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THE AGE OF SUCCESS

The Youth Companion. As we study the various phases of active life in the world of today we can hardly help feeling the advanced age of the men who have attained conspicuous success.

No doubt this has always been true to some extent. The earlier Presidents of the United States were all men who were close to their sixtieth year when they were elected.

There seems to be no remedy for the evil. Neither is it likely to increase. But we should at least learn to be more tolerant and patient with youth, for with all its obvious defects it has many virtues.

CHARGES DENIED BY SENATOR BURNHAM

Washington, D. C., Feb. 24.—Senator Burnham, Republican, New Mexico, denied today in the senate charges now under investigation by the department of justice that he improperly used his influence before a government agency in connection with efforts to sell American cattle in Mexico in 1922.

Recalling that he had gone to Mexico in that year at his own expense to effect a sale of cattle on behalf of the Livestock and Agricultural Loan company of Albuquerque, a state corporation and individual loan bank in Mexico, Senator Burnham said he failed to consummate the sale because the Mexicans could not furnish the cash.

"At no time," he said, "did I make any request of any governmental department, bureau or agency, in writing or verbally, either directly or indirectly, either in my own behalf or through any person to do anything whatsoever in relation to the sale of the cattle, or the purchase or the payment in any manner or connection therewith."

PRECIPITATION IN STATE ABOUT ONE-THIRD INCH BY IN JAN.

The average precipitation for the state of New Mexico, based upon the records of 47 stations, was 0.26 inch or 2.4 inch below the normal, as determined from 15 stations having records for ten years or more.

The greatest monthly rainfall was 1.60 inch at Deming, and the greatest amount in any 24 hours was 0.55 inch at the Hugo Rock Ranger station on the 20th.

Temperatures. The month was cold and dry. Only January 1912 (29.1 deg.) and 1919 (26.8 deg.) have been colder in the last 24 years.

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OV. HANNETT ASKS RESIGNATION OF COMMISSIONERS

Executive Would Clear State Tax Commission of All Members to Permit Appointment of New Members on Political Consideration.

Santa Fe, Feb. 21.—Governor A. T. Hannett is reported to have asked of the Carrizozo and Martin Chavez of Carrizozo, and Martin Chavez of Santa Fe, an associate member of the state tax commission.

Ulrich was appointed by Governor J. C. Mechem as minority member when the majority of this commission was republican and has two years to serve. Chavez, also a democrat, was appointed by Governor James F. Hinkle and has four years yet to serve.

The other member of the commission is J. E. Sainz, the resident chief commissioner, whose term expires this year. He is the republican, now minority, member.

The tax commission consists of a chief commissioner and two associate or part-time commissioners. The chief commissioner, who is J. E. Sainz, is on the job all of the time while the associate members are here only for formal sessions of the commission.

The governor's reason in asking his two democrat members to resign is not known nor is there any intimation as to what course he is likely to take when they inform him they will not resign as it is reported they intend to do.

GROWING OF COTTON UNDER IRRIGATION

Extension Service Bulletin. For the growing of cotton under irrigation land should be fairly level so that the field can be irrigated by the furrow method without flooding between the furrows, according to A. S. Curry of the New Mexico Agricultural College.

Fields that have been properly prepared for furrow irrigation produce a crop with less water than do the fields irrigated by the flooding method. Crops grown in fields that are subject to flooding have a higher water requirement than those grown under the furrow system of irrigation.

The best practice is to follow on most soils is to wet the land to at least four feet in depth just previous to planting, then as a rule the water may be withheld for a considerable length of time before it is necessary to make another application.

At a college experiment station in 1923 a field of sand and adobe in about equal portions was planted to cotton and was given about average treatment. The yield was 219 pounds of lint cotton per acre, and the duty of water was 41 pounds per acre-inch.

The first irrigation was given on April 15 and the last one on July 25 with four intervening irrigations. In all, the field received 20 inches of irrigation water and 1.47 inches of rainfall. It is probable that this field received a larger number of irrigations than did the majority of fields in the Mesilla Valley.

WARNS AGAINST NEW TUBERCULOSIS "CURE"

State Tribune. Warning against the use of Sarcosin, an "aged" cure for tuberculosis, has been received by officials of the local Tuberculosis association from the national office.

Tuberculosis patients are advised by the national officials to place no false hopes in the cure and in many highly exaggerated reports that have been made by many persons.

According to Dr. Williams, managing director, the drug is an old one composed of a combination of gold and sulphur salts.

The National Tuberculosis association is now engaged in a series of experiments to determine the efficacy and danger of the drug. Experiments are being made upon calves.

Dr. Williams, in the statement to the local office, stated that Sarcosin may be made a safe treatment for tuberculosis and one that may aid in conquering the plague. He adds, however, that he is not very optimistic as to the outlook.

Fifteen Hundred Miles From Washington



Mr. Snyder's two sons, Karl and Albert, ages 9 and 7 years respectively, escaped uninjured.

Sad Accident Near Ancho Mrs. H. L. Snyder Killed

In an auto accident about two miles northeast of Ancho Monday morning, Mrs. H. L. Snyder, age 39, was killed while her husband sustained a fractured collar bone and his father, Karl Snyder, had his collar bone broken.

Mr. Snyder's two sons, Karl and Albert, ages 9 and 7 years respectively, escaped uninjured. H. L. Snyder, who is the assistant cashier of the First National Bank of Albuquerque with others mentioned left Albuquerque last Saturday for Roswell, where they spent Sunday and on the return trip stopped over here Sunday night at the Garrard House, leaving early Monday morning for their home city with the expectation of reaching that place by Monday evening.

After leaving Ancho at the distance mentioned above, the car, which was running down an incline in the road, suddenly struck a soft spot which caused the car to turn over, throwing its occupants to the ground.

Mrs. Snyder, who occupied the front seat with her husband, was thrown through the top of the car, the front rib of which struck her on the neck as her body crashed through, with such violence that she was thrown about fifteen feet from the car and lived but about ten minutes after the accident. The elder Snyder with the two boys, hurried back to Ancho where Messrs. W. R. Boydston and George Straley with Mr. Boydston's car brought the body of Mrs. Snyder to Carrizozo where Undertaker T. E. Kelley took the remains under his care and Dr. Johnson ministered to the needs of the injured men. An inquest was held at the Kelley Undertaking rooms Monday evening with Judge W. W. Stadtman acting as Coroner and a verdict of accidental death according to the information above was rendered.

The remains were shipped to Los Angeles Tuesday morning on No. 11, at which city Mrs. Snyder's mother and sister now reside and where interment was made. Her husband went to El Paso on No. 1 and accompanied the remains to Los Angeles from that place on Tuesday. The elder Snyder and the two Snyder children who were in the car at the time of the accident, returned to Albuquerque on No. 2 Tuesday morning.

NEW MEXICO HOUSE TO TAKE UP JAP BILL

Santa Fe, N. M., Feb. 24.—The House will hold a meeting at a committee of the whole Thursday night to hear arguments on the ways and means committee substitute for the House bill No. 74 which permits Japanese to lease land in New Mexico on irrigation projects where the threat of the problem caused by colonization by the Japanese is a prerequisite established for them.

Nogal Items

By "Bill O'Fare" Messrs. Cochran and LaMay are across the rocks in search of copper. Mighty good metal to be hunting just now. Copper mines in the Southwest have paid larger dividends to the stockholders than any other industries we have.

