county, New Mexico, introduced in the House. The bill, briefly speaking, provides for the capitalization of the net proceeds and fixes the multipliers for the process. These range from 15 per cent for copper mines to 30 per cent for metal mines whose output is irregular.

Over sixty delegates were present at the seventh annual convention of the New Mexico Electrical Association in Albuquerque.

William Owens is in a critical condition in the hospital at Carlisbad as the result of a stabbing affray at a road camp. The real cause of the fight is not known, but during an argument with his uncle, Ray Rawls, Owens was stabbed several times and was brought to the Eddy hospital where it is doubtful if he will recover. Rawls was placed under arrest.

Governor Thomas E. Campbell of Arizona has signed the bill repealing the law which prohibited members of the Legislature from holding state office during the two-year period of their service as law-makers. The bill was introduced by Representative J. F. McGrath, Greenlee. The governor also signed House Bill No. 15, Representative J. C. Phillips, Maricopa, providing for distribution of community property to the surviving husband or wife and their children. The law heretofore has given other relatives outside the immediate family a claim to a share in such community property.

The time for the holding of the special election at which the constitutional amendments passed by the New Mexico Legislature will be submitted to the electors of the state is fixed as the Third Tuesday in September next, by a bill introduced by Wright.

Delegates to the Arizona Good Roads' associations' annual meeting numbered over a hundred and represented ten counties when the convention was opened in Albuquerque. Nogales was chosen as the scene of the next annual meeting of the group.

ONE NEIGHBOR TELLS ANOTHER

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Mountville, W. Va.—"I had taken doctor's medicine for nearly two years because my periods were irregular, came every two weeks, and I would suffer with bearing-down pains. A lady told me of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and how much good it had done her daughter, so I took it and now I am regular every month and have no pain at all. I recommend your medicine to everyone and you may publish my testimonial, hoping that the Vegetable Compound does some other girl the good it has done me."—Mrs. GEORGE TEGARDEN, 915 Third Street, Mountville, W. Va.



How many young girls suffer as Mrs. Tegerden did and do not know where to turn for advice or help. They often are obliged to earn their living by toiling day in and day out no matter how hard the pain they have to bear. Every girl who suffers in this way should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and if she does not get prompt relief write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Massachusetts, about her health. Such letters are held in strict confidence.

Germans Going to Japan. German residents in Japan are reported as steadily increasing in number, now almost double that of previous days. Most of them are employed in firms and factories as engineers, and it is stated that nearly a hundred applications for positions in Japan have been received from German engineers and experts. The imports of toys, chemicals and dyestuffs from Germany during the first ten months of 1920 amounted to \$1,000,000.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 4, 1921

The new national administration starts in with the best wishes of all, but notwithstanding the unanimity of hopes there are plenty of people who realize that there are many hard problems facing the administration that begins today, and these problems cannot be changed by a mallet of the pen. Nations, like men cannot live alone, and the sooner that fact is admitted at Washington, and acted upon, the earlier will our approach be to a return to normal. We cannot prosper when the whole world is in want and misery, torn by discontent and threatened by revolution.

Warren G. Harding was inaugurated President of the United States today. It is understood he will at once call a special session of Congress.

The peace of Europe is again threatened. France is massing troops on the German frontier to enforce the demands that have been imposed and which Germany has failed or refuses to meet. Our country's inaction has given Germany more encouragement than she has had since the armistice was signed, and though our position has been regarded indifferently by many of our own people, history will not fail to convict us of the "dog in the manger" policy.

Solid Banking

If ever the banking system of this nation stood a test, it was during the past six months. To its lasting credit, there have been no bank failures of importance, and all necessary business has been accommodated. The exception to this record has been North Dakota, where the Non-Partisan League has been in control; where it established a State bank, and where its private banks loaned money to League members on a political rather than a business basis. The result of political banking in North Dakota has been some thirty bank failures, with resulting losses to farmers and depositors. The city and county banks have carried farmers on a business basis, but they have refused to make loans to carry crops for speculative purposes, for they well knew that prices must come down, and that both the farmers and the banks would lose by trying to stave off the laws of supply and demand. The banks adopted the same course of procedure with regard to manufacturing and other lines of business. It is this policy, rather than wildcat banking of the Non-Partisan League, which has staided our country during the readjustment period, prevented financial disaster, and prepared us to go ahead on a sound basis.

Campaign Costs

Washington, D. C., March 1. Campaign costs of electing a president of the United States in 1920 were \$10,338,509, as estimated by the special Senate investigating committee, which today filed its report with Congress. Of this amount, Republicans spent \$8,100,739, while the Democratic expenditures were \$2,237,770. The compilation took into account only the expenditures made by or in behalf of all candidates of Republican and Democratic presidential candidates, and of National, State, Congressional and Senatorial candidates of both parties.

THE AMERICAN RED CROSS IN PEACE TIME Aiding Poland



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Missouri, Republicans; and Pomerene, Ohio, and Reed, Missouri, Democrats, signed the report, which was unanimous. While stating their conclusion that "the expenditure of these vast sums is a present and growing menace to the nation," no recommendations for Congressional action were made except that the suggestion was made that elections committees of the next Congress should consider the question. Constitutional difficulties may intervene to prevent legislation on the subject, the report said, but Congress should "take proper steps to submit" a constitutional amendment dealing with the difficulty "if it is found necessary."

While the largest sums of campaign expenditure found were those of the national organizations, which, the committee said, was \$5,319,729 for the Republican party, and \$1,318,284 for the Democrats, candidates who sought presidential nominations from the conventions accounted for a total of \$3,980,033. Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood's effort to secure the Republican nomination involved expenditures of \$1,000,000; for Senator Johnson, of California, \$194,000; for Herbert Hoover, \$193,000; and for President-elect Harding \$113,000. Expenditures noted in behalf of other Republican candidates were \$77,000 for Senator Poindexter, Washington; \$68,000 for Vice-President-elect Coolidge, and \$40,000 for Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, of New York. Attorney General Palmer led Democratic candidates in expenditures, the amount being fixed at \$59,000, while Gov. Cox, who secured the nomination, spent \$22,000. James W. Gerard, former Ambassador to Germany, was listed at \$14,000, and Senator Owen, Oklahoma, at \$8595. Two candidates, in behalf of whom no money was found to have been spent, were William G. McAdoo, Democrat, and Senator France, Republican, Maryland. Something over \$700,000 of the total went into Senatorial and Congressional contests, the committee found, of which only \$11,000 was spent by Democratic national organizations created for the purpose. The Republican Congressional Committee spent

Income Tax in a Nut-Shell

Who—Single persons who had net income of \$1,000 or more for the year 1920.

Married couples who had net income of \$2,000 or more.

When—March 15, 1921, is final date for filing returns and making first payments.

Where—Collector of Internal Revenue for district in which the person resides.

How—Full directions on form 1040A and Form 1040; also the law and regulations.

What—Four per cent normal tax on taxable income up to Eight per cent normal tax on balance of taxable income. Surtax, from 1 per cent to 65 per cent on net incomes over \$5,000.

Notice for Publication

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico February 2, 1921

Notice is hereby given that William N. Kennedy, of Carrizozo, N.M., who, on March 20, 1916, made homestead entry, No. 66286 for S. 1/4 NW 1/4, NE 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 27, Township 7 N., Range 11 E., N.M.P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Grace M. Jones, U. S. Commissioner, at Carrizozo, N.M., on the 17th day of March, 1921.

(Claimant names as witnesses: Walter J. Foster, Ralph M. Treat, Albert Moore, Julian Taylor, all of Carrizozo, New Mexico. EMMETT PATTON, Register. Feb 11-March 11.

Notice for Publication

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR U. S. Land Office at Roswell, New Mexico, February 2, 1921

Notice is hereby given that Zella May Morgan, widow of Richard C. Morgan, deceased, of Carrizozo, N.M., who, on August 2, 1906, made homestead entry, No. 61469, for all of section 11 Township 5 S., Range 9 E., N.M.P. Meridian has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, under the act of July 25, 1917, (Public Law No. 21) to establish claim to the land above described, before Grace M. Jones, U. S. Commissioner, at Carrizozo, N.M., on the 11th day of March, 1921.

