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Two Million Have Applied For a Bonus

Washington, Feb. 25—Major General Robt C. Davis, in charge of the war department's administration of the adjusted compensation act, announced today that 2,400,000 bonus applications had been received from veterans in the United States and those now residing in foreign countries. Of the total number received, he said, only 27,000 applications had been disallowed by the department, but it had been necessary to return 500,000 to the senders for corrections and necessary information.

General Davis called attention to the payment of cash bonus effective March 1, under the law:

"On that date," he said, "cash payments become due to those veterans whose adjusted service credit amounts to $50 or less, and dependants of deceased veterans including their widows, children, mothers and fathers, become entitled to the first installment in cash of the amounts due them."

Rev. Fosdick's Farewell Sermon

New York, Feb. 23—The Rev Dr. Harry E. Fosdick, whose services as special preacher at the First Presbyterian church end on March 1st, by order of the New York presbytery, declared yesterday, in his farewell sermon, that a new religious reformation was on its way, which might possibly have to "split" away from the evangelical churches as the Lutheran formation had to split from the old church."

Dr. Fosdick, who is a Baptist minister holding a Presbyterian pulpit, was the subject of much controversy in the dispute between the fundamentalists and modernists, said in his sermon that a multitude of christians "have not the religion of Jesus," but only the "religion about Jesus," and that "the religion about Jesus tends to crowd out, smother and destroy the religion of Jesus."

"A religious reformation is afoot," Dr. Fosdick said, "and at heart it is the endeavor to recover for our modern life the religion of Jesus against the vast, intricate, largely inadequate and often positively false religion about Jesus. Christianity today has largely left the religion which he preached, taught and lived and has substituted another kind of religion altogether.

"If Jesus should come back now, hear the mythologies built up around Him, see the creedalism, denominationalism, sacramentalism carried on in His name, He would certainly say: 'If this is christianity, I am not a christian.'"

"I, too, have a religion about Jesus," Dr. Fosdick continued. "I believe great things concerning him. But the center of my religion is in the gospels, not the theologians; in the Master's way of living, not what men have said about Him.

"That same thing is happening in the church which is happening all over the country on Washington's birthday. Many orators will indulge in high-sounding praise of Washington. They have a patriotism about Washington. But the patriotism of Washington—that is another matter—and it is not so easy to find."

Alleged Safe Blowers Captured by Roswell Cops

Albuquerque, N.M., Feb. 26.—Word was received here today from Roswell of the arrest there of James Stanley, alias Carl P. Patterson, and Mr. and Mrs. W. Ward, charged with robbery, are believed to have been implicated in the blowing of safes in a series of robberies at Pinon, Lake Arthur, Greenfield, Capitan, Dexter, Hagerman, Fort Sumner and Albuquerque.

A set of burglar's tools, including dynamite caps, fuses, putty, revolvers and ammunition were found in their possession.

Mrs. Ward said they had lived until recently at the Johnson House on Oregon street, El Paso. She also said they were Albuquerque for a short time.

70,000 Checks to be Sent War Veterans In March

Washington, Feb. 26—Approximately 70,000 treasury checks for $50 or less representing the cash payments to be made immediately to war veterans under the compensation act will be mailed March 1, by the veterans' bureau

The aggregate value of the checks is about $2,250,000. Nearly 300,000 such payments will be made, officials said, going to veterans who served only a short time.

THE MAJOR IS SEEING THINGS

Santa Fe, N. M., Feb. 23.—With a record of patriotic service in the World War, which has atoned for the depredations of their ancestors, who were Victorio and Nana, and other famous chieftains, a band of 155 Apaches—men, women and children—marooned on the snow-clad crest of the mountains in the Mescalero Reservation, have become desperate by reason of seeking sustenance through the winters in a land where snow gets five feet deep, and will go on the warpath unless they are given relief.

So alleges Major W. H. H. Llewellyn, one-time agent for the Mescaleros and former speaker of the legislative house, who has prepared a resolution, introduced in the house today, memorializing congress to locate these suffering Indians on land where they can make a living, The government, the resolution recites, is considering putting the band on a site near Tularosa, which is inadequate and unsatisfactory to the Indians.

The resolution gives, in brief, the checkered history of these Apaches, who were induced to give up their home on the Hot Springs reservation in the Black range in Socorro county, and transferred by the government to Arizona, whence they repeatedly fled back to New Mexico.

It tells of the unfounded charge laid against Victorio and Nana of the murder of two Americans, the bloody Indian raid in southwest New Mexico which ensued and caused the death of 500 people and the eventual slaughter of the Indian chiefs and many of their followers by troops in Mexico. Thereafter the little remnant was sent back to New Mexico by the Indian Bureau.

Major Llewellyn stated that the Indians were likely to cause serious trouble if not given a suitable place to live.

Big Sum Saved

A total of $46,000 has been recovered from officials in New Mexico or their sureties as a result of charges assessed by audits of the state comptroller's office in the past 20 months, according to a report by Comptroller A. H. Carter. Direct charges were set up of $259,000, he says, and another $7,,000, it is expected, will be recovered in a few days. More than $139,000 has been 'suspended' against officials pending explanation,,and it is stated that many of these will be changed to direct charges unless satisfactory explanation is soon made.

Carter says the audits made by his office in the 20 months would cover the operations of a single office for about 500 years. Carter alleges that, notwithstanding unusual expense because of wholesale cancellation of bonds by surety companies, the office has closed the fiscal year without a deficit. Carter attaches a statement by C. L. Linder, in charge of the state land office audit, which, he says, shows a total loss in that office by maladministration or favoritism of $597,932. In addition he claims $84,201 more for base land located, 28,067 acres.

Operetta

(Woman's Club)

March 16th and 17th are the new dates set for the operetta "The Wild Rose," to be given by the Woman's Club at the Crystal Theatre.

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$50.00 Reward

A reward of $50 is hereby offered, and will be paid by the Carrizozo Chamber of Commerce for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person, or persons, guilty of polluting the water in the railroad reservoir adjacent to the Village of Carrizozo, the alleged offense having been perpetrated during the week beginning February 22. A like reward will be paid for the apprehension and conviction of persons who wilfully and maliciously trespass upon and damage the property upon which said reservoir is located, or who shall in any way pollute the water in said reservoir by throwing therein anything of an offensive and damaging nature, calculated to pollute the source of water supply for Carrizozo.

Carrizozo Chamber of Commerce,
By H. B. Hamilton, Pres.

Deported from Juarez

El Paso, Feb. 25—More than fifty Americans were deported from Juarez last night in connection with a campaign to clean up the zone of tolerance.

Five women were formally escorted to the American side by Mexican immigration authorities, who told local American immigration inspectors that they were undesirable in Mexico.

The majority of the deportees were taken to the immigration station in Juarez where their border cards were taken up and they were ordered to quit Mexican soil.

May Have to Raise the Tax Levy

Santa Fe, Feb. 25.—Tax levy for state purposes must be raised from three to three and three-quarters if the treasury is to meet demands of the general appropriations bill for the fourteenth and fifteenth fiscal years now in the house finance committee, according to Rupert F. Asplund, director of the State Taxpayers' association, today.

The new appropriations bill totals $2,681,255, an increase of $112,359 over the twelfth and thirteenth years, and is divided into the following sections:

Emergency appropriations for thirteenth fiscal year, $67,990, appropriation for fourteenth fiscal year, $1,336,643—and a like amount for the fifteenth fiscal year.

The average annual appropriations in previous bill totalled $1,226,814. The increase is scattered throughout various state institutions and departments, with no appropriations for new buildings.

Commenting on the problem of the legislature to make ends meet, Mr. Asplund said emergency appropriations for the thirteenth year must be greatly cut if not entirely eliminated, because levies for this year have already been set up and no other means of raising revenue is available.

These emergency appropriations are divided as follows:

State health laboratory, Albuquerque, $12,000 last year and this; University library, $15,000; equipment for the comptroller's office, $6,000.

Two other big appropriation bills are before the house finance committee totalling $80,200, one for biological survey purposes and another providing annuity for charitable institutions.

Fall Again

Cheyenne, Wyo., Feb. 25.—Albert B. Fall, former secretary of the interior, and his son-in-law, M. E. Everhart, received $145,000 in Liberty bonds from the Continental Trading Company of Canada, counsel for the government charged Thursday in a sworn affidavit here.

The affidavit charges the Liberty bonds were placed in the First National Bank of Pueblo, Colorado, and were later sold to the M. D. Thatcher estate.

Everhart used part of the proceeds to pay off the notes on the Three Rivers ranch, in New Mexico while the remainder was kept on deposit in the Pueblo bank, the affidavit further alleges.

The affidavit was filed before Judge T. Blake Kennedy in federal district court here by Owen J. Roberts and Atlee Pomerene, government counsel, and asks that the government suit against Harry F. Sinclair, brought in an attempt to break the Teapot Dome oil lease, be postponed until investigators can gather further details of the alleged bond transaction.

Henry Smith Osler, former president of the Continental Trading Company, Canada, is alleged by the government to be the man through whom the bond transaction was made.

Arguments on motion for continuance were started Thursday before Judge Kennedy. A hearing had been set for March 9.

Burglary at Capitan

Burglars entered the Sunshine Pharmacy at Capitan, J. T. [illegible] owner, Monday night and ransacked shelves and cabinets. The safe was left unlocked by the owner, and it was [illegible] "Closing." The principal loss, it is said, is damaged and wrecked drawers, etc. This is the second burglary in our neighbor town, the first occurring the previous week, when the garage safe of [illegible] was [illegible].

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Georges Daeschner

Washington's Farewell to French Ambassador a National Event

Mme Jusserand — J.J. Jusserand

It was a "regretful farewell to an old and valued companion whom the people of the United States, especially those closely associated with him here, have come to know as a delightful friend and an honorable and upright man."

By JOHN DICKINSON SHERMAN

THE Frenchmen as successors of the Jusserands is a topic of never-ending interest in social Washington and, it may be surmised, in official and diplomatic Washington as well. It was Taft who once said that Jusserand had become "as much a part of Washington life as the Capitol or the Washington monument"—and our national habit of exaggeration often hits the bull's-eye squarely, as in this case of the retiring veteran French diplomat, after 22 years of residence at the capital.

In consequence there is a lively curiosity regarding Emile Daeschner, who is literally the observed of all observers. For obvious reasons, also, France and the French government bulk largely in the public eye just now. So the Washington public is wondering how Daeschner will get along with Kellogg, who will be Hughes' successor as secretary of state after March 4. The new ambassador confided to the Petit Parisien just before he left Paris that he had had the good luck to make the acquaintance of Kellogg and said:

"The impression made upon me by the talks I had with him leads me to foresee that our relations in Washington will not only be very pleasant for me but profitable to the interest of the two nations."

Well, here's hoping the new ambassador gets along as well with the new secretary of state as did Jusserand with Hughes. For Hughes, unable to be present at the farewell banquet to the Jusserands by the "City of Washington" some weeks in advance of their actual departure, sent a letter which said in part:

"Tonight we are honoring not simply a [illegible] of an ambassador [illegible] the expression of our [illegible] M. Jusserand not only because of what he has done [illegible] the [illegible] of America, [illegible] good will. To him and to Mme. Jusserand, whose charm and distinction [illegible] our assurance of [illegible] esteem and affection."

It will be many a long day before Washington stops talking about that farewell to the Jusserands [illegible] in the [illegible] history of the capital. It is a common joke that the rôle of society [illegible] has grown up because of the fact that the Washington newspapers printed in full the names of "those present."

Anyway, that farewell function has come to be regarded as an event of national importance. It was [illegible] to be a tribute by the "City of Washington." And so it was [illegible] Secretary Hughes, Chief Justice Taft, Speaker Gillett, Senator Bingham of Connecticut and others [illegible] a national farewell. Moreover, the assemblage was nation-wide in its composition. And in addition, by means of radio, was an audience of the American people.

Yes, the Jusserand farewell may have been intended for a local affair, but in any affair—and it was "adieu" rather than "au revoir"—to Monsieur Jean Adrien Antoine Jules Jusserand and Madame Jusserand required the presence of representatives of four administrations, five cabinet officers, four Supreme court justices, fifteen senators, twenty-five members of the House, officers of all arms of the service, representatives of the executive departments, diplomats from the embassies and legations, presidents of universities and of patriotic and learned societies and hundreds of men and women from virtually every state in the Union nationally and internationally eminent in all activities of life.

Maj. Gen. John A. Lejeune, commandant of the United States Marine corps, spoke for the "City of Washington" in presenting a medal and engraved parchment. "Johnny, the Hard," as the marines call him, gets that way on the firing line in war times, but he's easy when it comes to saying nice things in a presentation address. Just look at the following words:

"Why do we love M. Jusserand? It is not because of his knowledge of American history [illegible]"

The medal in farewell reproduced. The testimonial which fairly sets forth the spirit of the occasion is engrossed and illuminated on parchment and bears the signatures of hundreds in public and private life. Presumably the Jusserands will take with them to the retirement of their little country home outside Paris no more treasured possession. The testimonial reads in part:

"Not only in the tranquil years of peace have you represented [illegible]

"[illegible]

"You have been the trusted [illegible]

"We shall miss you, and we shall follow you with our thoughts, our hopes and our memories as you return to the land of your birth.

