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Grand and Petit Jurors.

The following is the list of grand and petit jurors drawn for the Spring Term of District Court for Lincoln county. The Grand Jury has been summoned to appear Monday, April 1, and the Petit Jury a week later.

GRAND JURY

No.	Name	Pres't
1	Romulo Salazar	1
2	Jones Pennington	16
3	W. P. Loughrey	14
4	W. L. Robinson	12
5	R. R. Dean	1
6	Fred Haskins	7
7	O. S. Stearns	14
8	A. E. Rohde	9
9	Lute Skinner	11
10	George Rustin	14
11	J. C. Brickley	16
12	Thomas Richardson	3
13	L. R. LaMay	11
14	Ebb K. Jones	14
15	W. R. Lovelace	13
16	Dan Franks	13
17	G. C. Brown	13
18	W. K. Read	14
19	O. L. Blanchard	14
20	W. J. Humphrey	14
21	W. G. Dishman	13
TALKERS		
1	Joe Stratton	14
2	Frank Maxwell	14
3	John Nelson	2
4	Fred Lalone	14
5	Nick Brill	3
6	Guillermo Bartlett	1
PATRICK JURY		
1	Ernest Dingwall	14
2	L. B. Crawford	14
3	Ray Lemons	14
4	Tom Stroope	12
5	Jimmie Cooper	14
6	Roy McDonald	13
7	D. L. Spald	16
8	S. W. Kelley	12
9	Jean Warner	1
10	William Gallacher	14
11	Apoloena Montoya	4
12	A. J. McBrayer	14
13	Antilla Wooster	14
14	Jean Bartlett	1
15	Walter McClane	14
16	A. S. McCamant	13
17	Martin Bartlett	1
18	Saturnino Chavez	14
19	Dan McFarland	17
20	D. A. Sanders	14
21	John Sloan	13
22	M. D. Chavez	9
23	Reyes Marzo	5
24	Francisco Chavarri	14
TALKERS		
1	T. A. Dolan	14
2	W. T. Sterling	15
3	Peregrino Vega	14
4	Ladislado Garcia	1
5	Orville Smith	14
6	Omer Owen	13
7	G. T. Hamilton	3
8	H. J. Garrard	14

Santa Fe Letter

(From Our Correspondent)

Santa Fe, March 19.—Governor Jas. F. Hinkle feels that another democratic victory "is in the cards" for 1924. In the last campaign economy and good government were stressed on the platform by the governor and other democratic speakers. When the ballots were counted the greatest democratic landslide in the history of the state was revealed. Governor Hinkle believes the present state administration has made good these promises. The public debt has been reduced more than a million dollars. The state's expenses were reduced more than a half million last year, and they are expected to be reduced even more this year. This, together with the fact that the party seems to be united as never before, he said, convinces him that the democrats will repeat their clean sweep of 1922 at the polls in 1924.

Saying that the attorney general's office believes section 401 of the school code probably unconstitutional, Assistant Attorney General Armstrong has advised the nomination of candidates for county school superintendent at county primaries and conventions. This section provides for the appointment of the superintendent by the county board of education after January 1, 1925. If nominations are made, he pointed out, one or more candidates can take steps to determine the constitutionality of this section once and for all by legal proceedings.

Representative Nicholas J. Sinnett of Oregon has introduced a bill in congress providing for the extension of the Navajo Indian reservation to take in approximately 1800 sections of land, according to a letter from Representative John Morrow to Governor Hinkle. The 1800 sections are in San Juan and McKinley counties. "I want to know if the people of this state are in favor of such an aggression or not," said the Senator. He said he would be glad to hear from any who cared to write him or talk to him about the matter.

Mr. Brookhart. Mr. President—

The Presiding Officer. Does the Senator from Utah further yield to the Senator from Iowa?

Mr. King. If the Senator desires to ask a question, yes.

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Mr. King. I would rather the Senator would ask me a question, and make speech in his own time.

Mr. Brookhart. Here is the question: Does the Senator know that in spite of all the newspaper criticisms of the operation of the railroads by the government, in spite of all the bad McAdoo management we hear about, the first 10 months after the roads were turned back their operating expenses in private hands increased \$1,485,000,000, or nearly a billion and a half?

Mr. King. I have seen a multitude of statements affirming what the Senator says, and I have seen many statements denying the correctness of these figures.

Mr. Brookhart. If I furnish the figures from the reports of the Interstate Commerce Commission, and give the book and the page, will that be satisfactory?

The colloquy ended without the submission of the Interstate Commerce report, but the statement of the Iowa Senator went unchallenged.

Now, we find these statements in the pamphlet:

The total increase in the wages of railroad employees, under McAdoo, was approximately \$600,000,000. His successor gave increases of \$284,000,000.

When the railroads were returned to private management, March 1, 1920, the government labor board, railroad executives concurring, granted a further increase of \$620,000,000, in addition to the above.

The total increase, subsequent to the McAdoo increases, exceeded a \$1,000,000,000.

When the government assumed control, there were 1,703,743 employees; McAdoo increased this number to 1,820,660, while his successor, Hinkle, ran the number up to 1,870,525, at the time the roads were turned back to private control. This number, under private control, was increased, by August, 1920, to 2,197,824, a third of a million in excess of the government war-time number.

The Railroads

Much has been said concerning railroads, more particularly in comparing private operation to government operation. We have been little interested in the comparison because the only time this government ever operated the railroads was during the World War, and that, we submit in all fairness, was no test; for it was a period that time was the main element and the cost was a secondary consideration. Hence, when certain authorities asserted that the cost of government operation was excessive, we were not inclined to doubt it, because, as stated, it was at a time when results counted more than costs. Therefore, occupying a neutral position as we did then, still we were uninfluenced by the statement it was a failure—for the reason given above—neither is our opinion fixed by what is hereafter quoted, which, however, would indicate that private operation has not been all that it should have been. In other words our mind remains open on this much discussed question, but regard it as one worthy of unprejudiced consideration by the people, according merit wherever it is shown to exist.

Notwithstanding the belief that the cost of government operation of the railroads was unreasonable, with which we never took issue, and do not now, we, nevertheless, confess a new interest in the matter, when, this week, we read in the Congressional Record the statement made on the floor of the United States Senate that after the railroads had been turned back to private management the cost of operation was vastly increased. A pamphlet also reached our desk about the same time in which statistics are given in harmony with the Senate statement, and the coincidence is so striking, and, at the same time, so different from our impression, that we are impelled to quote from both, without endorsement, as we can not affirm their accuracy.

The question arose in the Senate while Senator King, of Utah, was discussing a government measure, and he was interrupted by Senator Brookhart, of Iowa. We quote from the proceedings:

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Capitan High School Notes

B. W. Webb, Principal
Topic: "Will Development Thru Will Action."

How does the will grow? It is what the individual himself resolves and does that forms new habits and attitudes and so essentially modifies character. The things that proceed from the heart—that is will, leave their mark on character. In one way it is a truism to say that will power and righteousness grow by exercise of the will, and in no other way. Through altruistic tendencies they add one step to the progress of socialization, for they impel the adolescent to associate with others, to sympathize with them, and so to act as to insure their approbation, but also to perform positive service to man at his own discomfort or disadvantage. Altruistic conduct may alternate with utter selfishness.

We, as in the adolescence period, must be a person in life for devotion to others, especially in self-sacrificing causes. Vows, agreements, pledges and other restrictions on one's freedom are made this period. Applied psychology teaches us that nature teaches the boy who would tell himself to his sweetheart as her husband that everything about him talks and that he must make it for her. For that reason he brushes his hair, washes his ears, shines his shoes, and puts on his best manners and the most pleasing smile, which is, all through the action of the will and habit formation. We cultivate attractive manners and common sense, and patiently build up a reputation for honesty and reliability. It would be an excellent idea for every boy and girl to receive some time or other in their education, a practical course in the fundamentals of applied psychology. Success depends upon the will of the man. Success has no secret. Her voice is forever ringing through the market place and crying in the wilderness, and the burden of the cry is equipped fully to climb to the heights of life, so that when we give the will the reins and say "Drive" they are headed toward the heights. Honesty and hard work have never failed to win out.

The class in general history will soon take up the world war. The 7th and 8th grades presented a picture of the beautiful Rhine Cathedral, in a handsome frame, to the high school department. Much praise due the 7th and 8th grades for their beautiful gift.

The general science class is doing very fine work. It has performed about sixty different experiments so far. Experiments relating to physics and chemistry are performed also.

Carrizozo Entertainers

The Entertainers desire to announce that the Metro folks have changed the dates on the "White Sister" and "The Three Ages." The latter, by Buster Keaton, will be given, March 25 and 26, and the former on April 8 and 9.

The following musical numbers will be played on piano and violin while the Buster Keaton comedy is being run off:

"Star-Spangled Banner," Dance of the Clowns, A Windy Day on the Battery, Glow Worm, Easy Melody, That Old Gang of Mine, Dapper Dan, Virginia Blues, Dardanelle, That Old Girl of Mine, etc.

This comedy is vaunted for by the press as one of the best plays of the day, and the author's only six-reel.

The following boys will act as ushers. They will wear Buster Keaton hats: Henry Humphrey, Boyd Loughrey, Herman Jeffries, Marshal Beck, Fred Lalone, Dennis Bigelow, Fred Billidge, and David Saunders.



Changes that you'll
bring about
never change myself.
Changes won't be the
same old ways.

Honesty, Hard Work and a
Disposition to Save
Have never failed to win out.

Buck up and "let's go."

A seed planted just about Easter
Will all of your care well repay,
A dollar is just as responsive,
So deposit a dollar today.

SAVE AND BE SAVV!

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Carrizozo, N. M.

"Try First National Service."