(Claimant names as witnesses: James B. French, Clarence Spence, Robert E. F. Warden, those of Carrizozo, N.M.; Jimmie Cooper, of Ancho, N.M. EMMETT PATTON, Register. Feb 11-March 11.

Notice for Publication

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR United States Land Office Roswell, N.M., February 13, 1921

Notice is hereby given that August Leath, of Carrizozo, N.M., who, on August 2, 1906, made Additional Homestead entry, No. 64449, for NE 1/4 NW 1/4, S 1/4 NW 1/4, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, Section 3, Township 5 S., Range 11 E., N.M.P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Grace M. Jones, U. S. Commissioner, at Carrizozo, N.M., on the 24th day of March, 1921.

(Claimant names as witnesses: William A. Lee, Edward Lee, those of Eagle, N.M.; William J. Humphrey, Robert E. F. Warden, those of Carrizozo, N.M. EMMETT PATTON, Register. Feb 11-March 11.

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WHY It Means Good Fortune to Dream of Peas.

Every known vegetable has a meaning in the mystic interpreters when it appears in a dream and with regard to most of them the oracles are definite enough. But with regard to peas the interpretations are rather confusing and at times contradictory.

NO BUILDINGS ON THE SUN

Why Some Observers Imagined That They Saw Structures on Face of "Old Sol."

Well into the last century it was believed that the sun was inhabited, not with puny beings like ourselves, but with people weighing several tons and of proportionate strength.

Hence some observers, with an ingenuity which did credit to their imaginative faculties, were certain that they had discovered buildings on the dark, solid body of the sun.

That was how these observers allowed their imagination to run riot. As a fact, what they actually saw was not a dark body on the sun at all, for it possesses none, but dark openings (caused by uprushes of gas) in the sun's flaming envelope.

How to Clean a Carpet.

Take two cupsful of ox-gall and add to it three pints of boiling water. Rub this on the carpet with a piece of flannel, and then rub with another flannel dipped in hot water, or take one cake of soap, shred it finely, add two table-spoonfuls of washing soda and pour upon it one gallon of boiling water.

To beat a carpet, beat it on the wrong side first and then more gently on the right side. Beware of using sticks with sharp points, which may tear the carpet.

Why Chinese Fruits Are Fine.

Some of the Chinese fruits, cunningly coaxed and lovingly cherished through many centuries, are said by experts to be delicious. There is an orange grown in China that is reported to surpass in sweetness and delicacy any of the oranges to which the people of Europe or of America are accustomed.

There is also a peach unlike anything to which the West is accustomed, and a winter muskmelon that will appeal irresistibly to the European palate. This melon is at its best in December and January.

How to Manage It.

How on earth did Mrs. Newrocks buy her way into society? With her money!

School Notes

(Capt. E. E. Cole.) HONOR ROLL FOR FEBRUARY

Mrs. Craddock's room: Antonio Nayarro, Pelar Candalario, Juana Pacheca, Adela Romero.

Miss Hughes' room: Luz Munos, Simos Chavez, Saturnino Chavez, Rosendo Chavez, Jose Gonzales, Carlos Martinez, Nue Perez, Joe Rios, Jose Marquez, Felipa Pacheco.

Miss Iva Lindsay's room: Lora Hamilton, Lois Stadtman.

Miss Burton's room: Mildred McCall, Dorothy Dozier, Georgia Lesnet, Ora Bentley, Clara Lujan, Beatrice Pino, Bethel Treat, Marguerita Verdugo, Mela Candalario, Walter Chapman, Robert Bullion, Warden Maxwell, Domingo Montoya, Presiliano Pino.

Mrs. Massie's room: Hattie Moss, Marguerite English, Winifred Humphrey, Elizabeth Brockway, Jane Spencer, Majorie Rolland, Hada Corn, Margarita Lalone, Rachel Chavez, Marciana Baca, Fulton Duggar, Alvin Carl, Julian Taylor, Marvin Roberts, Pablo Navarro, Arcadio Brady, Candido Martinez, Jose Perea, Manuel Chavez.

Miss Humphrey's room: Ethel Armstrong, Dollie Corn, Gladys Dozier, Mary Romero, Georgia Saunders, Richard Patty, Alex. Chapman, Leopoldo Ortiz, Teodoro Duran, Andres Herrera, Amado Montoya, Rosendo Martinez.

Mrs. Hoffman's room: Carnie Jauriqui, Pablo Pino, Morris Benson, Henry Humphrey, Herman Jeffrey, Edward Johnson, Boyd Longhrey, Maurica Lemon, Gleneth English, Evelyn Hamilton, Christy Hobbs, Otto Prehm, Mack Shaver, David Saunders, Wilbur Smith, George Bryan.

Mrs. Vaughn's room: James Bently, Earl Carl, Andrea Lueras, Antonio Verdugo, Betty Barchart, Mary Caldwell, Estelle Chavez, Lorena Dinwiddie, Ramona Duran, Elizabeth Green, Lena Harris, Vera Richard, Lorene Stimmel, Mildred Jones, Josephine Brady, Native Brady.

Miss Johnson's room: Don English, Roy Richard, Paul Wack, Helen Rolland, Lena Yater.

Miss Laver's room: Ida Bullion, Maurine Collier, Lillie Elliott, Maud Hamilton, Kathryn Stidham, Dora Anderson, May Juarique, Maggie Lujan, Fred Lalone, Julian Lalone, Clinton Branum, Miller French, Frank Patty, William Moss, Broadus Smith, Maxine Hoffman, Linkey Shely.

Mrs. Gumm's room: Clayton Hust, Charlotte Elliott, Lillian Johnson, Robana Corn, Abelina Lujan, Rita Norman.

High School: Nellie Ayres, Alta Carl, Evelyn French, Aileen Haley, Jeanette Johnson, Lois Jones, Audrey Miller, Juell Miller, Ruby Smith, Grace Taylor, Eva Wack, Laureen Walker, Bryce Duggar, William Kahler, Follo Plage, Kastler Taylor.

Methodist Church

The Epworth League service last Sunday evening was led by a volunteer leader, and was one of the best we have had this conference year. Quite a number took part, expressing their own ideas and not reading the printed comment of another.

Next Sunday the pastor will preach in the morning on "Discouragement; Its Cause and Cure." In the evening, "What Shall We Do While We Wait?" If you are discouraged it will help you to attend the 11 o'clock service. If you want to be ready when your summons comes, come at 7:30 in the evening.

Communities are like people; some go to church, some do not. Let us make Carrizozo a church-going city. We can do it if we will. We can do it, and we will. A good start has already been

Woman's Club

The Woman's Club met on regular club day, Feb. 25, with a large attendance, Mrs. O. Z. Finley presiding. Fourteen new members were added, making a membership of 92.

New members: Mesdames W. C. McDonald, S. O. Sprolea, C. H. Haines, J. W. Adams, F. A. Metter, Geo. Benson, Nora Massie, Fred Hailey, Chas. McDaniels, Beulah Gokey, W. P. Laughrey, J. B. Dinwiddie, A. C. Climer and Phroning.

The regular business of the meeting was transacted. Mrs. J. B. French explained the Shepard-Towner Bill.

A committee was appointed to take action on the Child Welfare Bill.

After the business meeting the patriotic program, conducted by Mrs. F. E. Richards, was greatly enjoyed.

Mrs. T. A. Spencer gave an excellent address on patriotism.

A reading by Mrs. R. E. Lemon "Makers of the Flag," was very interesting and could not fail to make all patriotic and proud of the stars and stripes.

The patriotic numbers given by the pupils of the high school were greatly enjoyed by both members and visitors.

The Flag Drill, directed by Mrs. F. E. Kelley, and the Patriotic Drill, directed by Miss M. Humphrey, assisted by Mrs. D. A. Saunders, were pleasing features of the afternoon.

At the close of the meeting Miss Caroline Boone, state director of the Bureau of Protective Social Measures, gave a short talk to the members.

Notice for Publication DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR U. S. Land Office at Las Cruces, N. M. February 21, 1921. Notice is hereby given that Albert C. James, of Otero, N. M., who, on February 7, 1921, made Homestead Entry No. 01898, for 80 1/2 A. C. 1/4 NW 1/4, NW 1/4, NE 1/4, NE 1/4, Sec. 20, T. 20 N., R. 10 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Grace M. Johnson, U. S. Commissioner, at Carrizozo, New Mexico, on the 15th day of April, 1921.