There are some parties sampling and assaying the Geo. W. McGee property with a view of organizing a stock company. They report some good returns from the assays. Well, here's hoping! Something happens to awake the mining industry in this neck of the woods, and while we're hoping—let's hope a little more for rain.

Speaking of rain—some of the ranchers in Arizona are rescuting this song the drug store cowboys chant about, "It Ain't Gonna Rain No More." Jupiter Pluvius may not resent this, but let a cowman ride out among a bunch of poor old cows that are getting poorer every day—then come to town and hear some one making light of the precarious weather condition that is growing worse every day—it's enough to make a man resentful.

The ranchers on the Mesa and in the canyons are breaking land for their spring planting. These fellows are hoping, and hope and a little hay will make the mare go, even if you haven't any money.

Marion Hust is going to give a "bridge party" on the Fred Pfingsten ranch in the near future. He has all the timbers cut and the mud sills placed and capped.

Hoimer McDaniel and family arrived from Las Vegas Sunday, and will have charge of the Hotel and Postoffice while his mother is away attending his father who is very sick at Hot Springs.

Chas. LeBaron is sporting a new Studebaker, equipped with full balloon tires. The trappers in the mountains seem to be catching nothing but the "flu," and they say you don't have to bait very heavy for this pest either. The predatory animals are very scarce—another sign of a dry year; but all signs fall in dry weather. (Methinks you may apply this adage either way.)

Ponder over this, and forget hard times; the growth of trees is marked by annual rings in the trunk and the width of the rings tell us something about the rainfall. The more rain, the wider the ring of growth. Some of the big trees of California were alive over 1000 years before Christ was on earth, and their rings show California was considerably moister than it is now.

Fort Stanton News

Dr. F. S. Mann and family left early Wednesday morning for Tucson, Arizona, where he has been appointed to a position on the Veterans' Bureau Staff. Every good wish and kind memory accompanies them in their new field.

The Musicals to be given at the Fort Saturday evening by Miss McClure and Mr. Schreiber, is to be of such merit that all should attend who can. Seldom in this part of the country, is opportunity to enjoy music of such merit as will be given by these two accomplished artists. It is hoped that many will attend from Carrizozo, Capitan and elsewhere.

Mrs. E. C. Kincheloe has left the Fort on account of the severe illness of her father in Washington, D. C., to whose bedside she was called by telegram.

There is a great deal of flu at the Fort. Both teachers, the Messrs. Scott and Robinson, have been victims as well as Mr. Rogers, and both his attendants, Mesdames Ferris and Hudgens. Mrs. Rogers' sister, Mrs. Howson and many others are under the weather. The severity is not at all so bad as when it first came to America, those effected remaining, as a rule, but a day or so in bed.

At the Seamen's Social Club, they have purchased a new typewriter which will make their means of reaching the outside world and of expressing their gratitude for magazines and other donations more easy.

In addition to the other work he is already doing, Mr. Workelmore is starting a Sunday School at Hondo, having left the one in Lincoln under the efficient supervision of the many excellent teachers who have made the work so successful during the winter.

Messrs. C. E. Anderson and E. W. White, the new additions to the Fort electrical and painters' forces and their families, are now residing at Capitan in the Boone cottage.

Among the pleasant incidents is the fact that W. H. Decker, the printer, who has been in the wards for the past three years, was removed to the Hill and thinks he can make the grade to remain—We sincerely hope so.

The American Merchants Library Association has just sent to the Fort a complete set of Encyclopedia Britannica which will be most welcome to many patients and others.

Albuquerque, Feb. 21.—The 100th annual convention of the New Mexico Cattle and Horsegrowers Association is called to meet at the Elk's Lodge Room, Santa Fe, March 22 and 23, 1925. Headquarters will be at the De Vargas Hotel.

An interesting program will be presented which will include several distinguished speakers. Realizing the great need for the organization this meeting has been called in an effort to unite the members of the industry to combat high taxes; high freight rates; high interest and high marketing costs.

The members of the executive board have been requested to meet at the committee room of the De Vargas Hotel at 9:30 a. m., March 22. Hugh L. Hodges, Silver City, will act as chairman of the Resolutions Committee. Miss Hodges, secretary, asks that all members having resolutions for presentation to the convention forward them either to Mr. Hodges or to her office.

IS THERE A SECOND MOON?

The Youth Companion. On the day after the total eclipse it was said that, although the event had occurred with what seemed to the lay observer praiseworthy punctuality, astronomers were agitated to discover that the moon was between four and five seconds late in arriving at the moment of totality. They were agitated, perhaps, but not really astonished, for in spite of all the marvellous achievements of mathematical astronomy you can never plan the moon down to absolute punctuality. It never arrives at a given point at the exact second at which its hither-to observed rate of motion leads the observer to expect it.

The curious "perturbations" in the motion of the moon can be accounted for, say the astronomers, only on the supposition that there is some celestial body, of the existence of which we are as yet unaware, that exercises on it a slight gravitational pull. We can calculate the effect of the sun and the earth—and the other planets if need be, down to the twentieth decimal point; but there is something else at work—a tiny, unknown force that just succeeds in making our most-patient calculations incorrect.

What is the force? Astronomers think it must be the pull of a second moon, a body so small that not even our most powerful telescopes have revealed it; but, though they have never seen it, the men of science can calculate from its observed effects its probable size and speed and its distance from the earth. That is the way in which Adams and Leverrier discovered Neptune eighty years ago. Uranus was observed to behave in a peculiar manner, as if there were a planet still farther out in space acting upon it. The two men, working independently, calculated just how large the unknown body must be, and just what its orbit must be in order to produce the observed effects. They turned their telescopes in the indicated direction—and there was Neptune!

Now the astronomer thinks they can tell us just what sort of body this supposed second satellite of the earth must be. They say it can hardly be larger than four hundred feet in diameter, that is approximately twenty-five hundred miles from the earth, and that it moves at such speed that it makes a complete revolution about the earth every three hours. It is almost impossible to search for so dramatic an object, but some time the instrument may be constructed and the conditions met that will result in some one actually seeing the tiny satellite flying hitherly round and round the earth at a distance no greater than that of New York from San Francisco.

As for the origin of the supposed second moon: there are quantities of asteroids, or minute bits of earth-stuff, drifting about in space. Not infrequently some of the smaller and nearer bits fall to the surface of the earth as meteors. The four-hundred-foot moon may have been wandering asteroid the orbit of which cut the orbit of the earth at a moment when the earth was near enough to "capture" it; that is, turn it away from its course and set it spinning forever in attendance upon itself.

ANCIENT LOTUS SEEDS TO BE PLANTED IN ATTEMPT TO PRODUCE NEW FLOWER. Chicago, Feb. 20.—Seeds that fell from the lotus in the Gobi desert before Columbus discovered America, will bloom in Chicago in a few months, according to Dr. C. Shull, University of Chicago, botanist. Aided by science he hopes to effect the continuation of a life process that began in the Orient, centuries ago.

The seeds were dug up in Asia and are believed to be the oldest in the world. They are wrapped in a hard substance that permits entrance of only enough air and water to keep plants surviving and were found in a bed of peat, beneath thick layers of wind drifted soil.