"To you and to Mme. Jusserand, your charming and distinguished wife, it is with affection and regret we say "Good-by."

President Coolidge sent to the chairman a letter to President Grosvenor of the National Geographic society in which he expressed his sympathy with the purpose of the gathering and said: [illegible]

Chief Justice Taft, unable to be present, sent a letter, saying that their departure was a grief to all who knew them and adding, "We have come to cherish them as warm and intimate friends, neighbors."

Speaker Gillett, who presided at the banquet, said that not since Lafayette had any citizen of a foreign country so endeared himself to America.

Senator Bingham's address was an appreciation of Jusserand's literary work and revealed that he had been made an honorary alumnus by 15 American colleges, each represented at the dinner.

Ambassador Jusserand, in replying to these tributes and compliments, was under stress of great emotion but made a noteworthy address. He paid back compliment for compliment. He outlined his half century of diplomatic service. He said his 22 years in the United States were the most important of his life. He quoted George Washington's words [illegible] September 10, 1790: "The United States is making great progress toward national happiness, and if it is not attained there in as high a degree as human nature will admit of, I think we may conclude that political happiness is unattainable." And he said:

"Let I shall add that, with your love of freedom, your prosperity, sense of fair play, aversion to dangerous extremes, you are in a fair way to show that political happiness is indeed attainable."

There were other farewells in Washington, New York and [illegible]. He personally presented [illegible] of Secretary Hughes and [illegible] to this country.

In New York a reception was held in the long room of Fraunces tavern [illegible]

Solicitor General James M. Beck expressed the hope that the French diplomat would [illegible]

"But just now," Mr. Beck declared, "there is a great need for him to return to be the gracious interpreter of the United States to France, as he was the gracious interpreter of France to the United States for the last 22 years."

M. Jusserand said in reply: "It seemed for a while that my career was to be ended. But I feel now that I still have another mission, and that is to cement the friendship of our two countries. I hope some day that I shall again salute the Statue of Liberty on my way back to this country."

Origin of Petroleum

According to the geological survey the organic theory of the origin of petroleum is most generally accepted. Crude petroleum of paraffin base is believed to be formed of vegetable debris and petroleum of asphaltic base is believed to be formed of organic matter containing a large proportion of animal matter. Substantially the same products are obtained from petroleum of either base except asphalt, which is obtained from asphaltic petroleum only and paraffin wax, which is obtained from paraffinaceous petroleum. Paraffinaceous petroleum contains a larger proportion of kerosene, gasoline and other high gravity products than asphaltic petroleum.

Extinction of Mammoth

What caused the mammoth to disappear has never been satisfactorily explained. To judge by the enormous abundance of the remains, this elephant must have been exceedingly abundant throughout most of its range. At its period, the present treeless areas of northern Asia were covered with forests of pine, upon whose leaves and underbrush the elephants were accustomed to feed. The disappearance of these forests would account for the extinction of this and associated extinct animals in that region, but the question as to the rest of the habitat remains unanswered. It is very probable that in Europe the woolly species was exterminated by man.

Paris Pyjama Is Worn in America

Launched last autumn by Molyneux and worn at that time for the promenade by the ladies along the Lido, the pyjama has now definitely penetrated into these more conservative shores, and today is a part of the wardrobe of every smart American woman, asserts a fashion writer in the New York Herald-Tribune. In France its purposes have been many. Originally worn as a substitute for the nightgown its sphere has widened until now it appears at the informal tea hour, as a robe d'interieur, at the beaches and for the promenade. In this country its use has so far been limited to informal and intimate home gatherings, but it has been noted occasionally at the southern resort beaches, and it is quite possible that the pyjama will become an out-of-door costume during the approaching spring and summer.

The fabrics and designs of the pyjama costumes run directly counter to the accepted tenets of the current mode. Unadorned sophisticated simplicity is discarded in favor of ornate styles, ornate fabrics, lavish trimmings and vivid color combinations. Crepe de chine, velvet, lame, satin, and jacquard silk and cotton combinations are trimmed in an oriental manner by materials similar to those used on robes du soir. In addition to the plain colored fabrics, printed silks of obvious oriental inspiration are also used.

Reaches to the Hips

The pyjama coat reaches generally to the hips. It is cut on wide, simple lines and shows no trace of the molded bodice of the formal mode. Chinese and Russian blouse effects, slipping on over the head, are the most usual types, but the pyjama coat is generally substituted in new ensemble costumes. The pyjama ensemble is a three-piece combination consisting of pyjama jacket, trousers and either negligee or boudoir robe. The pyjama trousers are similar in each case, but the coats vary in length. With the negligee a seven-eighths-length coat appears—equally long blouses are also used—while in combination with the breakfast robe a short coat is employed which can also serve as a matinee or sacque. The ensemble negligee reaches to a little below the pyjama jacket while the boudoir robe, although much shorter, also extends to a little below the abbreviated pyjama coat.

Dressing gowns of the more conventional type also emphasize striking colorful effects. Printed fabrics are most modish, notably panne velvet, crepe de chine and cretonne. The prints are principally in large floral designs—a very novel feature is the emphasizing of these designs with beaded embroideries so applied that the outstanding characteristics of the flower become more vivid.

New French Underthings.

The impeccable Parisienne has always indulged herself in the vanity of the delicate lingerie, in those [illegible] yesterdays when the silhouette was not so definitely molded as it is now. Today her vanity is no longer a

Pyjama Costume—Blue Satin Trousers and Rust-Colored Satin Coat.

subtle—the modern slenderizing mode requires careful building from the ground up, and while correct underthings are not actually the essence of the new clothes, they have become an important fundamental.

Lingerie and the silhouette travel together in the new order of things and this is so, no matter which of the various modish outlines is adopted by milady. The boyish straight line of recent years, the bouffant flare of this winter and the Russian silhouette all share two characteristics. They mold the figure closely at some point between the shoulder and the knee and they exploit the classic straight back. There are, of course, numerous variations of these three silhouettes, but each invariably includes the two salient molding lines.

It is evident that neither the molded bodice nor the straight back can be disturbed by the dissonance of careless or awkward underthings if they are to retain their esthetic appeal. The classic lines of antiquity, upon which the present mode is founded, were unhampered by lingerie, high shoes, corsets or any of the other restraining accessories which have been acquired with advancing civilization. Even the graceful Aphrodite would have romped around rather awkwardly if she were clad in the numerous unnecessaries of the Mid and Late Victorian.

Reduced to Minimum.

The underthings of the Parisienne of 1925 are quantitatively few and qualitatively sheer. They are as invisible to the outward view as the most ar-

Slip Developed From Orange Crepe de Chine, Medallion Trimmings.

dent Grundy could desire and their importance in the modern scheme of fashions derives from the fact that they must be always present but never accounted for. The sheath-like lines that always appear somewhere in the contemporary silhouette are never interfered with—the progress of the back-to-nature search of modern fashions is never retarded. In a word, lingerie to the present-day Parisienne, is a fundamental necessity reduced to an absolute minimum [illegible]

The neckline of the new underthings is not as important as it was last season. The high neck which distinguishes the newest frocks makes it a comparatively simple matter for the chemise to remain in its necessary obscurity. Of course, if your frock has either a deep straight line or a V cut, it will naturally be necessary that the lingerie conform.

The waistline is of the utmost importance in the choice of underthings. The waistline of the outer costume has been generally neglected in the tubular silhouette of recent seasons but there is a strong tendency to define it more clearly in the spring models. Clearly defining in this instance is a comparative term—as a matter of fact the costume line will be very definitely marked as compared with past waistlines, and it will be the function of the lingerie to gently stress this effect where possible. For the long-waisted frock there is a silk chemise which maintains straight lines to the lower [illegible] normal waist.

Laces Used for Trimmings.

Neither the wide skirt nor the flared hem is in any way dependent upon the underthings. Tunics, tiers, plaitings and various other manipulations of the frock itself are quite sufficient to obtain all of the new skirt effects.

Fabrics are various but always fragile. Among the silks crepe de chine is more popular than georgette this season while the principal cottons are still voile and batiste. Linen faded from the picture a year ago and there are no indications of its return.

For trimmings, laces are used principally. They are not employed in anything like the profusion of the past and seldom appear except as edgings or medallions. Valenciennes, Chantilly and Alençon are used again this season and in addition duchesse and [illegible] have been added.

Color is obviously an unessential in this season's lingerie and yet the Parisienne has manifested a distinct preference for the cyclamen and lilac shades which are being generally exploited for the spring collections of millinery and frocks as well. All of the pastel shades are en règle, notably flesh and Nile green, and occasionally a darker that creeps in.

Color, fabric and trimming are only incidentals to the lingerie of 1925. The line's the thing and it must conform in a completely self-effacing manner to the molded, fitted silhouette, lines of the new sophisticated silhouette.

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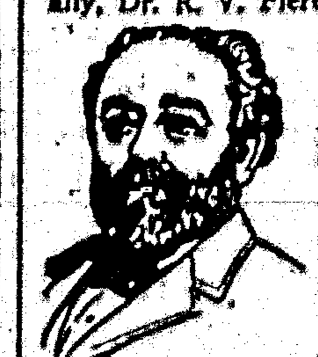

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CHAPTER XI—Continued

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"I shall skip nothing. The woman I was to have married left me the evening before, and disappeared with another man. Had he been free to marry her she would have had no need to escape in secrecy. I gave up my work. I hunted them through the Southern states. My mind was obsessed with the idea of redeeming my honor. If I had found them I should have killed him. They knew it, and they fled before me. I gave them no rest. For five years I pursued them, running down every clue."

"You'll permit me to correct your memory on that point, John," said Lawson suavely. "For five years you wandered among tramps and hoboes, to the scandal of your former friends, thinking that you were looking for your fiancee, but actually doing your searching in morphine visions. Such delusions of phenomenal activity are a recognized symptom of your disease. De Quincey imagined that he visited every corner of the earth while lying at home in an opium stupor."

"I never touched morphine until you gave it to me," said Lancaster.

"That delusion is part of your disease. No, John, you may have searched the suburban districts of Avonmouth, but you can't have gone far, because every few months you would turn up at the institute, looking shabbier and more disreputable on each occasion, and more and more morphine soaked. And every time I tried to set you up and help you, I was sorry for you, and you knew it and traded upon my pity. I was ashamed by you, and you knew that and traded upon my shame."

Lancaster hung his head; Joan [illegible] her hand lightly on his, and after that he continued to return Lawson's gaze steadfastly.

"I went to you, Jim Lawson," he said, "because I had placed you in charge of the institute when I elected to head the other branch of the trust fund, the Avonmouth hospital. I had given you the charge here because you were—"

"Your illegitimate half-brother," said Lawson bitterly. "We are not mincing our words. Because you robbed me of my own birthright as your elder brother, by reason of the fact that my mother was not legally married to our father. Yes, go on."

"At last, Joan, I was broken down completely," continued Lancaster. "It was a [illegible], that search of mine, as I came to understand afterward, a perverted pride that had eaten into my heart and left no place for other thoughts. But I did not become addicted to morphine until this man urged it upon me, under the guise of medical care. And even then I could have broken off the habit at any time, but I had no heart to, and it gave me relief from thoughts that tortured me."

"So they all [illegible]," said Lawson.

"It was he who told me that I could never break it off, who urged me to continue the use of it with sophistical arguments which I had not the energy to oppose. I had been five years away from Avonmouth. The people at the Southern hospital believed me dead and I did not undeceive them. I never meant to return. When I came here it was always by night, to this man whom I believed to be my friend, to avoid showing my face to the eyes of [illegible]. [illegible] ever saw us together, and Lawson and I resembled each other as much as we do today."

"More, I hope, John," sneered the other. "[illegible] as the years go by."

"Nobody in these parts had seen me since I was a boy. I had left home young, and studied at Johns Hopkins and abroad. Lawson had taken my name. The old neighbors had gone away, and if any of the country folks have long memories, they have close tongues, too. The matron and Jenkins are both newcomers. I had passed out of memory.

"This devil saw his chance and grasped at it," he went on with sudden vehemence. "Here was the famous Doctor Lancaster, a broken man, an outcast, and believed in Avonmouth to be long since dead. And here was the Lancaster known to Millville and Lancaster village, at the head of this institute. Why shouldn't he get me to take his place here while he went to Avonmouth and claimed to be I? Lawson was ambitious. He wanted to be something bigger than the superintendent of a little hill institute. And he wanted to get his fingers on the trust fund at Avonmouth. Do I wrong you?" he demanded, turning fiercely upon the other.