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Light Tuberculosis Red Cross Christmas Seal Campaign

This is the poster selected by the National Tuberculosis Association officials for the Red Cross Christmas Seal sale. It will appear throughout the country on the eve of the seal sale—Dec. 1-10.

IS YOUR HEALTH GRADUALLY SLIPPING?

Interesting Experience of a Texas Lady Who Declares That if More Women Knew About Cardui They Would Be Spared Much Sickness and Worry.

Navasota, Texas.—Mrs. W. M. Peden, of this place, relates the following interesting account of how she recovered her strength, having realized that she was actually losing her health: "Health is the greatest thing in the world, and when you feel that gradually slipping away from you, you certainly sit up and take notice. That is what I did some time ago when I found myself in a very nervous, run-down condition of health. I was so tired and felt so listless I could hardly go at all.

HOW

EXPERT HUNTERS WAGE WAR ON SAVAGE BEASTS.—Compared with some individual members of the mountain lion, wolf, and coyote families, Gulliver's hungry giants and giantesses were light and dainty eaters. All these animals are classed as predatory, but a few specimens develop exceptional skill and cunning in killing cattle, sheep and colts. They usually acquire expert skill in avoiding traps, poison baits, and rifle fire, and often do thousands of dollars' worth of damage before they are killed.

The bureau of geological survey, United States Department of Agriculture, keeps a staff of expert hunters in the field for the express purpose of ridding government range lands of these four-footed outlaws, and thus assist in relieving the rancher. A government hunter killed a mountain lion near Roosevelt, Ariz., that had destroyed 50 calves and three colts on a single ranch. One wolf slain by another hunter in New Mexico had killed 23 calves. Another, in Wyoming, slaughtered 50 head of cattle before one of Uncle Sam's hunters shot the animal. A pair of Wyoming wolves that had learned exceptional cunning and cruelty ran a yearly head bill amounting to about \$3,000. Their meal tickets were canceled by a couple of well-aimed rifle shots by a government hunter. Two other wolves, which showed gustatory preferences for mutton and young lambs, had a single month killed 150 sheep and seven colts, but at the end of the month a hunter collected their pelts.

MUCH REVEALED IN THE FACE

How One's Occupation Can Be Told by Those Who Have Made Study of the Subject.

It seems to be pretty well agreed among those in a position to speak authoritatively that associated with the various occupations in life there is undoubtedly a type of face which more or less betrays the calling of its owner. Medical men, especially in hospital practice, find acquaintance with these types valuable. They may not be able, with the shrewdness of Sherlock Holmes or of other acute persons, to read a man's past, present and future by a glance at him in the street, but they are able to gauge with considerable accuracy how far the history of the case, as given by the patient, is a truthful one, and how far it fits with his probable occupation in life. Calling must certainly have some influence over the physiognomy of the man, the butler, or the groom; each frequently possesses a type of face which wears no characteristic expression as to make it not difficult to identify the vocation accompanying it. We speak also of the legal face, the musical face, the dramatic face, and the military face. This is merely a broad classification, and the best authorities disbelieve in the status of the keen observer that he can differentiate to a finer degree.

How Secrets May Be Preserved.

Synthetic inks, by means of which writings remain invisible until the paper on which they are used is subjected to certain external influences, have long been known, but a disappearing paper, the decay of which at the end of a fixed time destroys writing and all, is somewhat of a novelty. Such a paper, it appears from a French report, was invented some time ago. It is prepared by steeping in acid, the strength of which is varied according to the lease of life intended to be bestowed upon the paper. After a longer or shorter time the paper disintegrates and falls to pieces. It is suggested that this kind of paper would be a boon to those who do not wish to have their letters indefinitely preserved.

How Carbon Black Is Made.

How is carbon black made? By burning oil or natural gas. But the carbon obtained from gas is much blacker and better than the carbon from oil. Gas burners are erected underneath steel chimneys that move back and forth. The carbon is deposited on these channels, but it is constantly scraped off by their movement against each other. Only 1.5 per cent of the total carbon in the gas is recovered in the form of black; thus the waste of gas is enormous. Scientists are now trying to produce carbon from gas by mixing it with other gases without necessitating combustion. — Popular Science Monthly.

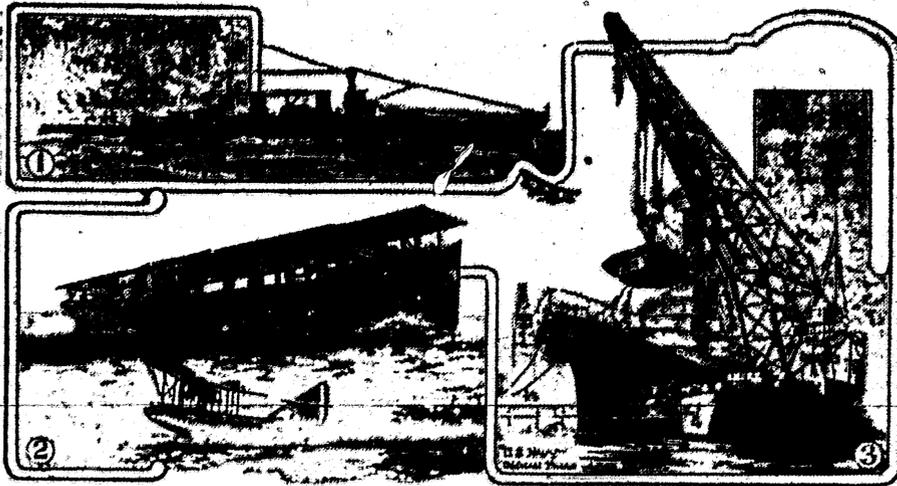
How Searchlight Is Tested.

The searchlights find use of in warfare and for a few other purposes are put to a severe test before they are regarded as completed. Elaborate instruments are used to measure the intensity of the beam, but its diameter is measured by an immense "yard stick," located 2,500 yards away from the light. A long narrow stretch of timber supported on trestles has divisions at regular intervals just like those of the measuring stick, and when the beam is directed at this structure, it is easy to measure the diameter. In a small house at one

Advertisement for Western Garage, Inc. featuring Ford automobiles. Text includes: "Automobile Accessories Supplies and Repairs", "Trained Auto Mechanics", "THE FORD THE UNIVERSAL CAR", "TRUCKS AND TRACTORS", "CARRIZOZO PRICES:", "TOURING CAR, with Starter - \$630.60", "ROADSTER, with Starter - 583.35", "COUPE, with demountable wheels - 874.30", "SEDAN, with demountable wheels - 926.80", "TRUCKS, with pneumatic tires - 656.85", "TRACTORS - 722.35", "Delivery can be made on all Models on short notice", "TIRES, TUBES, PARTS & REPAIRING", "Western Garage, Inc. CARRIZOZO, N. M."

Advertisement for I.O.O.F. Carrizozo Lodge. Text includes: "I.O.O.F. Carrizozo Lodge No. 30", "Carrizozo Lodge, No. 41, A. F. & A. M.", "Regular Conventions of Carrizozo Lodge, No. 41, A. F. & A. M., for 1921: January 31, February 15, March 15, April 15", "Meets every Monday evening at E. of P. Hall"

New Types of Vessels for the American Navy



1-Sketch of the battle cruiser Lexington, a remarkably fast vessel now being built. 2-The coaling ship Jupiter as it will appear when altered to serve as an aircraft carrier; it will then be known as the Langley. 3-How the old battleship Kearsarge will look when made over into Cranchip No. 1, the largest floating crane in the world.

Maple Sugar Time is Here

Only United States and Canada Produce This Much-Prized Product on Large Scale.

EARLY TAPPING IS FAVORED

First Runs Are Usually the Sweetest and Therefore the Best Producers - Ten to Fifteen Trees Enough for Family.

Washington.—Remember the days when you went to the maple sugar parties? Well, maple sugar time is here. The sugar and sirup industry in American and offers good commercial opportunities. Only the United States and Canada produce this much-prized product on a commercial scale, which is at once a delicacy and a highly nutritious article of diet.

