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## The Women's Club

After the business session last Friday afternoon, the following program, conducted by Miss Ella Brickley, was greatly enjoyed:

"The National Uniform Marriage and Divorce Law," (proposed) was discussed.

Vocal Solo—"At Dawning,"

(Cadman) Miss Carolyn Roberts Piano Solo—"Pierrot, the Dreamer" (Schutt) Miss Lorena Sager Musical Recitation—"A P P l e Blossoms," Ruth Brickley

Vocal Solo—"November Rose, Goodbye," (Snyder) Miss Hilary Cooper, accompanied by Violin and Piano.

## Carrizozo Takes Game

Our ball team, accompanied by a few fans, motored to Tularosa Sunday, to play the team at that beautiful little town, and came home with the bacon.

It was a well played game, our outfielders playing sensational ball. Special mention should be made of young Littell, who is only a 15-year old youngster. He made a number of splendid catches, and handled himself like an old-stager at the bat. This lad is a willing player, and, if he but listens to the veterans, will, some day, be playing in fast company. Bernard Merchant pitched an exceptionally good game for Carrizozo and held the Tularosans to a few scattered hits. A little more experience and Bernard will be a tip-top moundman. Bill Norman caught his usual good game.

## Score By Innings

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 R H E

Carrizozo 0 0 0 0 0 3 2 1 6 8 3  
Tularosa 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 2 5 3

## No County Institute

Mrs. Louise H. Coc, county superintendent of schools, has been given permission to waive the County Institute this year, by the State Board of Education. This is due to the fact that most of the Lincoln county teachers are making preparations to attend summer schools.

## Court Week

Judge Edwin Mechem, accompanied by Stenographer Paul Brinager, came up from Alamogordo Sunday night and opened court the following morning. No jury was drawn, because court funds were short, and the judge sat in the hearing of cases from Monday to Thursday, a jury being waived by the litigants. As a result of the week's work a number of civil cases were disposed of and the docket lightened to that extent.

A similar term, without a jury, will be held in May, at which time Judge Mechem hopes to dispose of additional cases on the civil docket. There will be no regular term, with a grand and petit jury, until fall.

## Grade Examinations

Seventy-five pupils from Lincoln county took the March State Eighth Grade examination and of this number twenty-seven failed in one or more subjects, which makes it necessary for them to take the April examinations. Of those who received diplomas from this examination, Rose Bingham, Captain, of District No. 12, and Carol Wilson, Ancho, received an average of 97 per cent. Velma Bates, Nogal, District No. 11, received an average of 96 per cent. Sixty-one pupils of the county took the seventh grade examination in Physiology and only two failed to pass.

## Likes California

We are in receipt of a letter from Lute A. Skinner, who, with his family, drove through to Wilmington, California, a distance of 1230 miles from their starting point on the Mesa. They made the trip without mishap, secured a comfortable bungalow, and have settled down for the period of their stay in California. Lute speaks in glowing terms of his location; says business is booming, Wilmington being in the heart of the big oil activities. Still, says the letter, remembrances of New Mexico linger. "We look forward each week for the arrival of the News"

## Joins Silent Majority

Mrs. E. E. Cole breathed her last at the family home Tuesday night at 11 o'clock. She had been ill for several weeks—first with an attack of pneumonia, after which followed complications which baffled the skill of physicians; and, although specialists were called in consultation, the malady did not relax and the tired, pain-racked body, weary with the long fight, sank peacefully to rest.

Mrs. Cole came to Carrizozo with her husband who was made city superintendent of schools, four years ago, and had since resided here. Mrs. Cole during her residence here was very active in social and charitable affairs, and was a leading spirit in many pleasant features in which school, church and the community profited. She was not only a woman of intelligence and refinement, but she was also a woman who possessed the rare faculty of making others happy, and took a delight in doing it. She gave of her best to mankind; she lent her talents to the world, and the people among whom she smilingly labored, in recognition of these beautiful traits of character, weep sincerely for the gifted woman who has passed on.

Dr. Cole, the surviving husband, and two daughters, Mrs. Ray W. Hamilton, Battle Creek, Michigan, and Miss Margaret Cole, Washington, D. C., have been constantly in attendance, and were at the bedside when the Death Angel called.

The funeral will take place at 2:30 this afternoon, and Comet Chapter Eastern Star, of which Mrs. Cole was a member, will attend the services in a body. Following these services, the body will be placed on No. 4 and conveyed to Battle Creek, Michigan, for burial. Miss Margaret Cole will accompany the remains, and the other daughter, Mrs. Hamilton, will remain with Dr. Cole until the close of the school term.

## The Oddfellows Meet

The Independent Order of Odd-fellow Lodges of Vaughn, Tularosa and Alamogordo will meet with the Carrizozo Lodge next Saturday afternoon and evening to celebrate the 104th anniversary of the founding of the order, and to organize an association of the above named lodges. All Odd-fellows and Rebekahs are earnestly solicited to be present. Opening exercises at 2 p. m. The Oddfellows will meet at 7 p. m. at Lutz Hall, where the initiatory and first degree will be conferred. The Rebekahs will meet at the Baptist church and confer their degrees, after which a social hour will be spent at Lutz Hall.

## Carrizozo School Notes

### HONOR ROLL FOR APRIL

High School—May Jauregui, Jeanette Johnson, Josephine Laloue, Juell Miller, Rita Norman, Edena Shaver, Clinton Branum, Miller French, Fred Laloae, Kessler Taylor, William Kahler.

Eighth Grade—Betty Barnhart, Ethel Johnson, Ernest Lopez, Roy Richard, Stacey Rustin, Ray Sterling, Mary Louise Tuton, Jeanne Reilly.

Seventh Grade—Native Brady, Josephine Brady, Lorene Stimmel, Mildred Jones.

Sixth Grade—Ruth Brickley, Mack Shaver, Herman Jeffreys, Sam Basila, Fred Basila.

Fifth Grade—Fay Harkey, Carmine Jauregui, Florentino Lopez, Julian Taylor, Leopoldo Ortiz, Nellie Gallegos, Mary Romero.

Fourth Grade—Jose Marcias, Alvin Carl, Candido Martinez, Frank Pino, Hada Curis, Helen Huppertz, Marciana Baca, Otila Vega, Roxilla Basila.

Third Grade—Dorothy Dozier, Florine Pittman, Florine Shifflet, Albert McCall.

Second Grade—Beulah Rustin, Dorothy Gallegos, Ray Fisher, W. R. Grumbles, Robert Laloue, Julian Mireles.

First Grade—Jose Marquez, Florentino Mireles, Helen Shulda, Sara Vega, Nellie Vigil.

Mrs. Craddock's Room—Alfred Martinez, Ruben Chavez.

## Rock View Farm

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Rentfrow were in town Saturday and Sunday from the "Rock View Farm," on the west side. Mr. Rentfrow stated that cattle passed through the winter in fine shape, owing to the mild season and having sufficient ensilage to carry them through. The range is now putting on an emerald hue and live stock are rapidly putting on flesh, and as prices are in the ascendant the prospects are good for stockmen, he said.

In addition to his stock interests, Doyle will try his hand as an amateur farmer this year. He is preparing a kitchen garden, from which he expects to raise table vegetables of many kinds, including melons. Mrs. D. R. personally attends to the sprinkling of the flower beds, recently laid out by Doyle, and in a few months expects "Rock View Cottage" will be a delight to the amateur kodaker. Mr. B. W. Rentfrow, who is an expert landscape gardener, is assisting son Doyle in the project.

Help make our town more beautiful. Join the Clean-Up Squad May 5th

## William Brady Dies

William S. Brady was stricken with apoplexy Monday afternoon while engaged at his customary work, and was hastened to El Paso that night. Examinations disclosed that a cerebral hemorrhage had taken place and no hope for his recovery was entertained. He was brought home on Tuesday night on No. 2 and died the following evening. The body was interred in the local cemetery yesterday afternoon. The remains were accompanied to their last resting place by a large concourse of friends. Rev. J. H. Girma of the Catholic church conducted the funeral services.

William S. Brady was born at Lincoln about 55 years ago. His father, Major Brady, was one of the early sheriffs of Lincoln county, and was killed by Billie the Kid while serving in that capacity. The deceased came here from Lincoln about ten years ago with his family, and made this his home. He was an active and energetic man, did not hesitate to apply his hands to any job that presented itself, and though poor in this world's goods, gave every care to his wife and children, and met every duty of a husband and father. That he was highly esteemed, was evidenced by the fact that many friends readily came to his relief, gave him every material aid and lent every comfort to the bereaved family. He is survived by a wife and a number of bright little children who are the recipients of unbounded sympathy. Three brothers also survive, living in this and Chaves counties.

## Baptist Church

(T. M. BLACKLOCK, PASTOR, PHONE 45)  
The pastor expects to be at Mountain Park in the Fifth Sunday Meeting next Sunday, but the Sunday School, Sunbeam Band and B. Y. P. U. will meet at the usual hours.

Wednesday, May 2, will be prayer meeting and regular conference of the church. All members urged to be present.

Synonymous terms—April weather and the Harding administration—both variable.

## Fruit Survived

The reports from the fruit growing sections of the county are to the effect that the low temperatures of last week did little damage to 'bud and bloom. In fact, we are informed that, barring a late freeze, a most magnificent crop of all varieties may be expected.

## U. B. Thrifty says



Money may be the root of all evil, but there's lots of good rooters.

Your money will be a good rooter if you play the game fair.