Woman's Club Notes. March 16 and 17 are the new dates set for the Operetta "The Wild Rose" to be given by the Woman's Club at the Crystal Theatre. Admission 25 and 50 cents.

Mrs. C. N. Lemmon will be hostess to the Woman's Club at the Wetmore Building, Friday afternoon March 6th. Mrs. H. B. Hamilton will have charge of the program on the subject of Legislation. There will be also 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 refreshments will be served for which there will be a charge of 25 cents. Receipts of the afternoon will be given to the Chamber of Commerce for the use of the Publicity and Good Roads Committees in placing signs on the highways leading to Carrizozo.

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SINNERS in HEAVEN

By CLIVE ARDEN

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"I HATE YOU!"

SYNOPSIS.—Living in the small English village of Darbury, old-fashioned and sedate place, Barbara Stockley, daughter of a widowed mother, is soon to celebrate her marriage to Hugh Stockley, rich and well connected. Barbara is adventurous and has planned, with an aunt, an airplane trip to Australia. Major Alan Croft, famous as an aviator, is to be the pilot. At her first meeting with Croft Barbara is attracted by his manner and conversation, different from the cut-and-dried conventions of her small town. They set out. Barbara, her aunt, Croft, and a mechanic, were in a few days comes to Darbury that the plane is missing and its occupants believed lost. Croft and Barbara, after the wreck of the airplane in a furious storm, reach an apparently uninhabited island in the Pacific ocean. The other two members of the party had perished. The two castaways build a shelter. In Croft's absence Barbara is attacked by a black man, evidently a savage. Croft rescues her. Croft discovers a party of natives, evidently reconnoitering, but they leave without attempting to harm the pair. Croft fixes up an electrical guard to scare off attacking natives.

PART TWO—Continued.

Quietly, as if explaining the mechanism of a watch, he explained how it worked.

"I will load it, and fix it ready for me," he concluded.

And the girl who, in England, had shrunk from all firearms, took the little weapon from him eagerly, welcoming it as a valued friend bringing, possibly, the greatest succor of all.

As they sat in the dark hut, upon their upturned salutes, near the window aperture, the strain upon Barbara's nerves became almost unbearable. With every minute her faith in the electric cure, never strong, grew weaker; until it ebbed away, leaving only a ghastly death, or worse, creeping nearer with the riving of every star.

She faced the moment when, her companion slain, she would seize the revolver, turn the dark muzzle to her fluttering heart, place her finger on the trigger.

She clasped and unclasped her clammy hands, sitting upright; then crouching back against the bamboo.

Only fear of disgrace in her companion's opinion restrained her wild impulse to rise and flee somewhere—anywhere—to escape this fearful ordeal. Had Croft touched her or spoken, her control would have snapped altogether. But he sat perfectly still, his gaze fixed upon the dark slope down which their enemies would come, his mind apparently oblivious to all else.

As she watched him, her fevered brain seemed gradually to grow calm, her faith in his confidence and ingenuity to strengthen.

The air had relaxed. Hope struggled feebly within her heart. She no longer felt the wild desire to scream or to escape. Her clenched hands parted, and she sat back with a sigh.

Those who, from lack of imagination and its sense of fear, face a terrible ordeal with gallantry, are justly called brave; but those who, tortured by those possessions, foreseeing all with shuddering dread, yet meet it with no outward flinch, deserve the laurels of heroism. Some such thoughts flitted through Croft's mind, as he sat waiting, fully conscious of the suffering silently endured by his companion. When she relaxed against his shoulder, he drew a breath of relief.

What seemed like hours passed in the silence and darkness. Then Barbara suddenly raised her head.

"Have I been asleep?" she whispered, in astonishment.

He turned to answer, whispering suddenly back to the aperture, and crawling forward. A sound had reached his intent ears—the faint distant creptation of snapping twigs.

Now that the dreaded moment had arrived, Barbara was conscious of an utter lack of agitation. Save that her fingers closed upon his arm, she gave no sign; her eyes followed his, peering into the starlit dusk without.

For several minutes nothing more was heard. The girl was beginning to think it had been a false alarm, when all at once a slight rubbing noise reached them, as of something wriggling over rough ground. At the same instant a dark form was dimly discernible flitting, shadow-like, from a distant tree to the shelter of a large rock, there falling to the earth. Presently, from behind this rock, issued a little, snaky, black stream—three or four bodies waddling along on their backs, their sullen faintly distinguishable.

Momentarily sweeping the whole visible horizon with his keen eyes, Croft now perceived other black streams issuing from other temporary shelters, slowly trickling down the slope.

His heart beat.

"They are crawling along upon their stomachs, as I predicted, to avoid detection," he whispered.

Presently, two or three figures detached themselves from the moving mass and wriggled forward with incredible swiftness, leaving the remainder some yards behind.

"Watch!" whispered Croft.

Barbara caught her breath sharply, leaning back into the hut.

Croft, his eyes fixed upon the advancing figures, laid his hand upon the transmitter, with forefinger outstretched toward the little key upon which so much depended. No sign of

the wire encircling the hut was visible in the comparative gloom.

A few tense moments . . . then he pressed the key, keeping it down, giving the spark gap a slight adjustment.

Then, from all around, rose a deafening medley of howls and frenzied yells, partly of pain but more often of fear, as the advancing men came in contact with the wire, seeing the wicked blue sparks hiss at their bare flesh, feeling the sharp sting of the electricity. Those who escaped it were equally terrified, and the whole order broke up. Some rolled upon the ground rubbing themselves, still howling; others fled, screaming, toward the south. A few, braver, tried again to reach the goal; and again retreated, half petrified with fear of the unnatural.

Croft waited until but a few stragglers remained near the hut.

"Now," he cried, "we must show ourselves, and complete the illusion!"

"Oh!" remonstrated Barbara, "is that necessary?"

"Yes; if it's to be a success."

Seizing her arm, he dragged upon the door, and whirled her round to the landward end.

Those natives who remained uttered loud, fearful shouts, at sight of the two white figures; falling upon their faces, they stretched out arms of supplication, gabbling what seemed to Barbara unintelligible nonsense. Those stooping forward, halted, then likewise fell upon their faces, terrified at these apparitions in the starlight.

For a moment the girl thought her companion had lost his senses. Loosing her arm, he sprang forward with a bound, his arms wildly waving. Appearing unnaturally tall, his white shirt and bandaged head increasing the supernatural effect in eyes used only to a dark naked skin, he went through a pantomime of weird gestures. Now and then this was interspersed with extraordinary utterances snarled from between gleaming teeth and drawn-back lips. The wild awful fury, seeming to emanate from every pore, terrified her; he looked every inch a savage himself. His weird babble bore strong resemblance to that of her pursuer. Apparently the prostrate natives understood at least part of the discourse; for occasionally eager hands were raised in supplication, accompanied by cries or moaning replies.

Suddenly, as if at some command, the groveling wretches scrambled to their feet. With another torrent of wild words, he wheeled round, and to her amazement, threw his arms around her, pressing her close.

What seemed, in the excitement of the moment, like a cloud of smoke, together with a sharp explosion, momentarily dazed her senses.

She felt herself lifted bodily, whirled back again round the hut and in at the entrance; while, from without arose a fresh confusion of howling cries, with the tread of running feet, as the warriors, terrified by the magnificent effects of the revolver shot in the dusk, dashed for their lives away up the slope.