Warm days and cold nights are essential to a satisfactory flow, and the sugar content may vary considerably from day to day. Tapping of sugar trees if done properly in no way injures the tree. Trees have been tapped for more than 100 years and are still in good condition.

The maple is well up among the leaders in the American Forestry association's vote for a national tree.

Early Tapping is Favored. Tap early in the season, says a general bulletin, to obtain the earlier runs, which are generally the sweetest, and therefore the best producers. Makers have lost half and even more of their crops by not being prepared for the first run.

In general, the association points out, the season is ready to open during the first or middle of February in the southern section and later in the northern regions when days are becoming warm—when the temperature goes above freezing during the day and at night below freezing.

CHEROKEES FORGET OLD ROW

Indian Nation Reunited After Split Over Slavery at Time of Civil War.

Tahlequah, Okla.—Tribal differences dating back to the Civil war, when the powerful Cherokee Indian nation broke into factions over the question of slavery, were wiped out here when several hundred delegates met and unanimously elected Levi Gritts of Muskogee, a full-blooded, as principal chief. Levi Oosteen, a mixed blood, living near Gers, Okla., was chosen assistant chief.

For the first time in the history of the nation, white men, members through intermarriage, sat at the council and voted. Many of them were unable to speak Cherokee and the proceedings frequently were halted while translations were made.

day and at night below freezing. If the days are very bright, warm, and sunny the sap will start with a rush, but soon slacken, or if a high wind starts the flow is checked.

A thirteen thirty-seconds of an inch (13-32 inch) bit is often used. Its direction should be slightly upward into the tree, the slant allowing the hole to drain readily. With an ordinary tree the hole should not be over one and a half to two inches deep at the best.

Apparatus for sirup and sugar-making does not necessarily represent a large outlay. A number of sap spouts, either wooden or metal, are needed. The sirup is usually gathered in buckets.

From ten to fifteen trees usually will yield enough sirup for family use to make tapping worth while, and in many cases will afford a surplus

Have Unique Record

Iowa Pioneers Live 75 Years in Same Spot.

Couple Married Three-Quarters of a Century Bought Their Farm for \$160 in 1848.

Mount Zion, Ia.—Seventy-five years ago Daniel Heneker brought Mary, his bride of a few days, to Iowa from Ohio. Today they still are living on the original homestead they established in the "wild West" in 1848. Heneker will be ninety years of age February 24, and his wife is ninety-seven. Their marriage record and the number of years spent on the same homestead probably can be equalled by few couples.

The couple attribute their long years of life to the fact that they are God-fearing and believe in simple life and simple joys.

Mr. and Mrs. Heneker's married life of 75 years, in the eyes of modern-day folks, contains few thrills. It has been mostly hard work.

Heneker, when a young man, left his home in Ohio to go West to see the country. He returned in a short time to get his Mary. Their honeymoon was spent floating down the Ohio river to the Mississippi on a small boat. On landing at the Mississippi the couple headed north for the cabin Heneker had previously erected in the forest wilderness of Iowa, near the present site of Mount Zion. There they went and there they are today.

The early years were spent in clearing the 100 acres of timber Heneker had purchased at \$1 an acre. Supplies were brought from a trading post 45 miles away. Ground on their tract was broken with the aid of oxen.

Five children were born to the Henekers. Four of them still survive. All

which can be sold at a remunerative price. The flow of sap depends upon the age, condition and habit of growth of the trees, also upon the character of the weather and condition of the soil during the sap-flowing season.

Figures as to Yields.

In a good season a tree fifteen inches in diameter will yield sufficient sap to make from one to six quarts of sirup, which in turn can be concentrated into two to ten pounds of sugar. Larger trees under the same condition will produce correspondingly large yields of sirup and sugar. All hard maple trees, eight inches or more in diameter, may be safely and profitably tapped for sirup and sugar production.

This industry is not confined to circumscribed areas in New England and New York. There are many "sugar bushes" throughout eastern and northeastern United States and south to include North Carolina and Tennessee; west to northern Missouri, Iowa and Minnesota.

A considerable number of maple trees of a sugar-yielding species are found in Washington and Oregon.

are boys. The eldest is Jacob, aged seventy-two, and the youngest is Dr. George W. Heneker, aged fifty-two. The other two "boys" are Joshua and Dallas Heneker. With the exception of Dr. George, all the sons remained near the old homestead. Dr. George Heneker left home at the age of twelve. Today he is a resident of Falls City, Neb., and is the state representative from the First Nebraska district.

The present home of the Henekers was built in 1861 near the site of the original log cabin.

The couple have taken few trips away from their home. They have made several trips to Falls City, Neb., to visit their "boy," Dr. George, and once went back to visit childhood scenes in Ohio.

BOY SETS HIMSELF ON FIRE

New York Lad Wiggles in School and the Matches in His Pocket Are Ignited.

Little Falls, N. Y.—Pedro Sacherelli, a boy in the eighth grade in the Little Falls high school, was sitting at his desk, wriggling, as boys do. Another boy, sitting near him, saw a column of smoke ascending along Pedro's backbone and circling toward the ceiling. A quick look revealed the fact that matches in Pedro's pocket had been rubbed violently enough to set them on fire.

Other pupils and the teacher jumped to the rescue and Pedro's sweater was jerked off, the fire beat out and the small boy returned to his seat. A considerable hole was burned through Pedro's clothes and he was not hurt, though the fire extinguishers shook him up considerably.

000,000 from the republic presented an increase of \$208,000,000.

Spain was the only principal European country which increased its purchases of goods in the American market.

Twin Sisters Become Mothers on Same Day

Delmonte, Cal.—Mrs. Mildred Jacques, wife of Claude Jacques of Delmonte, and Mrs. Maud Pierson, wife of a Monterey business man, twin sisters, are proud mothers of girl babies born the same day. The baby cousins weighed respectively the same as their mothers at birth.

Take a Joy Ride to the Cemetery. Louisville, Ky.—FURNEL, director of Kentucky, has appealed to Gov. K. Murray to have burials classified as pleasure vehicles and not as crimes.

The Kitchen Cabinet

(By 1921, Western Newspaper Union.)

Out of the suffering comes the serious mind; out of the salvation the grateful heart; out of endurance, fortitude; out of selflessness, faith; out of pain, hope.

HAVE A DOUGHNUT.

For a small family that enjoys fresh crisp doughnuts a small recipe which makes two dozen cakes will be found most useful.

Drop Doughnuts.—Take one egg, separate, beating the white until stiff. Add one-half cupful of sugar to the egg white and lightly stir the sugar in a little at a time. Then add the yolk, a grating of lemon peel, one quarter of a teaspoonful of ginger, one-half cupful of milk, a little salt and one and one-half cupfuls of flour sifted with two teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Mix and drop by teaspoonfuls into hot fat. When cool roll in powdered sugar. With a little practice these doughnuts may be made as round as a ball. The fat must be hot enough to brown a cube of bread in one minute. If not hot enough the doughnuts will flatten and soak fat.

The following is one of the famous Salvation Army recipes for doughnuts which were served daily by the thousands during the war:

Jelly Doughnuts.—Dissolve one yeast cake and one tablespoonful of sugar in one and one-fourth cupfuls of milk scalded and cooled to lukewarm; add one and one-half cupfuls of flour and beat well. Cover and let stand in a warm place until light—about three-quarters of an hour. Add the sponge to three tablespoonfuls of butter, one-half cupful of sugar, one well-beaten egg, one teaspoonful of salt and three more cupfuls of flour. Let rise two hours, roll out to one-third inch in thickness, cut with a cookie cutter. Stretch the dough, add one teaspoonful of jelly, wet the edges and squeeze together. Cover and let rise again for forty-five minutes. Then drop in deep fat and cook two to three minutes on each side.

Doughnut Balls.—Mix together one cupful of sugar, one-half teaspoonful of nutmeg, two well-beaten eggs. Dissolve one teaspoonful of soda in one cupful of sour milk. Add about three cupfuls of flour and drop by teaspoonfuls in hot fat. This recipe is similar to the drop doughnuts above, but it makes double the amount.

The wealth of a man is the number of things he loves and loses; which he is loved and blessed by.—Carlyle.

SEASONABLE FOODS.