"Not in the least; you honor me," said Lawson, with a suave bow. "I wanted to take the fund out of your worthless supervision and devote it to proper uses."

"This must be stopped!" shouted Myers, with a sudden interposition. "Doctor Lancaster, you are saying things that you will regret tomorrow. You are turning to bite the hand that fed you. Where would you be today were it not for Doctor Lawson? A dead man in a pauper's grave!"

"He persuaded me, weakened as I was by morphine with which he had been dosing me," Lancaster resumed without paying the least attention to the secretary. "He was to take my place in Avonmouth, while I could assume charge here, pretend to have an illness, which would account for any change in my aspect and character. Nobody would know the difference, and nobody has known the difference. Here, he told me, I could be free to brood over my unhappy life, while he, the clever schemer, taking up my past, could adapt it to his own. He convinced me."

Joan gasped as she began to understand the enormity of the crime. And it was true: she could read that truth in Lawson's face, his pride in the exploit. Lawson was actually smirking, as he had smirked in the operating theater.

"I consented, and he went away," said Lancaster. "My recollection of the months that followed is necessarily a dim one. I know, however, that I was in no state to take care of the funds. They disappeared, and I was accused of having embezzled them. If I did that I did it in my dreams."

"That's just the trouble with you, John," said Lawson. "You dream too much. The question is, what did you do with them? Bury them? You can't have spent thirty thousand dollars upon morphine."

"I have accepted and borne the burden of the guilt," cried Lancaster. "This man Myers was placed in charge. Thereafter he was ever at my elbow, urging me upon the downward path. When I would make an effort to break off my habit he would whisper to me that my life was ruined, that the charge of embezzlement would be pressed if ever I returned to Avonmouth. He would advise me to take my drug and forget—"

"You are lying, you dreamer!" yelled the secretary. "You lie, and you know it!"

"When you came, Joan, I was all but hopeless. I had caught at your aid as my last hope, because that day you came to me your face looked good, and strong, too, and you spoke so sincerely, and it was years since I had known anyone like you. And you seemed to have been sent to me."

"Religious hallucination," said Lawson, tapping his forehead significantly. Nevertheless, Joan could see that he was growing uneasy as the plot was unraveled.

"It was a miracle, that meeting, one of those chances that seem reserved to uncover such conspiracies. For, though this man had stolen my name—and here a touch of pride was visible on Lancaster's face—there was one thing he could not do. He could not perform the Lancaster operation, though he had picked my brains during the weeks in which he kept me here, a prisoner in one room. And so, from time to time, he compelled me to go to Avonmouth, under the charge of Myers, in order to operate. He had [illegible], I was to dress and mask myself; I was to speak as little as possible and to leave hastily after I had finished my work. And he always sent me there with a full injection of the drug in my body. I was too weak to resist, too much under the thumb of Myers here."

"Doctor, won't you stop this painful recitation of hallucinations?" pleaded the secretary to Lawson. "You know, tomorrow he will retract everything."

"The day came," continued Lancaster, "when a committee of visiting surgeons was to witness the operation. He thought that he had learned it. His vanity led him to go to the hospital in person, after he had brought me to Avonmouth. The patient died, but he alone was responsible for that. And that is where you came into the case, Joan. I managed to get word with you, and Myers followed you to this institute in order to forestall me if possible."

"Doctor Lancaster, you did not steal the funds," said Joan quietly. "Do you not see the hold these two men have managed to obtain over you? They stole the funds, and their object in drugging you was to get rid of you, the sole evidence of their crime, by your death. And so, not daring to murder you, they planned that you should commit suicide."

"You'll answer for that!" shouted the secretary, white with rage.

Lancaster shrugged his shoulders. "It doesn't matter now, my dear," he said.

But he had struck Lawson through his triple hide of vanity at last.

"But that isn't all," shouted the man. "Admit that there may be a substratum of truth in these morphine dreams of yours, John Lancaster. Admit that I was ambitious, and that I did take the place my half-brother had forfeited in order to be of use to the world, and in order to save you from a felon's cell or a maniac's grave. Acknowledge that I did impersonate you tonight, as before, that I came back with Myers in order to get rid of this girl who threatened to disrupt the institute and put a drug drunkard in the office I hold. Well, what then? That isn't all the story.

"You have played your miserable game craftily, John Lancaster, after having made a fair agreement with me. But I've done my duty toward you and our father's fund, and if he were alive he would thank me for it. And as for this girl, she can go, and, if her ravings receive credence anywhere, I'll face a jury and tell the truth fearlessly.

"But you haven't explained everything to your poor dupe, John. You haven't told her where your sweetheart is. You haven't said that all the while you have been making love to her your fiancee is under this roof, hopelessly insane, that she came back in her madness, and that you took her into the institute and cared for her when her own people had discarded her, because you still loved her. And I'll tell you something, John. I brought her back; I was in touch with her from first to last; and I brought her here as an additional lure to keep you at the institute after I had gone to Avonmouth. Just tell Miss Wentworth who Mrs. Dana is."

Joan's eyes met Lancaster's, and she saw in his the supreme moment of his anguish. She braced herself to meet the shock; she told herself that Lancaster no longer cared for his poor charge. She faced Lawson and Myers unflinchingly. But the spring of hope that had been bubbling in her heart seemed to have gone dry.

Lawson seemed to be animated by some infernal devilry. He seemed to be throwing off the mask he had assumed; he leaned forward and shook his finger in Lancaster's face.

"And there's another thing, John," he said. "You remember that when we were boys together I resented the difference between your position and mine. Because of a few written words upon a legal document you, the younger, were the honored heir of John Lancaster, Sr., living in the big house on the estate, while I was the unacknowledged child, the shame of my poor mother, ostracized even by the meaner whites of the district. Your friends pretended not to know who I was when they rode by."

Lancaster made a gesture of deprecation as Lawson's voice shook with passion. "That's true, Jim," he said, "but can you blame me? Did I not give you the position here?"

"I hated you because of that, John," resumed Lawson. "I hated you, and I vowed some day to turn the tables on you. I wanted to be a surgeon. What a struggle I had, working my way through Johns Hopkins, while you were spending your father's money there! The struggle soured me, John. And once, do you remember, I was operating on a rabbit under curare, which had paralyzed the motor nerves and left the beast to suffer? It was an experiment such as I had often [illegible], and you flung a vile word at me and kicked the creature. I told you then that I would get even with you some day. The time arrived. I got my own back, and more, but there is one thing that I never told you. Your fiancee was the victim of a misunderstanding. There was no other man."

John Lancaster's deep breathing seemed the only sound in the room, and, as if galvanized into full strength, he stood now like a panther, poised for a leap, every muscle grown taut, and his eyes gleaming. Joan, paralyzed by the sudden unleashing of Lawson's venomous revenge, could not utter a word.

Lancaster spoke. "You and she were in [illegible] with her and brought her here after she became insane," he said. "How did you do it?"

"You have had your full say, John Lancaster," replied Lawson, "and now I am going to have mine. Under the delusion that your intention was to elope with her, on the day before that fixed for the marriage in the parish church—a romantic plan to evade the family and curious neighbors—Ethel went to Savannah, to meet you there. I needn't go into details of the trap that your unacknowledged enemy set for you, but when she learned that she had been tricked it was too late to return. Her life was ruined, John; and it was I, impersonating you, who sent her there."

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Americans Accorded Honors by Britain

The first native American to be knighted by an English monarch was Sir William Pepperell, who was born in Kittery, Maine, June 27, 1696. His father was a Welshman who came to New England as an apprentice to a fisherman. The son became a merchant and amassed a large fortune. As a military leader he took part in several conflicts with the Indians and attained much distinction. For thirty-two years he was a member of the royal council of Massachusetts, and as chief justice of common pleas he won eminence as a jurist.

Since Pepperell's time many Americans have achieved knighthood and higher British honors, Lord Astor and Lord Shaughnessy, the former a native of New York and the latter of Milwaukee, being among the more prominent latter-day examples.

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Adrift With Humor

DASHED HER HOPES

The young man produced a small square box from his pocket.

"My dear," he said, "I have a birthday present for you. I don't know whether it will fit your finger or not but I'll—"

"Oh, Jack!" she interrupted, blushing vividly. "Why, I never even thought—"

Then he opened the box and produced a silver thimble, and the room became suddenly cooler.

Turn About

The clergyman held up his hands in horror.

"Stephen," he said, "the last time I met you you made me the happiest man in the parish, because you were sober. But today you make me the most miserable, because you are drunk."

"Y-e-e-s, parson," said Peter. "Today it's my turn to be happy."

SAFE FROM THE KNIFE

Much-Operated Lady—So you don't expect ever to undergo an operation? May I ask why?

Never-Operated Lady—Well, you see I'm a surgeon's wife.

Evolution

By "evolution" they would show
How modern forms appear,
But this is what I'd like to know:
Where do we go from here?

Of Course

"It's a good idea sometimes to 'say it with flowers.'"

"That's probably what the egotist thinks when he throws bouquets at himself."

Inconsiderate

"Mrs. [illegible] has threatened to leave her husband."

"She can't," answered Miss Cayenne. "She doesn't like him well enough to do him so great a favor."

Didn't Dare

Hamm—Did you ever take your wife to a prize fight?

Smithers—Never! She knows enough about scrapping now, without teaching her more.

Taking No Such Risk

He—They say that in time people who live together get to look exactly alike.

She—Then you must consider my refusal final.—Stray Stories.

Didn't Make Enough

"So Mrs. Black has got a divorce. What was the trouble, incompatibility?"

"No, merely the first two syllables."

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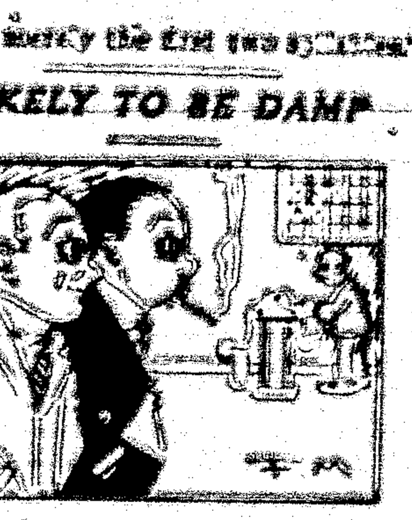

"Why does the broker's office seem always so damp?"

"The stock he handles fairly oozes water, you know."

Shop Talk

Diplomacy is highly prized,
And yet, its phrases fit
When they are closely analyzed
Relate to [illegible]

Colors in Grease

Lady (to clerk)—I want to buy some lard.

Grocer—Pail?

Lady—I didn't know it came in two shades.—The Widow.

Did She Mean It?

Husband—This paper says that the greatness of a father often proves a stumbling block to the advancement of his children.

Wife—Well, thank goodness, our children will never be handicapped in that way.—Hamilton (Ont.) Herald.

The Missionary

Anne—It's awfully sweet of you to organize this Homemakers' club, but how do you find time from your house?

Thea—Oh, dearie, I'm divorced.

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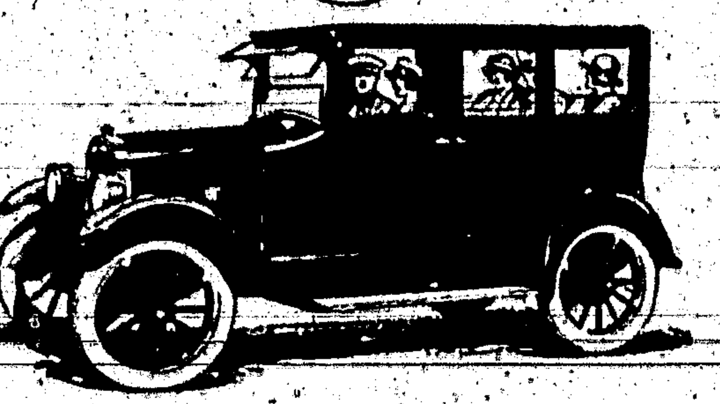

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Democratic Legislator

The following yarn is going the rounds just now: The wife of a member of the government (the British labor government) received an invitation to tea from a titled society hostess. When the M. P. came home from the house and read the letter his democratic instincts came to the surface with a rush, and he put the letter in his pocket, remarking darkly that he would reply to it.

Next day he sent the following reply:

"Dear Countess: My wife and I beg to acknowledge receipt of yours of the fourth instant. We are refusing your invitation for the following reasons: 1. I do not drink tea. 2. My wife only drinks tea with her friends. 3. The day for which you ask us is washing day."

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Glad News

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Wake of the Pathfinder

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[illegible]

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FRIDAY, FEB. 27, 1925

Under Al's direction the State Senate is making a record—though not one to be proud of.

If the appropriation bill gets by it will be lucky. And it won't, if it doesn't suit Al—for Al swings a wicked ax.