So keep track of the money by paying only through a

## CHECKING ACCOUNT

and you can keep an accurate check on your expenses.

Your check book is the pinch hitter that raises your financial score and puts you in the home-run class of winners.

It tells you where your money is spent and how, and your cancelled checks save money disputes.

Better sign up a check-book for this year's team work—it's a pennant winner.

We Pay 4 per cent on Time Deposit

## The Exchange Bank

CARRIZOZO, N. M.

THE BANK FOR YOU AND ME IN 1923



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While you are Making money be Saving Money. Then you can weather the financial storms that will come into your life.

WE WILL WELCOME YOUR ACCOUNT

The Lincoln State Bank

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The only "place" to live happily is inside your income.

Not until you have lived for a time outside your income do you fully realize this truth.

Make it a practice to save ten per cent of your income. You will then "live within your income," and live happily.

Start today.

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CARRIZOZO, N. M.



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Buy your cigars by the box and have them in your home should friends drop in.

We have everything in the drug store line. COME TO US FOR IT.

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Drug Store

# The Blind Man's Eyes

By  
**WILLIAM MACHARG**  
**EDWIN BALMER**

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CHAPTER XIX—Continued.

She told him, beginning with her discovery of Eaton in the garage and ending with his leaving her and with Donald Avery's finding her in the motor; and now she held back one word only—his name which he had told her, Hugh. Her father listened intently.

"You and Mr. Eaton appear to have become rather well acquainted, Harriet," he said. "Has he told you nothing about himself which you have not told me? You have seen nothing concerning him, which you have not told?"

Her mind went quickly back to the polo game; she felt a flush, which his blind eyes could not see, dyeing her cheeks and forehead.

The blind man waited for a moment; he put out his hand and pressed the bell which called the steward. Neither spoke until the steward came.

"Fairley," Santolne said then, quietly, "Miss Santolne and I have just agreed that for the present all reports regarding the pursuit of the men who entered the study last night are to be made direct to me, not through Miss Santolne or Mr. Avery."

"Very well, sir."

She still sat silent after the steward had gone; she thought for an instant her father had forgotten her presence; then he moved slightly.

"That is all, dear," he said quietly. She got up and left him, and went to her own rooms; she did not pretend to herself that she could rest. She bathed and dressed and went downstairs. The library had windows facing to the west; she went in there and stood looking out.

Her mind was upon only one thing—even of that she could not think connectedly. Some years ago, something—she did not know what—had happened to Hugh; tonight, in some strange way unknown to her, it had culminated in her father's study. He had fought someone; he had rushed away to follow someone. Whom? Had he heard that someone in the study and gone down? Had he been fighting their battle—her father's and hers? She knew that was not so. Hugh had been fully dressed. What did it mean that he had said to her that these events would either destroy him or would send him back to her as—something different? Her thought supplied no answer.

But whatever he had done, whatever he might be, she knew his fate was here now; for she had given herself to him utterly. She had told that to herself as she fled and pursued with him that night; she had told it to him; she later had told it—though she had not meant to yet—to her father. She could only pray now that out of the events of this night might not come a grief to her too great for her to bear.

She went to the rooms that had been Eaton's. The police, in stripping them of his possessions, had overlooked his cap; she found the bit of gray cloth and hugged it to her. She whispered his name to herself—Hugh—that secret of his name which she had kept; she gloried that she had that secret with him which she could keep from them all. What wouldn't they give just to share that with her—his name, Hugh!

She started suddenly, looking through the window. The east, above the lake, was beginning to grow gray. The dawn was coming! It was beginning to be day!

She hurried to the other side of the house, looking toward the west. How could she have left him, hurt and bleeding and alone in the night! She could not have done that but that his asking her to go had told her that it was for his safety as well as hers; she could not help him any more then; she would only have been in the way. But now—she started to rush out, but controlled herself; she had to stay in the house; that was where the first word would come if they caught him; and then he would need her, how much more! The reporters on the lawn below her, seeing her at the window, called up to her to know further particulars of what had happened and what the murder meant; she could see them plainly in the increasing light. She could see the lawn and the road before the house.

Day had come.

And with the coming of day, the uncertainty and disorder within and about the house seemed to increase.

But in the south wing, with its sound-proof doors and its windows closed against the noise from the lawn, there was silence; and in this silence, an exact, compelling, methodic machine was working; the mind of Basil Santolne was striving, vainly as yet, but with growing chances of success, to fit together into the order in which they belonged and make clear the events of the night and all that had gone before—arranging, ordering, testing, discarding, picking up again and reordering all that had happened since that other murder, of Gabriel Warden.

## CHAPTER XX

What One Can Do Without Eyes. Three men—at least three men—had fought in the study in Santolne's presence. Miss Kewenaw was certain, had seen the fight; the house was

of the other two against the third? It appeared probable to Santolne that Eaton had been alone, or had come alone, to the study and had met his enemies there.

Santolne felt that the probabilities were that Eaton's enemies had opened the safe and had been surprised by Eaton. But if they had opened the safe, they were not only Eaton's enemies; they were also Santolne's; they were the men who threatened Santolne's trust.

Those whom Eaton had fought in the room had had perfect opportunity for killing Santolne, if they wished. But Santolne felt certain no one had made any attack upon him at any moment in the room; he had had no feeling, at any instant, that any of the shots fired had been directed at him. Blatchford, too, had been unattacked until he had made it plain that he had recognized one of the intruders; then, before Blatchford could call the name, he had been shot down.

It was clear, then, that what had protected Santolne was his blindness; he had no doubt that, if he had been able to see and recognize the men in the room after the lights were turned on, he would have been shot down also. But Santolne recognized that this did not fully account for his immunity. Two weeks before, an attack which had been meant for Eaton had struck down Santolne instead; and no further attempt against Eaton had been made until it had become publicly known that Santolne was not going to die. If Santolne's death would have served for Eaton's death two weeks before, why was Santolne immune now? Did possession of the contents of Santolne's safe accomplish the same thing as Santolne's death? Or more than his death for these men? For what men?

It was not, Santolne was certain, Eaton's presence in the study which had so astounded Blatchford, Wallace and Eaton had passed days together, and Blatchford was accustomed to Eaton's presence in the house. Someone whom Blatchford knew and whose name Santolne also would know and whose presence in the room was so strange and astonishing, that Blatchford had tried to prepare Santolne for the announcement, had been there. The man whose name was on Blatchford's tongue, or the companion of that man, had shot Blatchford rather than let Santolne hear the name.

He was beginning to find events at themselves together; but they fitted imperfectly as yet.

Santolne knew that he lacked the key. Many men could profit by possessing the contents of Santolne's safe and might have shot Blatchford rather than let Santolne know their presence there; it was impossible for Santolne to tell which among these many the man who had been in the study might be. Who Eaton's enemies were was equally unknown to Santolne. But there could be but one man—or at most one small group of men—who could be at the same time Eaton's enemy and Santolne's. To have known who Eaton was would have pointed this man to Santolne.

Gabriel Warden had had an appointment with a young man who had come from Asia and who—Warden had told his wife—he had discovered lately—had been greatly wronged. Eaton, under Conductor Conner's questioning, had admitted himself to be that young man; Santolne had verified this and had learned that Eaton was, at least, the young man who had gone to Warden's house that night. But Gabriel Warden had not been allowed to help Eaton; so far from that, he had not even been allowed to meet and talk with Eaton; he had been called out, plainly, to prevent his meeting Eaton, and killed.

Eaton disappeared and concealed himself at once after Warden's murder, apparently fearing that he would also be attacked. But Eaton was not a man whom this personal fear would have restrained from coming forward later to tell why Warden had been killed. He had been urged to come forward and promised that others would give him help in Warden's place; still, he had concealed himself. This must mean that others than Warden could not help Eaton; Eaton evidently did not know, or else could not hope to prove, what Warden had discovered.

Santolne held this thought in abeyance; he would see later how it checked with the facts.

Eaton had remained in Seattle—or near Seattle—seven days; apparently and to escape attack during that time, he had been able to conceal himself. He had been obliged, however, to reveal himself when he took the train; and as soon as possible a desperate attempt had been made against him, which, through mistake, had struck down Santolne instead of Eaton.

Eaton had taken the train at Seattle because Santolne was on it; he had done this at great risk to himself. The possibilities were that Eaton had taken the train to inform Santolne of something or to learn something from him. But Eaton had had ample opportunity since to inform Santolne of anything he wished; and he had not only not informed him of anything, but had refused consistently and determinedly to answer any of Santolne's questions. It was to learn something from Santolne, then, that Eaton had taken the train.

The blind man turned upon his bed; he was lying that way, eyes fitted together perfectly. He felt certain now that Eaton had come to Gabriel Warden's house had been killed. Then Warden's death had caused Santolne to go to Seattle and take charge of many of Warden's affairs; Eaton had thought that the information which had been in Warden's possession might now be in Santolne's; Eaton, therefore, had followed Santolne onto the train.

The inference was plain that something which would have given Santolne the information Warden had had and which Eaton now required had been brought into Santolne's house and put in Santolne's safe. It was to get possession of this "something" before it had reached Santolne that the safe had been forced.

Santolne put out his hand and pressed a bell. A servant came to the door.

"Will you find Miss Santolne," the blind man directed, "and ask her to come here?"

The servant withdrew.

Santolne waited. Presently the door again opened, and he heard his daughter's step.

"Have you listed what was taken from the safe, Harriet?" Santolne asked.