February and March are hard months for cooks. Winter foods have lost their flavor and spring vegetables are not yet in market for the average-sized pocketbook. These are the months when the pancake flourishes, and for variety try:

Oatmeal Cakes.—Add one-half cupful of milk to two cupfuls of boiled oatmeal, two tablespoonfuls of melted butter, two well-beaten eggs, one teaspoonful of salt, three tablespoonfuls of sugar, one cupful of flour sifted with two teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Beat well and bake on a greased griddle.

Honey Hamlets.—Take one cupful of fat, one and one-half cupfuls of warm honey, three eggs well beaten, one teaspoonful of salt, two teaspoonfuls of cinnamon, one teaspoonful of soda, one cupful each of chopped nuts and raisins. Flour to roll. Bake in a moderate oven.

Caramel Rice Pudding.—Cook one half cupful of rice in boiling salted water. Drain and blanch by rinsing with cold water in a colander or sieve. Cool and add two well-beaten egg yolks, one-half cupful of brown sugar, one-half cupful of raisins; flavor with vanilla, add a dash of cinnamon and one-half cupful of nutmeats. Bake until brown and add the beaten whites as a meringue. Brown the meringue and serve with cream, sweetened with caramel sirup. To make the sirup, brown a few tablespoonfuls of sugar in a smooth saucepan; stirring until melted and brown. Add a few tablespoonfuls of water and when melted serve.

Delmonico Pudding.—Turn a pint can of peaches with the sirup into a pudding dish. Heat one pint of milk in a double boiler; stir one-third of a cupful of cornstarch to a smooth paste with half a teaspoonful of salt and one-half cupful of cold milk; then stir and cook in the hot milk until the mixture thickens; cover and cook fifteen minutes. Beat the yolks of two eggs, add one-third of a cupful of sugar and beat again, then stir into the hot mixture; continue to cook until the eggs are cooked. Pour over the peaches. Beat the whites of two eggs very light then add four tablespoonfuls of sugar and spread over the pudding; sprinkle a little sugar over the meringue and cook in a slow oven ten minutes, then increase the heat to brown the meringue. Serve neither hot nor very cold.

Bring Higher Rentals. Good roads bring higher rental incomes.

Some Road Materials. Some of the materials or combinations of materials which might enter into the construction of temporary roads are earth, shale, slate, shert, gravel and rock, or sand mixed with clay or gumbo. For heavy traffic on through routes pavements may be required, but these are not ordinarily classed as "country roads."

What Farmer Needs Most. Farm-to-market roads, rather than

Highway Improvement

IMPORTANCE OF GOOD ROADS

Most Towns Recognize Imperative Need of Improved Highways to Secure Farm Trade.

The country town that has poor roads radiating from it is badly handicapped, just as the farmer is who has to haul his products over such roads. Most towns recognize this and try to get their share of trade by making the main thoroughfares navigable at all times with tolerable leads. The town that does not see the importance of good roads and the imperative need of making them passable to ordinary traffic has need of the jolt that is not generally long delayed.

We sometimes hear the expression, "a poor trading place," and instantly we know the meaning of it. We at once know it refers to a town that has fallen into a Rip Van Winkle sleep and we are safe in assuming that such a town lacks wiseawake merchants and the other necessary adjunct—good roads.

When a farmer sells anything, whether it be his weekly batch of produce or a load of hogs or one of wheat or corn he naturally considers the difficulties of the haul. Other things being equal, he chooses the road with least hills and if the road of least resistance has well graded and dragged highways, the town that is handicapped with steep pulls and poorly graded highways always is a loser. It cannot be otherwise.

A cornbelt town exists, primarily, by reason of the farm trade. When this reaches a volume that lines the streets with farm teams any good day except the busiest times of the year, we can be reasonably certain that the merchants and roads are both attractive. And the opposite can be inferred when the streets are bare of farm teams and cars.

Most towns recognize the value of good roads as trade getters. Sometimes the topography of the country makes good roads and gentle grades difficult. When this is the case, more money is expended to get results. And



Roads Like This Are Carefully Avoided by Farmer Who is Hauling Heavy Load.

the cornbelt farmer is just as discriminating now that the automobile is common on the farm. In fact he is more so. The matter of a few miles extra travel is not of great moment.

As the car comes to be more and more the medium of that daily commerce between the farm and town, the importance of good roads comes to be more clearly seen. The town has recognized it. In order to hold this increasing but vital trade the town must bid in terms of fair bargains and good roads—and not least in smooth, alluring highways where few obstructions to a fair speed are encountered.

Where the farmer buys his daily or weekly supplies he generally buys his larger items of machinery and farm equipment. It is up to the town that desires to live to recognize the problem of the good road. To ignore it is to destroy the town. The farmer does not travel the bad road except under compulsion.

BUILDERS FAVOR NEW ROADS

Largest and Most Stupendous Plan for Highway Improvement Ever Projected in World.

The building of a system of highways in this country, now being carried on at an annual cost of over \$1,000,000,000, is the largest and most stupendous plan for public improvement ever projected in the history of the world, declared a speaker at the annual meeting of the American Road Builders' association at the Automobile Club of America. About 75 highway officials and others engaged in carrying on this great plan of highway improvement were present, coming in many cases from states situated a thousand miles away.

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The world's standard remedy for Kidney, Liver, Bladder and acid troubles, the enemies of life and loveliness. In use since 1894. All druggists, there also. Look for the name Gold Medal on every box and accept no imitation.

Animal Protests. Few beliefs are older or more widespread than that animals, and especially wild animals, have foreknowledge of what the weather is to be, and something that amounts to such foreknowledge many of them doubtless possess, but there is no reason, and only poor excuses, for assuming that there is a source of information accurate enough and of application remote enough to give any appreciable extension to the weather bureau's prognostications.

Many old frontier saloons in the West are being rebuilt into parsonages and churches.

Dizzy Spells

Hastings, Neb.—"Some years ago I was troubled greatly with dizziness and I would become dizzy and dark spots would appear before my eyes. I saw Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and one bottle cured me. I have never had a return of this ailment but have always had good health since. I am glad to recommend this medicine."—MRS. CHAS. WENTZ, 141 So. Bloom.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is sold by druggists in liquid or tablet form. Contains no alcohol. Send 10 cents to Dr. Pierce's Laboratory in Buffalo, N. Y., if you wish a trial pkg.



50 good cigarettes for 10c from one sack of

GENUINE "BULL" DURHAM TOBACCO

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NOT A PATENT MEDICINE. Contains No Add. Mineral or Excess of OXYGEN. A potent preparation for the treatment of CATARRH and related ailments. Contains no alcohol. Send 10c to Dr. Pierce's Laboratory in Buffalo, N. Y., if you wish a trial pkg.

Diamonds

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The Velvet Touch For the Skin

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MR. REITER, ATTENTION! Why pay big rent when you can buy the section known as "The Bunker" farm, six miles east of Denver, Colo. This place is well improved with acres extra, good farm land, balance is used for pasture. The price has been cut from \$40 to \$20 per acre, with a small payment down and long time on balance. Write for our latest list of irrigated and non-irrigated land.

Ackard Land Co. 212 DENVER BLDG., Denver, Colo.

DYEING DRY CLEANING THREE-DAY PARCEL POST GRUND

Ground 1144, 17th & Logan, Denver 20 Years Satisfactory Service

HOME OF THE COLE ALWAYS THE BEST IN THE CASE. Write for Complete Information. 1225 ROADWAY

SHELL EYE GLASSES—COMPLETE WITH LARGEST SPHERICAL LENSES \$6.75 TORIC OPTICAL CO., 1818 Stout St.

Local Representative Wanted Men or women wanted to handle the sale of our products. Good pay. Write THE WOODRUFF PRODUCTS MANUFACTURING CO., 712 Broadway Street, Denver, Colorado.

SHOES REPAIRED and resoled by E. A. BERRY, 1515 Broadway Street, Denver, Colorado. 1515 Broadway Street, Denver, Colorado.

KODAKS AND KODAK FINISHES. The Kodak Sales Company, EASTMAN KODAK COMPANY, 644 Sixteenth Street, Denver, Colorado.

PROF. CHARLES HAIR AND BEAUTY SHOP, Mail Order, 110 Sixteenth Street, Denver, Colorado.