That brilliant leadership in the State Senate is sounding the death knell of somebody's political aspirations. Be it said, the loss is not disturbing—to Democrats.

The air craft muddle is placing the administration, and especially Secretary Weeks, in an unenviable position. The official who told some unpalatable truths appears to have congress and the people behind him.

Meritorious service cuts no ice with the Republican state senate. It failed to confirm the nomination of McManus for warden of the penitentiary, presumably for another reason than its desire to do nothing except what Al says.

Bombing places, authorities agree, are our best means of defense, but the administration, through Secretary Weeks, seems disposed to ignore the pressing need. One wonders if the Secretary hasn't some warm friends in the ship building trade.

Little hope is felt by those best informed for relief measures by the state legislature which is now approaching its end. The House, [illegible], has passed a number of excellent measures, but the Senate majority, with an eye only on the gubernatorial contest, finds nothing good in them.

Electricity Only Item Showing Cost Decrease

Somebody digging into the ordinarily discouraging figures on living costs to the [illegible] of the Department of Labor has made a cheering discovery. He has found something that actually costs less than it did in 1913.

The latest available figures on living costs for the closing months of 1924 show the following increases:

Food 45 per cent, clothing 72 per cent, shelter 67, fuel 79 per cent, house furnishings, 114 per cent, miscellaneous, 101 per cent, average, 70 per cent.

Figures for the same period show a decrease of 8 per cent in the cost of electricity. The full force of this fact is more apparent when we consider the greatly increased cost of fuel.—Investment Monitor.

H. S. Entertainment

March 9-10, 1925
Crystal Theatre

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Goes to Her Reward

Mrs. Martha J. Taylor was claimed by death this morning, just after 12 o'clock, following an illness of two weeks. Abscess of the liver was the direct cause of death, which was accentuated by her advanced age. The funeral will take place this afternoon at 4:30 from the Methodist church and interment will be in the local cemetery.

The deceased was a native of Tennessee, having been born at Knoxville, Nov. 18, 1851. She was married to N. B. Taylor—who preceded her to the Great Beyond a little more than two years ago—in 1868. Moved to Arkansas in 1872, residing there until 1891, moving to Texas that year. In 1894 came to Lincoln county, and made this her home until death.

Three children survive, two sons and a daughter, all of whom were present when the death summons came. They are Robt. H. Taylor and Julian Taylor, both of Carrizozo, and Mrs. Joe N. White, of Los Angeles, who arrived last week.

Mrs. Taylor was one of the most lovable women in our town and county and her death is sincerely regretted. She was a devout Christian, a devoted mother, a cherished neighbor, and abounding in good will for all human kind. The life of this most estimable woman has left its indellible impress upon all our people, and in her death the entire community loses a staunch, noble, loyal friend.

Out of respect for the memory of the deceased, who had lived here so many years, and members of the family who have been prominent in the official life of the town and county, all business houses will close their doors during the funeral service.

Glencoe Woman's Club

(Contributed)

The Glencoe Woman's Club gave a social at the schoolhouse on Saturday evening last. The school children contributed to the program. It was as follows:

Song, "The Star Spangled Banner," audience.

"The Bear Hunt," by Abraham Lincoln, Mrs. J. V. Tully.

Duet, "Spanish Dances," Miss Susan Tully and Mrs. Roy Coe.

"Betsy Ross Makes the Flag," Verda Coe.

Duets, "The Slumber Boat," "Don't You Hear Me Calling, Catcher?" Jewel and Gladys Allison.

Dance Minuet, School Children.

A Talk on the Protection of our National Forests," J. H. Mims.

Song, "Abe Lincoln," Intermediate Grades.

Medley of Patriotic Airs, Mrs. J. H. Mims.

Song, "America the Beautiful," audience.

After the program the evening was spent in dancing, the music being furnished by Mrs. J. H. Mims at the piano. Cake and coffee were served, after which all departed for their homes, highly pleased with the evening's entertainment.

The next meeting of the club will be at the home of Mrs. Roy Coe, on March 7.

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Can a story be considered as having a happy ending if the hero does not get the girl in the end? Ask yourself this question, then go see Harold Bell Wright's "When a Man's a Man," showing at the Crystal theatre, Tuesday and Wednesday, March 3 4.

Opinions differ as regards this particular story. Many that have read the book claim they are thoroughly satisfied with the author's finish, wherein the hero does not get the girl of his heart, but gains a precious something else that almost compensates for his lost love. Then there are other readers that are entirely out of patience with Mr. Wright for letting the girl marry the hero's rival.

It is a question that each must decide for himself. The millions of readers of the book have been arguing the matter over ever since the book was written. Now more millions that see the picture will renew the argument.

The main theme of the story is the rejuvenation of a man's soul, and this is accomplished. In the end of the picture we see Patches wave farewell to his friends and former sweetheart, and disappear into the Arizona mountains with only the reformed cattle rustler for companionship."

$100 Prize for an Essay

The following letter has been sent to superintendents of schools throughout the state:

Department of Education,
Santa Fe, Dec. 12

It affords me pleasure to announce a "State Essay Contest" for High School students. The subject chosen is particularly pertinent and worth while. It is "The Federal Constitution and the Courts."

We are very grateful to certain members of the New Mexico Bar Association, whose foresight and good Americanism has led them to choose so vital a topic, and whose generosity [illegible] available prizes totaling $100.

This is an opportunity to establish [illegible], [illegible] etc. It is a chance to develop a spirit of community [illegible] through the aid of the local members of the Bar.

For your convenience the regulations governing this contest have been [illegible]. Contest closes March 15. We expect all high schools to participate in this contest, for nothing counts so vital to a great nation than that its boys and girls shall have clear concepts of the basic principles upon which are founded its [illegible] and [illegible] greatness.

Isaac L. Hearne,
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Second Mass (Spanish) at 9:30.
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Film Star Improving

Paris, Feb. 25—Gloria Swanson, American film star, who underwent an operation last week, spent an excellent night, says a report from the Clinic where she is resting. Her condition this morning was greatly improved.

A medical bulletin issued this forenoon regarding the actress's condition says:

"Improvement continues. The patient is out of danger. Temperature 37.2 centigrade (98.96 Fahrenheit).

England's Giant Sub

London, Feb. 25—Built at a cost of 820,000 pounds sterling, England's giant submarine X-1 will shortly conclude her trials and probably start on a tour to Singapore and back. She is declared to be the most powerful underwater craft ever built and has developed a speed of 37 knots on the surplus. Underwater she has a displacement of 3,000 tons.

Australia is Watching the Activity of Ford

Melbourne, Feb 24—The Australian motor world is much interested in the proposed establishment of five assembling plants by the Ford Motor Corporation of Canada, and since the arrival of W. P. Grandjean, secretary of the company, and other representatives, speculation is nearly as great as the reticence of the visitors.

Mr. Grandjean has interviewed commonwealth ministers and sounded them on the tariff and its effect on the Ford project. There is reason to believe that the Ford corporation, in accordance with customs by-laws now operating, would be granted concessions on plant importations, provided the material is not obtainable in Australia.

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Conveyed to Asylum

Leon Ortega was adjudged insane when taken before Judge [illegible] last Saturday, and on Monday Sheriff Kelsey, accompanied by Deputy Townsend, took him to the state asylum at Las Vegas. He has been mentally deranged for some time, and recently became violent, and his apprehension and commitment to the asylum followed.

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

Married

Saturday evening at the Catholic church, Rev. P. J. Otten officiating, Aleck Chavez and Marie Diez, both residents of the East Side. The bride is popular among the younger set of the native people. A dance was given in honor of the event same evening.

The groom is a young man, probably thirty, and has been an employe of the Railroad Eating House for about fifteen years, having started work there in the days of the Gurneys, and continued under the present management.

Aleck is known to most of the railroad men, past and present, on the line, besides the other patrons of that hotel.

Just One More Fight

New York, Feb. 14—Apparently absorbed in the gentler arts of matrimony, movies and memoir writing, Jack Dempsey is giving less thought to the defense of his heavy weight boxing championship than an industrious group of promoters headed by Tex Rickard. The latest shift in the program finds Rickard preparing to match Tom Gibbons and Harry Wills for a bout in the spring, to determine an opponent for the champion in September, but there is a growing feeling that Dempsey or Mrs. Estelle Taylor Dempsey has decided he will put away the gloves for good.

If Dempsey is persuaded to defend his title once more this year, there is little doubt it will be his last, win or lose. Financially well off, the champion is known to desire to "settle down" and forego the rigors of another training siege.

Screen Star a Singer

Larry Semon, star of the comedy, "The Girl in the Limousine," a First National picture which will appear at the Crystal Saturday, March 7, claims to be the first screen star to successfully sing for the phonograph. Semon has a remarkably fine baratone voice and recently prepared two records of comic songs, which will be issued shortly.

Snitched the Booze

Cleveland, Feb 24—Testimony was resumed before the Federal grand jury investigation into the illicit withdrawal of whiskey and alcohol from the Ohio distilleries and government warehouses, particularly the [illegible] Distillery at Troy, where an alleged forty-five thousand barrel lot of whiskey was withdrawn in 1920 for distribution to bootleggers.

Served with Notice of Contest

Santa Fe, Feb. 25—Governor A. T. Hannett has been served with notice of Manuel B. Otero's third election contest, which was filed recently in the district court of Santa Fe county. The governor is given 20 days from the date of the notice to answer.

New Receiver for Alamogordo Bank

Alamogordo, Feb 24—W. W. Hayward, cashier and manager of the State Bank of Alamogordo has been appointed as receiver of the defunct Alamogordo Bank. He succeeds J. J. Dale, who has gone to Silver City as president and manager of the new bank there. The appointment was made by Judge Hatch of Clovis, Judge Mechem having disqualified himself in handling the bank's affairs. Mr. Hayward's appointment came through the recommendation of a committee representing a large number of depositors. On the committee were Dr. F. B Evans, W. E. Warren, S. W. Stout, L. D. Norton and Frank West, all business men of Alamogordo. J. L. Lawson is the attorney for the receiver.

SPARING THE ROD

"AS I came past Jimuelson's house this morning," said the assessor, "I saw him applying a buggy-whip to his fifteen-year-old boy with a zeal worthy a better cause. I think a man should be arrested and punished for such an offense."

"There are many arguments for and against corporal punishment," observed the village patriarch, "and those arguments have been handed back and forth for something like two thousand years, and the question is as far from being settled, at the hour of going to press, as it was when Caesar double-crossed the Rubicon.

"I believe that every man must be his own judge about the management of his family. Jimuelson strikes me as an excellent citizen, and he should be a successful parent. If he finds it necessary to wear out a buggy-whip on his heir, I have no doubt that the provocation is sufficient. If his policy is wrong he is pretty sure to realize it before long and change his tactics; meanwhile outsiders have no reason to butt in, and the idea of calling the police is perfectly ridiculous.

"My father was an old-fashioned man who believed that an ounce of birch was better than a ton of education. He kept a small sapling behind the kitchen door and applied it to my person whenever I violated the by-laws governing our happy home. I think he probably carried his theory to extremes; whipping me became a sort of dissipation with him. But I am willing to admit that his treatment did me good, and I can't imagine what would have become of me but for it.

"My mother believed in moral suasion, and used to plead and argue with me, but I can't remember that her tender eloquence ever prevented me from breaking into a melon patch or fishing in forbidden waters. Her method probably would have been successful in many cases. There are boys who are responsive to such appeals, but I was headstrong as a government mule and when I wanted to do something it took more than gentle counsel to head me off.

"I had a profound respect for that sapling behind the door. It always seemed to be quivering with impatience to get at me, and my father regarded it with loving glances. It used to mystify me how he heard of everything I did. There was no use trying [illegible] committing a crime or misdemeanor from him.

"I'd swipe a few apples from a farmer's orchard, for instance, and would be willing to make an affidavit that nobody had seen me. I took all possible precautions against discovery. Yet in the evening, when I got home, my stern parent would meet me at the door and say, 'So you have been robbing Farmer Dobbin's orchard, hey? You are fully aware that robbing orchards does violence to the peace and dignity of the state, and is contrary to the provisions of the revised statutes. Come, therefore, and receive the punishment prescribed by Solomon and other law givers.'

"He always explained that it caused him the most poignant sorrow to pour the birch into me, but I couldn't believe in his sincerity, for his eyes sparkled with unholy joy at each [illegible], and if he had used the same earnest arm when sawing wood, he'd have whacked up two or three cords in an hour.

"I don't know to this day how he found out everything I did, unless he did some quiet sleuthing with false whiskers and a dark lantern, but he always did discover everything, and when I fully realized that fact I decided to reform and became a model young man. I was so extremely good that my father couldn't dig up an excuse for chastising me, and a settled melancholy fell upon him and he pined away until he died. I'll never forget the reproachful glances he used to cast upon me, as though asking whether I considered my course honorable or generous. I got into the habit of being good, and have never been able to break away from it."