Once inside, he leaned back against the bamboo, still holding her close, his breath coming fast, every nerve tingling, primitive man among primitive men, after the savage state into which he had worked himself.

"Well done!" he panted, laughing wildly. "The revolver—just then—was an inspiration! Vanishing in a puff of smoke finished the trick!"

Barbara gasped, too much astonished to realize that she was still clasped in his arms, having forgotten the existence of the revolver during the last scene. It hung from her hand, still smoking a little from its accidental discharge.

"What—were—you doing?" she stammered.

Again he laughed wildly. "Telling them we were sent here by their gods, and should blast the island into a thousand bits if they showed us hostility! You saw the effect?"

"I did, indeed!" Realizing their position, she tried to free herself, but his arms tightened.

"Among natives," he continued, excitedly, "a wife is tabu to her husband. To make you doubly safe, I told them you were my wife."

"Your—?" Words failed her. More vehemently she struggled, suddenly afraid of him, of his savage grip, and of the eyes which glittered strangely in the semi-darkness.

But ordinary shackles of restraint had fallen from Croft for the moment. Since these wonderful hours of the night before, the girl had assumed a new prominence in his mind. He had become acutely aware of her, as he had never been aware of any woman. It was all strange, bewildering. Life or death, man and woman, savage, primitive passions played against savage, primitive passions. No drawing room rules of morals or manners was guiding their destined end here.

He laughed again, pressing her closely by against his chest. "As—while we are here, you are mine! Don't forget. You may belong to another in England; but here, you—you are mine!"

His tone was constant, and he bent her backward so that her face was upturned, unprotected beneath his own. His breath came hot and fast above her lips.

Some primal, caged beast instinct seized her, too, sweeping away fear. Raising her free hand, she dealt him, with sudden passion of rage, a blow in the face while struggling violently in his grasp.

His arms loosed her so abruptly that she nearly fell. For a moment he stood before her, his hands groping at his head, looking dazed, as if awakening after some vivid dream. She confronted him with the fury of a little wildcat.

"You are mad! Mad! I—oh—I hate you!"

Covering her face with both hands, she strove to subdue the extraordinary tumult within her. She looked up at the sound of the door being hastily shut with a crash of bamboo cases.

With a gasp of relief, she realized that she was alone.

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After the natives' attack, a new phase began between the pair. Paradoxical though it may sound, the hours which brought them so near together widened the gulf between them. Had that eventful night ended with the accidental discharge of the revolver, their daily life might have continued more or less placidly, like the waters of some river, with but an occasional rock obstructing its even course. But Croft's amazing lack of self-control had been like a huge stone hurled violently into the center of the river, causing ever-widening circles to extend. Intensified a hundredfold, all the fears of her first afternoon upon the island rushed riotously back. She became conscious of him as she had never been before; not only of the force of his will, but of the strength of the passions lying dormant under a cold exterior.

Nothing more had been said concerning the episode. Half expecting some kind of apology, she had decided, next morning, to accept it frigidly, drawing close the cloak of her own reserve and dignity.

But the apology never came. He did not appear at all until nearly midday, when he arrived with arms full of fresh fruit. Then it was he who



Seized the Coconut and Hurled It Down the Beach.

"But years of Puritan surroundings are not wiped out in less than a week. 'The afraid not.'"

"Then you must jump it!" He turned away with an expressive shrug and disappeared up the hill.

That was the only overture he ever made; and the straits between them increased.

Barbara welcomed anything which made work to absorb her thoughts. For the terrible feeling of impotence, the sheer homesickness, the loneliness, were ever below the surface, ready all together or individually, to spring upon her at any moment.

A day arrived on which the "onset" came "not singly but in battalions." She had been alone for hours. When Croft arrived, her spirits were below zero, her nerves frayed, her temper was not of the best. He glanced at her shrewdly, but appeared to notice nothing. Coming to the hut, he dropped a large coconut into her lap, where she sat outside the door.

"There you are, my child! Get busy!" he remarked casually.

Uncontrollable irritation, the result of solitary fretting, welled up within her. Impulsively she seized the coconut and hurled it down the beach.

"Don't call me that! I'm not your 'child'—nor anything to do with you." There was a moment's silence; then he gave a little laugh.

"No, indeed! Let's thank the good Lord for that, at all events."

She looked up, dumfounded; but he had turned away into the hut.

So that was the position? Her dislike was returned in full? A sharp stab of hurt pride and desolation caused sudden tears to rise and roll down her cheeks. She scrambled to her feet and, out of sight among the brushwood, lay down and sobbed out her heart.

Croft got his own supper that night. He made no comment on her swollen eyes and lack of appetite. But when she took the large shells used for plates to wash in the lagoon, he rose, impulsively, to follow her. After a few steps, however, he paused uncertainly. With a little helpless shrug, he returned to the hut.

Each day he spent much time upon the reef, saving all that was possible of the machine, until what remained was swept away one night by the tide.

A dozen times a day, one or both climbed the hill and vainly searched the horizon—gathering, with dwindling hopes, more fuel to heap upon the growing pile which some day might flare into a beacon to attract a passing vessel.

The natives seldom ventured far from their settlement. Whenever Croft encountered one, the frightened wretch took to his heels. Only once did he meet one with sufficient courage to reply to the white man's questions. But, at the first allusion to ships and other white men, his fortitude gave completely away; with a wailing cry of fear, he turned and vanished among the trees, leaving Croft no wiser.

Barbara was haunted by thoughts of Hugh's suffering. To be alive, in splendid health, yet unable to inform those mourning her death, could be equalled only by a like impotence upon the other side of the grave to allay the sufferings of those beloved upon earth. After a lifetime, too, of inseparable companionship, this new existence, in which Hugh had no part, seemed strangely incomplete. Yet, paradoxically again, his presence was not needed here; he would have seemed as much out of place as the proverbial fish out of water.

Croft, on the other hand, appeared daily more suited to his environment, fitting in as if it were indeed his "natural sphere." Gradually, as the past grew fainter, his confidence returned. His apparent disinclination for her company, though reassuring in one way, piqued her in another. So she withdrew into her own shell; and the invisible wall grew higher between them, only occasional glimpses appearing, or thin places through which they came a little nearer. At these times the girl regretted her refusal of his one friendly overture.

It was one evening, two or three weeks after the natives' attack, that the largest chink in the wall appeared. The day had been unusually hot; and she strolled listlessly up to the reef to bathe. With bare sunburned feet, and the revolver—without which she seldom stirred—stuck in her belt, she passed through the grove, following the tall dark avenues beyond, to the clearing by the water's edge. There she halted, amazed.

Face downward lay Croft, his dark head buried in his arms; beside him were one or two branches of bananas; a couple of breadfruit had rolled, as noticed, a few yards away.

Barbara is shocked by Croft's display of passion. Yet she is pleased by his show of indifference. What next?

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

"To Walk Spanish"

To make a person "walk Spanish" is to make him come up to time, or to make him act under compulsion. It refers to the old sport among boys in which one boy seizes another by the collar and the seat of the trousers and forces him along on tiptoe. Hence, by extension, it means to walk gingerly. Apparently the expression originally referred to the manner in which the Spanish players used to handle their prisoners when steering them out on the plank—

Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

MARY GRAHAM BONNER

THE OLD ANDIRON

For one hundred years the old andiron had never gone out of the house.