"Not yet, Father."

The blind man thought an instant. "Harriet, something has been brought into the house—or the manner of keeping something in the house has been changed—within a very few days—since the time, I think, when the attempt to run Eaton down with the motor car was made. What was that 'something'?"

His daughter reflected. "The draft of the new agreement about the Eaton properties and the lists of stockholders in the properties which came through Mr. Warden's office," she replied.

"Those were in the safe?"

"Yes; you had not given me any instructions about them, so I had put them in the other safe; but when I went to get the correspondence I saw them there and put them with the correspondence in my own safe."

Santolne lay still.

"Who besides Donald knew that you did that, Daughter?" he asked.

"No one."

"Thank you."

Harriet recognized this as a dismissal and went out. The blind man felt the blood beating fiercely in his temples and at his finger-tips. It amazed, as



"Have You Listed What Was Taken From the Safe, Harriet?" Santolne Asked.

tounded him to realize that Warden's murder and all that had followed it had sprung from the Eaton case. He recollected that he had been vaguely conscious ever since Eaton's murder of something strained, something not wholly open, in his relations with those men whose interests had been most closely allied with Eaton's. It had been nothing open, nothing palpable; it was only that he had felt at times in them a knowledge of some general condition governing them which was not wholly known to himself. Whoever Blatchford had been was someone well known to him, whose presence had been so amazing that speech had failed Blatchford for the moment and he had feared the effect of the announcement on Santolne. This could have been only the principal himself.

Some circumstances which Santolne comprehended only imperfectly as yet had forced this man to come out from behind his agents and to act even at the risk of revealing himself. It was probably he who, finding Blatchford's presence made revelation inevitable, had killed Blatchford. But these circumstances gave Santolne no clue as to who the man might be. The blind man tried vainly to guess. The only circumstance regarding the man of which Santolne now felt sure was that he was one of the many concerned in the Eaton case or with the Eaton properties.

"What time is it?" the blind man suddenly asked the nurse.

"It is nearly noon, Mr. Santolne."

"Will you leave me alone for a few moments?" he directed.

"He listened till he heard the door close behind the nurse; then he seized the private phone beside his bed and called his broker."

"How is the market?" he inquired.

There was something approaching to a panic on the stock exchange; it appeared. Some movement, arising from causes not yet clear, had dropped the bottom out of a somewhat important stock.

"E. F. and D?"

"Eight points off."

Santolne's hand, holding the telephone, shook in its agitation; his head was bent from the blood rushing through it, his body was chilled. An idea so strange, so astounding, so incredible as it first had come to him that his feelings refused it though his reason told him it was the only possible condition which could account for all the facts, now was being made all but certain. He named stock after stock; all were down—seriously depressed or had been supported only by a desperate effort of their chief holders.

The blind man could write as well as any other by following the position of the lines with the fingers of his left hand. He wrote a short note swiftly now, folded, sealed and addressed it and handed it to the servant.

"Have that delivered by a messenger at once," he directed. "There will be no written answer, I think; only something sent back—a photograph. See that it is brought to me at once."

He heard the servant's footsteps going rapidly away. He was shaking with anger, horror, resentment; he was almost—not quite—sure now of all that had taken place; of why Warden had been murdered, of what vague shape had moved behind and guided all that had happened since. He recalled Eaton's voice as he had heard it first on the train at Seattle; and now he was almost sure—not quite—that he could place that voice, that he knew where he had heard it before.

He lay with clenched hands, shaking with rage; then by effort of his will he put these thoughts away. The nurse reminded him again of his need for food.

"I want nothing now," he said. "Have it ready when I wake up. When the doctor comes, tell him I am going to get up today and dress."

He turned and stretched himself upon his bed; so, finally, he slept.

## CHAPTER XXI

The Man Hunt.

The rolling, ravine-gulfed land where Harriet had left Eaton was wooded thickly with oaks, maples and ash; the glare from the burning bridge lighted the ravine for only a little way; Eaton had gained the bottom of the ravine beyond the point where this light would have made him visible and had made the best speed he could along it away from the lights and voices on the road. This speed was not very great; his stockinged feet sank to their ankles in the soft mud of the ravine; and when, realizing that he was leaving a trace easily followed even by lantern-light, he clambered to the steep side and tried to travel along its slope, he found his progress slower still. In the darkness he crashed sometimes full against the tree-trunks; bushes which he could not see seized and held him, ripping and tearing at his clothes; invisible, fallen saplings tripped him, and he stepped into unseen holes which threw him headlong, so that twice he rolled clear to the bottom of the ravine with fierce, hot pains which nearly deprived him of his senses shooting through his wounded shoulder.

When he had made, as he thought, fully three-quarters of a mile and must be, allowing for the winding of the ravine, at least half a mile from his pursuers, he climbed to the brink of the bank and looked back. He was not, as he had thought, half a mile from the road; he was not a quarter of a mile; he could still see plainly the lights of the three motorcars upon the road and men moving in the glare of these lights. He was certain that he had recognized the figure of Avery among these men. Pursuit of him, however, appeared to have been checked for the moment; he heard neither voices nor any movement in the woods. Eaton, panting, threw himself down to recover breath and strength to think.

There was no question in Eaton's mind what his fate would be if he surrendered to, or was captured by, his pursuers. What he had seen in Santolne's study an hour before was so unbelievable, so completely undemonstrable unless he himself could prove his story that he felt that he would receive no credence. Blatchford, who had seen it in the light in the study, was dead; Santolne, who would have seen it if he had had eyes, was blind. Eaton, still almost stunned and yet wildly excited by that sight, felt only, in the mad confusion of his senses, the futility of telling what he had seen unless he were in a position to prove it. Those opposed to him would put his statement aside with the mere answer that he was lying; the most charitably inclined would think only that what he had been through had driven him insane.

Eaton understood that his possibility of escape was very small, even if he could have been his only object; but Eaton's problem was not one of escape—it was to find those he pursued and make certain that they were captured at the same time he was; and, as he crouched panting on the damp earth, he was thinking only of that.

## (TO BE CONTINUED.)

The Best Ever.

She was a little girl, and as they made their way in and out among the other couples she allowed her cheek to rest against his manly chest.

"Oh, Bill!" called out an irrepressible youth as he called by.

"What?"

"That's a nice face you have to

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## THE WORLD'S GREATEST BAKING POWDER

He Got the Answer. "Ah," said the keeper of the candy store, "and what are you going to be when you grow up?" "I'm going to keep a candy store," said the boy, "and every time a little boy like me comes in I'm going to give him four caramels for a cent instead of two for a cent."

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It. Applicants for Insurance Often Rejected.

Judging from reports from druggists who are constantly in direct touch with the public, there is one preparation that has been very successful in overcoming these conditions. The mild and healing influence of Dr. Kilmor's Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its remarkable record of success. An examining physician for one of the prominent Life Insurance Companies, in an interview on the subject, made the following statement that one reason why so many applicants for insurance are rejected is because kidney trouble is so common to the American people, and the large majority of those whose applications are declined do not even suspect that they have the disease. Dr. Kilmor's Swamp-Root is on sale at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes, medium and large. However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmor & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Advertisement.

Right Man Must Be There. Chance in manifold instances has befriended man. Only—it is necessary that the right man should be on the spot at the right time. In invention and discovery as elsewhere, some men can take a hint and others never see it.—Exchange.

The Disadvantages of Polygamy. Occasionally the subject of polygamy comes up. And I have observed that women speak only of the hard fate of polygamous wives, and intimate that polygamy is always a joy for men. How about a man compelled to settle the rows of three or four wives and listen to their "jawing"? If a wife lacks ability to give an offending husband a whipping, it doesn't mean he escapes punishment.—M. W. Howe's Monthly.

## WHY TAKE LAXATIVES?

Discovery by Science Has Replaced Them. Pills and salts give temporary relief from constipation only at the expense of permanent injury, says an eminent medical authority. Science has found a newer, better way—a means as simple as Nature itself.

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1—Morton L. Cery of Nebraska, new member of the federal farm loan board. 2—President Ebert of Germany at Hamm, on edge of the Ruhr, making anti-French speech. 3—How the sailors at Goat Island naval training station, San Francisco, greeted Admiral Sims.



## NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

### Secretary Hoover Tells Women Voters Why We Should Join the World Court.

### HARDING ON TAX REDUCTION

### President Also Talks About His Proposed Western Trip—Bonar Law's Government Gets a Jolt in Commons—Steps Toward New Plans for German Reparations.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

**DO YOU** think the United States should become a member of the international court, or are you afraid such membership would entangle us in the political affairs of other nations?

DISCLAIMING any intention of starting a "boom" for United States entry into the permanent court of international justice, Secretary of Commerce Hoover has set forth what may fairly be considered the views of the administration on that subject. In an address before the convention of the National League of Women Voters in Des Moines, Mr. Hoover spoke in earnest advocacy of President Harding's proposal that the United States become a member of that court, and answered the usual objections to the plan.

"The proposals to join the court," said Mr. Hoover, "have been criticized from various angles. The first of these is that it leads us into some undescribed political entanglement. This is untrue, for the decrees of the international court are based upon the process of law, not upon political agreement; their enforcement rests wholly on public opinion and not upon force."

"In supporting this court we subscribe to no compulsion whatever. Compulsion is, in fact, specifically excluded. We do not need to submit any case to the court unless we feel like doing so at the time the case arises. No other nation can summon us into court except with our consent. The court itself cannot summon us in, nor in any manner or degree exert upon us any kind of compulsion, not even moral."