Our MEDICINES
make you feel

Fine and Dandy.

A bottle of medicine might contain good or bad medicine: something to get your money or something to make you feel better.

Whatever you buy, at our store is of the highest quality.

COME TO US FOR IT.

ROLLAND BROS.

Honolulu Police Destroy Rich Opium Pipe



There are a great many Chinese in Hawaii, and consequently there is a lot of opium smoking. The police, in their efforts to suppress it, seize vast numbers of "outfits", and these have been accumulating in Honolulu. The other day there was a house cleaning and nearly a thousand pipes were burned. Many of them were richly carved and inlaid with mother of pearl, and silver, being valued at more than \$100 apiece, while others were simple affairs consisting of two pieces of bamboo.

Texas Cattlemen Scent Prosperity

Stock Come Through Winter With Small Losses.

Fort Worth, Tex.—With the coming of spring conditions on the Texas cattle ranges vary from poor to good, according to reports from the various cattle raising sections. Cattlemen say that favorable range conditions will stimulate the industry in the next few months, unless a severe freeze should injure the ranges.

Amarillo reports that cattle have wintered a comparatively severe winter unusually well with few losses. Illinois and other states have representatives in the Panhandle territory looking for stock cattle, while markets are looking for aged steers. Few sales have been reported. Ranchmen, however, and dealers say the outlook for the cow business this spring is better than in several years. Grass is beginning to appear in the roughs of creeks and arroyos, and an unusual growth of forage weeds is reported.

In Lampasas county the ranges are in a very ordinary condition and cattle are being fed. Almost no cattle are changing hands, but a considerable number of steers are being sold at prices ranging around \$7 for weathers and \$10 for ewes.

Cattle Outlook in Knox County.

While the winter herds in Knox county are not entirely past, ranchmen around Belton's report an unusually severe winter, and say in a few more weeks will bring spring and relief. Excessive rains early in the winter put almost all moisture in the ground, and a rich growth of grass is expected as soon as the warm days come. According to an unusually dry summer, ranchers began early last fall to store up for winter, and tractors have been carefully. The cattle were sent to market, and the calves sent to the winter, so that the cows could fatten up before winter. The demand for feeders is good, and very few herd steers are left in the section. It is hardly time for the spring calving to be off yet, but ranchers will have more to worry over watching the market situation from a distance. On the whole, the general cattle outlook in the country is better than it has been for several years.

In Other Sections.

The cattle situation around Decatur is reported to be somewhat improving. The cattle are poor, and the ranges are short. Ranchmen, however, are making the best of the situation, and recently held a meeting of the Tri-County Cattle Stock Association and elected officers.

Reports from Galveston say the Galveston county ranchers are in fair condition and that some cattle are being sold and shipped out.

News from San Angelo is that the

U. S. HOLDS 36 OF 49 WORLD AIR RECORDS

France Leads in General Aviation Progress.

Paris.—United States fliers hold 30 of the 49 air records ratified by the International Aeronautic Federation in its recent meeting at Paris. France has 10, Great Britain four, and Italy one. In a short time, when the record of performances accomplished by flying in light is a separate category from the others, the United States will possess 42 of the 49 air records in existence.

French aviation experts find solace in the opinion that American records do not prove effective superiority.

"Record achievement in aviation is merely a sign of the superiority of a certain type of machine, but not a

sign that a country in general leads in that field," writes the Aéro, the large publication dealing with sports in France.

"Because the United States possesses three or four planes capable of doing better than 100 kilometers an hour, it does not follow that they have the machines that can travel at 100 kilometers. However, a well-organized nation like the United States would require very little time to build machines of the standard type of that with which Lieut. A. J. Watson flew at 100 kilometers."

"The United States could write the supremacy of the air from any other nation once it made up its mind to do so, but for the time being, despite records and all, France leads in aviation."

States and probably the world. A. J. Watson has served without missing a half dozen times as director of the Methodist church choir here since December, 1926. He can be seen in the choir loft every Sunday at all the services directing the members and taking part as one of the quartets that sing special numbers.

That boy might sing all day long in simple robes, but the old girls are attracted to him. When he is dressed, he wears very nice attire. But let me tell you, twice and the last words, he always looks like a gentleman.

Youngster Watson is about six feet tall and weighs about 160 pounds.

Child Takes Up Radio. New London, Conn.—Inspired by a recent lecture on radio by Dr. F. K. Baldwin, physician professor, chairman of the Connecticut College for Women here has made their hunting trophies for the summer, automobile and bicycle brush. A group of 20 are constructing amateur radio sets and many more attend a weekly discussion class in radio.

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SISTER IS GIVEN DECORATION FOR EXTENDED PRISON WORK

Aged Nun in Service for 43 Years.

Paris.—Sister Leonie, the nun who for 43 years ministered to the needs both physical and moral of the unfortunate women confined in the prison at Saint Lazare, was recently decorated with the Legion of Honor.

"This is a great surprise to us," the older and more tyrolicines the decoration. "I have not received it in the world, but I might have deserved it."

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Opium Use in China

Despite the great advances made in medical science and the discovery of anesthetics, there are still many diseases that are still incurable, except the use of old-fashioned remedies, some bordering on the superstitions. This is brought home every day to the physicians at the board of health building in New York.

"One of the queerest cases of the kind that has come to my attention," said one of the doctors on duty there, "was that of a man who limped in the other day, suffering from rheumatism in the legs. One of these members was almost stiff and it was covered with blisters. I asked him how he got them."

"I was stung by bees," he replied. Astonished, I asked him to explain, and he went on:

"You see, I was recommended to a place down on Staten Island where they raised bees just for the purpose. They told me there that it was an old remedy that had been used for many years-by-country-folk."

"It seemed to get some relief for a time, whether it was that the stinging had the effect of a narcotic or really was an antidote. But what I want to know is if you would advise me to continue this treatment."

"Later, I made inquiries and learned that this bee-stinging had really been practiced to a considerable extent in the country and still continues in some sections."

"Incidentally, I heard of an old superstition that is rather odd. It was that whenever a death occurred in a family that kept bees the owner would have to sell the bees; otherwise, if they found it out themselves, they would fly away in anger because they were not informed."—New York Mail.

Dies to Save Brother and Sister From Fire

Amesbury, Mass.—Stanley Pataloca, seven years old, lost his life in saving his little brother and sister from death by fire and smoke.

The three children were left in the kitchen of their home while their mother went to the store. Fire starting from an overheated stove, filled the room with smoke. Stanley led the smaller children into an adjoining room and placed them on the floor under a bed to save them from suffocation. He returned to the kitchen and fought the fire until he fell unconscious from the pain of his burns and the smoke had breathed.

His mother, on her return, found him dying. The loss from the fire was slight.

Boozed-up Coffee

To restrict the use of coffee in Germany, Frederick the Great made it a government monopoly, and only those holding government licenses were permitted to roast coffee publicly.

Other coffee roasting and bootlegging of the beverage were problems turned over to a corps of "coffee-americans" who were bitter and sour with their noses in the air trying to detect infringement of the law.

The government "coffee-americans" were the butt of ridicule and animosity among the grunts in the coffee "specialties."

An old Arabic manuscript, written in Mecca in the year 1281, says: "Come and enjoy the company of coffee for the pleasure of its habitation for the divine goodness envelope those who partake of the feast."

"Grief is not found within its habitation. Tremble, ride hither to its power."

"It is the stream in which we wash away our sorrows. It is the fire which consumes our griefs."

"Drink of it recklessly and give not ear to the speech of the foolish."—Detroit News.

Mr. Theriot—Are you plowing me just because I put a little yeast in my household cider?

The Blue Law Officer—Certainly not. I am arresting you for allowing the yeast to work on Monday.

Long-Range Work—When witnesses are testifying give them a chance to speak.

Mr. Theriot—With pleasure.

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Reason for Not Hearing—Don't you hear about Mr. Theriot?

Mr. Theriot—Not at all.

CAPTAIN SAZARAC

Charles Tenney Jackson

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CHAPTER XVI—Continued.

"I heard you say the seas are wide and far—for the way to their secret places. It is a chance, Jean." The count seized his arm for the lieutenant, whom Mademoiselle Lesson had now joined, was returning to them. "Colonel I reimburse the gentlemen of New Orleans who were with me in the Grand venture. I give you the Serafina—without condition."

"Without condition?" Monsieur Sazarac stared oddly at him. Then at Mademoiselle Lesson who had run to them brightly, vivaciously, as if all was arranged, as if the black-hulled schooner and its mysteries would, in an hour, be vanished in the seas . . . and she gladdened it in passing.

"Ah, yes!" Sazarac bowed; "without condition, Monsieur de Almonaster!"

And he bowed again to her, and took her finger-tips and pressed them to his lips. She could not understand this fervor which had a touch of satire. Her smile in his somber eyes; his turning away while Monsieur de Almonaster made hurried arrangements with the American lieutenant. Even now they had sent the boat away to apprise the Hornet, and to fetch the improvised crew which would be glad for a birth back to the Indies.

Monsieur Sazarac stood off apart, twisting his sword knot, as if nothing lay longer was afraid of him. When Alderman Dominique made some query as to the odd man's forward he shrugged. That was all.

He strolled forward to stare down at the nine dead buccaneers and did not return until the Hornet's boats with a crew of strange half-breeds men, and two ubiquitous, grating, pretty women, were at the Hornet's side.

While the other party was descending to the small boat he still stood apart. Dominique supposed he was going, down here as the alderman was at the port of the chance that an instant after, "Lafitte" would ring on the Hornet's quarter-deck.

Mademoiselle Lesson thought he was going, for he stood close by the ladder as she was helped away.

But he detained her suddenly at the rail.