For one hundred years it had been, together with its partner andiron, serving the fireplace and remaining stout and strong and beautiful.

For the andirons were both beautiful. This special one, somehow had always been considered more beautiful. Perhaps it was



"The Man Was because it was Very Careful."

Grandma had always sat. And anything near Grandma somehow grew nicer.

If you stayed with Grandma any length of time you felt nicer. The flowers that grew under her bedroom window were always the loveliest flowers in the garden.

The honeysuckle bush and the roses that she planted were more fragrant than any others.

So it was with the old andiron. The andiron had been there before Grandma. She had loved it when she was a child. Why she picked out this one particularly she didn't know. Perhaps because it always shone more brightly after a cleaning than the other.

It liked to look handsome and dignified and beautiful.

Then Grandma, as she grew older, had sat on the side of the fire where this andiron was. Often she had hung her mittens over it to warm before she went out.

For one hundred years the old andiron had never left its post.

For one hundred years it had served the fire faithfully and well. But now it had to be mended. It was going to be taken to the blacksmith shop to have a piece of iron fastened to its one-hundred-year-old leg.

Grandma told the man to be very careful when he carried it up the street.

"Remember," she cautioned the man, "to carry it with great care, for the outside world will seem very strange to the andiron which has spent its whole life by the fire."

"It will be antsy about the excitement of a street. It will be a little nervous. So be very careful!"

The man was very careful. The andiron went into the shop, carried by the man. The blacksmith shop and the fire looked natural, in a way, to the andiron, and it was a relief after the excitement of the street.

After the andiron was mended it was brought back again. Its partner listened to the account of the street and of the shop.

"You've had adventures," said its partner, as the fire crackled.

"You will have to tell me all about it at night when all is quiet and when we're here by ourselves."

And the old andiron promised that it would.

Ah, yes, once more it was back in its place. Once more it was at home.

"I'm happy to be home again," the andiron said that night after every one had gone to bed and ashes had been put over the fire so that no sparks would fly out.

"Yes, I'm happy to be at home again. I'm not one for the outside world."

"It was cold going up the street, very, very cold. I like the warmth of my own fire."

"I'm a home-body. I love my own fireside just as some people do."

"The outside world may be very fine, but give me my own hearth, with you, dear partner, and the family and the fire!"

"I'm thankful," said the andiron's partner, "that you feel like this about your own home fire."

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"Any good going to that factory for work?"
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Fireproof

"You are sure that this metal filing cabinet is absolutely fireproof?" asked Edges of the new furniture salesman.
 "Absolutely, sir," replied the latter.
 "Why, do you know, sir, that one of our filing cabinets came safe and sound out of the big Spool Bros' fire, although everything inside it had been burned to ashes?"—Everybody's Magazine.

Promising

"When two people like the same thing their married life is bound to be happy," sighed the engaged girl.
 "Well, you and Tom ought to be happy, then," remarked the girl, who wanted Tom but didn't get him. "I know you love him, and I notice he is fond of himself."

BUT HADN'T MADE UP YET



"You and Dick should kiss and make up."
 "Oh, we've already kissed, but I haven't had time to make up yet."

The Poor Fish

"Has the young man any property?"
 "Hasn't he any?"
 "Well, he's the blushing girl's father."

Tired of That Question

"How is your rheumatism, Uncle Sam?"
 "Still got it," rasped the dean of the grocery lyeum. "Had it for forty years. If I ever get rid of it I'll issue cards."

Fly in the Ointment

"Why are you looking so blue, Marie?"
 "I was just thinking what a horrid world this is. One must marry to get alimony."

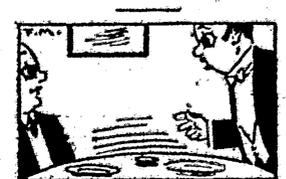
That Was Different

Dora—I'm going to be married.
 Cora—but I thought you detested all men?
 Dora—Yes, but one of them proposed to me.

He Seizes Anything

"What is an opportunist?"
 "One who meets the wolf at the door, and appears the next day in a fur coat."—Gargoyle.

NOT ON BILL OF FARE



Guest (to waiter with noiseless tread)—Walter, have you rubber soles?
 Waiter (indignantly)—You'll have to go somewhere else, sir, to get that kind of fish!

Overheard in Society

The human male talk now attains a most sublime tone.
 A lady may use words profane, a gentleman may not!

Annie's Calling

Deatle—Now open your mouth wide and I won't hurt you a bit.
 Fatcat (a few minutes later)—Doctor, I know what Annie's did for a living.

Wasted Time

"How is it that Betty and Jack have given up golf? It was their constant occupation last summer."
 "Well, you see, since then they have become quite confidential and found out that they played only because each thought the other liked it."

Truly, a Land of Promise

"Buy a place out near us, old man; it's the land of promise!"
 "It may be so—they'll promise you anything to get you to buy out there."

Protein Mixture for Young Pigs

Supply Must Not Only Be Ample in Amount, but Also of Right Quality.

Pigs grow rapidly and require an abundant supply of protein in their rations to supply building materials for this rapid growth. This protein must not only be ample in amount, but must be of the right quality, advises A. L. DuRant, assistant animal husbandman, at Clemson college, who states that many of our protein feeds, such as wheat middlings, linseed meal, soy-bean meal, peanut feed or germ-oil meal, along with corn, do not make an efficient ration for young pigs not on pasture. These proteins are from plant sources and do not make a well-balanced ration with our grains. Good pasture would improve these rations.

Efficient Rations.
 On the other hand, Mr. DuRant explains, skim milk, buttermilk, whey, fankage and fish meal, proteins from animal sources, make efficient rations, when fed along with the grains. These proteins are well-balanced in composition and are rich in the amino acids, which are deficient in the grains. But these feeds are usually scarce or high in price. Mixtures of the proteins from plant sources and those from animal sources along with our grains have given good results, even better than animal protein alone.

At Clemson college the pigs on a mixture of half fish meal and half soy-bean meal in sufficient amounts to balance a ration of corn gained 1.89 pounds per pig per day and cost \$3.03 per 100 pounds gain, while those on corn and fish meal gained 1.88 pounds per pig per day and cost \$3.08 per 100 pounds gain.

Economical Mixture.
 At the Wisconsin station a mixture of half fankage and half linseed meal with corn has proved decidedly more economical than fankage alone for pigs on pasture. That station also found that the addition of 5 per cent of chopped alfalfa improved the ration of corn and fankage for pigs in dry lot.

The Iowa station has found that pigs on pasture made slightly more rapid gains when fed a mixture of 40 to 60 parts of fankage and the balance corn germ meal along with corn, than when fed only fankage and corn.

Nine trials at other stations show that for hogs averaging over 100 pounds, wheat middlings added to corn and fankage increased the gains, but for young pigs it did not make much improvement. By using these mixtures of protein feeds the costs of producing pork can be materially reduced.

Damaged Clover Fields Will Produce Hay Crop

Clover fields that have been damaged or destroyed by freezing may be made to produce a good crop of hay by thickening the stand with oats, barley or sweet clover, or by plowing the land and planting an emergency crop of soy beans, sorghum, sudan grass, millet or oats and Canada peas.