"All we do if we ratify President Harding's proposal, all the promises we make, the only obligations we take, are these, and only these: We promise to pay a share of the running expenses of the court, a matter less than \$40,000 a year, and we promise to take part with 46 other nations in the choosing of the judges."

"There is another section of opponents of President Harding's proposal who condemn the idea, not because they do not agree to its primary purpose and method, but solely because it was erected under the auspices of the League of Nations. But we are not by this act entering the league in any sense. The connection of the court with the league is indeed remote. Its sole relationship is that the judges are elected as provided in its own statute, not by the league, but by the representatives of the nations to the league acting as an elective body for this purpose. It is this elective body that we join, not the league."

Secretary Hoover commended the enlightenment and courage of Senator Borah in demanding that the court be given "teeth" and that we join it in such a manner that we would be obligated to its jurisdiction, but he said that, as a practical matter, America is not ready to do thus far.

ALMOST immediately after the return of President Harding from the South, definite information was given out at the White House concerning his attitude toward this issue and several others that, it seems certain, will be to the fore during the coming year of the administration.

court, but that he had not the least intention of trying to get the United States into the League of Nations in this way or any other.

Concerning reduction of income taxes, Mr. Harding agrees with Secretary of the Treasury Mellon that the present maximum surtax rates are too high, but he hopes that, if it is found possible to make reductions, these can be applied all down the line, so that the small taxpayer as well as the big one will benefit. Mr. Mellon's recommendation is that the surtax maximum, which last year was reduced from 65 to 60 per cent, be further reduced to 25 per cent. This, he asserts, would increase rather than decrease the revenue, as was proved by the results of the previous reduction of rate. The increase in income tax collections for March, 1923, over March, 1922, amounted to \$70,000,000.

Senator Smoot, who presumably will be chairman of the senate finance committee, does not think general revision of the revenue laws in the next session of congress will be feasible. He told the President he believed the present law would be allowed to demonstrate its weakness over a longer period before an overhauling is undertaken.

**PRESIDENT HARDING** is still exercised over the public misconception of his proposed trip through the West and to Alaska. He insists that he would make it as President, and not as a candidate for renomination; that he plans to address the people on important issues and to get in close touch with their opinions and aspirations, and that he has no thought whatever of politics or candidacies. If he cannot make the trip in this way and with this understanding, says the President, he will stay at home. He probably will leave Washington about June 20, arriving in Alaska July 10.

Senator Fess of Ohio, in an address in Chicago last week, declared that "President Harding will be renominated on his record and will be re-elected by a handsome majority." The chief accomplishments of the President so far he listed as follows:

1. Restored peace, and diplomatic and trade relations resumed with former enemy countries.
2. Adjusted strained relations growing out of the mandatory features of the Versailles treaty.
3. Settled foreign controversies with South and Central America.
4. Reduced national debt nearly \$3,000,000,000.
5. Dispensed with 100,000 federal employees and reduced expenditures.
6. Liberty bonds have been brought back to par.
7. Taxes have been reduced.

Among the Democrats a well defined boom for the nomination of Carter Glass of Virginia has developed. San Francisco, which handled so excellently the Democratic national convention of 1920, is already in the field to obtain both national conventions of 1924. The Republicans and Democrats of the city have joined forces for this purpose and have pledged a large sum.

**THE** Turkish national assembly recently ratified a blanket concession granted to American interests represented by Admiral Colby M. Chester for the development of almost everything worth while in Turkey. This has aroused the allies, especially Great Britain and France, to vigorous protest, and when the Lausanne conference is resumed on April 23 it is believed they will endeavor to compel the Turks to revoke at least some of the concessions. In Paris it was stated that a number of the enterprises included in the Chester grant were made to others long ago. As it stands, the Americans are given a virtual monopoly of the development of natural resources and transportation facilities in the greater part of Asia Minor, and also the construction of new cities. They plan to introduce into Turkey modern office buildings, electric trolley cars, enamel bathtubs and many other features of occidental civilization.

**PREMIER BONAR LAW'S** pet "tranquillity" was given a severe jolt last week, and the government was placed in so awkward a position that there were many predictions of its fall in the near future. In an unexpected division in the house of commons over a technical question the government was defeated by a majority of seven.

adverse vote usually means the resignation of the ministry, but Bonar Law and his colleagues considered this was a snap division and it was arranged that the vote should be taken over again another day. This resulted in a wild scene in the house Wednesday and the speaker ordered adjournment for an hour. The Labor members stood up and sang "The Red Flag," despite the efforts of Ramsay MacDonald and others of their leaders to quiet them, and two government supporters were hit in the face. Press comments in London scored both sides—the government party for being slack and stupid, and the Laborites for their violence.

**COUNT DE ST. AULAIRE**, French ambassador to England, made a quick trip to Paris last week and carried back to Prime Minister Bonar Law a statement of the views of Premier Poincare on the Ruhr occupation and the chances for a settlement of the reparations problem. It was in the nature of an offer by France and was based on the report which Louis Loucheur made of his recent interviews with certain British leaders. No information of its nature has been given out in London at this writing, but the Paris press said Poincare insists on the occupation of the Ruhr until the reparations payments have been made, and on this condition agrees to reduce the total sum, make the methods of payment easier and adjust the matter of guaranteed.

The plan provides for the payment by Germany of \$10,000,000,000 on the A and B bonds within ten years, French and Belgian claims to have priority; and the surrender of much of the \$20,500,000,000 in C bonds to the United States in payment of the interallied debts. Italy, Yugoslavia and Rumania are supposed to get something from the A and B bonds, and England perhaps some of the C bonds, although the plan does not provide reparations for England. All emphasis is placed on the payment of 40,000,000,000 gold marks within ten years, of which France is to get 25,000,000,000 gold marks. The rest of the plan is largely up to England, the United States, and Germany to decide.

Chancellor Cuno was about ready to announce a new German proposition which he described as not an offer for reparations but a detailed plan of settlement on which Germany is ready to discuss the problem. He has prepared what he thinks are sufficient guarantees for the safety of France for 30 years and says that if there are to be negotiations the Ruhr occupation must be ended at once and the status of the Rhineland left unchanged. It is understood in Berlin that Germany is prepared to offer a total of \$10,000,000,000, if she is granted an international loan, an extension of raw material credits and a moratorium for a few years.

**POLITICAL** disturbances in Rumania have been so alarming that there were rumors—false or at least premature—of a revolution and the ousting of the royal family. So far the government under Premier Bratiano has retained control of the situation, and the army remains loyal to the king. The great danger now is in Bessarabia, where bolshevism remains strong.

**IRELAND'S** republican rebels lost one of their strongest men when Liam Lynch, chief of staff of the irregular army, died of wounds after being captured during a skirmish in County Tipperary. He had been for some time the military leader of the revolt and it is thought by many his death will be fatal to the rebel cause. Unconfirmed reports say the Free State troops captured Count Plunkett, Countess Markiewicz, Miss MacSwiney and other influential rebel leaders.

**DR. W. W. CAMPBELL**, director of the Lick observatory, announces that Dr. Einstein's theory of relativity is confirmed by results deduced from photographs of the eclipse of the sun made in Australia last September by the expedition from the observatory. These photographs, showing stars apparently close to the sun's rim when by other methods they were known to be farther from the rim, demonstrated that the light rays from them were deflected by the gravitation attraction exerted by the sun, seemingly proving Einstein's assertion that light is a substance. Of course the theory is much broader and more complex than this.

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**Off the Track.** On a recent stormy morning an East Michigan street car was careening along that rough stretch east of the Belt railroad tracks. The course was bumpy, to say the least.

Then the car hit the smooth stretch of track west of the railroad tracks with a burst of speed and the course from then on was smooth.

"Say, Mr. Conductor," expostulated a voice from the dark, "we must be off the track. We're going along here mighty smoothly!"—Indianapolis News.

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## TERM FOR POLITICAL CUNNING

Italian Genius Gave Name to What Might Be Called Unscrupulous Statesmanship.

"Machiavellian" is a term for political cunning, duplicity or bad faith, because Niccolo Machiavelli, an Italian statesman and historian, held as one of his principles that any means, however lawless or unscrupulous, might be justifiably employed by a ruler in order to maintain a strong central government. He produced among other works a treatise on government called "The Prince," the principles of which have gained for him a notoriety as wide as the civilized world.

Briefly, Machiavelli's political doctrines maintained a justification of the means by the end. The ruler or prince was to retain and augment his power; and to do so he might be an adept at misleading his opponents and getting rid of them. The interests of the state, represented by the ruler, were held to be above all laws or virtues, and the despotism of the prince was to be maintained by cunning and unrestrained by morality.

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### A Michigan Woman Helped

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### A New York Woman Helped

Syracuse, N. Y.—"I was used up with nervousness, weakness and hot flashes so I could hardly keep around, and could not get out much on account of these awful prickly feelings. I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound helping another woman with symptoms like mine. My husband got some for me, and after taking it five months I can get around and even do my housework, washing and ironing included, and my friends can see what a change it has made in me."—Mrs. EDWARD HERRICK, 126 1/2 Burnet Avenue, Syracuse, N. Y.

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## MOON IS NOT DEAD WORLD

Recent Scientific Observations Seem to Prove Astronomers Have Long Held Wrong Idea.