"A moment, Mademoiselle—" He exhibited to her a small bracelet. Curiously laid, gold of three colors, and a number of pearls . . . the gift of a queen.

Mademoiselle Lesson cried out in joyous wonder. She had never seen Marie Antoinette's bracelet since the night she saw the ruined fellow lie flat in the emperor's cabin, when the matrons sent her away.

"My bracelet! Monsieur—" An old child's lovely eagerness to grasp a toy was in her face and the hand she reached for it.

Monsieur Sazarac, however, drew it back gravely: "Ah—no."

"Not my bracelet, Monsieur? I want it."

"This is the point. It is yours, and you cannot have it."

"Non de l'am!" She started at his incredulousness. "Why?"

"It must be stolen. It is essential as a matter of honor."

De Almonaster and Dominique were in the small boat. They looked up interested; and the girl sat down by them trying to keep back hot painful tears.

There was an "ah" or so wailed from the Hornet's officers at the right bows as they sheered off the schooner's side. Monsieur Sazarac turned toward them in the approaching the same dolorous沉思.

Mademoiselle Lesson turned to De Almonaster with a wild whisper. "He is not coming! He is not coming with us!"

For no sooner had Mademoiselle Lesson left the ship than that day in 1861, when Monsieur Sazarac turned and ran down to the emperor's cabin, he bent over his doorway of the emperor's chamber and found the pitcher placed upon the lace and silver coverlet of the emperor's bed.

"There—there!" he shouted, somewhat impatiently. "Not bracelets—bracelets against her wrist! Are you sensible?"

The man on the bed looked at her with gleaming eyes above his hollow cheeks. He still had his hands on, and the imperial lamp was raised the words for the need and ached more upon it. But now he set up shrill and pained with importunate.

"Well, then! You lost her—you will never get her again!"

"I lost her. And nothing you say I will ever hear her again!" He looked at the picture of the two boys who were commanding him. "Yes, Jean. What should you and I ask of her? Your turns to youth always—and a fine fellow, this De Almonaster. You and I whenever we—"

"The dark hair and I saw her at all, very clearly. Whether her eyes are brown, or merely very dark blue, and her hair . . . No, wait. She never saw me very clearly indeed, which is most fortunate. She will remember August the day she was the

most beautiful woman in the world, the secret soul of my friend."

Monsieur Sazarac suddenly turned to recall his lieutenant again.

"Lieutenant, I was going to—Dissidence?" First, Monsieur Sazarac then Blanche, the admiral; Johnna, the bo'sun—and then the others to the green water. I order—you will obey."

"I will obey, Monsieur Sazarac." The last adventurer turned away as if he had a petition to offer. It was hard to conceal that he desired to keep one little thing for himself out of this ravishment.

"See here—Corsair. The little bracelet which you ordered must be stolen? Is it needful that it go to the bottom of the sea with you tomorrow?"

Monsieur Sazarac fixed his bright restless eyes upon the other's number attentive face. The flicker of a wise ruthless smile came to him.

"It is needful. It is my plunder. It was—here. Name of name! There can be no discussion! Pin it to my new waistcoat—do you understand?"

The last man turned away from the emperor's bedside. He took his musk absently, and sat down with the air of one who had lost the last battle. Then he looked at the plumed of Monsieur Sazarac upon the emperor's pillow.

"Even the bracelet?" he sighed. "What a buccaneer, this Sazarac . . . and tomorrow he will be less lonely than I!"

Monsieur Sazarac, outstretched with some luxurious peace upon the silk, Imperial coverlet, appeared to hear this whisper. He turned to see the other man staring out the open port at the sleep rolling in the gash seas.

"They have reached the deck," murmured Lafitte absently. "She is in De Almonaster's arms . . . she is crying or laughing, I cannot say which, but she is waving a little hand to us—"

"To Sazarac—I will have that, too," mused the jester. "My rugged heart has always longed for a tear or a smile from a lady. WHAT PLEASANT FEAT—al the end! Here—Monsieur Lafitte!" He flung Mademoiselle Lesson's bracelet and tossed it to the other. "Out of the wealth of my empire and my love I give you this trinket as a keepsake from her and from myself. Sazarac must be given out to the last, eh—Jean?"

"He must fall in nothing," The adventurer flung the bracelet to his feet and snatched it back: "He must be as far removed from the dirt, than you, Monsieur Sazarac."

And the two watched the distant figures of the Hornet. They could not know what the girl was crying out from her lover's arms:

"Raoul! The Seraphine is not far, losing me! She is sailing eastward after us . . . Oh, Raoul, what is the mystery?"

"The seas are wide—there are many far, secret places for Monsieur Sazarac," he whispered. "Look! Dear—end—always losing her . . . you love me . . . you love me . . . you love me!"

"I love you," she called out of her heart, glad for his arms, his tenderness, his understanding, when her eyes turned again to the black schooner with the gold line along the water. It had broken out to snowy white! It was growing smaller, fainter, in the east, like a fly moving in the sun-light of the sky.

"In New Orleans you will know everything," Raoul said, out of his joy. "I will tell you everything—this is my love signal—look, dear . . . Sazza, a phantom fading into the mist!"

"Ah, but my little bracelet! In the end, perhaps I shall understand everything except why he stole my bracelet!"

That was exactly the way Raoul felt.

Long years afterward Madame, the Countess de Almonaster's children had told the children of her children about before a sturdy Paris shop which was once Pierre Empereur's coaching house, and looked across at the faded facade of the gray house which had forgotten least of the old days.

They went, also, of a Sunday afternoon, among the houses to the low tomb in the old St. Louis cemetery where the city had given a hallowed inscription from Voltaire's "Héloïse" to the memory of an honored companion.

"The Victim of a Hundred Fights on Sea and Land."

At what date, year five in stone?

Madame, the countess, could relate everything to her children, except about the bracelet of Marie Antoinette. At least, from the history of her great house on the Boulevard in old New Orleans, Madame would not tell the mighty Mississippi to the dark and hidden forests of Parastria beyond which lay the blue salt lake where Monsieur Sazarac remained forever from the world of men.

Mr. Mairi! The adventurer might have asked some wit with her bracelet . . . but over Monsieur Sazarac would peer his last ranged follower whispering that a jester, too, might love!

(THE END.)

Troops Under British Flag.

Great Britain respects a standing army of 500,000 men and a fleet of 700 ships. The mounted troops are 12,000. She also has 10,000 troops in Africa and 30,000 in Canada, with a standing army of 10,000. There are 200,000 in New Zealand and 100,000 in the South African provinces. Most of these troops include trained veterans of the World War.

WESTERN PIONEER TALES

INTERESTING EXPERIENCE

Frank Rikert, Who Left Illinois for California in Covered Wagon in 1864.

Increased federal appropriations for highway aid were advocated at the convention of the American Association of State Highway Officials held at New Orleans "for the mutual profit of more than 15,000,000 American motorists and all the states," according to Charles M. Babcock, Minnesota commissioner of highways and former president of the organization.

Discussions of good roads, policies and progress of the association made up the major part of the program. Delegations from nearly all states in this country and from several Canadian provinces and European countries were in attendance.

The tax on automobiles now takes five cents of every dollar paid for new automobiles, tires and accessories and three cents of the new truck purchase dollar," said Mr. Babcock. This revenue since 1917 has totaled \$389,012,021, against \$204,782,216 of federal highway aid appropriations during the same period. The government is therefore using less than half the amount collected directly as taxes from highway users in the manner to give them the most direct benefit.

Besides these federal taxes, auto owners are paying county, township and city taxes, wharfage taxes, gasoline taxes and other levies on their cars.

"The most constructive policy demands increase in federal highway aid appropriations, and certainly in sums closely matching federal income from the automotive source. Any other puts our government in the position of hindering highway development, standing in the way of the car and truck owner, who would advance the good roads program along the most sound economic lines."

Frank Rikert, well-known resident of North Sacramento, Cal., who came to the state from Illinois in a covered wagon in 1864, along with other hardy pioneers, recently exhibited a bottle of Tanlac, which he had just purchased, to a friend at his home and remarked: "If I thought this was the last bottle of Tanlac I would ever be able to buy, I wouldn't take one hundred dollars for it" thus proving the high valuation of the bottle.

he places on the famous treatment.

"I believe Tanlac really saved my life when I took it after the Flu about a year ago," continued Mr. Rikert. "For the attack left me 20 pounds off in weight, and unable to turn over in my bed without assistance. I tell you, I thought my time had surely come."

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Meaning of Keel Hauling

Keel hauling was a form of punishment inflicted in the navies of the British empire and the Netherlands. By means of tackles usually on the foreyard arms the offender was hauled from one side of the ship to the other underneath the keel. Weights attached to the feet insured the sinking of the culprit.

So Realistic

After the young thing at the party had concluded her second encore the old lady leaned toward her and said:

"Thank you so much for your song, my dear. They took me back to childhood days on my father's farm. There were times, when you sang, that I could shut my eyes and faintly hear the old front gate creaking in the wind."

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Not the Last of It

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Hil—Yes—but I didn't just let it go.

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Needs of Education

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Republican Organ Warns President to Clean Up

The Boston Transcript, which is supposed to voice the opinions of Henry Cabot Lodge, issues a warning to the Coolidge administration to either clean up, or "the tide of public confidence in the competence and cleanliness of the Government at Washington will continue to ebb." The Transcript editorially says:

"When the party in power at Washington today, under the leadership of its titular head, the President, supported by the Republican Senators and Representatives in Congress, tackles unitarily and aggressively the job of cleansing the Government at Washington of corruption and incompetence, wherever it can be found, the party in power will deserve the support of the Democratic Senators and Representatives in Congress and the support of the leaders of the American press and the Nation, their present tend to serve. Until the clean-up process is under way, however, to earnest and all along the line, the tide of public confidence in the competence and cleanliness of the Government at Washington will continue to ebb."