HAIR GOODS SWITZER, TRANSFER, 1515 Broadway, Denver, Colorado.

FLOWERS FOR ALL OCCASIONS. Park Floral Co., 1543 Broadway.

BEAUTY PARLORS. Hair Goods by mail. MINICENT Hair Co., 121 15th St.

BOHN-ALLEN JEWELRY CO.—Diamonds, watches, silverware. Our town orders careful attention. Est. 1872.

WALL PAPER. Wholesale: sample books for \$1.00. 819 1/2 Broadway, 1435 1/2 Broadway.

AUTO TOPS. Side and back curtains. Mail orders. C. F. DILL, 1551 Court St.

Sanitary Cleaning and Dyeing Shop. 111 1st St.

Hidden Trunk Full of Jewels. Budapest.—Finance Minister Hergold has discovered vast quantities of precious stones in an old trunk deposited unknown years ago in the treasury. He was searching the treasury and when the trunk was broken open thousands of opals and other precious stones appeared, the value of which is estimated at 200,000,000 crowns.

Jewels Stolen from Pullman. New York.—Jewelry worth \$18,500 was stolen on a railroad train from Mrs. David Cummings of this city. It was disclosed when she offered a reward of \$5,000 for its recovery. The jewelry, it was said, vanished when Mrs. Cummings left a bag momentarily in a Pullman compartment as she was returning from a visit to her parents in St. Louis.

Doctor Orders Use of Rouge Stopped. Austin, Texas.—An order issued by Dr. M. M. Carrick, state health officer, prohibiting the use of rouge and face powder by young women employed in his department evidently met with the approval of mothers, according to the doctor. He said he had received many telegrams and letters approving his action.

Gains on Capital Assets Taxable. Washington.—Numerous inquiries have reached the Bureau of Internal Revenue relative to the decision of United States District Court of Connecticut in the Brewster case, in which it was held that gains and profits realized from the sale of capital assets are not taxable income. The United States attorney for Connecticut has been authorized to perfect an appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States for a review of the decision. Since Congress, under the provisions of the income tax acts of 1918, 1916 and 1913, has directed the taxation on income of such gains and profits, the bureau will continue to collect the tax thereon, unless and until the Supreme Court shall hold that provision of law to be unconstitutional. The same question is involved in the Eldorado and Ryerson cases which were argued in the Supreme Court some weeks ago. A decision in these cases undoubtedly will settle the general question. In view of the severe penalties provided by law for sales and fraudulent income tax returns, taxpayers are warned not to omit from their returns for the year 1920 such gains and profits.

Denier Wine Damage Suit. Cleveland, Ohio.—The enjoyment to be derived from dancing has a cash valuation of \$16,000, a jury decided here in the case of Tange Johnson against the Cleveland Railway Company. Johnson claimed the injury sustained in a car accident had incapacitated him for dancing for the rest of his life and his attorney told the jury that no amount, no matter how large, could compensate his client. The jury awarded damages at \$16,000.

RUB RHEUMATIC PAIN FROM ACHING JOINTS

Rub Pain right out with small trial bottle of old "St. Jacobs Oil."

Stop "dozing" Rheumatism. It's pain only; not one case in fifty requires internal treatment. Rub soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil" right on the "tender spot," and by the time you say Jack Robinson—out comes the rheumatic pain and distress. "St. Jacobs Oil" is a harmless rheumatism salve which never discolors and doesn't burn the skin. It takes pain, soreness and stiffness from aching joints, muscles and bones; stops sciatica; lumbago, backache and neuralgia.

Lumber up! Get a small trial bottle of old-time, honest "St. Jacobs Oil" from any drug store, and in a moment, you'll be free from pains, aches and stiffness. Don't suffer! Rub rheumatism away.—Adv.

Safe for the Present. Father had been cleaning the bedroom windows outside, when little Muriel came in from the garden and said, "Mother, did you hear the ladder fall down just now?" "No," replied the mother. "Well," said the child, "it fell down and broke three flower pots. I told daddy you'd be cross."

"Oh, dear!" said mother. "I hope your daddy hasn't hurt himself." "I don't think he has yet," said little Muriel; "he's still clinging to the window sill."

WOMEN USE "DIAMOND DYES"

Dye Old Skirts, Dresses, Waists, Coats, Stockings, Draperies—Everything.

Each package of "Diamond Dyes" contains easy directions for dyeing any article of wool, silk, cotton, linen, or mixed goods. Beware! Poor dye streaks, spots, fades, and ruins material by giving it a "dread-lock." Buy "Diamond Dyes" only. Druggist has Color Card.—Adv.

Rural Sarcasm. A New Yorker, visiting an Iowa town, was talking to a prominent citizen with reference to the one paper the town boasted.

"Well," observed the citizen, "I'll say for the editor that he can be the most sarcastic fellow that ever was when he tries."

"How so?" "Why, in last week's issue the department entitled 'Local Intelligence' was only about three inches in length."

HEAD STUFFED FROM CATARRH OR A COLD

Says Cream Applied in Nostrils Opens Air Passages Right Up.

Instant relief—no waiting. Your clogged nostrils open right up; the air passages of your head clear and you can breathe freely. No more yawning, snuffling, blowing, headaches, dryness. No struggling for breath at night; your cold or catarrh disappears.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic, healing cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every passage of the head, soothes the inflamed or swollen mucous membrane and relief comes instantly.

It's just law. Don't stay snuffed-up with a cold or nasty catarrh.—Adv.

Vanity in Animal's Custom. The investigating scientist who has been studying wild animals has learned that members of the feline tribe do not play with their long claws on the bark of trees to sharpen them, as is popularly supposed, but the antics are a display of vanity on the part of the male, to show how agile and powerful he is.

Many More Would Testify

Osawa, Iowa.—"I know that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has helped me a great deal. I have had no return of feminine trouble at all and it is over a year since I stopped taking the 'Prescription.' I shall recommend it whenever I have a chance."—MRS. H. C. WETTER.

Favorite Prescription contains no alcohol. Get it at the drug store or send 10c to Dr. Pierce's Invalid Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for a trial pkg.

80 Years Old—Was Sick

Now Feels Young After Taking Eaton's Sour Stomach

"I had sour stomach ever since I had the grip and it bothered me badly. Have taken Eaton's only a week and am much better. Am 80 years old," says Mrs. John Hill.

Eaton's quickly relieves sour stomach, indigestion, heartburn, bloating and distress after eating because it takes up and carries out the excess acidity and gases which cause most stomach ailments. If you have "tried everything" and still suffer, do not give up hope. Eaton's has brought relief to tens of thousands like you. A Mr. Hill writes: "I had a trial with

WASHINGTON SIDELIGHTS

War of the Senate and House Ladies



WASHINGTON.—Behind the party warfare in Washington there is another war, more implacable and more relentless than the struggle recorded in political bulletins and by special correspondents. It is the social war of the women, a war in which no quarter is given or taken, a war in which there are no armistices nor peace conferences nor treaties.

And now active hostilities threaten. The senate ladies have decided upon a course of action in vindication of their cerulean blood. They propose to receive their little visitors, not singly, but in groups. The basis of the groups will be seniority of service. That is to say, ladies whose husbands have been senators for 20 years

will form one group, and the wives of ten-year senators, another, and so on. Each group will have its own particular Thursday.

Now it is evident that these receptions cannot be held in private houses. And that is just where the cream of the whole business comes in. It is exactly here that the senatorial ladies score heavily over their poor benighted sisters of the house of representatives. The senatorial ladies propose to use one of the fine chambers of the senate office building, which would be admirably adapted to the purpose.

But the house of representatives ladies cannot demand a similar privilege from their own particular branch of Congress, because, being so much more numerous, there is no room large enough for the purpose.

It seems likely that the senate office chamber will be the scene of stately ceremonials, with the senate ladies divided into appropriate groups, holding a sort of court, perhaps seated on a raised dais, while the callers file past them and make their obeisances.

No wonder the house of representatives ladies are up in arms about the whole business. Not that they are surprised. Oh, no!

Texas Leads the States in Farm Crops

ALL farm crops of the country were valued at \$10,455,915,000 last year, based on December 1 prices paid to producers, the Department of Agriculture has estimated. That compares with \$10,035,111,000 in 1919 and \$10,150,420,000, the five-year average, 1914 to 1918, inclusive.