Crystal Theatre

W. T. Sterling, Manager

Sat. 28—"Son of Sahara," with Bert Lytele (First National.)

Tues., March 3—"When a Man's a Man," with John Bowers. (First National).

Wed. 4—"When a Man's a Man," repeated.

Friday 6—"Whirlwind Ranger," with Dick Hatton.

"Santa Fe Trail," Episode 4. Felix the Cat in "Felix Gets Left."

Sat. 7—"Girl in the Limousine," with Larry Semon and Charles Murray (First National)

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF CARRIZOZO TRADING COMPANY TO FILE CLAIMS.

State of New Mexico, County of Lincoln, } SS

IN THE DISTRICT COURT

Richardson Dry Goods Co., a Corporation, Plaintiff, Vs. Carrizozo Trading Company, a Corporation, Defendant. NO. 3492

ORDER

It appearing that the Carrizozo Trading Company, a corporation, with its principal place of business at Carrizozo, in the county of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, was, by order in the above entitled cause, adjudged insolvent on the 4th day of February, 1925, and that Jeannette Lemon, of Carrizozo, New Mexico, was appointed receiver thereof, and it further appearing that there are numerous creditors of said corporation, whose claims should be adjudicated,—

IT IS ORDERED that all persons having claims against said Carrizozo Trading Company, shall, file the same with said receiver, at Carrizozo, New Mexico, with full details, under oath, on or before the 5th day of May, 1925, and those failing so to do by the said date shall be barred and forever estopped from urging their claims, unless they shall have omitted to file the same for cause satisfactory to the Court.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the hour of 2 o'clock, p. m., on the 6th day of May, 1925, in the courthouse at Carrizozo, in the county of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, be and the same is hereby fixed as the time and place for the consideration, allowance, and adjudication of said claims, and of claims for preference.

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this order, certified under the hand of the clerk and the seal of the Court, be published for four weeks in a newspaper published in Carrizozo, Lincoln County, New Mexico, and that printed copies of said notice be sent by registered mail to each creditor whose name appears on the books of said corporation.

DONE at Las Cruces, in the County of Dona Ana, State of New Mexico, this 5th day of February, A. D. 1925.

EDWIN MECHEM, District Judge

State of New Mexico, County of Lincoln. } SS

I, Lorah Miller, Clerk of the District Court of the Third Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, within and for the County of Lincoln, do hereby certify that I have compared the annexed copy of order in Cause No. 3492, wherein Richardson Dry Goods Co., a corporation, is plaintiff, and Carrizozo Trading Company, a corporation, is defendant, with the original of said document on file in my office, and that the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole thereof.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have caused the seal of said Court to be affixed, and have hereunto set my hand, at Carrizozo, on this [illegible] day of February, A. D. 1925.

LORAH MILLER, Clerk.

(seal)

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NOTICE OF SUIT

STATE OF NEW MEXICO, COUNTY OF LINCOLN } SS

IN THE DISTRICT COURT

Jose Hernandes, Plaintiff, Vs Willis H. Hightower and Clement Hightower, Defendants. No. 3503

To the above-named defendants:

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that the above-named plaintiff has filed, and there is pending in said court and county, a suit against you, the title of said suit being as above stated, and being No. 3503 on civil docket thereof. The general nature of said suit is to remove a cloud from the title of the plaintiff in the hereinafter described land; to quiet the title of plaintiff to said land, and to forever bar, enjoin and estop you, and each of you, from having or claiming any right, title or interest in the real estate hereinafter described, adverse to the estate of the plaintiff in said land, which is situate in the county of Lincoln, state of New Mexico, and described as follows, to-wit:

$S\frac{1}{2}$ $SE\frac{1}{4}$, and $E\frac{1}{2}$ $SW\frac{1}{4}$ of Section [illegible], Township [illegible] South, Range 14 East, N. M. P. M.

And you, and each of you, are further notified that unless you enter, or cause to be entered, your appearance in said cause, on or before the 11th day of April, A.D. 1925, judgment will be rendered in said cause against you by default, and the relief prayed for will be granted.

The name of plaintiff's attorney is A. H. Hudspeth, whose postoffice address is Carrizozo, New Mexico.

Dated at Carrizozo, New Mexico, February [illegible], 1925.

[SEAL] LORAH MILLER, Clerk of said Court

2-27-4

NOTICE OF SUIT

STATE OF NEW MEXICO, COUNTY OF LINCOLN } SS

IN THE DISTRICT COURT

A. D. Brownfield, Receiver [illegible] State Bank, of [illegible], New Mexico, Plaintiff, Vs H. S. Campbell, Defendant. No. 3493

To H. S. Campbell, The above-named Defendant:

[illegible]

[illegible]

The said defendant is further notified that unless he enters his appearance in said cause on or before the 11th day of April, A. D. 1925, judgment by default will be entered against him in said cause, and the said above described property sold to satisfy the same.

Plaintiff's attorney is A. H. Hudspeth, whose postoffice address is Carrizozo, New Mexico.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, this 25th day of February, 1925.

[SEAL] LORAH MILLER, 2-27-4 Clerk of said Court

FOUND—A small gold pin, set with stones. Owner may have article by calling at this office, describing property and paying for this notice.

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THE HOME RADIO

How to Make and Use It

By A. HYATT VERRILL

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I. RADIO AN OUTGROWTH OF THE WAR

We usually think of the great war as a disaster and as having done an incalculable amount of harm to the world and its people, but it is very doubtful if the war did as much harm as good. Within the few years it lasted it resulted in immense benefits to mankind in the tremendous discoveries, improvements and advancement of medicine, surgery, chemistry, aeronautics, mechanics, engineering, metallurgy and wireless communication, and while the toll of life, the destruction of property, the devastation of lands, the loss of art and the bankruptcy of nations are all temporary and will soon be replaced and forgotten, the scientific progress and discoveries, which were a direct result of the war, will endure forever and will continue to benefit mankind.

Of all the arts and sciences which received an unprecedented impetus by the war, none is of greater interest or has a more far-reaching effect to the average person than radio telephony. Before the war wireless telegraphy was well established, universally used and a fairly exact and well-understood science; but wireless telephony was scarcely more than a dream—a visionary, uncertain thing; complicated, little understood and literally in its infancy.

But today, so incredibly rapid have been the strides made in the development of this science, that wireless telephony is an every-day affair; a simple, easily understood thing—far simpler than telegraphy—and in constant use, not only commercially, but by countless thousands of amateurs. In a way, however, the war merely launched practical radio telephony on its career and far greater progress has been made in commercializing, simplifying and cheapening it within the past four months—October to February, 1921-22—than within the previous six years. Indeed, so rapid has been its advancement, that it seems to have come upon us almost overnight, and within a few short weeks it has leaped from an obscure, scientific curiosity to an almost universally used means of entertainment and profit.

Today thousands of mere boys are using wireless telephones—many of the instruments made by the boys themselves—and in department stores, electrical supply stores and elsewhere sets for receiving may be purchased for a few dollars. From various stations, music, crop reports, market reports, weather reports, speeches, songs, operas, plays, stories, official time, racing and baseball returns; shipping news and countless other interesting matters are sent broadcast through the air, free to anyone who possesses a wireless telephone receiving set. Thus, the farmer, miles from the nearest town, the sailor at sea, passengers on ships, guests in hotels, crowds about bulletin boards and people in their own homes can listen to the voices of famous men, the music of bands and orchestras, the singing of famous operatic stars, the dialogues of plays and countless other things, from far-distant points and as clearly and plainly as though no space intervened.

Truly radio telephony is the greatest modern miracle, a dream more fantastic and fairy-like than the Arabian Nights; a more marvelous actuality than the fabulous lamp of Aladdin or the flying carpet and, best of all, it is within the reach of everyone, while the "music in the air" is free to all who care to listen in.

It is certainly a strange, almost incredible, thing to think that the air about us, even within our dwellings, is constantly filled with sounds, voices, music, messages that come which are as loud [illegible] as they are invisible, but which may be caught and delivered to our ears by means of a few wires and batteries and a few appliances so simple that even a child may use them.

And the limit is far from being reached. Within a few years or even months, the range of wireless telephony will be increased by hundreds or even thousands of miles, antennae or aerials will be entirely done away with and the instruments for sending and receiving will be so improved, simplified and reduced that one may carry them in one's pocket, for while radio telephony has already become highly perfected, widely used and absolutely practical, yet it is still hardly out of its infancy and no man may prophesy what its future may be.

Pain In Back & Sides

"FOR A LONG TIME," says Mrs. Dora Payne, of Huntington, Tenn., "I felt listless, tired and worn-out. I did not feel like doing my work, visiting or [illegible].

"I suffered much pain in my back and sides. My limbs hurt, my knees would tremble without apparent cause and I would have to sit down.

"I was very nervous. ... I would have a tired, dull headache.

"I had read so much about Cardui I asked my husband to get it for me. The very first bottle seemed to help me. After the second ... I was better than I had been in months. I certainly can praise Cardui.

"I have taken three bottles. Now I hardly wait, when the sun shines, to garden. I am feeling fine."

Similar results to those described above have been reported by thousands of other women. Cardui's 40 years of [illegible] should encourage you to give it a thorough trial for the relief of any common female ailments. For sale everywhere.

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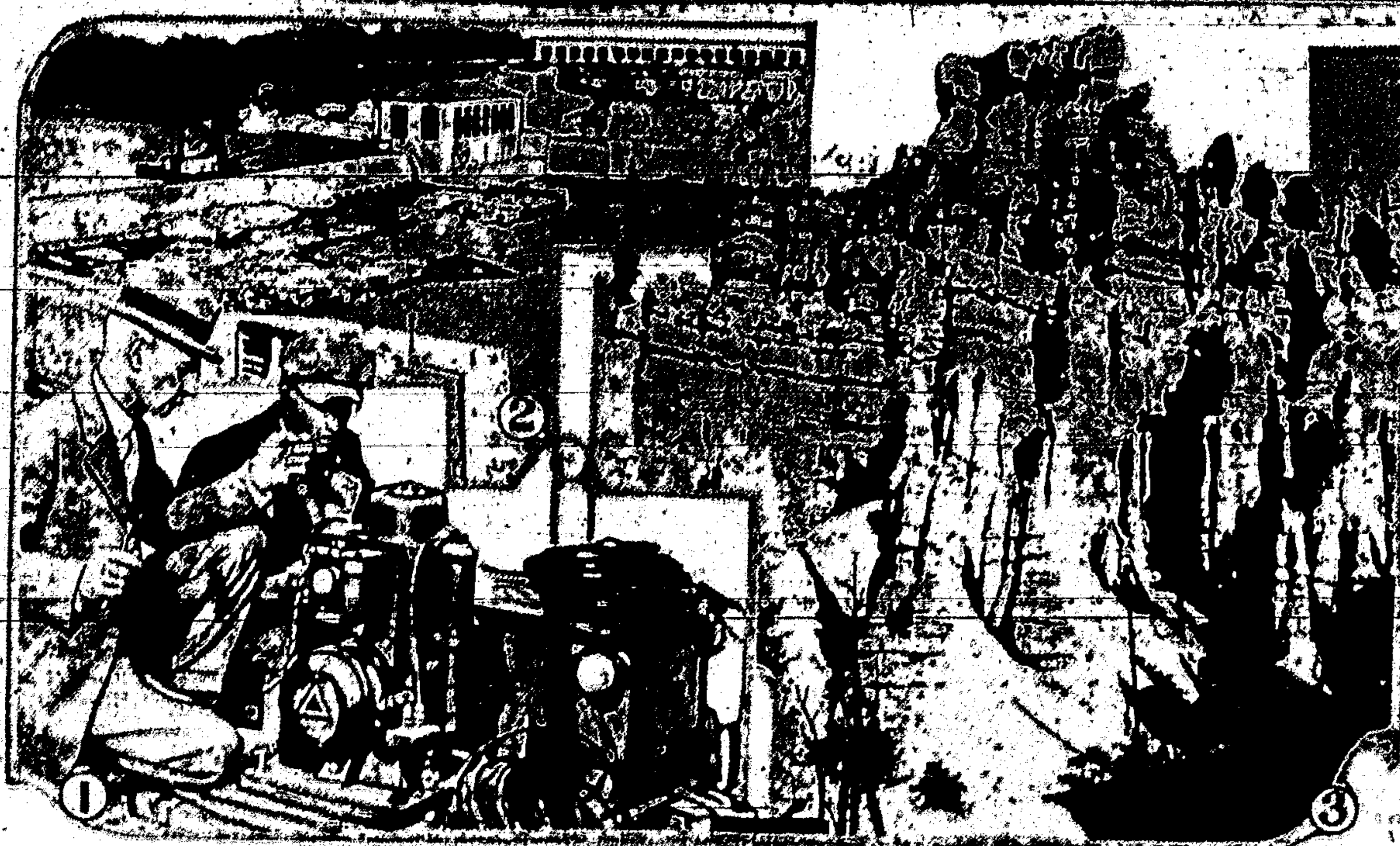
Carrizozo Lodge, No. 41, A. F. & A. M.