Astronomers cling to the old idea that the moon is a dead world, destitute alike of air and water. But recent observations of W. H. Pickering, made at Mandeville, Jamaica, go to show that many changes occur with the alternation of lunar day and night. Great snow fields form in the mountain valleys, and then melt away; fog banks are seen and, very rarely, drifting clouds. The loftiest peaks are snow-capped. The moon's surface is pitted with volcanic craters; some of these measure 100 miles across. Each crater is surrounded by a mountain ring 1,000 to 20,000 feet in height.

According to Pickering, there are few, if any, such large and continuously active volcanic regions upon the surface of the earth. But the activity of the lunar volcanoes is now confined to the quiet emission of steam-jets, like those found in Yellowstone National park. Certain variable dark areas on the moon may be due to vegetation.

Seemed Somewhat Personal. There are things one might have expressed differently. A gushing matron was getting up an afternoon affair and called on a somewhat elderly dandy who had promised to assist.

"Now," pattered the matron, "I have secured a sweet girl to pour tea. You, my dear, will look after the slices of lemon."

"What am I to infer from that?" asked the other acidly.

## REMAIN ALWAYS THE SAME

Overwhelming Proof That Finger Prints Undergo No Change During Lifetime of Individual.

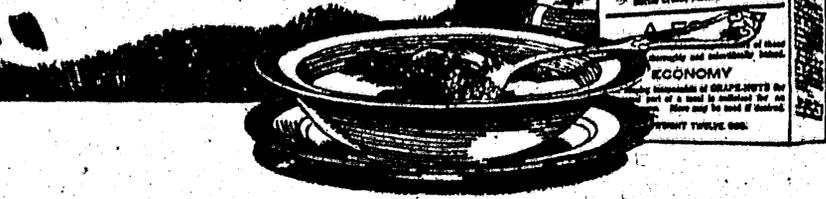
The finger print is a scientific method of identification. A movement is afoot in Michigan for a state-wide registration system under which every one would be finger-printed. It is also planned by the government to establish a central bureau of identification with a national registration. It is deduced that prints are more permanent than the body itself, as physiologists tell us that the tissues of the entire body change once in about seven years, but whorls, curves and lines of the papilla always are renewed in conformity with the lines of childhood.

After an attack of scarlet fever the cuticle peeled off of a child's fingers. As an experiment prints were made. They were found to be just the same as those made before the sickness. A man chained to burn his fingers. They were badly blistered. After the blisters broke and the outer layer of the skin came off he made finger-prints each day until the fingers were completely healed. The ridges grow gradually until they made the same sharp prints that they had made before the accident.

Equipped for It. She (describing Canadian trip)—They watched a boat shoot the rapids. He—Ah, a gunboat, I presume.

Couldn't. Dick—"What did she say when you kissed her?" Ted—"She didn't say a thing until afterward."

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Turkey is said to have abolished polygamy, and a wag adds, "Some divorce lawyers have probably broken into the Ottoman legislature."

Harding, Hughes and Hoover are for the International Court of Justice. Lodge, Lenroot and all the other L's may fuss and fume, but in the end join the H's.

Borah, Johnson and some less able senators among the irreconcilable Republicans are expected to put up a stiff fight against the International Court of Justice; it, of necessity, will be a forlorn hope.

President Harding's announcement that his administration is "irrevocably committed" to the International Court project clears the decks for action, and before the smoke of battle dissolves into its various and constituent parts we shall know who's who in the Republican party.

Borah, Johnson, et al, can't go over to the Democrats after they lose their fight against the International Court proposition. The Democrats are very largely behind the President on the issue. But, there is no reason why the irreconcilables couldn't find a home—they shouldn't forget the Three Tailors of Tooty Street.

The galleries will, no doubt, derive much amusement from listening to the next United States senate. The political results are due to make give promise of an acrobatic performance unexcelled in our history. Some of the performers, unavoidably, will be absent, because of their star feats in tumbling on the 7th of last November.

Senator Lodge is said to oppose the President's plan to become a member of the International Court of Justice. But that indicates nothing. The distinguished senator who hails from the city that legally prohibited bath tubs as late as 1852 has been on every side of the question, and the practice he has had justifies the belief that he will land safely on his pedal extremities in the administration camp.

### Call for Bids

For the building of a fence on the Carrizozo-White Oaks road, bids will be received for a four-wire fence, No. 12 black wire to be used and posts to be set 25 feet apart and set in ground at least 18 inches, and about 5 1/4 miles fencing to be built; also 1 1/4 miles old fence to be moved over a short distance, and all posts to be not less than 2 1/4 inches at small end, not less than 6 nor more than 8 1/2 feet long. All bids will be opened upon the first Monday in May. For further particulars, see any member of the Board of County Commissioners. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

All the material to be furnished by the person doing the work, and they must give bond in double the amount of their bid.

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If all the soap that is manufactured annually in the United States could be floated—and much of it could be—it would represent a tonnage not greatly less than that of the United States navy, battleships, cruisers, destroyers, submarines, transports and all. The bureau of the census has just issued figures for 1919, according to which 2,432,591,000 pounds of soap was manufactured in the United States that year. That is 1,216,295 tons. These figures are for all forms of soap.

Figured on the basis of the present estimated population of the country there is produced each year twenty-two pounds of soap for every person in the country, although there is perhaps no commodity which varies more in point of individual consumption than this one. More soap is being produced in proportion to the population than in the output of twenty years ago—about five pounds more for every individual in the country.—New York Herald.

### Notice of Time and Place Set for Hearing of Petition for Probate of Will

IN THE PROBATE COURT, Lincoln County, State of New Mexico.

Last Will and Testament of WILLIAM H. FISHER, Deceased.

To William C. Fisher, John C. Fisher, A. Beecher Fisher, Martin C. Fisher, Carlton Fisher, Annie L. Metcalf, and

To All Whom It May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that an instrument in writing which purports to be the last will of William H. Fisher, deceased, having come into possession of said probate court, and a petition for the probate thereof, and for the issuance of letters testamentary to Chloe May Walter Fisher and to John C. Fisher, having been filed by Chloe May Walter Fisher;

Now I, Ralph M. Treat, clerk of said Probate Court, hereby fix and appoint Tuesday, the 8th day of May, 1923, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, and the court room of said court, at the court house in Carrizozo, in said county of Lincoln, state of New Mexico, as the time and place for the proving of said will, and for the hearing of said petition.

Dated this 3rd day of April, A. D., 1923.

[Seal] RALPH M. TRAY, Clerk of said Court.

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# HISTORY'S MYSTERIES

## "WHO STOLE CHARLEY ROSS?"

THE most famous kidnaping mystery in America and one which created more interest the world over than any other crime of the kind ever committed—with the possible exception of the loss of some of the children of royalty—was the disappearance of Charley Ross, young son of a Philadelphia family. For nearly half a century the case has baffled the greatest detectives of the world and, in spite of every effort that has been made, in spite of the expenditure of huge sums of money, the mystery is as deep today as it was on July 1, 1874, when the boy was first missed.

Christian K. Ross lived in Germantown, an outlying section of Philadelphia, and Charley was the youngest of his five children. At the time of his kidnaping, the child was only four years old and was playing with his brother, Walter, on the sidewalk in front of the house.

Some days previous to the kidnaping, according to the story which Walter Ross told the police, three men had spoken to the boys and had given them some candy. On July 1, these same men drove up in a wagon and invited the Ross boys to take a ride to the nearest fireworks store. The brothers got in and were driven some distance to a section of the city known as Kensington, where Walter Ross was given a quarter and told to get out and go into the nearest store to make his purchase. When he came out of the store the wagon had disappeared.

After searching in vain for his brother for several minutes, Walter Ross became alarmed and commenced to cry. His grief attracted a crowd of men and he was taken home, but no clue could be discovered as to the whereabouts of his brother. The Philadelphia police searched every part of the city for three days and advertisements were placed in the papers without success until, on the morning of July 4 came a poorly written and ill-spelled letter stating that "Charley is all right, but you will have to pay us before we get him from us and pay us big, too." This letter concluded with the threat that the boy would be instantly killed if any attempt were made to put the police on his trail.

On July 8 another letter arrived demanding \$20,000, which Mr. Ross, in spite of the protests of the police and private detectives, agreed to pay. Owing to the watchfulness of the police, however, the kidnapers were frightened and failed to keep the appointments which they made with the boy's father.

Not only all America but Europe as well, was now concerned with the Ross kidnaping case and the brightest minds in the detective forces of two continents joined in the search, lured by the size of the reward and the fame which would accompany an actual solution of the mystery. Reports of the missing boy came from all sections of the country and Mr. Ross made more than 300 trips in running down clues which proved to be false, in addition to spending at least \$60,000 in his fruitless search. Almost up to the present time, men who have claimed to be Charley Ross have put in their appearance, only to have their stories shattered by some details which fail to match in with the facts.

The nearest approach to a solution of the mystery was the deathbed confession of two burglars named Mosher and Douglas, but the truth of their statements could never be verified because they died before giving an accurate description of what they had done with the boy's body.

Mr. Ross continued the search until his death in 1907, and the boy's mother, who died only a few years ago, always maintained that her boy was not dead, but that he would come back to her some day. Her belief was never sustained, however, and the mystery of Charley Ross remains one of the unsolved riddles of the police department, the classic case of successful kidnaping to which all others are compared.