Texas maintained its place as producer of crops of greatest value, with a total of \$27,400,000, which was \$600,000,000 less than in 1919. Iowa retained second rank with \$450,191,000. Illinois, only slightly behind Iowa, continued its place as third with \$450,179,000.

California jumped from tenth into fourth place, held in 1919 by North Carolina, with \$477,750,000. New York went into fifth place, from fourteenth rank with \$456,507,000. North Carolina dropped into sixth place with \$412,574,000.

Pennsylvania went forward into seventh place from sixteenth rank the previous year with \$337,617,000. Kansas dropped from fifth rank into eighth place with \$378,436,000. Ohio dropped from eighth rank into ninth place, with \$300,890,000. Wisconsin moved into tenth place from



eighteenth rank with \$300,270,000. Missouri dropped from ninth rank into eleventh place, with \$313,912,000. Georgia dropped from sixth rank to twelfth place with \$323,230,000.

Other states, according to rank and value of their farm crops follow:

Table listing states and their farm crop values: 13-Nebraska \$300,492,000; 14-Michigan \$260,410,000; 15-Indiana \$259,721,000; 16-Oklahoma \$247,715,000; 17-Minnesota \$233,210,000; 18-South Carolina \$232,918,000; 19-Kentucky \$228,847,000; 20-Arkansas \$218,273,000; 21-Tennessee \$212,046,000; 22-Alabama \$205,601,000; 23-Virginia \$200,200,000; 24-Mississippi \$200,112,000; 25-North Dakota \$190,411,000; 26-South Dakota \$191,401,000; 27-Louisiana \$176,704,000.

Packers' Mystery: Who Is "Diamond T"?

with pen and ink. This character was represented by the letter "T" inclosed in a rectangular figure the shape of a diamond.

"It is quite evident that 'Diamond T' was a very important person. Nothing was developed in the evidence that ever disclosed anything that he had written or anything to which his signature was attached.

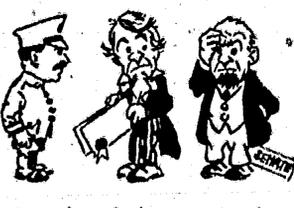
"How much 'Diamond T' received in the way of compensation, or who he was, will perhaps always remain a mystery. That he was some one high in official councils, and therefore a very expensive character, and that he was able to give the packers exceedingly valuable and inside information, will not for a moment be questioned. When the men who were dealing directly with him go upon the witness stand and deny any knowledge of the identity of this mysterious individual, they not only convince the honest man that they are guilty of falsehood, but they make themselves ridiculous in the eyes of honest people."

Nominations for Officers of U. S. Army

IN THE debates over promotions in the army it cropped out that there are 11 nominations for major general, as follows:

- Maj. Gen. James W. McAndrew, chief of staff of the American expeditionary forces in France; Maj. Gen. Henry T. Allen, now commanding the American forces in Germany; Maj. Gen. David C. Shanks, corps commander First corps area, and during the period of active hostilities commanding general of the port of embarkation at New York; Maj. Gens. Adelbert Cronkhite, George W. Read, Omar Bundy, William M. Wright, Charles H. Muir, Charles T. Menober and William G. Haan.

All of the men in this list, with the exceptions of General McAndrew and General Shanks, were corps commanders in the army in France; that is to say, having distinguished themselves as division commanders they were selected by General Pershing for higher



command, and the armistice found them each in command of from 60,000 to 100,000 or more men.

The list of brigadier general nominations comprises 22. The remainder of pending nominations, numbering 6,504, covers officers in all grades from colonel to second lieutenant, which are new appointments in the army. All of them were in the emergency army, and they were selected by a board of which General Pershing was chairman, in accordance with the army reorganization act of June 3, 1920.



Aspirin

Then it is Genuine

Warning! Unless you see the name "Bayer" on tablets, you are not getting genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for 21 years and proved safe by millions.

Accept only an "unbroken package" of "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin," which contains proper directions for Colds, Headache, Pain, Toothache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Neuritis, Lumbago.

Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost but a few cents—Larger packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacturers of Monacopoland, Director of Salicylic Acid.

Close Observer. A farmer was showing a friend over the farm. "How many sheep do you think are in that flock?" he asked.

The visitor considered a minute and then replied, "About 500." The farmer was astonished. "Absolutely correct," he declared. "How did you do it?"

"Well, I just counted the legs and divided by four," the guest explained. —Minneapolis Tribune.

Better Convert the Enemy. Any business act which nets one friend and one enemy is a bad proposition. For the enemy can accomplish more harm as a knocker than the friend can do as a press agent or booster. —The Nation's Business.

Classification. "Benjie Hinchbaugh says he is nobody's fool." "I know, but some one will get him yet."

Harvest 20 to 45 Bushel to Acre Wheat in WESTERN CANADA

Advertisement for Western Canada wheat farming, featuring an illustration of a farmer and a horse-drawn plow. Text includes: "Think what that means to you in good hard dollars with the great demand for wheat at high prices. Many farmers in Western Canada have paid for their land from a single crop. The same success may still be yours, for you can buy on easy terms." "Farm Land at \$16 to \$30 an Acre" "Learn the Facts About Western Canada" "W. V. BENNETT, Room 4, Bee Building, OMAHA, NEB. Canadian Government Agent."

HIGHEST ORDER OF SNOBBERY POINT HE HAD OVERLOOKED

Alleged Prayer Made by English Divines Would Have Made Great Hit With Thackeray.

A reporter, gathering material for a Sunday special on "Why Churches Are Empty," called on Bishop Leonard of Cleveland.

"I don't admit that our churches are empty," Bishop Leonard said. "Certainly the churches that are really democratic, really Christian, are full. Of course, we have a few churches that cater to the rich. In these a certain number of vacant pews are to be found.

"The kind of church I am referring to abounded in England in Queen Victoria's day. There's a story about one such church. It was in the domain of a certain baronet and the vicar used to conclude his Sunday prayer in this wise:

"God bless Sir Peter; God bless also her dear ladyship; bless the tender youth of the two ladies likewise. We would furthermore unite in beseeching Thee, O Lord, to have mercy on the poor governess and all the miserable sinners of this parish. Amen."

How to Be Popular. To be really popular you must allow people to tell you things that you already know, as if you had never heard of them.—Dearborn Independent.

Performing Brute. "Is man an animal?" "I guess so. Woman can make him jump through hoops."

Until That Moment, of Course, Thus Had Not Realized He Was Breaking the Law

Archibald Periwinkle had \$14 in his pocket, and he hated to walk home that night.

However, he decided that four bits was too much to pay for a taxi ride, so he started afoot. From the shadow of a building stepped a masked man. "Throw up your hands," commanded the man, presenting a gun.

"Archibald! did. But he frowned. "Sir," said Archibald, "have you a permit to carry that gun?"

"I have not," replied the thug. "Then you are breaking the law. You do not wish to do that, do you?" "No, indeed!" replied the thug. "Thank you for calling my attention to it."

And, throwing his gun away, the man disappeared in the darkness.

Didn't Faze Him. A well-known author was vainly endeavoring to write the other morning, when he was repeatedly interrupted by his six-year-old son.

"If you ask me one more question," the harassed writer declared at last, "I will go and drown myself." "Father," came the small voice, "may I come and see you do it?"

Advertisement for Grape-Nuts cereal. Text includes: "The Choice Parts of Selected Grains give to Grape-Nuts its health and body-building value." "This wheat and malted barley food is so processed and baked that the nourishing qualities and pleasing flavor are fully brought out." "Healthful-Satisfying—There's a Reason"

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

C. D. Mayer, one of White Oaks' merchants, was here last Saturday.

Just Received, A Car Barbed Wire and Hog Fence. Prices Are Lower. The Titworth Co.

Wayne Van Schoyck, one of the well known merchants of White Oaks, made our burg last Tuesday.

Stockmen—Beware Blackleg. Vaccinate with Purity Germ Free Vaccine. 3-4tf M. B. Paden, agent

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Hanner were down from White Oaks Tuesday.