Regular meetings of Carrizozo Lodge, No. 41, A. F. & A. M. for 1925:

Jan. 3; Feb. 7; Mar. 7; Apr. 4; May 2; Jun. [illegible]; Jul. 4; Aug. 1 & 29; Sept. 26; Oct. 21; Nov. 28; Dec. [illegible]

S. G. ALLEN, W. M.
SAMUEL F. MILLER, Secretary.



1—Miniature electric plant set up at Sand cave, Kentucky, to supply light and heat to the entombed Floyd Collins and for radio signals. 2—Henry Ford's new $10,000,000 plant at High dam on the Mississippi at St. Paul, which is to be opened about March 15. 3—Scene in Bryce canyon, in the Utah wonderland that opens as a national park May 15; it includes Zion national park and Cedar Breaks.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Eugene Funk or Dr. Jardine May Be Picked for the Agriculture Portfolio.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE is said to be, at the time this is written, nearly ready to name his new secretary of agriculture, to succeed Mr. Gore on March 4 when that gentleman becomes governor of West Virginia. For several days it was believed that John G. Fields of Oklahoma City, publisher of farm papers, would get the position. Then two more names were brought forward, those of Eugene Funk, Illinois farmer and brother of Congressman Frank H. Funk, and William M. Jardine, president of the Kansas Agricultural college and a member of the President's agricultural conference. Mr. Funk belongs to a famous family of corn belt farmers and is himself not only a practical agriculturist but an authority on farm economics and the marketing of food products. He is a graduate of Yale and studied also in Germany. It was believed he was just the kind of man the President was seeking.

Doctor Jardine had the united backing of the Kansas delegation in congress though it had previously indorsed J. C. Mohler for the post. So far as the [illegible] side is concerned, his experience would seem to fit him to take the portfolio. Starting life as a cattle puncher in Montana, he later attended the Utah Agricultural college and in 1910 went to Washington as assistant United States cerealist in charge of the grain work in the West. In 1910 he was made director of agronomy work in the Kansas college and in 1918 became its president. Doctor Jardine was in conference with the President last week, and also went before the senate committee on agriculture to explain some of the recommendations in the agriculture conference. He told the senators that agriculture in the United States is only passing through a normal post war crisis and that it is certain to recover.

MEANWHILE President Coolidge is formulating an agricultural policy for the nation, based partly on the advice of Secretary Gore and the agricultural conference and largely on the ideas of Secretary of Commerce Hoover. The fundamental principle is that the country shall be self-contained in the matter of production and consumption of food and clothing, that it shall raise all the farm products it needs, including those now imported, but shall cease to raise them for export. Another purpose is to increase the buying power of the entire community so as to increase the consumption of farm products at home and to form [illegible] the increase of production beyond the normal [illegible] due to the growth of population. The fostering of cooperative marketing also enters largely into the plan. Representative [illegible] of Iowa, leader of the house farm bloc, says attempts are being made to "Hooverize" the Agriculture department.

UNDER suspension of the rules the house passed the Kelly bill providing for increases in postal salaries amounting to $68,000,000 a year and for changes in the mail rates that are designed to add more than $60,000,000 annually to the revenues of the Post Office department. This is a substitute for the bill which the senate passed and the house sent back. It provides for about $21,000,000 more revenue than did the senate measure, and it makes the salary increases retroactive to January 1, 1925, instead of to July 1, 1924.

GENERAL MITCHELL'S fight for a unified air service is attracting more and more interest daily, but those who agree with his views do not now believe they will prevail, especially since the official announcement that President Coolidge is not in favor of a unified service. The Navy department bolstered its stand by issuing a list of 21 eminent men and influential groups that are opposed to the views of Mitchell. This list comprised Gen. John J. Pershing, Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood, Maj. Gen. Charles T. Menoher, former chief of army air service; the general staff, United States army, Rear Admirals William S. Sims, Bradley A. Fiske, W. F. Fullam, Charles E. Badger, Henry T. Mayo; Admiral Robert E. Coontz, commander in chief United States fleet; Rear Admiral H. S. Knapp, Vice Admiral Joseph Strauss, Capt. T. T. Craven, formerly director of naval aviation; Capt. Noble E. Irwin, formerly director of naval aviation; Rear Admiral William A. Moffett, present chief of the bureau of aeronautics; the general board of the navy, the national advisory committee for aeronautics, Marshal Foch, Marshal Haig, Admiral Jellicoe, Admiral Beatty.

The house aircraft committee heard more testimony from Mitchell, gave out a denial that any witnesses were muzzled by their superiors, and asked permission to defer making a report until the next congress because the time before March 4 is too short for the reaching of comprehensive conclusions.

CONGRESS learned officially last week that Coolidge and Dawes won the Presidential election. The houses met in joint session and received the tidings in the form of two mahogany boxes containing the certificates of the electors. The ballots were examined and pronounced "regular in form and properly authenticated" and Senator Cummins, the presiding officer, solemnly announced that Coolidge and Dawes had received 382 votes, Davis and Bryan 136 votes, and La Follette and Wheeler 13 votes. This, he declared, was under the [illegible] a sufficient decision of the persons elected, so the joint session came to an end. The mahogany boxes are made new each four years and are presented one to the outgoing vice president—or in this instance to Senator Cummins—and the other to the incoming vice president.

ARRANGEMENTS for the inauguration of Coolidge and Dawes on March 4 are nearing completion, but they have been tremendously curtailed by the President's determination that economy shall rule. As now planned, the affair will consist of the swearing in ceremony at the Capitol and a brief parade down Pennsylvania avenue to the White House. The governors may join in the procession, with their staffs, if they wish to, and army and navy detachments around Washington will be included. The projected fireworks display in the evening has been abandoned, and in place of the inaugural ball there will be a charity ball.

SO SERIOUS is the opposition to Charles B. Warren as attorney general that his appointment may fail of confirmation by the senate at this session of congress. It is due to his connection with the sugar trust and is voiced especially by Basil Manly, director of the People's Legislative service. In the first place Mr. Warren was at one time a representative of the American Sugar Refining company in the maintenance of holdings in beet sugar companies. Until a few days ago he was president of the Michigan Beet Sugar company which, together with other beet sugar concerns, has just been accused by the federal trade commission of conspiracy to suppress competition. Warren is named as one of the defendants.

Mr. Warren's friends retort with the assertion that the trade commission is continually instigating charges that turn out to be unfounded. They point to the fact that the commission in the course of its career has been upheld by the federal courts in 14 cases and has been overthrown in 38 cases.

SENATOR NORRIS is to have the investigation of the so-called power trust for which he has been clamoring. The senate has called on the federal trade commission to make such an inquiry, naming specifically the General Electric company and seeking to know the extent to which that company or its stockholders or security holders monopolize or control production, generation or transmission of power or electric energy. An amendment to the resolution was adopted calling for an investigation of the American Tobacco company and the Imperial Tobacco company of Great Britain and their alleged efforts to hamper tobacco co-operatives.

STILL another investigation was demanded in the senate by Senator Howell of Nebraska, the subject of the proposed inquiry being the Van Sweringen-Nickel Plate merger of the Nickel Plate, Erie, Pere Marquette, Chesapeake & Ohio and Hocking Valley lines, and the acquisition of the Gulf Coast lines by the Missouri Pacific. Mr. Howell said the Van Sweringen merger was being financed by J. P. Morgan & Co. and the First National bank of New York.

RAILROADS will continue to impose surcharges on passengers using Pullman facilities, the practice having been approved by the interstate commerce commission. The majority opinion says "there is less warrant for eliminating the surcharge than for reducing the basic passenger fare which applies even to travel in mixed trains of freight and passenger cars."

GREAT BRITAIN, through Chancellor of the Exchequer Churchill, has made an informal proposal to France concerning the Anglo-French debt. Briefly, Britain repeats Balfour's offer to make a heavy reduction in the debt provided France agrees to make fixed annual payments irrespective of the actual receipts from the Dawes annuities. Finance Minister Clementel and other officials in Paris considered the British plan fair in principle and offering a satisfactory basis for negotiations. The government press in France agreed with this view, but the proposal was bitterly attacked by the nationalist and reactionary papers, which blamed America for forcing Britain to demand reimbursement. The finance committee of the French chamber of deputies has named a subcommittee to study the matter, and it is believed a conference will be held in London within a few weeks.

FOLLOWING the withdrawal of the United States and China because of dissatisfaction, the international opium conference at Geneva adopted a protocol and convention and adjourned sine die. Japan had threatened to quit but was placated by the insertion of a clause reaffirming the obligations of The Hague convention and making it clear that opium smoking is permitted only temporarily. The signers were Great Britain, India, France, Japan, Holland, Portugal and Siam.

ONE of the greatest disasters in German mining history occurred in the state mine at Dortmund where 144 men were entombed by an explosion, and at least 128 of them perished. The tragedy aroused the people to a state of anger that threatened revolution, for the mine owners were accused of failing to safeguard their employees and also of paying them starvation wages while selling coal at higher prices than the British and Americans.

MORE than 225 hours after Floyd Collins became entombed in Sand cave, Kentucky, by the fall of a boulder on his foot, the rescuers who were sinking a shaft from the top of the hill had reached the limestone roof of the cavern near which the young man was trapped. He had been without food for eight days and for two days those who listened with a microphone could hear no sounds of his heartbeats and breathing had heard nothing.

During the week the state military board conducted an investigation into the efforts at rescue that had been made and also into persistent reports that the whole affair started in a publicity scheme to attract visitors to the cave. There had even been stories that Collins was not in the cavern at all, but these and other wild tales were discredited by the testimony of most of the witnesses. However, the idea was held by many persons that Collins was the victim of a hoax, and the county attorney announced that there would be a grand jury inquiry and that charges of homicide might be lodged.

New Mexico State Items

Due to the activity in the old districts of the Pecos valley plans have been started for the opening of a branch of the state land office in Roswell.

The annual meeting of the county agents of New Mexico was held last week at Las Cruces. Many speakers from out of the state took part in the program for the conference.

The defunct State National Bank of Albuquerque paid its first dividend recently when dividend checks of 30 per cent were issued to creditors. The dividend totals approximately $400,000.

The Gibson Oil Company is making plans to drill for oil in the Yeso country near Fort Sumner. It is reported that the company has secured leases on more than 40,000 acres in that vicinity.

The work of reconstructing the Silver City power and light plant, recently acquired by the Continental Gas and Power Company, is going ahead rapidly and by early spring the work will all be completed.

The annual meeting of the New Mexico Fair Association was held at Raton the last week when all the old officers were re-elected. A. L. Hobbs will be the president again for the coming year and an effort will be made to make the fair next fall one of the best ever held in the state.

The "Roswell Way," the official organ of the Roswell Chamber of Commerce, is just off the press and is one of the finest advertisements for that city and the Pecos valley, ever turned out. The annual number is beautifully bound and has many new photographs of the city and surrounding country.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Joe Quesenberry post of the American Legion at Las Cruces it was decided to stage a show about the middle of April. The show will be an original production and will depict army life full of fun and humor. It promises to be one of the best of the kind ever staged by any post in the state.

According to the latest estimates the cotton crop in the state for the year of 1924 will be about 55,000 bales, which is 25,000 bales more than was harvested in the year of 1923. Of the total the local project and Eddy county produced more than 22,000 bales, the [illegible] project alone sending over 17,000 bales to the gins. The harvest is now almost completed and it is believed that the gins will close in the next week or two.

McKinley county came nearer having better game conditions after a joint meeting of the Game Protective Association and the members of the Kiwanis Club. Several matters pertaining to the game and fish of the county were taken up and action on these questions is to be taken later. All of those present approved of securing more fish for the nearby lakes and streams, moving the open season to Oct. 20 to 30, putting a bag limit of one on bears during the month of October.

New Mexico's 1925 Indian uprising rumors of which started authorities until official information revealed there had been no uprising, simmered still lower when the Indian whose death was reported to have precipitated a tribesmen's war council near Cuba, N. M., came into Albuquerque—alive. He was borne on a stretcher, in a critical condition, his lower jaw shot away and little hope is held out for his recovery. Larry Bird, a homesteader, is said by authorities to have shot the Indian, Juan Tomas, in an encounter which ensued when the Navajo attempted to [illegible].

According to sheepmen in the vicinity of Vaughn the lamb crop for the coming year promises to be one of the best in history. Many of the ranchers have bought high grade rams and the quality of the flocks has been greatly improved.