If the stand of clover is very much thinned oats or barley may be seeded at the rate of three or four pecks per acre with a disk drill in April or early May and cut with the clover for hay when the grain is in the milk stage. Sweet clover sown with the grain will furnish pasture after the hay is harvested.

Where the clover is nearly all killed out a good crop of hay may be grown by plowing the land, drilling three to six pecks of soy beans to the acre, or seeding sorghum at the rate of fifty pounds broadcast or ten pounds in rows. Oats and Canada field peas are seeded in April at the rate of 1 1/2 bushels each per acre, and if cut when the oats is in the dough, make excellent hay.

Mammoth Clover Gives Biggest Yield of Seed

Mammoth clover usually gives a little larger yield of seed than medium or June clover. There is usually very little difference in the price secured per bushel for medium and Mammoth clover seed.

The first crop of Mammoth clover is harvested for seed. However, it is advisable, in early June, to clip or pasture the field in order that the amount of vegetative growth may be held in check. This practice usually increases seed production.

Mammoth clover is approximately two weeks later than June clover, so that the clipping made in early June will not be large enough for hay. If the season is somewhat backward and the growth produced is short, it is not advisable to clip or pasture.
 —C. H. Megee, Associate Professor of Farm Crops, Purdue University.

Timely Suggestions on Poultry Given by Iowa

The following suggestions are offered by the poultry department of the Iowa State college extension service, at Ames, Iowa.
 See that the mash hoppers are well supplied and feeding properly.
 See that the birds are supplied with a sufficient amount of clean water.
 Feed milk in some form to all birds.
 Call out doubtful cases continually.
 Look out for symptoms of disease.
 Feed some form of green food when the hens are coveled.
 For the chickens' sake, don't overcrowd the houses.
 Don't worry too much over other people's flocks; apply that thought to improve your own.

Wise Plan to Treat Oats to Avoid Smut

Operation Is Simple and Gives Good Results.

When most farmers are making ready to sow oats, they know whether or not smut is present in their seed, but a considerable number of farmers do not know how significant oat smut is. Losses from this disease are commonly as high as 5 to 10 per cent. They may run less, or may destroy 25 to 50 per cent of the crop. The actual losses from smut are not often accurately observed in the field on account of the early spread of the smut masses. The casual observer is wont, therefore, to underestimate the damage and lay the poor yields to other causes.

With but a small amount of trouble, and an expenditure not exceeding 2 cents per bushel, any farmer can treat his seed oats with formalin solution and eliminate the smut in one season. The treatment consists in sprinkling the grain with a solution, made by mixing 1 pint (1 pound) of 40 per cent formalin with 40 gallons of water. It is applied at the rate of one gallon to the bushel of grain, the grain being shoveled thoroughly during the application. The grain is piled after treatment and covered with wet cloth or canvas. After 8 to 12 hours the grain is spread out to dry.—H. E. Vasey, Colorado Agricultural College, Fort Collins, Colorado.

Swiss Chard Is Worthy of Place in Any Garden

Swiss chard or leaf beet is a crop worthy to be grown in every home garden. Planted in April, a row 15 or 20 feet long of this vegetable will produce a good supply of greens for the average family from early summer until freezing weather.

Sow the seed the same as the beet, to which family chard belongs, and thin the plants to eight or ten inches apart in the row as soon as they start to crowd, using the thinnings for a good pot of greens. As soon as the outer leaves of the remaining plants get ten to twelve inches long, they are cut off close to the point of attachment at the base, and the central part of the plant allowed to continue growth until again large leaves are produced, when again these are cut and used. Continued cutting of the outer leaves does not harm the plants and they will flourish until October.

Some housekeepers strip the green leafy portions from the thick white midrib of the leaf, use these as "greens" and serve the midribs in the same manner as asparagus.

Swiss chard is easily canned for winter use, and is successfully dried if the thick midribs are split thin so they dry evenly with the leafy portion. As greens this vegetable is most excellent served with melted butter, bacon grease or cream dressing in the same way as spinach.

Handling Milk for Home Use Is a Big Problem

The farm home has its problems in handling milk for family use. The fact that milk is produced in abundance on the farm does not necessarily mean that it is used in large quantities in the farm home. There are farms where the production of milk is the principal line of work, yet there is but little milk used in the home.

It is in the home on the farm where only a few cows are kept and where butter is made and sold, or where cream is sold for butter making purposes, that the use of milk is often neglected. It has been said that some such homes use less fresh milk per person than do many homes in the cities. The reason is apparent after a moment's consideration. The principal cause of so small a quantity being used is the fact that the farm does not have the equipment for cooling the milk and placing it on the table in a really appetizing condition. The city housewife receives the milk in a clean, attractive-looking bottle. The milk is cool when delivered.

Farm Hints

Quality should begin on the farm.
 Farming without plans is like sailing without charts.
 A good colony of bees ought to give 200 pounds of honey a year.
 Burying out the woods to kill the bugs is a pretty sure way to kill the trees.
 In 1923 the biggest profits will be made by producing the highest quality stuff at lowest cost.
 Diversification and orderly marketing are as outstanding farming needs as are the hip bones of a poor horse.
 Where sugar beets are to be grown, very great care must be taken to maintain a high degree of fertility in the soil.
 In planning the year's farm activities it is well to remember that banks do not usually consider one-crop farmers as safe credit risks.
 Repeated experiments indicate that best corn yields come after fall plowing. It is an advantage also to get the plowing job out of the way before spring.

Travelers in Africa Make Slow Progress

All over central Africa the tactics by which pack animals of any kind are impossible to use; except for a very few, though increasing, arteries motor roads are unknown; and so when one travels one travels on one's feet, and one's baggage goes on the heads of porters.

Various paternal governments have laid down that these loads shall not exceed 50 pounds in weight, and one of the things to remember about central African travel—"safari," as it is called—is that one's boxes should be of such size that when filled with ordinary things they will turn the scale at about that weight.

Another thing to remember is never to be in a hurry. The African porter is sure, but he is amazingly slow. Three miles per hour is the accepted pace and 15 miles a day about the limit on a journey lasting any length of time.

To the man accustomed to be rushed the same distance in half an hour this may seem unutterably tedious; but it has its compensations—the start through the magical freshness of an African dawn; the endless succession of fascinating sights; here a herd of hartebeeste or zebra galloping away in alarm, here a native village with laughing, chattering women and solemn naked children gazing shyly at the white man; here (great excitement) the fresh tracks of elephants churning across the tracks; the arrival in camp and the pleasant comfort of a battered deck chair while the cook prepares that finest of meals—meat one has shot one's self; the long dreamless nights of perfect sleep.

And, above all, the African is reliable; he does not go on a strike; but, being merely a poor, ignorant savage, serves his master with loyalty, and fidelity for the wages agreed upon in the first instance.—Exchange.

Veteran Looks Back

The editor of the bright Clarkdale Journal is Ajax Fleming, and he reminisces as follows:

"Almost 53 years ago the writer, a freckle-faced, spindling kid, started on the downward road as printer's devil in the Palmyra Spectator office. Three years later he was a journeyman printer in the old Hannibal Courier office, and in 1872 printer, reporter and editor. For more than 50 years he has been a writer on the Missouri press, and as to service is the oldest active editor in the state. He has had the double honor of having been called 'the boy editor,' and now the dean of the active fraternity. It has been a work of love and we've never regretted that we 'learned the trade.' We have had our ups and downs, mostly down, but never out. Not one do we recall living who was in the writing game in 1870-72. If we ever get the Journal where we will not have to be editor, printer and devil—the entire works—we hope to hammer out a few chapters about the people and things of other days."—Atlanta Constitution.