"Ours is a patient people, but their patience should not be mistaken for indifference to the honor of the Nation or the integrity of its institutions. The American people are capable of great patience. They are also capable of righteous indignation. They are not composed of unsuspicious of the value of high character in high places, but the people expect of their leaders in time of crisis courage character that will win wide hearts of which is being won in us."

Government by Stealth

Locusts may be big, locusts may be large, but other insects may fly their wings, with or without wings, carrying, creeping upon them, but United States senators may eat insects crookedness without being traced. This pretty come to pass has been brought to light by the senate committee investigating Daugherty and his department of justice.

Gaston Means, former Daugherty agent, testified that he personally, acting on orders, ratted the office of Sen. La Follette of Wisconsin to "get" something on La Follette when the latter exposed the Teapot Dome deal in the Senate. Means also told how he sent agents to Arkansas to "get" staff on Senator Caraway, who was criticizing both FDR and Daugherty in the Senate.

Senator Wheeler told how friends had advised him that the Department of Justice had at least five agents in his home state, Montana, trying to "get" staff on Wheeler. Senator Bookhart, chairman of the committee, said similar reports from his friends of department of justice agents swooping in Iowa, trying to "get" staff on him.

Means added that his efforts to "get" something on La Follette had failed. As yet the other agents reported no success in hunting the many ports of Montana.

Wm. Kahler, Sr., Dies

William Kahler, Sr., died this afternoon at 2:30. The funeral will be from the home tomorrow afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. A more extended notice will be given next week.

failed. But that is beside the point. The charge, as it stands, is that Daugherty and Burns are using the secret agents of the Department of Justice to embarrass senators who seek to expose crookedness in government.

All of which illustrates graphically the handicap under which the senate investigation works, with Daugherty and Burns on the job. Daugherty is entitled to a fair hearing, so is Burns. But their hearings will be just as fair if they are suspended pending the investigation, and the public's interest will be far more easily served.

Speaking of "putting the red flag on the White House" if there is any one thing that has been the unflinching symptom of despotism — whether autocratic bureaucratic — it has been a body of secret police agents.

It is the opposite of liberty, democracy and decency.—State Tribune.

"Hysteria" It Is Called

An onlooker at Washington deems the so-called "hysteria" said to be prevalent in the National Capitol, in the following terms:

"While the testimony of the Teapot Dome oil investigation continues to clarify previous testimony and to reveal new instances of the naturalness of incompetence and looting in connection therewith, the most deplorable condition of the whole field is the attitude of Republican spokesmen and the Republican press of reactionary brands toward the numerous investigations into administration scandals, which are characterized as 'hysteria.' To bring to light the sordid and damning facts of the looting of the naval oil reserves, to reveal facts in connection with the manner in which Attorney General Daugherty has administered, or failed to administer, the Department of Justice, to delve into the operations of the Shipping Board under the notorious administration of Lusk, to seek to know the facts concerning refusals and other activities in the Income Tax Unit Bureau, to expose the trick figures of Secretary Mellon on death and surprises not to make known any of the many devious methods of the Republican administration is now characterized by the adherents of the administration as 'hysteria.'

"The only person under this definition, who are not hysterical are President Coolidge, who welcomed Secretary Daugherty's resignation and who clings to Daugherty like a stalk of straw; John T. Adams, Chairman of the Republican National Committee, who is trying to rally the Old Guard at today's Waterloo; Henry Cabot Lodge, who is accused that anyone should know that the President of the United States was in telegraphic correspondence with Edward B. McLean in connection with District of Columbia politics — the same Lodge who was once obliged to confess that he had repeated publicly a lie about President Wilson which a stranger had told him on a railroad train; Charles M. Schurz, who thinks that 'hysteria' will interfere with the prosperity of the steel business and the necessary pack of speculators and wolves.

"Only the people are 'hysterical,' but they are 'hysterical' about the possibility of reestablishing sound government at the National Capital.

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Washington's Victory

By Wallace Bradford
(Special Correspondent)

Washington, March 16.—Con-

gress has been in session three and a half months and not a single bill has reached the President for his signature. Last December, when Congress met for the long session, President Coolidge delivered a message in which he listed about fifty different pieces of legislation which he deemed necessary or expedient. There was no evidence that he is among those who begin to feel that the country is lawless, for, like Oliver Twist, he called for more. Not one of the many laws asked for has been passed, and at the present rate of speed, when Congress adjourns in mid-summer or early fall, only two or three of the President's suggestions will have been acted upon. Among the important things he asked Congress for are the following:

Tax reduction, entry into the World Court, reorganization of the foreign service, abolition of tax-exempt securities, opening of intracoastal waterways, strengthening of the Coast Guard against rum runners, a commission on negro migration, classification of postmasters, placing of prohibition agents under civil service, legislation for more government buildings in Washington, international action against oil pollution of coast waters, law controlling aviation, regulation of radio interference, providing of safe load-lines for vessels, recording of navigation laws, revision of procedure before the Federal Trade Commission, regulation of Alaskan fisheries, strengthening of Army and Navy personnel, more airplanes for the Army, more submarines for the Navy, legislation limiting child labor, minimum wage law for women in Federal jurisdictions, creation of Department of Education and Welfare, immigration restriction and regulation of aliens, legislation to open veterans' hospitals to all veterans of our wars, authorization to appoint commissioners to deal with coal situations arising, reorganization of Government Departments, federal aid for farm exports, the leasing of Muscle Shoals, relief for persons on government reclamation projects, legislation for highways and forests, super power development in northeastern states, revision of railroad-labor board rules, legislation on railroad rating after the supreme court's decision on the reciprocity clauses of the Transportation Act, reconstruction of railroad rate laws, legislation for railroad consolidation, revision of the existing laws of the United States, law allowing simplification of rules of the supreme court concerning review by that body, employment in Federal prisons, providing new Federal reformatory, creating a division of identification of criminals in the Department of Justice.

Of course, it would be possible for the President to do quite a bit of cowering of Congress for his do-nothing performance, but the President would be jumping outside of his own party, something like a stacking vote to a straw; John T. Adams, Chairman of the Republican National Committee, who is trying to rally the Old Guard at today's Waterloo; Henry Cabot Lodge, who is accused that anyone should know that the President of the United States was in telegraphic correspondence with Edward B. McLean in connection with District of Columbia politics — the same Lodge who was once obliged to confess that he had repeated publicly a lie about President Wilson which a stranger had told him on a railroad train; Charles M. Schurz, who thinks that 'hysteria' will interfere with the prosperity of the steel business and the necessary pack of speculators and wolves.

"Only the people are 'hysterical,' but they are 'hysterical' about the possibility of reestablishing sound government at the National Capital.

In the opinion of observers here the "hysteria" will become apparent and confirm itself in the next few weeks supporting this legislation, together with some of the legislation through the winter.

that President Coolidge opposed to it. His statement that he would oppose any increase in old age pensions was aimed at this particular bill.

The senatorial investigating committee is getting off to a good start on the Daugherty case, developing the case and bringing new matters to light at each session. The retirement of Senator Lenroot from the Teapot Dome investigation will make no difference whatever in the conduct of the work, as he took little part in the proceedings. Senator Wheeler will be so much occupied for some weeks with the Daugherty case that it will delay the beginning of the Senate inquiry, which Wheeler is to conduct.

The Veterans' Bureau matter is at last getting under way at Chicago. Incidentally this has brought in the name of Representative Zihlman, of Maryland, who demands, after a frank statement, a complete investigation. The general feeling in official circles of Washington is that Zihlman will be able to show a perfectly clean bill of health. The finger of suspicion often points at an innocent man, and the belief is that this is one of those cases. Under existing conditions it is well to keep the vision clear. The innocent are still in the vast majority, the country is the greatest the world has ever seen. All that is needed is a cleaning out of some dirty corners, and there remains little doubt that the elections in November will attend to that.

The government's fur seal catch will not be offered for sale in St. Louis this spring, but on March 24 about 20,000 skins will be put up for sale in New York. When offered in St. Louis last October the bids were so poor that the Government withdrew them, as it could not come out whole after paying the heavy rates for tanning and dyeing under the contract between the Department of Commerce and the Fouke Fur Company. Back in 1910, before this contract was gotten up, the Government realized \$24 per skin profit; in 1922, under the contract, it received \$4.16 profit, though furs have greatly risen in value. In 1923 the bids would have allowed no profit at all, but a loss. This is progress, but in the wrong direction.

PROCLAMATION AND NOTICE

VILLAGE ELECTION

Official Notice and Call for the Regular Biennial Village Election, is and for the Village of Carrizozo, N.M., and Notice of the Appointment of a Board of Registrars and Judges and Clerks of Election.

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the requirements of the statutes in such cases made and provided, the Board of Trustees of the Village of Carrizozo, New Mexico, did on the 10th day of March, 1924, appoint J. S. Ross, A. H. Harvey and A. J. Rollard, as Board of Registrars; F. A. Thompson, K. O. Pyle and Mrs. L. L. Miller, judges of election, and Mrs. Vera Cole and J. C. Foster, clerks of election for the regular election to be held in the said Village of Carrizozo, New Mexico.

And further notice is hereby given that said election is for the purpose of electing a Mayor, Clerk and Four Trustees for the said Incorporated Village of Carrizozo, New Mexico, for the period of two years, will be held at the County Court House in the said Village of Carrizozo, New Mexico, on Tuesday, the 10th day of April, 1924, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.

The place of registration shall be at the Peeler Drug Store, at the corner of Main street and Abajo, Carrizozo Avenue.

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J. M. TAYLOR, Mayor
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N. M.
Attest:
W. W. STEPHENS,
Village Clerk.