According to the report of the U. S. Employment Service of the U. S. Department of Labor recently issued, the completion of cotton harvesting and ginning and cessation of much highway construction, building and municipal improvement work was created a surplus of chiefly unskilled labor in New Mexico. Agricultural districts are preparing for early spring work, particularly in the irrigated Rio Grande valley. This increased farming activity will afford considerable employment to agricultural labor during the next thirty days. Resident industrial labor, though ample, is well employed by continued steady operations in industrial plants other than those of a seasonal character. Building and highway construction has been considerably curtailed which is usual at this period of the year. Railway shops are still operating on part time schedules and reduced forces.

With a total of over 112,000 already received toward the $200,000 subscribed, it is now believed that it will be possible to open the new bank in Silver City by the end of the present month. Payments for the stock are coming in every day and the interest in the new institution assures its success as soon as it is opened for business. The new bank will take over and liquidate the old Silver City National and will pay 30 cents per dollar to the depositors on the first day it is opened.

ROAD BUILDING

PEOPLE PAY FOR ADEQUATE ROADS

Back of the confusion of talk over what types of roads to build and how much to spend on them lies the inescapable fact that the people pay for adequate highways whether they have them or not, Prof. L. E. Conrad of the civil engineering department at the Kansas State Agricultural college told listeners-in during a recent radio address broadcast by station KSAC.

"The question before us now," Professor Conrad pointed out, "is not whether we can afford further to improve our main highways, but rather, how long can we afford to delay making this improvement."

The speaker quoted T. H. McDonald, chief of the bureau of public roads, United States Department of Agriculture, to the effect that "the use of the principal highways is so extensive that the people pay for adequate highways whether they have them or not, and they pay less if they have them than if they have not."

Professor Conrad then defined an adequate highway as "any highway which permits the traffic coming on it to move over its entire length, from end to end, with uniform effort, and on which the surface, grades, and alignment are so constructed and adjusted that the total cost for the operation of the traffic and the cost of the road is a minimum.

"The citizens of Kansas are expending thousands of dollars in traffic operations today where they spent hundreds of dollars in traffic operations ten years ago," he continued. "No one, so far as I am aware, has any idea that the amount of traffic or the cost of it will decrease in the next ten years. On the contrary, the density of the traffic and the cost will undoubtedly continue to increase.

"It will be evident that, notwithstanding the considerable expenditure in some portions of the state for highway improvements, the gross expenditure on our roads has not increased in anything like the proportion that the cost of operating our highway traffic has increased. It is entirely probable, that a considerable increase in the amounts expended would mean a direct saving in cash to the people. If this is true, and I think it will be pretty generally admitted that it is, then our present roads will be made better by having more money wisely expended on them.

"Many of our citizens gasp when it is suggested that a state system consisting of about 7,000 miles of our principal roads demands a budget of perhaps $10,000,000 annually for its proper financial support. The fact is, the total cost of the roads in the state has been at least twice this amount for some years past. Let us get rid, therefore, of the notion that the establishment of a state system of roads will of itself greatly increase the necessary expenditures for road purposes."

Longest Improved Road in Missouri Is Opened

The longest continuous stretch of improved road in Missouri, leading from St. Louis to Foristell, was opened recently with elaborate ceremonies at Wentzville, Mo., the last link in the road. Matthew F. Morse, general manager of the Automobile Club of Missouri, took part in the proceedings, representing Roy F. Britton, president of the club, and the club's board of governors. In the club's scout car he took part in the parade which formed part of the opening exercises.

"The opening of the new stretch of highway at Wentzville eliminates five grade crossings which were required on the detour," said Morse. "It completes the improved road from St. Louis, through St. Charles and Wentzville, to Foristell, a stretch of about fifty-three miles. With the elimination of the detour at Wentzville the road from St. Louis to Fulton [illegible] not one railroad grade crossing and only one grade crossing of an electric trolley line."

The road through Wentzville is part of the National Old Trails road across Missouri from St. Louis to Kansas City, known as Highway No. 2. The work just completed at Wentzville was begun late in 1922.

Mileage of Rural Roads

The total mileage of rural roads in the United States, as certified to by the various states, is 2,930,475, which will limit the federal aid highway system to 205,170 miles. At the end of the fiscal year 36 state systems, comprising 11,000 miles, had been approved by the secretary of agriculture, and it was not thought likely that the initial program will exceed 180,000 miles.

Rough Roads for Cars

Almost any long tour in the United States is at present an adventure in surmounting obstacles and seeing how much rough going your automobile can stand. Automobile passenger mileage for 1923 in the United States was in excess of 75,000,000,000 miles. Our production of automobiles in 1923 was approximately 4,000,000 cars. Our appropriations for good roads have increased 300 per cent, while our road requirements have increased 3,000 per cent.

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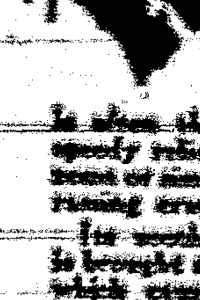

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Has a Beautiful Baby Girl Now

Bridport, Vermont. — "In the first place I wanted a baby, but none seemed to come to me. I just love children and my husband is away all day, so I was not happy at all. A doctor told me I could not have a baby until I went to a hospital. But my sisters said, 'Take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and you will be O.K.' I was nervous, had organic weakness, with backache, sideache, headache and no strength. I had been in bed nearly a week when I began taking the Vegetable Compound. It was all that ever helped me and I just wish you could see my beautiful baby girl. I am fine now, and so is she. I am still taking the medicine as it keeps me well. You may be sure I am recommending the Vegetable Compound and always will."—Mrs. A. W. HOWE, Bridport, Vermont.

MARY'S TOYS REBEL

LITTLE MARY sat up and rubbed her eyes. She was on the sofa in the playroom, where she had thrown herself because her mother would not let her have a fire lighted in her little kitchen stove.

You would guess that Mary was a very good little girl, but the truth is that she often was not good, and wanted to do things her mother did not think best, and then she would cry, and sometimes had to be punished. And that was what had happened this time. Because it was raining she had to play in her playroom, and because she did something very naughty her mother told her she could not come downstairs to lunch until she said she was sorry for what she did.

She Was on the Sofa in the Playroom.

"What did she do?" I hear some one ask.

It was so bad I hate to tell you, but it was something she did with her tongue. It was a pretty little pink tongue, but it did not look pretty when Mary put it out, but there, I won't tell any more, for she was a good girl soon after and sorry for what she had done.

Mary sat up and rubbed her eyes because she heard the toys talking.

Said Calico Cat: "I was as quiet as any puss could be the other day, and she boxed my ears and put me under the table."

"She made me go to bed in the daytime," said Marie Doll, "and all because she had been naughty and sent to bed. I don't think it is fair."

"Neither do I," said Teddy Bear. "When she is bad and has to stand in a corner with her face to the wall she drags me by the shoulder with her and then because she feels cross she bangs me against the wall."

"Yes, she is pretty bad lately," said Little Dog on Wheels. "She kicked me the other day because her mother would not let her do something she wanted to, and sent me running across the room, and I bumped my head against the wall, and here I have stood ever since."

"Well, I for one, am tired of having such a naughty girl for my little mistress," said Calico Cat. "What do you all say if we run away? We can jump into Marie's carriage. And there is that nice rocking horse that the little boy who was visiting left here so he could have it when he came again. He didn't like girl's toys, you know. I am sure we could get him harnessed to Marie's carriage and run away with us. What do you say?"

"I'll go," said Marie Doll.

"So will I," said Teddy Bear, scrambling into the carriage.

"I'll go, I'll go," came from all parts of the room, and all the toys ran toward the doll-carriage to get ready to run away. And that was the reason Mary sat up on the playroom sofa and rubbed her eyes.

She had never heard her toys speak before, but here they were finding fault with the way she behaved, and if she did not stop them she would not have a toy left to play with.

Her darling Marie, too, was ready to leave with the others. This was more than Mary could bear. "I'll be good, I'll be good. Please don't run away!" she cried.

"I am not going to run away," said her mother, picking Mary up from the sofa.

"But all my toys are going to run away because I am a bad girl," said Mary, who was only half awake.

"I guess you have been dreaming," said her mother. "You have been asleep, and I hope that naughty little girl that made the ugly face has gone and my good little girl is here to stay. Is she?"

"Yes, mother," answered Mary. "I'll be good. I am sorry I was so bad."

Mary looked over her mother's shoulder as she carried her out of the playroom. She hoped all the toys heard her promise, and that she would find every one there when she came back.

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Mary Philbin

Charming Mary Philbin, as a little high school girl, was selected for the "movies" in a beauty contest, and her acting from the beginning astounded all filmdom. Miss Philbin was born in Chicago. She graduated from the Hyde Park high school. Before entering motion pictures she had had no experience, except as a star in Sunday School amateur plays.

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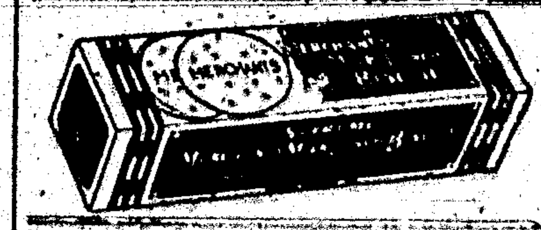

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Washington.—The forty six air mail pilots in the postal service flew 1,288,352 miles in the last six months of 1921, Postmaster General New announced here a few days ago.

These postmen of the air, since they first entered the Postoffice Department have flown a total of 6,602,857 miles, or approximately 265 times around the earth.

The pilots flew 437,587 miles at night and [illegible] miles in the daytime. Pilot Lewis holds the record for night flying with 20,410 miles in darkness. Pilot Short has the greatest amount of mileage to his credit, having covered 30,550 miles, flying both day and night.

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Apples are one of the best sources of iron for the diet. Raisins have been advertised for their iron content. It is true that both fresh grapes and raisins, as well as plums and prunes, furnish this element, but the apple is the heaviest iron-carrying fruit that we can eat, having 30-100 per cent of iron in its makeup.

A good memory has its burdens.

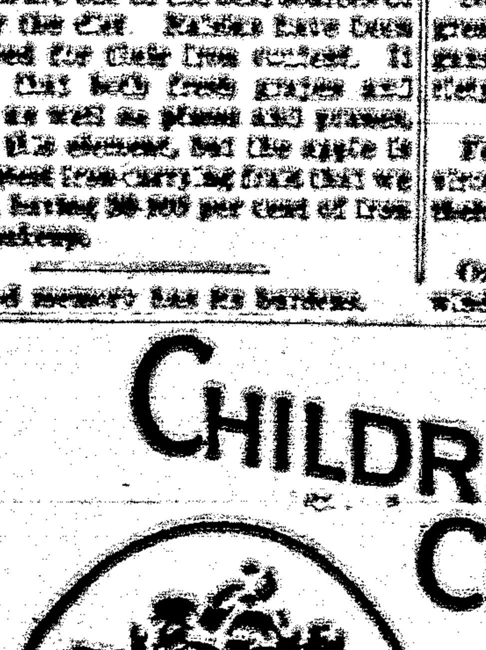
Water Organs

Nero is said to have possessed a great number of so-called water organs. The original term for this variety is organum hydraulicum.

Few men are greater than their environment, but great minds make theirs.

Oaths are but words, and words but wind.

CHILDREN CRY FOR



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The Why of Superstitions

By H. IRVING KING

DOGS AND THE WIND

A COMMON sailor's superstition is that when a dog howls aboard ship he predicts a storm and the wind will come from the quarter to which the dog points his nose at the time. Among sailors and fishermen there are many superstitions which can be traced back to Norse mythology and this is one of them. Considering the maritime supremacy once exercised by the Viking race it is quite natural that remnants of Scandinavian mythology and folklore should still linger among those who go down to the sea in ships. The only wonder is that there are not more of them. The relation between the dog and the wind comes from his connection with Odin, the great Norse god who was also a wind god and swept land and sea in his furious "wildhunts." Odin in these hunts was accompanied by a retinue of souls, which souls, according to one version, assumed the shape of dogs whose howlings could be heard amid the tempest.

When a storm sweeps over the Welsh mountains the superstitious hear in it the howling of the "dogs of Annwn," and in Devonshire it is "the heath-hounds" calling to this day—both superstitions offsprings of the story of Odin's "Wildhunt." In the Odin saga the little preliminary puffs of wind which herald the coming of the gale are said to be the souls of women hunted by Odin and his crews.

So when a dog on shipboard points his nose and howls it is quite evident that his instinct tells him that his master, Odin, is abroad in the winds, the "wildhunt" is on and he longs to join in the chase.

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Have You This Habit?

By Margaret Morison

LAURA LITTLE

LAURA LITTLE—Mrs. Augustus Little—was expecting the landlord to call that morning to talk over the question of repairs to the apartment. As the middle-aged man entered the front room, Laura's first words were: "Of course I know you won't do anything I ask." Now, the landlord was a good sport, for a landlord, and he had been prepared to be really generous. But his reaction to Laura's words was unaccountable opposition, and he left shortly, after taking the firm position that no repairs were possible that year.