### Field Bugs as Toys.

The field bugs, known in America as June bugs, have resumed their place as toys for German children. An extraordinary flood of the beetles has sent hundreds of Berliners into nearby forests and fields to catch thousands of them and sell them to dealers who, in turn, retail them to fond parents and children. The bugs sell at ten for a mark now, whereas before the war a dozen could be bought for a few pennings. The dealer makes 800 per cent profit, those engaged in catching them declare. Farmers encourage the catching of the bugs as playthings for city children, as they are destructive to the foliage of orchards and vineyards. The unusually large plague of field bugs has revived the custom of catching them for sale for the first time since the war. An expert "catcher" usually brings in about 1,000 bugs a day. They live for about ten days as playthings.

### Compulsory Errors.

"You have made a few mistakes in your policies." "I was forced to do so," replied Senator Borah. "On one or two of

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This locality was visited by a most welcome snow and rain last week. While no great amount of moisture fell, yet it is hoped that this season will not be as dry as the past one. Farmers are busy planting corn in the hopes that the moisture is sufficient to sprout the grain.

Miss Ota Casey and the pupils of school have recently planted trees around the school grounds. Flower beds have also been made and seeds will be sown as soon as the season permits. Such work is very commendable and should receive the hearty support of the community.

Everyone is invited to attend the pie social to be given at the Hale schoolhouse on the 28th. The proceeds from the sale of pies is to be applied on the purchase of an organ for use in the Sunday School and other community gatherings.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk of Tularosa, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hammon of Alamogordo, visited the Miller family last Sunday.

Henry Hale and Robt. Eschom went to Fort Stanton Sunday, where both have secured employment.

Mrs. Browning, who has been ill for some time, is reported to be improving.

Ulric Miller made a trip to Tularosa last week where he received treatment for an affection of the ear.

The Sunday School, under the direction of Superintendent Mrs. D. H. Lucas, is progressing fine, and a good attendance is reported each week.

Fruit buds in this section are alive, and the prospects are good for a full fruit crop the coming season.

G. A. Friedenbloom, formerly proprietor of the White Mountain Inn, called on friends in this community recently.

L. W. Adams of Glencoe was in our neighborhood last week. Mr. Adams, who made good last year in the culture and sale of everbearing strawberries, is enlarging his acreage and hopes for a bumper crop of the delicious fruit this year.

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Educational News

(By Mrs. Louise E. Cox)

All High Schools now in existence, having an average daily attendance of eight or more, may be continued and budget allowances therefor shall be made.

For High Schools you are allowed to budget for the employment of one teacher for every 20 pupils or major fraction in average attendance.

Section 1002 provides that two or more contiguous school districts having a combined average attendance of 200 or more pupils may unite and form a union high school district for the purpose of establishing and maintaining a high school therein.

Estimates for the maintenance of schools, both elementary and high school, should include teachers' salaries, janitors' wages, supplies, fuel, water, and light, insurance, interest on certificates of indebtedness, library and school supplies, books for indigent children, census enumeration, transportation of pupils, educational board per diem and administration and emergency funds.

Truant officers and nurses cannot be legally employed, as no provision has been made for such expense.

Direct-district charges are met by a special tax on the district, which shall be for the leasing of school buildings, erection and repairs, new equipment, purchase or improvement of school grounds or buildings, purchase or repairs to school trucks, interest and sinking funds for district bonds.

No transportation can be provided unless you have at least 10 pupils whom it is necessary to transport, and such pupils must reside over three miles from the school building.

No budget allowance can be made in any school district unless there is an average daily attendance of at least eight pupils. The allowance for the purchase of books and supplies for indigent pupils is limited to \$50 in any one district.

King Tut's Shirts, King Tut's Neckties, the very latest, at the 'Store of Class, where you always find the latest creations - Carrizozo Trading Co.

AUTOMOBILE OWNERS TAKE NOTICE

I find that a number of automobile owners in Lincoln county have not yet made application for their 1923 license, and it is my duty as Sheriff to remind them of the fact that the law is strict, and requires me to apprehend the owners of all cars that do not bear a 1923 license plate.

You will oblige by calling at the court house and making your application at once. E. W. HARRIS, 4-13-14 Sheriff Lincoln County.

SEEDS SEEDS SEEDS

Corn, Black Amber and Sumac Cane; Maize and Millet. One work mule and set double work harness. Humphrey Bros.

NOTICE OF SCHOOL DISTRICT ELECTIONS

UNION HIGH SCHOOL

Whereas, a petition for the calling of an election to vote on the question of a Union High School, to be located at Hondo, for Districts Nos. 2, 4, 20 and 33, County of Lincoln, New Mexico, has been duly presented and found to be in accordance with law.

Now, therefore, it is resolved that an election for said purpose shall be held in said Districts 2, 4, 20 and 33 on the 19th day of May, 1923.

Done this 17th day of April, 1923. Lincoln County Board of Education.

CONSOLIDATING DISTRICTS 33 and 20

Whereas, a petition for the calling of an election to vote on question of the Consolidation of District 33 with District 20, County of Lincoln, New Mexico, has been duly presented and found to be in accordance with law.

Now, therefore, it is resolved that an election for said purpose be held in District No. 33 on the 19th day of May, 1923.

Dated this 17th day of April, 1923. Lincoln County Board of Education.

CREATING A NEW SCHOOL DISTRICT

Whereas, a petition for the calling of an election to vote on the question of creating a new School District out of Districts Nos. 8 and 29, County of Lincoln, New Mexico, has been duly presented and found to be in accordance with law.

Now, therefore, it is resolved that an election for said purpose shall be held in said Districts on the 19th day of May, 1923.

Done this 19th day of April, 1923. Lincoln County Board of Education.

Bible Thoughts for the Week

Sunday. WHEN FOOLS CRY.—Fools, because of their transgression, and because of their iniquities are afflicted. Then they cry unto the Lord in their trouble, and he saveth them out of their distresses.—Psalm 107: 17, 18.

Monday. GOD'S GOOD GIFTS.—The Lord will give grace and glory; no good thing will be withheld from them that walk uprightly.—Psalm 84: 11.

Tuesday. GOSPEL OF CHRIST.—I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ: for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth; to the Jew first, and also to the Greek.—Romans 1: 16.

Wednesday. GOD IS MERCIFUL.—Thou art a God ready to pardon, gracious and merciful, slow to anger, and of great kindness.—Nehemiah 9: 17.

Thursday. RIGHT REASONING.—Let us reason together, saith the Lord; though your sins be as scarlet, they shall be as white as snow.—Isa. 1: 18.

Friday. SAFE STEPS.—The steps of a good man are ordered by the Lord; and he delighteth in his way.—Psalm 37: 23.

Saturday. HEAVENLY TREASURES.—Lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt, and where thieves do not break through nor steal.—Matthew 6: 20.

CLASSIFIED

Mrs. J. K. Such has received a choice assortment of candles. visit will convince you. 2-16A.

The advantage of buying and selling for cash is mutual—merchant and customer profit—City Market.

For that Spring Fever—Aph. Saraparilla or Imperatorine, at the Paden Drug Store.

Three-quarter-inch galvanized pipe, 12c per foot at Taylor's hardware store. 1-25-14.

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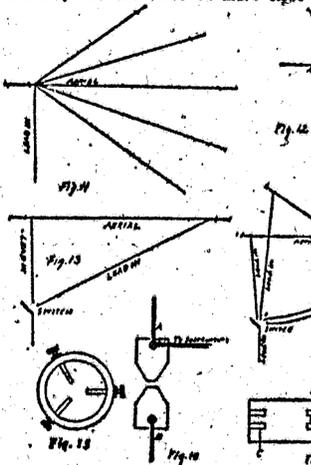
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VIII. MORE ABOUT AERIALS

If there are several sending stations at various points from your set, it is often a very good plan to run several aerial wires at right angles or radiating as shown in figures 11 and 12, connecting them together and running the lead-in from the point where all join, as shown. Sometimes this principle may be reversed and several lead-ins may be carried from the outer ends of the radiating aerials and joined to form a single lead-in and will bring even better results, figures 13 and 14. These several lead-ins may be connected by means of an anchoring-rod, to equalize the waves or currents, or they may be provided with multiple point switches as shown in Figs. 13 and 14. This switch arrangement has the great advantage that you can largely cut out stations you do not wish to hear by using the lead-in towards the station you desire to hear. This will result in the others being fainter or weaker in comparison and they can therefore be more effectively tuned out by your instruments.

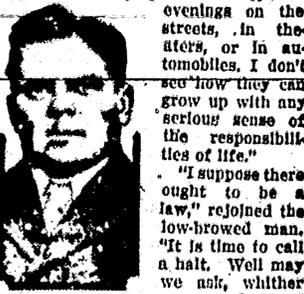
telegraphic spark signals from some station and yet, merely by altering the direction of their aerial or the position of the lead in they could hear everything perfectly. So you see a great deal may depend upon the simple aerial, even if it consists of only a single wire. On the other hand, many amateurs have obtained splendid results with a wire run around the walls of a room near the ceiling; a wire run through a hallway; a wire dropped down an air-shaft or elevator shaft, or even from an iron bedstead or bed-spring. It all depends so much upon local and climatic conditions, surroundings and other conditions that no hard and fast rules can be made, but despite all this, nine times out of ten, a high aerial, well above surrounding buildings and from 100 to 150 feet long, will give the best results. But remember that if there are elevated tracks, steel bridges, trolley lines, electric wires or steel structures near, you should run your aerial at right angles to them in order to avoid leakage through inductance. You must also bear in mind that the "ground" is almost as important as the aerial, for without a good ground the set will not work. A water, steam, or gas pipe will usually make an excellent ground, but before using it be sure there is no insulation between the connection of your wires and the earth or that the pipe does not enter an earthen or tile pipe near the ground or in the cellar. In making the ground connection, scrape the pipe clean and bright and solder the wire to it. If this is not possible, wind the connection with tin-foil and the wire and wrap it with adhesive tape. Where no pipe is available carry the ground wire to a sheet of copper, an old copper boiler or a copper tank or basin filled with charcoal and buried at least five feet under the surface of the earth. A lightning rod or fire escape will sometimes make a very good ground. But it is not so much what you use for a ground as how good the connections are and how well the object is grounded. Do not use an



Uncle Walt's Story

THE RISING GENERATION

"I WONDER what sort of men and women the children of today will make?" sighed the professor. "They all seem to have the idea that amusement is the one thing that is important. They spend their days and evenings on the streets, in automobiles, or in automobiles. I don't see how they can grow up with any serious sense of the responsibilities of life."