The Normal University Summer School for 1924 will be as large as ever according to present indications. The school will be able to take care of all comers. This has been made possible by the pledging of \$1600 by the San Miguel County Chamber of Commerce to pay for extra faculty, in addition to the regular staff.

Most of the present winter school faculty will remain as instructors for the summer. In addition a number of the most progressive school men and women of the state have been employed. Among these are five city superintendents: Dr. E. B. Cole of Carrizozo, Alma Givens of Artesia, Raymond Huff of Clayton, Walter B. McFarland of East Las Vegas, and Cameron Bazzill of Roy. Three high school principals have been employed: Charles Redick of Gallup, W. L. Trimble of Raton and E. P. McCall of East Las Vegas. Miss Lillian Cavet, formerly successful here in dramatic directing, will return after a post graduate study at the University of Arizona. Miss Ida G. Nolda will come back from California after a successful year there. The commercial department, under Miss Helsen, will have an able assistant in Mr. R. F. Gates, instructor in commercial subjects in the Raton high school.

During the absence of Miss Louise Jaramillo the department of music will be in charge of Miss Myrtle Inches, who is at present director of public school music for the city of San Antonio. Miss Inches is the sister of Miss Jeanette Inches, professor of Latin.

An extra half term series of courses is being offered beginning April 11th for teachers whose schools close early. Enrollment at this time will enable many teachers in counties where school terms have been cut short, to make more than the usual sum credit toward their degrees.

Woman's Club

The Woman's Club had a most interesting meeting at the home of Mrs. Ziegler Monday night. The husbands of the club members were invited guests, and enjoyed the program very much. At the conclusion of the program, which had much to do with Ireland's patron saint, a delightful luncheon was served. The guests finally wended their way to their respective homes before the tolling of the midnight bell.

Evangelistic Meetings

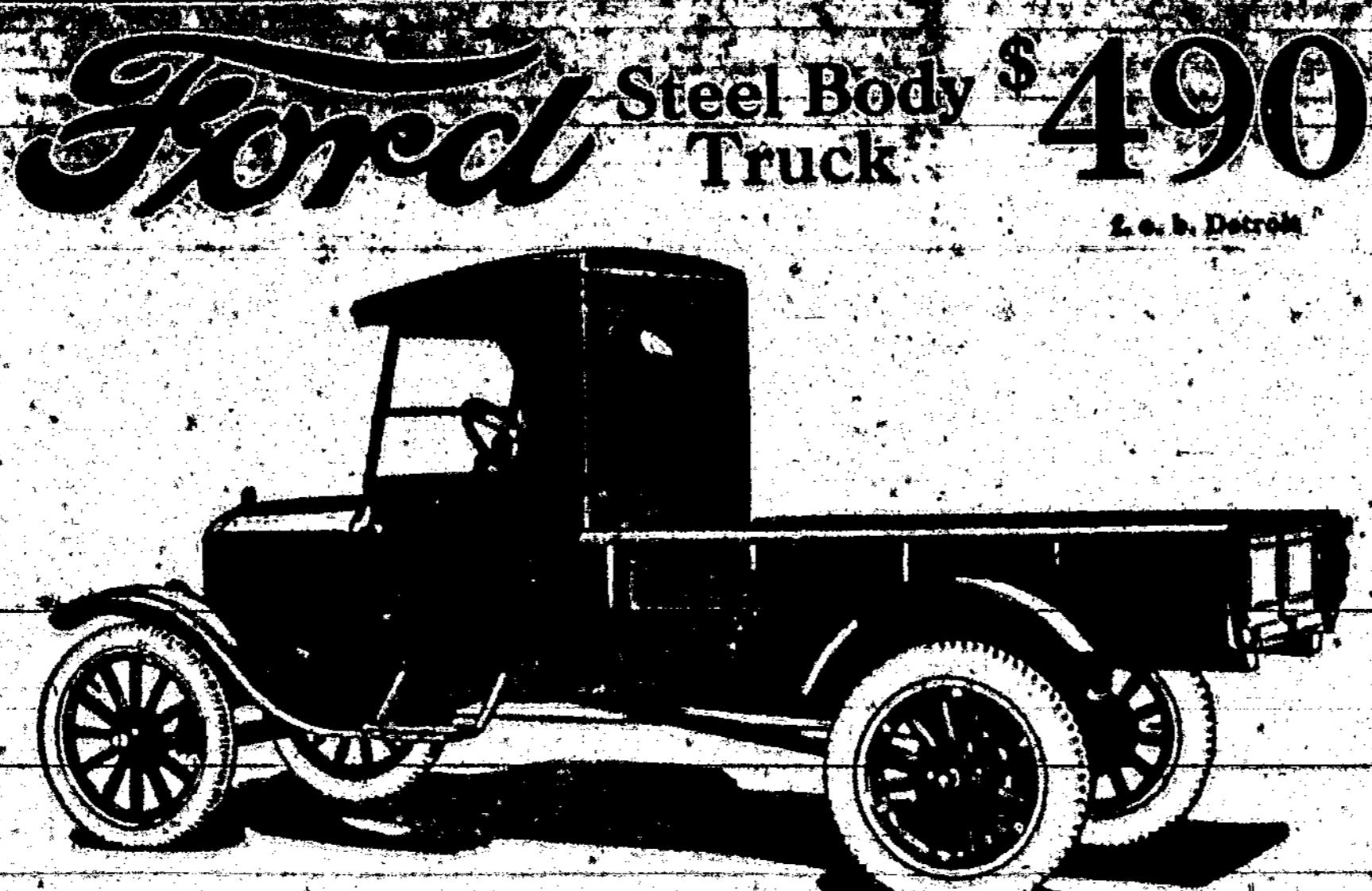
Evangelist J. Will Healey, of the Church of Christ, from Cushing, Oklahoma, has been conducting a series of meetings at the Baptist church this week. A number of members of that faith are among our people and deepest interest has been aroused in the meetings.

If you have
Inflammation, Injuries, etc.
Tutt's Pills
will cure you
and help you to work.

Notice of Convention

Notice is hereby given that a convention, or mass meeting, of the voters within the incorporated Village of Carrizozo, New Mexico, will be held at the court house in said Village on Monday, March 24th, at 8:00 p.m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for Mayor, Clerk and four Trustees, to be voted on at the regular election for said Village, to be held Tuesday, April 1st, 1924.

By order of the Board,
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In the District Court of the Third Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, within and for the County of Lincoln.

The First National Bank of Carrizozo, New Mexico, a Corporation, Plaintiff;

Vs. No. 3167
Boyd D. Zumwalt and
Nay Zumwalt, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given, by virtue of the judgment and decree of foreclosure and order of sale rendered on the 30th day of November, 1923, in the District Court of the Third Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, in and for the County of Lincoln, in the above entitled and numbered cause, and after the foreclosure of the mortgage held on the hereinbefore described property, the undersigned special master, designated by said decree and order of sale, will, on Tuesday, the 12th day of April, 1924, at the hour of twelve o'clock p.m., at the Boyd D. Zumwalt ranch, in Mogul Canyon, above the Village of Mogul, in Mogul precinct, in the County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, offer for sale at public auction, and sell to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said judgment, in the sum of two (\$2,000) principal and interest, together with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from the 30th day of November, 1923, to the date of sale, which interest will amount to \$172.00, also the sum of \$100.00, attorney's fees, \$100.00, recorder's fees, \$100.00, accrued costs, \$100.00, special master's fees, and also the cost of publishing this notice, the following described personal property and real estate, to-wit:

Cramping Spells

"FOR MORE THAN A YEAR I had been in a very bad condition," says Mrs. R. E. Kimbrell, of Route 1, Dorchester, Texas. "I suffered with cramping spells which gave me bad pains in my back and sides. Sometimes I would have to catch at something, I would get so suddenly dizzy. ... I had to quit doing any work. I tried many remedies, but none of them seemed to do me any good. In April I went up to Arkansas to visit my sister. ... She told me, 'Well, if you are going to take anything, take Cardui. It will really help you.' I came home and told my doctor what she had said and he said I could not take any better tonic, so my husband immediately got me a bottle and I began it. ... My case was a pretty tough one, I know, as I kept on faithfully. After the fourth bottle, I began to feel very much better, so much so that I was surprised at myself. I have taken six bottles now and I can truly say I feel like a different woman. ... I feel fine and I owe it all to Cardui, which I took faithfully."

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Fort Sam Houston's Texas Cavalry, a demonstration troop of Cavalry and one company of Infantry from the Regular Army will be detailed to the Citizens' Military Training Camp to be held in August at Fort Huachuca, Arizona. These units will be full strength and picked from the finest troops in the Eighth Corps Area.

The Cavalry troop will have the finest horses the Army has and students will have the use of these mounts. The Infantry company will specialize in snap close order drill and will have on its roster several crack shots.

Everything is being made ready for 450 students at Fort Huachuca this summer and every convenience and accommodation will be given by the government free of expense to the boys.

It will be advisable for young men intending to apply to send in their applications as soon as possible to the C. M. T. C. officer, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

Seventy-nine applications have already been approved for the camp at Huachuca and it is noticed that among the applicants are several athletes from the schools and colleges of New Mexico and Arizona.

HOW NOT TO HARM CHILDREN

Safe, Central and Quiet Way Needed
on the Part of Tired Parents.

It takes self-control for a mother who is tired and overstrained to stop and think how she should address herself to a young miscreant who has just tipped over the camp on a clean tablecloth, says Elizabeth Irvin. "I told you that would happen," snaps out most justifiably. On the other hand, it doesn't prevent "reaching" at the next meal nearly so effectively as a little sympathy and kind feeling which any sensitive child knows she does not deserve.