Considerably ruffled, Laura departed for market. It was Saturday and everything was busy, and Laura had to wait like all the other customers at the butcher's. Finally through a mistake some one who had come in just behind her was served first. Laura bristled up to the desk. "You take care of anyone at all," she scolded, "before me. I won't stand for such treatment." Whereupon she departed, nose in the air—to find all the other shops closed for the week-end.

On the way home she met an innocent but near-sighted acquaintance on the street, who passed without seeing her. But Laura was in no generous-minded mood. Muttering to herself that she would show whether she was to be treated with indignity, she quickly circumnavigated the block until she again came face to face with her friend. This time Mrs. Little was recognized. But she swept past the outstretched hand in stony silence, leaving a very puzzled lady to wonder if Mrs. Little were a bit unbalanced.

Toiling up the stairs to her walk-up apartment, she passed several persons who, she decided, looked at her "queerly." As she unlocked her door she heard a crash and went in to find her favorite coffee pot in splinters. Then she knew that her maid, as she had often suspected, was addicted to fits of temper, and upon the spot and without allowing explanation Laura dismissed her. A few minutes later Gus, Jr., came upon the scene and confessed that his Irish terrier had jumped on the table and knocked off the coffee pot. But that did not help much as afternoon wore on and it was time to get dinner all by herself.

She had just successfully burned the soup when her husband arrived, bringing a guest. That was exactly like his lack of consideration for her. Laura bore forth, and Gus, Sr., crept back to the parlor with drooping ears. When the baked potatoes that weren't baked and the scorched eggs and the rest of it finally came on, and a dismal group gathered around the table, Laura took the same attitude toward her husband's friend of suspecting a pre-conceived plan to embarrass her. After dinner the two men went out, pleading an engagement together; then her son descended to a pal's; finally her daughter left to spend the night with grandmother. And as Laura caught sight of Mike's tail disappearing down the fire escape, she was left alone with only the habit of the chip on her shoulder to keep her company.

HAVE YOU THIS HABIT?

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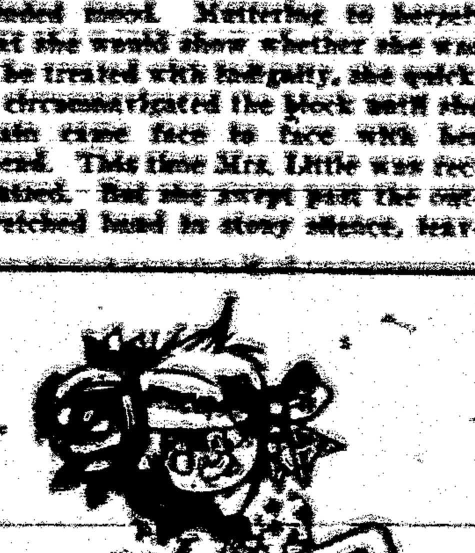

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A LINE O' CHEER

By John Kendrick Bangs.

A REMINDER

HIS mother gave him life,
His father gave him food,
And in his fight with strife
The stars by him stood.
The world gave him his short
And God gave him his plan,
And yet he called himself
A Self-
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"What's in a Name?"

By MILDRED MARSHALL

Facts about your name; its history; meaning; whence it was derived; significance; your lucky day, lucky jewel

LUCY

THE charmingly quaint and old-fashioned name of Lucy is derived from the Latin lux, meaning light. Lux gave the favorite praenomen Lucius, one born at daylight. It was first used in Rome by Lucius Tarquinius Priscus. The first feminine form was Lucia and belonged to a virgin martyr at Syracuse whose name of Light, being indicated by early painters by a lamp or an eye, led to the legend that her beautiful eyes had been put out. The old English version cuts off her head, but the indomitable lady goes on talking until she has received the Holy Eucharist.

The Sicilian saints were especially popular and Santa Lucia is not only the patroness of Italian fishermen, and namesake of their daughters, but she was early adopted by the Normans and even in the time of Edward the Confessor, the daughter of the Earl of Mercia had been thus baptized.

The house of Blois were importers of sacred names and Lucie was a sister of Stephen and was among those lost on the White Ship. The name has since flourished in England and France; it is particularly popular in the latter where many noble ladies were called Lucy, though poetry called them by the more fashionable Lucinda.

The English forms of the name are Lucy, Luce, and Lucinda. France calls her Luce and Lucie. She is Lucia in Spain and Italy, which also adds Lucila. Russia terms her Lucija.

Lucy's talismanic stone is the king of gems, the diamond. Its dazzling brilliance gives fearlessness to its wearer, and invulnerability. To bring victory to any endeavor, it should be set in gold and worn on the left hand. Saturday is Lucy's most fortunate day and 3 her lucky number.

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A French expert says that when emeralds are reduced to powder they have a pleasant scent, while diamonds give a disagreeable odor.

Story of Inheritance Untrue

Ellensburg, Wash.—Miss Esther Johnson of this city was taken to the State Hospital for the Insane following a decision adjudging her insane. She is the victim of a family gutter, it was said, and is expected to recover rapidly. Miss Johnson, a student at the University of Washington in Seattle, created a sensation here recently when she claimed to have inherited $2,000,000 from an aged hermit miner, who, when she had nursed at a tourist camp in Yellowstone National park. All efforts to verify her story failed.

French Aviator Killed in Africa

Niamey, French West Africa.—The second plane of the French air mission to Lake Tchad crashed on taking off here, and Sergeant Vandelle, the pilot, was killed. Colonel Vuillemin, commanding the plane, Captain Dagnaux, and Sergeant Knecht were injured.

Fleischmann Will Filed

Mineola, N. Y.—Julius Fleischmann, Jr., and Mrs. Henry of Tetley, Jr., children of the late Julius Fleischmann, yeast magnate, are the chief beneficiaries under his will filed here. Other bequests include a $200,000 trust fund for educational or charitable purposes, preferably in Cincinnati, Mr. Fleischmann's former home, 20,000 shares of stock of the Fleischmann company to certain employees and a $100,000 trust fund for a cousin, William N. Fleischmann of New York City.

League Advances New Peace Plan

Geneva.—The separation of disarmament from compulsory arbitration and security is the latest idea advanced in League of Nations circles here as the one possible development in the case of the famous Geneva peace protocol, which now is being discussed between the English mother country and her dominions and commonwealths. This idea, if carried out, would give an entirely new angle to the international struggle which is being waged to outlaw war.

Commons Votes Wales Expenses

London.—The House of Commons, by a vote of 290 against 87, passed a supplementary budget estimate to cover the expenses of the forthcoming trip of the Prince of Wales to South Africa and South America. The vote was taken after the chamber had rejected a motion by David Kirkwood, Labor member for the Dumbarton Burghs to reduce the £35,000 which it has been estimated will be required for the trip. The vote on this question was 304 against 96.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

A girl baby was born Saturday morning to Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Martin.

George J. Weishar and Joe Hennessy were here a couple days this week from Jicarilla.

King's Candies—always fresh, at Paden's Drug Store.

The five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Burch is ill with pneumonia in the Johnson hospital.

H. S. Fairbanks, superintendent eastern division, Southern Pacific, was here yesterday from El Paso.

Grandma Bullard left this week for El Reno, Oklahoma. She was joined at Tucumcari by a daughter, who accompanied her from that point.

Robert and Cleve Bourne are down from Duran today. They came down to visit their aged father, Grandpa Bourne, and other relatives here.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ben West, at Tucson, Arizona, on February 21, a girl baby, weighing 7 pounds, 8 ounces. Mother and babe doing nicely.

Attorneys Barber and Hudspeth returned Tuesday morning from Las Cruces, where they had gone to look after some legal matters coming before Judge Meehem.

Mr. and Mrs E. C. Starkey have moved their baby to their home at White Oaks. It had been in the Johnson Hospital for several days, but improved and was discharged.

Billie Ferguson, with an assistant, is engaged in painting the court house roof this week. Notwithstanding the length of time which has expired since the last painting, the roof, Mr. Ferguson says, is in a good state of preservation.

Woman's Club

Mrs. C. N. Lemon will be hostess to the Woman's Club at the Wetmore Building, Friday evening, March 6. Mrs. H. B. Hamilton will have charge of the program on the subject of Legislation. There will also be an art exhibit of the Cole color prints. This splendid exhibit will be open to the public from 4:30 to 5:30. Any of these pictures may be purchased, the Club receiving a commission on all sales.

Light refreshment will be served for which there will be a charge of 25c. Receipts of the afternoon will be given to the Chamber of Commerce for use of the Publicity and Good Roads committees in placing signs on the highways leading to Carrizozo.

Women and Girls who think of appearance, think under Peggy Hats.—ZIEGLER BROS.

Dr. F. S. Randles, accompanied by a Mr. Holtry, arrived Monday, having driven by car from Hanover. They will take a look at some mineral prospects during their stay here.

C. M. Goodwin, of Los Angeles, is here this week, a guest of the E. T. Collier family. Mr. Goodwin is looking over this section of the country, and may locate here.

Mrs. C. P. Hupperts and Mrs. R. E. Lemon returned Monday from Silver City, where they had gone the previous week to represent the local chapter in the Eastern Star Order in the Grand Lodge convention.

Floy Skinner, of the Mesa, was a visitor Wednesday. He says his community and other communities adjoining have not been immune from attacks of the 'flu,' in fact, entire families are afflicted with the malady.

Reservoir Polluted

The local railroad reservoir, from which Carrizozo derives its water supply, was found to be polluted—or in danger of pollution—Wednesday night, and the offensive objects removed yesterday. The reservoir was drained and the mains throughout the town, as well, and it is thought that no serious results will follow the nauseating affair.

It is not known just how nor when the offense was committed; neither is it known who the guilty are, but the Chamber of Commerce, which held a meeting last night, started the ball to rolling by offering a reward for the apprehension of the perpetrators, and will do everything in its power to assist the authorities and the railroad company, which is lending every assistance to run down the guilty. The Chamber offers the reward and its assistance in the hope that even-handed justice may become effective in preventing the recurrence of an act so dangerous and revolting.

Try the News Office for stationery, cards, etc.

The Fish Hatchery

T. E. Kelley, president of the local game and fish association, accompanied Supt Benguard, of state hatcheries, to Eagle Creek Wednesday, and saw deposited 150,000 fish eggs, which are due to hatch in about 60 days. Supt Benguard will bring another 150,000 eggs about March 12, and place them in the Eagle Creek hatchery. The local association is justly proud of the operation of the hatchery and is hopeful of substantial benefits to derived therefrom.

The Eboni Fountain Pen—School Supplies, at Paden's Drug Store.

Arrival of
New Spring Goods

During the past week many new Spring Items have been received that will add much smartness to your Spring apparel.

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Fatal Auto Accident

Mrs. Herman Snyder was almost instantly killed last Monday morning about ten o'clock, near Ancho, in an automobile accident. Herman Snyder, the husband, suffered a fractured shoulder blade and a rib, while Karl Snyder, the father, suffered a fractured clavicle in the crash. Two sons, aged seven and nine respectively, escaped unhurt.

The Snyders live in Albuquerque, where the younger Snyder holds the position of assistant cashier of the First National Bank. They had been visiting at Roswell and had spent Sunday night here on their return to Albuquerque.

Dr. Johnson hastened to the scene of the accident, upon being notified of its grave result, and brought the younger Snyder to his hospital. The elder Snyder accompanied the dead wife and daughter, also the two boys, to Carrizozo, in another vehicle.

The injured had their wounds attended to, and the body of Mrs. Snyder was embalmed for shipment by Undertaker Kelley. The following morning the body was placed on the train and conveyed to Los Angeles for burial, the husband accompanying it. The elder Snyder and the two boys went to Albuquerque where two smaller children are.

The accident was due to a wheel hitting soft dirt on a recently thrown-up grade, causing the front wheels to buckle, turning the car over the embankment.

Delightful Party

The "Girls' Friendly Society" gave a very entertaining party on Washington's birthday, at the Wetmore building. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Van Eckeyck, of White Oaks, and the Dinwiddies, of Carrizozo, furnished the music for the occasion, free. The program was delightful and was enjoyed by all present.

The "flu" epidemic is subsiding in this locality, but its victims were left with tuberculosis.

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Income Tax in a Nut Shell

Who? Single persons who had a net income of $1,000 or more or gross income of $5,000 or more, and married couples who had net income of $2,500 or more gross income of $5,000 or more must file returns.

When? The filing period is from Jan. 1 to March 15, 1926.

Wemm? Collector of internal revenue for the district in which the person lives or has his principal place of business.

How? Instructions on Form 1040a and 1040; also the law and regulations.

What? Two per cent normal tax on the first $4,000 of net income in excess of the personal exemptions and credits. Four per cent normal tax on the next $4,000. Six per cent normal tax on the balance of net income. Sur tax on net income in excess of $10,000.