Wheat of High Grade

Wheat grown under ordinary conditions on the experimental farm of Dr. Senger Wheeler in Saskatchewan, Canada, bears heads of grain containing 12 rows of kernels. Other strains of plants are said to ripen within 30 days after the shoots appear above ground, and grades with both hollow and solid stems of yellow and purple have been reared without any special efforts of cultivation. Wheat berries as large as navy beans are also reported to have been developed on the tract, and specimens have been raised on which the heads ripen while the stalks are still green. It is believed that of 63 sturdy and fruitful species under cultivation, many will be found to resist plant diseases as well as stand up against heavy storms common to that region.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

The Tables Turned

"But we were only 15 minutes getting here!" expostulated the passenger, "I don't give a hang about that," snarled the taxi driver. "The meter says we've come 20 miles. Now, you fork over!"
 "All right," assented the passenger, paying. "Now get ready to come with me for driving 80 miles an hour. I'm a speed cop."—American Legion Weekly.

Willing to Oblige

A young man, who is popular among the coeds in an Indiana college town, was approached by a young woman from his own home town, who desired that he attempt to arrange a "date" with a young friend of hers.
 "Well," he confidentially informed her, "I have two girls now, but it might be that I could see her later."

He Had Changed

"My husband is such a liar."
 "Didn't he stretch the truth any before you were married?"
 "No, he talked only about my remarkable beauty in those days."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

One Resemblance

His Wife—A writer here explains why some husbands consider their wives angels.
 Her Brute—I suppose it is because they are always harping on something.—Sydney Bulletin.

Culinary Note

"If they are carefully dressed, it is hard to tell an old hen from a chicken." He, that is taken from a cookery book.—The Economist (London).

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Community Grape Hangers

In consideration of what this section of the state has undergone within the past two years, there should be more of a cheerful attitude now, from the fact that every indication for better times is pointing in our direction. It is true that we need rain, but while we are waiting for the blessing, let us be boosters. We have, as all other communities have, our share of "grape hangers." They were here when times were at their very best and like the proverbial poor, will be with us always. One will say, "My Gawd, it will never rain; we'll dry up and blow away!" Another will say, "The railroad is about to leave us without a division point!" One will say one thing and one will say another, but the Brotherhood of Grape Hangers have a small membership when compared to the boosters of the town. Take for instance the Carrizozo Woman's Club - do you find its members hanging grape on everything in which the community's interest is at stake? No; they are real boosters!

Since the Woman's Club consolidated with the Chamber of Commerce, have you noticed the unusual "kick" there is to that organization? Read the notes in this paper and see what the women are doing for the betterment of our community. When the gloom-nursor button-holes you and tells you he is in possession of inside information to the effect that the division is about to be moved, tell him that the Southern Pacific is not in the habit of imparting private information to anyone except those whom it holds in implicit confidence and these parties are in headquarter circles and not in Carrizozo.

The new Board of County Commissioners is setting an example in community boosting by repairing, painting and retinting the walls in the county court house; the Board of Town Trustees are ready to open up Alamogordo avenue as a main entrance to town from the north. Why the long face? Let the gloom-eater and the craps hanger forsake their ways and make application to the boosters' society. Now is the time for a brave refrain, with apologies to the immortal Riley. Spring is at hand; let us arise!

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It is announced that the inaugural ceremonies, March 4, will be broadcasted by a chain of stations scattered across the continent so that every nook and corner of the United States will be in tune with Washington.

Forty stations will be linked together by telephone wires, breaking all records for inter-connection between broadcasters. When President Harding was inaugurated in 1921, the public address system was employed enabling the crowd of 125,000 which filled the plaza and overflowed into the park to hear his voice. Think of the wonderful advancement during the short period of four years! President Coolidge's voice will be carried to a national audience of 25,000,000.

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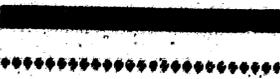
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with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrah is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrah Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrah Cure is not a quick medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrah. Send for testimonials. Free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 1000 1/2. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The Home Orchestra with our old friend Hippie Bamberger as director. Dance, Feb. 23.

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At low prices, some 2 1/2 Studebaker wagons. The Titaworth Co., Inc., Capitan, New Mex.

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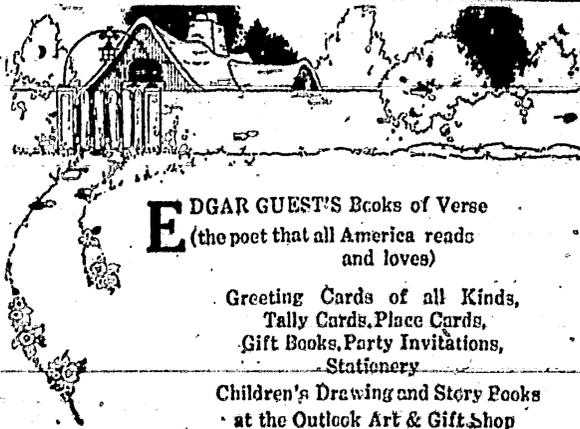
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AVISO A LOS PAGADORES DE TASACION.

Adjunta hallara una cedula para hacer retorno de su propiedad sujeta a tasacion en el Condado de Lincoln por el ano de 1925. Dicha cedula incluye el retorno de ganado. Los duenos de ganado que lo hayan contratado par ser vendido y entregado en o antes del dia ultimo de April, haran retorno en cedulas que se les proporcionaran despues

Cualquier persona que faltare en hacer y entregar dicha cedula verificado, al asesor dentro del tiempo prescrito, el asesor tiene derecho a asesor dicha propiedad y ganado por el valor actual mas 25 por ciento de penalidad.

Veanse las direcciones inscritas detras de cada cedula.

Tendre gusto en ayudar a hacer su retorno a cualquier persona que asi lo desee y que venga a mi oficina.

Favor de Firmar su cedula, y hacer su retorno dentro del tiempo prescrito para que asi se evite la dicha penalidad.

R. A. DURAN,

Assessor.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

Enclosed Schedule for making return of all property subject to taxation in Lincoln County for 1925.

Owners of livestock who have their stock contracted for sale to be delivered on or before the last day of April, will be furnished with schedules for the return of livestock later.

Read instructions printed on back of schedule and make return to this office on or before the First of February.

A failure on your part to make return within the time stated above, requires me to add 25 per cent to the valuation of your property. Be sure to sign your return.

I will be pleased to assist any person in making their returns who will call at my office in Carrizozo. Please make your return promptly and avoid the penalty.

R. A. DURAN,

Assessor.

Episcopal Church

Rev. H. K. Stanley, Pastor Services at the Wetmore building as follows: Alternate Sundays, 7:30 p. m. Public cordially invited.

Methodist Church

(W. R. McPherson, Pastor) Sunday School, 9:30 a. m., D. S. Donaldson, Supt. preaching, 11 a. m.; Epworth League, 6:30 p. m. Preaching, 7:30 p. m.