But, to tell the truth, I'm not losing any sleep over that proposition. I have the idea that the kids of this generation will stack up as high as any you ever knew. Among them there are several presidents of the United States, and innumerable congressmen and postmasters, and perhaps one or two Shakespeares.

"I've noticed that the old boys always view with alarm where the kids are concerned. It was that way when I was young. The boys of our neighborhood formed a gang, and we used to assemble every evening for diversion. There were no automobiles or movies then. Our pleasures were of the cheap but filling kind. In the winter, when there was snow, we took our handsheds and had great sport. Our parents found it impossible to get us to do any useful work when the sleighing was good, and said parents used to get pretty despondent over it."

"I have heard my father say a hundred times that the boys of that period were not worth the powder that would blow them off the landscape. 'All they think of is fun,' he used to say, so discouraged he could hardly stand it. 'When I was young,' he'd go on, 'children understood that amusement was merely incidental, not an end and aim in itself. When I was ten years old I used to saw all the wood used by the family, and carry buckets of water from a spring

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few minutes to spare I sat down and read a good book, so that when I was twelve years old I knew the unabridged dictionary by heart. But the boys of the present day won't do anything useful or profitable unless you stand over them with a club!

"Father used to talk that way all the time, until I got sick of hearing him. My grandfather was alive then, and he felt worse about it than dad did. He used to say he'd be figgered if he could see anything ahead of such boys as he knew, but the jail or the poorhouse. All we cared for was a good time.

"It was the same way at school. If a boy was half an hour late in the morning, because he got interested in a game of marbles on his way to school, the teacher would say he never did see such a frivolous bunch as the boys of that generation were, and then he'd take down a small sapling from the wall and larrup the student until his troubled soul was soothed. 'All the old graybeards were agreed that the boys of the neighborhood were headed for the everlasting blow-downs, and we were always being lectured and roasted and held up as horrible examples. Yet, the most of us did pretty well. I am the only one I can recall who didn't make a shining success of life. I am grand worthy, custodian of my aunt's cows. I might have risen to a greater height, but I was crossed in love when I was young. A man doesn't recover from an experience like that. He loses his ambition to be president, and is satisfied to peddle milk.



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# Milady Chooses Styles to Suit

The American woman looks to the designer of her own land for her best expression in clothes, and this season much has been done to please the smartly dressed woman, writes a fashion correspondent in the New York Times. The designers say we no longer must be extremely young in our appearance, neither must we make any effort to be too noticeably dignified. We are to be allowed, it seems, to choose our own styles from among so many models and designs that it will be our own fault if we should fail to find just the proper and most becoming thing.

Among the many creations we find high lights. They are important in that they go to make up the fashion, but none of them is so startling as to constitute a complete change. The gowns as they appear to the casual eye are still straight and rather long. But the straightness is made up of more fullness of material than

the printed material, then half of it manages to show a pattern, and the lower part of the dress is made of a woolen material or a plain silk or something that contrasts with the pattern of the silk above. There are printed silks and printed chiffons, all of them most interesting when made up in the plain little frocks which will be popular all through the spring and summer seasons.

Dresses for the street are made of the softest of woolen materials, some in kasha cloth, some in lightweight velours and others in wool crepes. One of the newest outlines is the skirt with three tiers. These flounces are made over a circular pattern, a skirt that is particularly becoming to the slim and youthful figure. The dress of this character has trimmings of black around the edges and the frock itself is made of a light shade of tan. After the black has been applied along the edges there ensues an interval of black and white striped ribbon that helps to accentuate the decoration.



The Three-Tiered Skirt, Indicative of Spring Styles in Daytime Wear.

Wraps for the spring are made along large and ample lines. There is, first of all, the straight coat, which lies on the side with a bow of ribbon and usually has a huge bow of satin ribbon to tie the coat together on one side. There is a fur collar, too, and a straight line to the coat which carries out the idea of the silhouette of the season. Some of these coats are embroidered in all-over designs and there is no portion of the coat which is left without that embroidered ornamentation.

Short Coats Are Draped. There are short, graceful and draped coats which will be a strong feature of the early spring styles and they promise to carry over into the summer. A short coat can be made of almost any material. It may be embroidered, made of some brightly colored fabric, or it can have the same tone as the skirt; made of another sort of material. The fact is that there is so much chance with these little bloused jackets to create differing and unusual effects that they have been pounced upon by the smart women and worn so that they display the foremost elements of fashion.

Light-colored short coats will be worn with white skirts or lighter-toned dresses. And the dark coats covered with embroidery will be worn with the darker toned silk dresses during the early spring to demonstrate the fashion as it exists at present.

There are some straight box coats to be seen and these are made of the same materials that go to make up the shorter boxlike coats. Then we are working our way slowly toward a three-quarter coat which will be popular about the middle of the summer. Many of the three-piece suits are made with short coats that come to a long waistline and end there, showing a skirt that is made of the same material and a bodice or a top to the skirt that is made of some brilliantly contrasting material.

Many of the three-piece suits show coats that are exaggerated in their shortness, but others are displaying coats longer and more conservative in line. If a woman is at all large about the hips she does not want to indulge too strenuously in the coat that spans across the hips, but she can well afford to adhere to the coat that is of three-quarter length and without a belt or anything to accentuate the hip line or the waist. Many of the costume suits are made on this general plan and they are really the most satisfactory things that the American designers have produced. They show a surface that is dark in color or light in tone with the same shade running all the way from the shoulders to the



The Tweed Suit Will Be Simple in Line and Plain in Finish.

heels, and then they have blouses or bodices, as the case may be, that are brilliant and altogether charming in their coloring. When the coat swings apart in the front, it always does

# GOOD ROADS

## ROAD BUILDING IS PROBLEM

Development of Railroad Systems Has Retarded Improvement of Country Highways.

The highways of the United States as they existed in the year 1900 resulted from a gradual development extending, roughly, over a period of three hundred years. During this time there was no radical change in either the vehicle or the motive power. So far as concerns the general function of the highways, in our scheme of transportation, a very great change was introduced with the beginning of railroad development, about 1820.

Prior to the development of railroads, our only means of land transportation was over the highways. Had it not been for the development of the railroad system of the United States, there is no doubt whatever, in my mind, but that we should have in the United States at the present time a system of federal and state highways comparing favorably with similar systems that were developed, first by the Romans, and later by the modern European states, writes Prof. L. E. Conrad of the Kansas State Agricultural college in the Kansas City Star.

The matter of determining the best type of road to build is not easy. The whole problem of motor operation, as it confronts the American people at the present time, has come upon us so suddenly as compared to most developments, and the problem is so stupendous, that any sensible person should be willing to admit that it is unreasonable to expect our highway commissions and highway engineers to know exactly what to do under all circumstances. It is much less reasonable to expect local road officials who have devoted comparatively little study to the subject, and who have been elected because of their high standing in the community as citizens rather than as highway experts, to have a satisfactory grasp of the problem.

The middle western states which, to me, seem best to prove this statement are Illinois, Minnesota and Nebraska. All three have state highway systems. The conditions in the three states are vastly different. The three highway commissions have adopted policies which are quite different but which are admirably adapted to the conditions in their several states.

Illinois has a large population, with nearly 700,000 automobiles and trucks registered in the year 1921. The area is comparatively small. They have constructed a large mileage of pavement.

In Minnesota, with about half of the automobile and truck registration of Illinois, and with a much larger area to be served, there has been comparatively little pavement constructed. The highway commission has confined its efforts in the main to the construction of a large mileage of gravel and graded earth roads. The state is favored with a good supply of excellent road gravel and many tourists from other states can vouch for the skill with which it has been used.

In Nebraska, with about two-thirds of the number of automobiles and trucks found in Minnesota, and also having a comparatively large area, the highway commission has considered it best to confine its efforts, for the most part, to the grading and maintenance of a large mileage of earth roads. Many travelers crossing Nebraska have been surprised by the excellent results obtained by their highway department with graded earth roads.

The people of Missouri are to be congratulated on having finally adopted the only policy for handling their state highway problem that has ever brought satisfactory results. The present expenditures may seem large, but I am convinced that before 20 years have elapsed the people of this state will be well satisfied with their investment.

## RULES FOR DRAGGING

- The following rules are given by the Illinois highway commission:
- Use a light drag.
  - Haul it over the road at an angle so that a small amount of earth is pushed to the center of the road.
  - Drive the team at a walk.
  - Ride on the drag; do not walk.
  - Begin at one side of the road, returning up the opposite side.
  - Drag the road as soon after every rain as possible, but not when the mud is in such a condition as to stick to the drag.
  - Do not drag a dry road.
  - Drag whenever possible at all seasons of the year.