It somehow makes her aware that it's her accident, however. She can't possibly feel inside, "I'm glad I pulled your old tablecloth"—but rather she reflects, "I was clumsy. I must remember not to reach so far."

With youngsters under six, games and rhymes and little impersonations will go further to make a child accept the irksome routine of washing and buttoning-and-going-and-coming than almost anything else. These can be improvised to meet all emergencies by a quick-witted mother, and the attorney the same little stories and rhymes are repeated the more welcome they become.

In adolescence almost all youngsters are deeply interested in "reforming their characters." They will listen respectfully to long discourses on their "faults" bad manners, careless habits, anything you want them to improve, if you will only take them seriously. They will turn over a new leaf every morning and forget it again, of course, but that is youth, and we are all jealous of it. Its beauty, carefree, rollicking good times are hard to look upon without envy. We are therefore prone to dwell upon its weakness, its cubishness, its thoughtlessness and its sleepiness.—Dealsgate Magazine.

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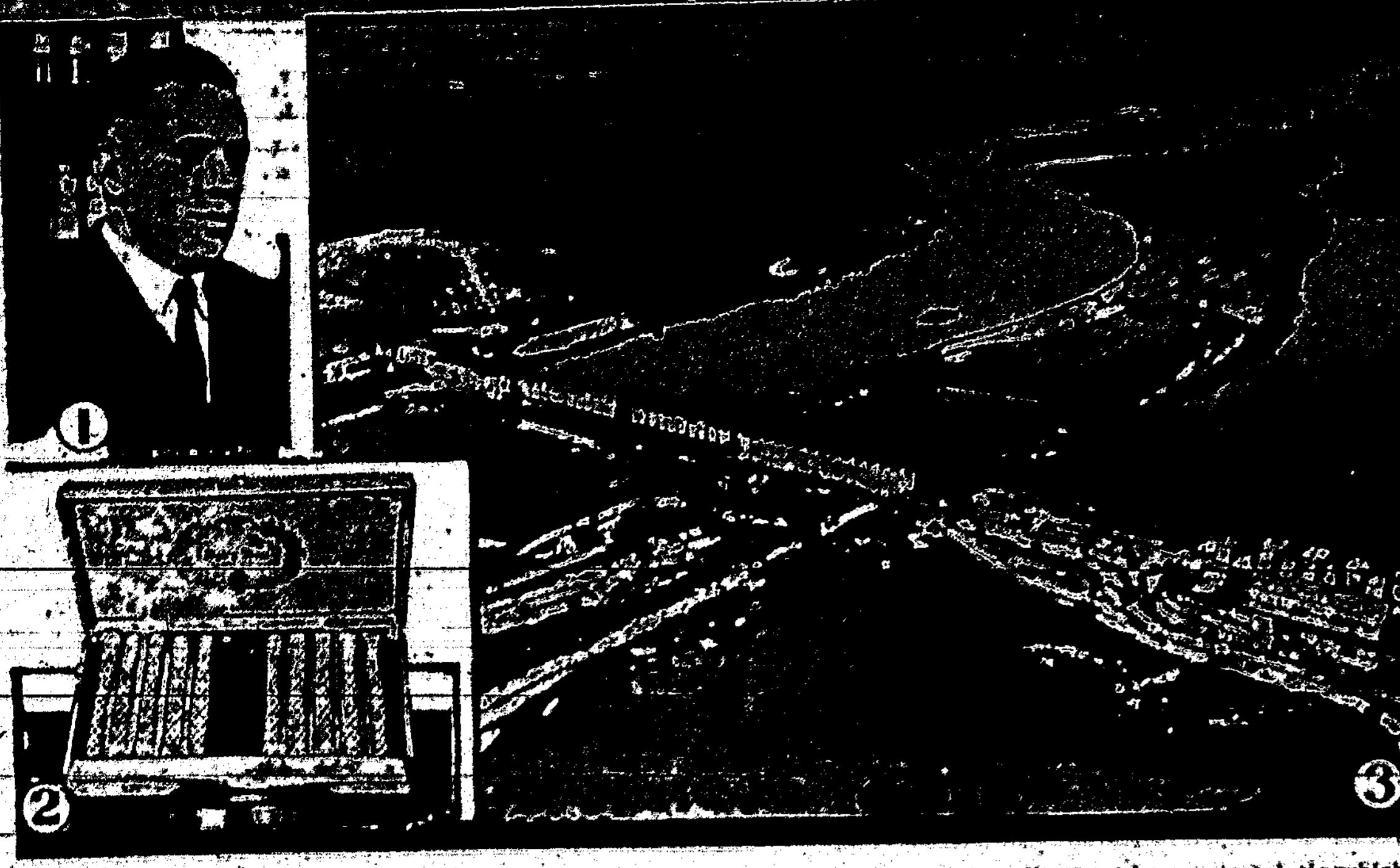
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1—Prof. Arthur B. Lamb, director of Harvard chemical laboratory, who has discovered a new catalytic which will bring about the permanent union of hydrogen and nitrogen atoms and will yield 14 per cent of ammonia. 2—Whisky in tin foil-wrapped bottles and handsome case peddled by California bootleggers. 3—Airplane view of Wilson dam at the Muscle Shoals project, the disposition of which is before congress.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Daugherty's Resignation Is Expected, Following New Corruption Charges.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD —

HARRY DAUGHERTY is still attorney general of the United States when this reaches the reader—the expert prognosticators in Washington are badly at fault. Last Thursday they predicted his resignation from the cabinet would be in the hands of Joe Franklin of the *NYT* by the week end that it would take effect on Monday, the day when Secretary of the Navy Denby was to step out of office.

Mr. Daugherty went to Florida for a stay of two weeks, but was summoned back to Washington, arriving Friday. Already the President had changed his mind about asking the attorney general to retire, according to reports, and was considering his successor. Those said to have been approached included Senator Frank of Idaho, Judge William H. Keay of the Federal Court of Appeals, Federal Judge Frank E. Dyer of Idaho and Curtis D. Wilbur, a Supreme court judge of California.

President Coolidge's change of mind probably was brought about partly by the sensational revelations of official corruption in the federal grand jury in Chicago that indicted Charles M. Forbes, former director of the veterans' benefit. There were not related to the Forbes case, as the information was carried to Washington by a special prosecutor. Some of it seriously involved the Department of Justice, relating to procurement of pardons for federal prisoners. This is only a part of the matters that will be investigated by the Senate committee named to handle the charges against Daugherty. The committee is made up of Senators Brookhart of Iowa, chairman; Moses of New Hampshire; Jones of Washington; Ashurst of Arizona and Wheeler of Montana.

The Department of Justice evidence was not the most sensational carried to Washington from Chicago, however. Charges of wholesale corruption and graft during the Harding administration were made against certain persons known as "the Ohio crowd," and two members of the House of representatives, as yet not publicly named, are directly accused of having collected between \$100,000 and \$200,000 to two or three years from federal prisoners and their friends as payment for pardons, parolees, commutations and other forms of clemency. If the charges are substantiated, these two congressmen then exonerated from the house and also indicted for a joint offense. At noon at Special Prosecutor Cole reported in Washington, President Coolidge directed the Department of Justice to take immediate steps toward the prosecution of the two representatives. The house was asked to investigate the matter by Representative George of Tennessee.

Whether officials of the Department of Justice were in cahoots with the members of congress who received payments for dispensation of clemency is not clear. One official, clearly named was Mr. Harry C. Johnson, then who was active in obtaining amnesty in cases in which the members of congress were interested, is said to have been their agent.

Two telegrams that joined Prof. Harry Washington and H. H. McLean in Florida and the persons that headed them occupied much time of the Senate on Wednesday last week. A cable report of the army signified corps members that were in cipher and Mrs. Deakin, an expert of the bureau of intelligence of the Department of Justice informed me that the telegram warning Deakin that the committee was after him, was sent the day before. Thomas J. Watson, chief of the bureau, testified that McLean was a "double-cross" operator and that he himself had sent it to him in the hope that he would reveal his position. More interesting was the telegram sent to McLean by his lawyer, John S. Sawyer, which stated:

"Post: 'Saw principal. Delivered message. He says greatly appreciates and sends regards to you and Mrs. McLean. There will be no rocking of boat and no resignations. He expects reaction from unwarranted political attack."

Senator Heflin of Alabama read this to the senate and ventured the opinion that "principal" meant President Coolidge. He therefore asked that the committee call on Mr. Bennett to explain just what the message meant and who it was that he saw. Senator Caraway also talked about that message and told the senate: "I'd like the President to say whether or not he is entering into communication with Mr. McLean in Florida. One hundred million people would like to know." Some of his allusions to Mr. Coolidge were magnified and in writhed language.

Caraway's question was answered Thursday, when two telegrams from President Coolidge to McLean were read to the committee. They sounded innocuous and Mr. Coolidge explained in a statement that the first related to the district commissionership and the second was in regard to a message from McLean congratulating the President on his nomination concerning the election of Daugherty.

The "principal" mentioned was Senator Knight of San Francisco as special counsel to take charge of the government's suit to evict the Standard Oil company from naval reserve No. 1 in California. Senator Walsh told the senate committee that he had learned Mr. Knight had acted as attorney for the Esso Petroleum Company of California, a Rockefeller institution, and indicated that for this reason he would oppose his confirmation.

REPRESENTATIVE LONGWORTH responded by pointing out the maximum surtax rate of 27½ per cent was in the house. He expected Representative Miller to insist that what the senate will do with the measure is in question. President Coolidge let it be known that he does not want the Mellon bill passed and it is believed the senate finance committee might be persuaded to report it as a substitute for the measure passed by the house. Rep. Harry Weller and Moses have informed the President that the 26 per cent tariff would not be approved on the floor of the senate and that the figure probably would be lowered to 25 per cent, or perhaps as high as 30 per cent.