WANTED—Buyers for Flour, Feeds, and Produce. Car of Cotton Seed Cake just received. Humphrey Bros. 2-4-tf

Judge Edwin Mechem passed through from Alamogordo Tuesday night.

FOR SALE—One team of mules, one good wagon, one good horse, broke to work and ride.—Enquire of Humphrey Bros. 3-4

C. A. Perkins came in yesterday from his ranch in the Jack's Peak country.

Drs. Swearingen & Von Almen eye, ear, nose, throat and fitting glasses. 414 Trust Building, El Paso, Texas. Dr. Von Almen will be at Dr. E. L. Woods' office, Carrizozo, on the 15th of each month. 4-30-tf

The atmosphere is heavy, conditions look favorable for a bit of moisture, but the clouds decline to weep.

Geo. L. Ulrick, who is a member of the State Tax Commission, is in Santa Fe attending a meeting of the board.

Chas. H. Thornton was a business visitor from Oscura Wednesday. He stated that work was going right along on the coal property near Oscura and that another car of coal had been shipped to El Paso the past week.

H. B. (Shorty) Roberts was in town Saturday from his home at Arabela. "Shorty" is in the sheep business, and like all shepherds—all stockmen, in fact—is hustling for range, and is in hopes that moisture will come in time to avert disaster. No sale for wool or lambs adds to the predicament of the flock-owners, and altogether his pathway lacks a lot of being lined with roses.

Morgan R. Paden drove to Alamogordo Tuesday to discuss baseball with the fans of the Cottonwood City. He found the bunch on their toes, but more or less bound to a tentative league with El Paso and towns west. Carrizozo was urged to join the league, but we are so far removed from the other places and the cost of travel is so great that it is very doubtful about our becoming a member.

O. T. Nye came in Sunday from Chicago, via New Orleans. After a short stay here, during which time he will visit other portions of the county on business matters, he will return to his home at Eagle Rock, California. Probably we should say his Los Angeles home; but Bill has no particular pride in the state made famous by its "Native Sons," and doesn't care a rap if everybody knows he lives out in the suburbs of the Angel City.

A. H. Norton, G. J. Weisbar and J. C. Reasoner, prominent men in the Jicarilla country, are in town today.

Dance at White Oaks

The White Oaks Woman's Club will give a dance at their hall on Saturday night, March 12, and a cordial invitation is extended to all. The Carrizozo orchestra has been engaged for the occasion, and the best of music is assured. Don't forget the time and place. The club will appreciate your presence and will do all in its power to make the affair a pleasant one.

Co-operative Talk

Miss Rita Freeman gave a very interesting talk on co-operation to a good audience at the Exchange Bank Hall Tuesday night. The subject is a broad one, of course, and the speaker dealt at some length with the different features in which the idea was involved, and did it well, too, as all who heard her declare. Those who had given matter some thought and were advocates of a co-operative policy expressed keen appreciation; those of a different bent, even though not in harmony, admit that the speaker presented the matter in a telling manner and felt the cause lost nothing in the presentation.

Baptist Church Ladies

The Baptist ladies will hold a food sale at the Co-operative store tomorrow (Saturday). The ladies expect you and will give you a cordial reception.

Miller Children Improving

Mr. Sie Miller is in receipt of a letter from Dr. Lukens, superintendent of the Children's Home and Hospital in Albuquerque, in which the information was conveyed that the little Miller girls, who had been taken to that institution two weeks ago, are doing nicely and steadily gaining strength and weight. The letter also states that an operation for spinal trouble, with which one of the little ones is affected, may not be necessary, but that some kind of a brace, like a Taylor brace, will most likely suffice. This is indeed good news to the Miller family and very pleasing to the friends who assisted in placing the afflicted girls in the great Albuquerque Home.

We should be happy to pay a small amount on our income. If the war ended otherwise we would be taxed the remainder of our lives to pay a war indemnity that would have been exacted by Germany.

BUY NOW FOR SPRING!

Prices on many staple items ARE LOWER this month than they will be later. By making your purchases now you have a large and more complete assortment of merchandise to select from.

New Spring Hats Beautiful New Pattern Hats, shown in all colors, and the most popular shapes. Prices One-Half less than last season. \$2.50 to \$7.50

New "Bungalow" Aprons Extra Special 95c New Aprons of fancy cretonne neatly made at 69c to \$1.29

Exclusive Styles Our New Suits for Spring await your early inspection. You will be pleased with our prices too. SUITS OF ALL WOOL Tricotine and Serges \$20 to \$45

New Pumps and Oxfords arrived this week

Watch Our Windows for the New Things

Carrizozo Trading Co.

Quality First—Then Price

PARSONS NEWS LETTER

Another forest fire with origin as mysterious as the first, broke out last Friday. The second fire was in the thick growth of young pines along the Bonito just below the school house. It was discovered early in the morning and had then been burning several hours. Every available man in the community as well as a delegation from the Mesa country were called and fought the flames all day, and a guard watched the burned area all that night to see that it did not break out again. Messrs Brubaker and White from the Mesa ranger station were called from the west side and arrived in time to help extinguish the fire, and Mr. Strickland from Alamogordo made a record trip overland and was in time to assist.

Mrs. Tom Bragg, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lester Greer, in the San Andreas, returned home Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Greer brought Mrs. Bragg home, and when they returned to the San Andres they took mother Greer with them to get acquainted with her new granddaughter, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Greer.

Mr. Lloyd Weber of Fort Bayard spent Sunday with the family of his father-in-law, J. M. Rice. Mr. Weber was accompanied by Mr. Bason of Fort Stanton.

The Misses Crizer and Dalton and Messrs. Welch and Choletta of Fort Stanton were also guests Sunday of the Rice family.

The school entertainment Saturday night was much enjoyed by all in attendance. These entertainments are becoming quite an institution in the community.

A party of young people from Stanton, including Messrs Clark and Merrill and Misses Rounds and Werner wandered around the country Sunday, after one Tom Powell. He was finally located in a cabin up Front Gulch, and his guests met with such a royal welcome that they are anxious to return again.

A good hooper Sunday night in this neck in the woods was given.

Some Garden Seeds Left

We have given out quite a quantity of garden seeds that were furnished us by the department of agriculture, through the courtesy of Senator Jones. We still

have a quantity left, however, and will be pleased to distribute them on request, by mail or in person. Do not wait until the supply becomes exhausted.

A lot of Surprises Await You at the CO-OPERATIVE STORE

Inspect Our Fish and Meat Market

And note the new prices. Also remember we believe in Quality. OUR FISH comes direct from the Gulf and Pacific.

Try One of Our Goodwill Hickory-Smoked Hams They are Delicious.

GROCERY DEPARTMENT

- Try a pound of our Co-Op. Coffee, 35c per lb. 3-lbs. for \$1.00
Cooking Apples per lb. 5c., per box 2.15
Strictly Fresh Eggs per dozen 32c
Soaps—P. & G. Naphtha 3 bars for 24c
Big Four " 3 bars for 24c
Bob White " 3 bars for 24c
Rose Bath per bar 5c
Scat Soap 2 bars for 25c

Wash Boards Special for One Week Only

- Brass King was 85c, now 75c
Brass King Junior was 80c, now 60c
Silver King was 75c, now 55c

The Baptist Ladies will have Food Sale in Our Window Saturday all day

"Cleanliness is next to Godliness."—Co-Op. believes in it.

CO-OPERATIVE STORE

First of all, you want style—it's the vital thing in clothes buying—that's where we excel, and our prices are always the most moderate at all times.

Smart Spring Suits & Dresses

For Women and Misses



A SPECIAL SHOWING of super values and smart styles. We show a fine assortment of new 1920 Models—

The New Eaton, the New Flare, The New Ripple

—The Very Latest Fashions

Silk-lined, charmingly designed and trimmed with braid, embroidered and satin sashes.

EXTREME VALUES ARE WAITING FOR YOU AT VERY EXTREME LOW PRICES.

The New Millinery

Presenting the latest word in Headgear

Fashion occasion of the greatest importance, to which every woman within distance of this store is cordially invited.

An interesting variety of Charming Hats, showing originality and individuality in every line, is presented to your critical viewing.

We feel that in assembling this comprehensive showing of the newest modes, we have scored a distinct achievement which emphasizes the style-leadership of this store.



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