Education of Children. There are 30,000,000 children in the country who should be attending school, but of this number only 15,000,000 get there. Good roads would make the securing of education easier for the remaining 15,000,000 children.

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Smart Boy. "Your boy Josh is a smart kid." "He is," replied Farmer Cornsweel. "He's so smart that he kin take life easy an' leave me to do all the worryin' 'bout whether the farm will support him."

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# LOGAN COUNTY LEADS COLORADO IN WHEAT PRODUCTION

Logan again ranked first among Colorado counties in the value of its wheat crop in 1922, the total farm value of the entire production being \$2,465,640, according to compilations made by Howard D. Sullivan, statistician of the State Immigration Department, and W. W. Putnam, agriculture statistician of the United States Bureau of Agricultural Economics, and based upon reports of county assessors. Washington county ranked first in acreage of wheat, but the average production per acre was slightly below that in Logan county, and the total valuation of Washington county's crop is placed at \$2,423,288. Yuma county is third, with a total wheat production valued at \$2,340,944. Weld county holds fourth rank, with a wheat crop valued at \$2,241,230. The acreage of wheat in this county is much below that in the other three counties, but the average yield per acre is considerably higher for the reason that much spring wheat is raised under irrigation in Weld county, while there is very little wheat grown under irrigation in the other three counties named.

"No Price Set on Blood" Seattle, Wash.—Ruling that no gauge of the value of human blood exists, Judge John B. Davidson in the Superior Court here threw out a suit of Arthur Castellani, dish washer, against his former employer, a restaurant man. Castellani asked \$5,000 for a quart of his blood that he said had been transfused into his employer's veins, saving his life. "There is no known means to compute the value of a quart of human blood, and therefore a jury should not be allowed to speculate on the question," commented the court.

Women Pay Large Share of Tax Albany, N. Y.—Women filing separate returns paid 16.5 per cent of the total income tax of New York state residents in 1920, according to data made public by the State Tax Commission. Of the returns, 30.4 per cent were made independently by women, the commission said, and it is believed that the percentage was at least as high in this year's tax, due April 15. Women filing separate returns paid a total of \$5,108,075. Of the single women, 103 reported incomes amounting to \$100,000 or over.

Will Study Hot Springs' Powers Hot Springs, Ark.—Dr. Hubert Work, secretary of the interior, declared before leaving for St. Louis and Washington, after concluding his inspection of the Hot Springs National Park, that he would call a conference with the surgeon general of the United States to discuss proper methods of determining the reputed healing qualities of the hot waters on the government reservation, and intimated that he would seek a government investigation.

**LOCAL AND PERSONAL**

Get your trash and rubbish ready to move on May 5.

Judge Hewitt was down from White Oaks Tuesday.

Delicious are the candies now at Mrs. J. K. Such.

H. L. McDaniels is in today from his ranch, thirty-five miles north. Mac says everything is looking fine in his section.

Measles are still prevalent in the town, although they have just about run out of material—they've hit almost every home.

Mrs. Louise H. Gos, county superintendent of schools, returned Tuesday afternoon from a visit to various schools of the county.

Mrs. Robert Willingham and other ladies were here Saturday from their homes east of Corona, looking after school affairs for their district.

Dye the old bonnet—Colorite or Meyer Straw Hat Dye at the Paden Drug Store.

Major Geo. W. McGhee was down Monday from Nogal. He says he is getting some very satisfactory returns from developments on the Harvester mine.

Manuel Gonzales, one of the old citizens of the county, is in the Paden Hospital recovering from an operation performed last Friday.

Robert Forsythe was here yesterday from White Oaks. Bob says that local mining conditions have the appearance of a slight up-trend in the old bailiwick.

Champ and Don Ferguson, sons of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Ferguson of the Mesa, are in Wilmington, Cal., and doing well. The boys say they will make a stake before returning. They ordered the News sent each week.

Lloyd Taylor is here from the State of Chihuahua, Mexico. He has been looking after the Block cattle shipped to Mexico last December. He says they are doing well.

Rumaldo Duran, former sheriff of Lincoln county, was over yesterday from Encinoso. Rumaldo hopes to get the Encinoso post office reestablished in the near future.

Candies, the choicest and sweetest made, at Mrs. J. K. Such's. Get a sack.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bragg came over Tuesday morning from their home on Bonito, and took No. 3 for El Paso. Mrs. Bragg is taking the radium treatment for cancer.

Col. G. W. Prichard came in from Santa Fe Sunday night and remained through the week, attending to the interests of clients at the present sitting of the District court.

Mrs. Bernice Fite, of Cloudcroft, spent Saturday to Monday here, visiting her daughter Opal and other relatives. She was accompanied by Mrs. George Harkness, who returned with her.

Wallace Schotzer, who ranches near Corona, but over the line in Torrance county, was here the first of the week, a witness in a case to be heard at the present term of the District court.

King Tut's Shirts, King Tut's Neckties, the very latest, at the "Store of Class," where you always find the latest creations.—Carrizozo Trading Co.

Mrs. Wayne Van Schoyck and little son returned Wednesday morning from a visit to relatives in El Paso, and went to their home at White Oaks in the afternoon. Mrs. Van Schoyck's sister, Miss Josephine Schale, had spent the previous week at White Oaks, her former home.

W. L. Burnett, formerly with the City Market, has purchased the Star Cafe and took charge this week. Mr. Burnett is an experienced restaurant man and will give his personal attention to the business.

FOR SALE—Some 1 1/4 inch Studebaker wagons at low prices. THE TITMOUTH CO. 3-11-ff Captain.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Garrard have leased the Wetmore Apartments for the period of one year, and will take possession of the building on the first. They will retain the Temple rooming house as well.

Bill Kennedy, who has been nursing some old poor cows all winter at his ranch east of town, was with us for a short time Monday. He says the worst appears to be over and that most of his stuff is now on the mend.

Taylor's Hardware Store is headquarters for pipe, fittings, plumbing fixtures, such as bath tubs, sinks, etc. 1-26tf

**Notice of Clean-Up Day**

Now that spring is upon us, with the usual cessation of winds and the more frequency of showers, we naturally want to enjoy the more beautified Village that nature in this way provides. Much more will be the enjoyment, however, and much more the beauty of our Village, if we put forth an effort at this time to clean up the streets and alleys and all vacant lots, and all other places, where filth and trash have accumulated during the winter.

With this end in view, I hereby proclaim Saturday, May 5, 1923,

**CLEAN-UP DAY;**

and upon this day, vehicles will be provided and call for all rubbish and trash that you may have gathered together convenient for loading. All are urged to put forth an effort to clean up their premises before the above date, and in this way do their part in this much needed service. JULIAN M. TAYLOR, Mayor. 4-30-23

**To the Public**

In view of the fact that many of our out-of-town people have been unable to take advantage of

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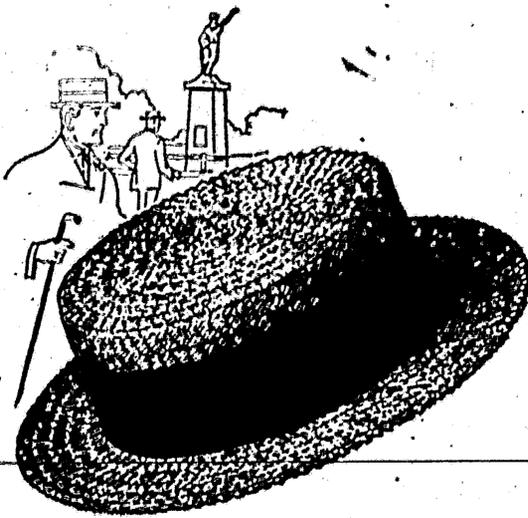
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**Crystal Theatre**

Sat. Apr. 29—"Brute Master," with Hobart Bosworth. W. W. Hodgkinson. "Snooky's Fresh Heir," with the "Ape."

Tues. May 1—"Grand Larceny," featuring Elliot Dexter, and "When Kane met Able."

Fri. May 4—"Buffalo Bill," No. 14. "White and Yellow," and "Sting 'em Sweet."

Sat. May 5—"Coast of Opportunity," and "Let Me Explain," W. W. Hodgkinson.

The State School Auditor will be here May 5, to meet the County Budget Commissioners, for the purpose of making up the school district budgets for the year.

Leather Suit Cases, Leather Hand Bags, 20 per cent discount, at the "Store of Class.—Carrizozo Trading Co.

Sabino Gonzales came in the past week from Madrid, Santa Fe county, where he had been the past few months engaged in coal mining. Sabino is just recovering from a smash-up in the mine, and shows quite plainly the effects of his confinement, following his injury. He was called here by his father's illness.

FOR SALE—Mammoth Bronze Turkeys—Toms 34 to 36 pounds, \$25.00 to \$27.50. Hens, 12 to 15 pounds, \$15.00. Eggs, \$1.00 each. W. N. Williamson, Carrizozo, Phone 94. 4-20-41

Sunday afternoon at the hour of two-thirty, what promises to be a good game of base ball will be played on the local diamond. Captain and Caucisco have been friendly rivals on the diamond for fifteen or more years, and while the material on both sides has been constantly changing, the rivalry between the towns for supremacy with the bat and ball remains unchanged. Therefore a spirited game is anticipated, and a large number of the old-time fans and twirlers, who, having "hid their bit," retired in favor of a younger set of ball

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