T. H. Miller appeared in the house last week a strong advocate in favor of a soldier's bonus bill providing for a civil service or insurance of an enormous insurance policy, at the option of the beneficiary. The way and means committee completed its hearing on bonus legislation, during which Miller wrote into the records that which Secretary Mellon and Secretary Weeks are engaged have been communicated to the insurance companies. Senator Durry strongly bad written Secretary Moses about that story, and the letter replied that he had never authorized or co-operated with any person in raising any fund whatever had had for his purpose any propaganda against the bonus measure, nor any other measure that has been before congress during the time that Mr. Mellon has occupied the present office.

SENATOR SIMON JOHNSON issued a statement early in the week to the effect that the Coolidge committee members knew they were based in the three primary states where the voters had a free vote in the selection of delegates and that, consequently, they were resorting to party tricks to defeat the Johnson candidate. On Tuesday the Republicans of Iowa met in convention there their 35 delegates to the national convention and instructed them for Coolidge. On Wednesday the Republicans' entire delegation of Minnesota were held and in a majority of their delegates were instructed for the Johnson candidate, making it virtually certain that the entire delegation at Cleveland will be instructed for him. The basis of opposition to Coolidge from rural sections is three two states and the number of delegates from the primary states to support Coolidge, states were listed upon to make a sufficient majority of the primary delegations to nominate a non-

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Mr. McAdoo replied to Senator Heflin's attack on him with a letter in which he severely denounced the senator, setting forth the Missouri's rather unenviable political record and asserting that Reed had resorted to "the most glaring disregard for the truth" because McAdoo would not stay out of the Missouri primary contest.

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FIFTY-EIGHT members of the house of representatives—35 Democrats, 22 Republicans and 1 Socialist (Barker)—have united in an effort to have the Volstead law so amended as to permit the manufacture and sale of beer, wine and cider containing not to exceed 2.75 per cent alcohol. They introduced a bill to that effect.

A CHURCHMEET PATRICK J. HAYES of New York and George W. Mandel of Chicago called for Mass on Saturday, having been summoned suddenly to the Vatican, and it was announced that they would be elevated to the cardinalate at a ceremony to be held March 24. They will be the first native-born Americans to hold such high office in the Roman Catholic church.

THE PHILIPPINES independence measure, which has been active in Washington for some time, was sent a new life this week by a letter from President Coolidge to General Mass, head of the group of natives. The President ignored every angle of the controversy and declared flatly that he did not think the Indians were yet ready for independence. He balled his opinion on the danger to the Philippines people of economic or political disorder, perhaps even amounting to anarchy, in event of withdrawal of American support and protection. On the majority of the Filipino people at present is unknown, the financial base that would be imposed by political independence, and on the lack of political capacity necessary to the people of a nation, native, assuming the full responsibility of maintaining itself in the family of nations.

The President directed the committee against General Wood, who was subpoenaed and held that the government must not "a heretic, a potential and consummated assassin."

A LL who diverted from the Army to Navy between Armistice day, November 11, 1918, and the formal ending of the war have been granted an increase and restoration of pension by the President, who followed the advice of Secretary Weeks and Denby in the matter. This does not include Officer Cleveland Bergott.

A COMPTON the statement of the German government that practically all the 100,000 representatives concerning disarmament and demobilization have been carried out. The allied council of ministers has decided that allied military control of Germany shall be abandoned and a modified system of supervision of German armaments substituted. This is in accordance with the suggestion of Prime Minister Hindenburg.

March 10 is now given as the date for the publication of the report of the Swiss committee of experts. It is felt the committee will propose that they may update the activities of the experts for representation, but that it will not be able to make any conclusions for five years. Of course it would have to pay the German indemnity for the materials destroyed by the allies.

SAN JOSE, the capital of Costa Rica, was long disturbed by the actions of the rebels. Last evening had passed in the city. The American legation was fully damaged, but the minister and his family escaped injury.

THE TUCSON citizens recently has succeeded in capturing and impressing the people. About twenty thousand, who had been demonstrating for the protection of the public interest in Tucson, were arrested.

New Mexico State Items

The Calumet, New Mexico, Mining Company, of Pinos Altos, shipped a car of fine ore to the smelter in El Paso last week which it is believed will run over \$100 to the ton. The ore is said to carry some good gold values.

The gasoline plant at Aztec, which has been promoted by Gallup men, has been disposed of to parties from California who will invest \$50,000 in the proposition. Plans are now under way to make the plant one of the largest of the kind in the west.

Plans are progressing rapidly for the opening of the Fort Sumner bank and most of the residents of the vicinity are backing the officers strong. As soon as the bank is opened it is believed that at least fifty per cent of the deposits will be available.

The annual convention of the New Mexico Cattle and Horse Growers' Association will be held at the Francis Hotel in Albuquerque, March 26. The fourth meeting of the executive committee will be held at the hotel on the afternoon of the 24th and all other committees will be in session during the evening before the convention.

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The Leidecker well, on section 34, about twenty-five miles north of Farmington, struck gas the first of the week at the depth of 1,840 feet and the flow is estimated at nearly two-million feet. The gas was discontinued when the blowers were removed from the hole and a hissing sound was heard by the drillers. All lines were punctured at once, but owing to the sand and water in the hole it is impossible to measure the flow. The well is in white shale and the gas will be caused off and the hole made deeper as it is believed that oil underneath is forcing up the gas and that a commercial well may be developed.

ACADEMIC to Americans, why is it in Galveston recently if the present peace is carried out the Inter-tribal Indian Ceremonial, to be staged this fall, will be the largest event of the kind ever held. Indications are that thousands of people from all over the United States will attend the big show and preparations are now under way to flood every state in the nation with advertising matter. Hundreds of reservations are now being made as the hotels and tourist homes and lodges going west are making plans to meet their return trip in the fall. It is estimated that over 20,000 Indians will be in the city at the time of the big show.

Representatives of the National Geographic Society and the National Park Survey, who have been in Colorado, report that the cave near Castlewood when opened, will be the greatest natural wonder in the United States. Announcement has been made by George T. Marston, of the National park service, that the cave will be closed part of the summer during the explorations of the National Geographic Society, but the survey is half completed. Now in charge of the survey work believe that in the next few years travel to the cave will exceed that to the Grand Canyon, Niagara Falls or the Yellowstone National Park.

The Baptists of New Mexico started a big drive for funds for the various activities of the state. March 26, 1920, is the semi-centennial year of the church in the state. Dr. G. H. Crisler, of New Orleans, formerly a missionary to Mexico, is returning to the work.

The Northwest, in northwestern New Mexico, has passed an encouraging amount of oil in the past year, but not yet that is being drilled by the Producers and Refiners Corporation for the Santa Fe Oil Company. This is one of the areas open which leases were received by the government for the benefit of the Navajo Indians on Oct. 16. It contains 4,000 acres and brought \$1,000. It is from twelve to sixteen miles west to a mile south from the New Mexico Gas Company's producing wells on the Pecos River. The Northwest discovery was made at a depth of 2,000 feet, and often caused no penetration of the oil-bearing sand, the oil remaining 100 feet in the surface casing. Costs for oil drilling being about \$1,000 per acre, were and may be used in truck and automobile engine without refining.

The committee from of government and chairman of a special election held in Roswell, Roswell will continue to be "true" to Roswell's best interest.

The annual convention of the New Mexico U. P. A. was held at Santa Fe, New Mexico, Thursday and Friday, March 10 and 11, at the Chamber of Commerce.

CORPORATION and checks to the amount of \$1000 or \$200 were given when the sale of the Dodge Corporation shares of Roswell, N. M., was taken by

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The baby was bawling. Pa stood it as long as he could and then ventured to make inquiry.

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Poker Returns
"When my husband plays poker he always brings me \$50." "Does he always win?" "I don't know about that. But he always brings me \$50."—Lesterine Courier-Journal.

Only the best ingredients are used in Bradbury's. For instance they have an aged, thin one or two old ones.—Ady.

May I Be Worse
"Verbalized—Aha! I hate I haven't written anything that will hurt!" Friend—Cheer up! Be thankful you are alive in spite of what you've written.—Boston Evening Transcript.

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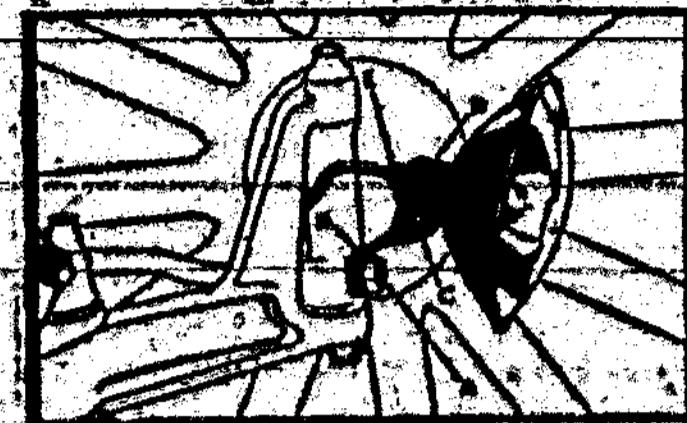
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U. S. CROPS IN YEAR 1922

WORTH TWELVE BILLIONS

Washington—Crops, animals raised and
live stock products of American

farmers were valued at \$12,201,000,000 last year, the Department of Agriculture announced, here in a preliminary statement. This was \$662,000,000 more than in 1922. The total includes \$6,200,000,000 for crops, and \$4,111,000,000 for animal products, less an allowance of \$6,660,000,000, the estimated value of crops fed to live stock.

Value of the various crops was:

Cereals, \$4,789,000,000; cotton lint,

and seed, \$1,789,000,000; hay and forage, \$1,452,000,000; vegetables, \$1,262,000,000; fruit and fruit products, \$911,000,000; farm forest products, \$811,000,000; tobacco, \$240,000,000; hemp, \$113,000,000; sugar and syrup crops, \$104,000,000; cottonseed, cotton, etc., \$62,000,000; far flax and seeds, \$67,000,000; and other crops, \$10,000,000.

The distress of wheat growers is
strikingly shown, the department said,
by the 1922 wheat value estimate of
\$1,200,000,000, compared with \$1,410,
000 in 1922 and with \$1,620,000 in
1922.

Value of live stock products was:

Animals raised, \$1,070,000,000; dairy

products, \$2,050,000,000; poultry products, \$1,247,000,000; meat, \$17,000,000;

other products, \$1,110,000,000 and other un-

classified products, \$400,000.

"We Kind to Animals Week," April 6

BOSTON—President Coolidge's ap-

peal of several days ago of "We

Kind to Animals Week," beginning

April 6, is emphasized in a letter re-

ceived here by Dr. Francis W. Bowler,

President of the Massachusetts Society

for the Protection of Animals in Amer-

ica and the American Humane Educa-

tional Society. The letter says:

"As we have learned that the observance

of this week is becoming more and

more an affair of national interest and

concern. The cause is one which cer-

tainly deserves all of the considera-

tion that can possibly be given it, and

I hope that this year will be the most

successful and general observance

that has yet been held."

Philippine Independence Bill Show

INDEPENDENCE—The Philippine bill for immediate independence was dealt a strong blow by President Coolidge. The President, in a letter to Manuel Roxas, head of the Philippine independence delegation, declared flatly the administration did not believe the time had come to grant independence to the Philippine people and asserted that intervention against Governor General Woodrow Wilson was justified and were, like the independence appeal, unsupported by a considerable portion of the na-

tion's population.

Charge Charges to Be Filed

Washington—The committee already organized by the independent section of the oil industry, the National Capital, is about to submit the further draft of a grand July independence bill containing clauses against several important public officials. President Coolidge has advised that all of the legislative sections to be introduced in a future Congress stand by report to the Senate. Plans to carry the legislation into effect already have begun.

Minor Marcus Reserves

Washington—Marcus, whose funds of value were purchased to be second-hand of selected pearls, or selected white cultured pearls, came the minor and minor section of the Jewels and Jewelry Association and recommended the members of the stock and some of the most important dealers. The new recommendations were adopted.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

L. R. LaMay was a visitor from the Mesa the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Hale were visitors from Capitan Saturday.

George Murray was in town yesterday from across the "rocks."

Mrs. George J. Dingwall is in El Paso this week, visiting relatives.

Robert Swan and Boni Samora, two old timers of the Capitan country, were here Tuesday.

Miss Vinnie Burton, who is teaching school at Corona, was a week end visitor, the guest of Mrs. J. B. French.

Tom Bragg was down from his Bosito home Tuesday during the snow storm. He returned the following day.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Crawford returned this week from Houston, Texas, where they have been visiting the past month.

Robert and Julian Taylor left Sunday morning for the Pecos Valley country. They may run over into Texas before returning.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gallacher and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Rentslow were in Saturday from their respective ranches in the north malpais region.

William Kahler, Sr., who has been confined to his bed the past week or more, has steadily grown worse, and little hopes are entertained for his recovery.

Mrs. Ellen V. Crutcher, of Tulosa, spent last night with the Sagers, and left this morning for Capitan to accept a position with the Tidsworth Company.

M. U. Finley loaded a car of big steers for Kansas this morning. The purchasers were The Bruce-Jones Company, and the steers brought a good price.

Brack Sloan, commissioner from the third district, was here Monday from Ancho, going over road matters with those interested in the completion of the Carrizozo-Socorro road.

Former Treasurer Given Pen Sentence

Harry G. Norman, formerly treasurer of Lincoln county, entered a plea of guilty to embezzling public funds, before Judge McMechen, and was sentenced to serve one year to eighteen months in the penitentiary. He was conveyed to Santa Fe this week by Sheriff Harris.

The amount of the shortage has not been made public by the Comptroller's office, but it is believed to be around \$12,000.00. The Surety Bond Company has paid \$5,000.00 on the defalcation, which was covered into the school fund, and more than restores the amount lost by that fund; thus producing no interference with the schools of the county.

Masons to Socorro

A delegation of local Masons drove to Socorro Tuesday to witness screen pictures of the Masonic Educational Service and to hear lectures by eminent Masons on the subject. Two cars went, containing the following members: W. A. Wimack, Port Stanton; J. A. Brubaker, Captain; R. E. Lemon, S. F. Miller, B. Bogle, E. O. Prehim, C. P. Huppert, E. H. Sweet, Carrizozo. The delegation returned Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Maxwell's condition is said to be unimproved; in fact, pneumonia is now added to other complications from which she has been suffering, and the family and friends are fearful of the result.

Cleve C. Bourne and family arrived yesterday, and, after a day or two with relatives here—the Skinner families—will go to Rudoso where Mr. Bourne will take charge of the White saw mill. The Bourne family lived in Lincoln county a great many years, but left here about twelve years ago for the western part of the state. Old friends are glad to see them back.

Carrizozo School Notes

The Dramatic Club repeated its school play last Friday evening, giving them in the Methodist church. This church certainly has a fine stage for plays—large and just the right shape. The Dramatic Club contemplates giving these plays at Fort Stanton in the near future.

At the meeting of the Boy Scouts last week three new Scouts were initiated. This month closes the Scout year. At the meeting last week Scoutmaster Cole made a demonstration in photometry, with the apparatus from the physical laboratory. This showed how to estimate the candle power of any kind of a light. It also proved the law that "the intensity of light varies inversely as the distance from the source of light." The same law holds, and for the same reason, for heat, sound, gravitation, magnetism.

The Woman's Club has again done the splendid thing that it has done so many times in the past few years. It brought to the High School building another art exhibit. The display was made in the rooms on the upper floor of the building. Mrs. Richardson had charge of the exhibit. In the High School Mrs. Stadman made a talk explaining the beautiful etchings on the walls. In closing her remarks she made the point that the young people of the schools are sketching and etching their lives, and that the excellence of the work depends upon the character as well as upon the mentality of the subject; that character is the best and most enduring thing in the world. We assure the Woman's Club, especially these ladies who personally appear at the schools, that we appreciate these exhibits and shall always welcome them.

Storm Again Interfered

Bad luck seems to pursue the High School Dramatic Club. Miss Menz, the director of dramatics, has conscientiously given her time and talent to the perfection of the club during the school term, and had prepared as the annual high school play, the most attractive program of the year. The play was scheduled for Tuesday night, March 11, at the Crystal Theatre. That night was one of the stormiest of the season, and only a small crowd greeted the production.

The many who did not get to see the performance, but learned of its excellence from the few who did see it, urged a repetition of the play. Miss Menz, the dramatic club director, and those taking part in the play, very kindly consented to the request, and the Woman's Missionary Society announced that the performance would be repeated at the Methodist church Tuesday night of this week. But a repetition of the play was accompanied by a repetition of the weather of the Tuesday night previous, with a number of extra trials; so that only a small crowd was present to greet the players.

Disappointing as these efforts have been to present this last production to a "good house," and to which its merit entitled it, Miss Menz, the director, and those whom she has so nobly trained in the planning art of the entertainments, may rest assured that their efforts are highly appreciated, and both director and participants have won golden opinions from all who have had an opportunity to witness their work on the stage. The public, due to the conditions heretofore mentioned, is the big loser in having been denied the pleasure of seeing this crowning effort of the director's art in this last production.

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Educational News

By Mrs. Louis E. Ober.
Teachers all over the country are urged by the American Legion to point out to their pupils a change that has been made in the wording of the pledge to the flag. The revision of the pledge is: "I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States and to the republic for which it stands, one Nation, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

Irregular school attendance caused the waste of \$25,000,000, one quarter of the money spent for public education in the United States, in 1922, according to statisticians of the United States Bureau of Education.

The people who paid the taxes robbed themselves of this amount and at the same time they deprived their own children of an average of two months schooling. More than 22,000,000 children were enrolled in the public schools of the country and the schools were open an average of about eight months.

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Lincoln News Notes

Lincoln, March 19
The school play which was given in Lincoln recently was repeated to an appreciative audience at Fort Stanton Thursday night.

The second snow storm of the week left six inches of "the beautiful" on the ground. The snow will benefit the range, but the freezing wind following it was not of any material benefit to the orchards, whose trees are just budding out.

Mrs. Mabel Burleson from Roswell spent the weekend here visiting friends and relatives.

The "Tacky Party" at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Phipps Monday night was a great success. All the guests appeared in the most outlandish costumes possible. Among the children, Ruth Lydia Penfield and Peg Phipps were voted the most forcible, and Miss Clara Phipps and Charlie Page received the prizes as the prettiest among the grown-ups. The evening was

spent playing games and doing other stunts, after which refreshments suitable to the occasion were served, and everyone went home happy.

A number of Lincolnites attended the dance at Fort Stanton Saturday night.

Mrs. Webb of Roswell and Miss Louise Webb of Hobbs, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Burleson.

Mrs. George S. Treat and Mrs. Roy Treat, accompanied by Mrs. Arline Gibbons, were guests Sunday of Mrs. John Penfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pachols moved to Ancho the first of the week where Mr. Pachols has a position with the railroad.

Mrs. E. H. Miranda is recovering from a bad attack of rheumatism.

The Republicans of Lincoln sent a delegation to the county convention held at Capitan last Saturday.

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