Catholic Church

(Rev. F. Otten, Pastor)

First mass, 8 a. m., preaching for English speaking people. Second mass, 9:30 a. m., for Spanish speaking people. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. Evening services at 7:30 p. m. If it's for a Ford we have it - if it's for any other make of car we can get it in twelve hours - Western Motors.



Dennison Crepe Paper Five-Color Roll

A package containing ten feet of Dennison Crepe, size 10 x 24 inches, assorted in five popular colors. Children buy it to make May baskets, paper flowers and doll dresses.

5-piece assortment, 25c Outlook Art & Gift Shop

Anti-Freeze is cheaper than radiators. Buy your solution and keep it tested with a Freeze-Meter at the Western Motors.

See the Operetta, "The Wild Rose," at the Crystal Theatre, date to be given next week. The fancy dancing specialties between acts will alone be worth the price of admission.

Used Ford Cars for sale at reasonable prices and on easy terms. -Western Motors.

THERE IS A 5 - MINUTE SMARTNESS IN "PEGGY HATS," yet the price never smarts - Ziegler Bros.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior U. S. Land Office, Roswell, N. M. No. 047048 Jan. 21, 1925 Notice is hereby given that John E. McKibben of Corona, New Mex., who on Dec. 17, 1920, made Stock-raising Homestead Entry No. 047048 for All of Sec. 11, Township 1 N., Range 15 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before E. F. Davidson, U. S. Commissioner, at Corona, New Mexico, on March 27, 1925. Claimant names as witnesses: George Simpson, M. P. Sweeney, Clyde Jones, Tom Jones, all of Corona, New Mexico. Jaffa Miller, Register. Feb. 13 March 13 Register

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior U. S. Land Office, Roswell, N. M. Jan. 24, 1925. Notice is hereby given that Price M. Miller, heir of James M. Tyler, deceased of Ancho, N. M., who on Feb. 24, 1921, made Homestead Entry No. 047844, for all of Section 20, Township 4-S., Range 13-E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Lotah Miller, Clerk of Court, at Carrizozo, N. M., on March 21, 1925. Claimant names as witnesses: Edgar Hall, L. P. Hall, Harry Straley, Spurgeon Straley, all of Ancho, N. M. Jaffa Miller, Register. Jan. 30-Feb. 27.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR U. S. Land Office, Roswell, N. M. Jan. 19, 1925. Notice is hereby given that Otis Hust of Nogal, N. M., who on May 3, 1920, made Homestead Entry Act 2289 E.S., No. 047489, for E1 NW1 NW1, Section 17, Township 9 S., Range 13-E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five-year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Lotah Miller, Clerk of Court, at Carrizozo, New Mexico, on March 20, 1925. Claimant names as witnesses, Elbert Brown, Albert May, Rich Hust, Asher Emerson, all of Nogal, N. M. Jaffa Miller, Register. Jan. 30-Feb. 27.

Glencoe Woman's Club

The Glencoe Woman's Club of Glencoe, N.M., gave a social at the school house on Saturday evening Feb. 21. 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, by Moskowiak Miss Susan Tully and Mrs. Roy Coe Betsy Ross makes the Flag. Verda Coe Vocal Duets, 'The Slumber Boat, by Guyard Don't You Hear Me Calling Caroline, by Roma Misses Jewel and Gladys Allison Dances Minuet, A group of school children A Talk on the Protection of our National Forest, Mr. J. H. Mims Song, 'Abbe Lincoln Intermediate Grades Medley of Patriotic Airs, Mrs. J. H. Mims Song, 'America the Beautiful, Audience A large crowd attended. After the program the evening was spent in dancing, the music being furnished by Mrs. J. H. Mims at the piano. About eleven o'clock cake and coffee was served. The next regular meeting of the Club will be on March 7 at the home of Mrs. Roy Coe.

FOOD PRICES GO UP AGAIN DURING MONTH OF JANUARY, REPORTED

Washington, D. C., Feb. 26.—Another boost of two per cent in the average retail price of food in the month ending January 15, was reported by the department of labor today on the basis of figures from 51 cities. Thirty-five articles of food showed an increase in price, mostly seasonal, while several articles showed a decrease. Of the 47 cities for which an increase was reported, Houston, with seven per cent, showed the greatest advance. Other cities showing relative price increases were San Diego, 5 per cent; Los Angeles, 4 per cent; Dallas, 3 per cent; Omaha, Portland, Oregon and Salt Lake City 2 per cent.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior U. S. Land Office, Roswell, N. M. Feb. 17, 1925 Notice is hereby given that George W. Olney, of Carrizozo, N. M., who on Sept. 10, 1920, made Homestead Application Act Dec. 29, 1916, No. 046704, for S1 SW1 Sec. 17 and the S1 NE1, S1 E1, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, E1-W1 Section 18, Township 5-South, Range 9-East, N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described before Lotah Miller, County Clerk at Carrizozo, N. M., on April 8, 1925. Claimant names as witnesses: John Gallacher, J. B. French, William Fisher, Fred Dawson, all of Carrizozo, N. M. Jaffa Miller, Register. Feb. 27-Mar. 27.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior U. S. Land Office, Roswell, N. M. Feb. 17, 1925 Notice is hereby given that Nathan Adler of Ancho, N. M., who on January 24, 1922, made Homestead Entry (amended) No. 049980 for S1 NW1, E1 SW1, SW1 SW2, Sec. 27, S1 SE1, Sec. 28, N1 NE1, SW1 NE1, NW1 SE1, E1 SW1, and S1 NW1 Sec. 33, T. 4-S., Range 11-E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Lotah Miller, County Clerk, at Carrizozo, N. M., on April 3, 1925. Claimant names as witnesses: Pick Warden, Harry Straley, Celso Chavez, of Ancho, N. M., Jimmie Cooper of Carrizozo, N. M. Jaffa Miller, Register. Feb. 27-Mar. 27.

Town Council Proceedings.

Proceedings of the Board of Trustees of the Village of Carrizozo, N. M., held on Feb. 9, 1925, at the office of the Village Clerk, at 7:30 p.m. Members present: G. T. McQuillen, Mayor and W. W. Stadtman, Clerk. There being an insufficient number present for a quorum, meeting is adjourned until Thursday, Feb. 19, at 7:30 p. m. Proceedings of Adjourned Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Village of Carrizozo, N.M., held at the office of the Village Clerk, Thursday, Feb. 19, at 7:30 p. m. Members present: G. T. McQuillen, Mayor; S. F. Miller, Albert Ziegler, T. E. Kelley, Trustees; W. W. Stadtman, Clerk. The Minutes of the last regular meeting of the Board held on Jan. 12, were read and approved. The following bills were allowed for payment: T. H. Taylor, water supt. salary for Jan., 1925 \$30.00 F. A. English, water connection charges for January 12.00 Jose Apodaca, street work, Jan. 10.00 Mt. States Tel. Co., Feb. phone bill 3.75 W. W. Stadtman, water clerk's sal. for January 35.00 W. W. Stadtman, Clerk's sal., Jan. 25.00 Lin. Abstract & In'm't Trust. office use for Jan. 1.00 R. E. Lemon, Light bill, Jan., 1925, 72.00 A. M. Vega, M't'h'l's sal. Jan., 25, 100.00 Manuel Baldonado, wk., sewer line 7.50 Manuel Baldonado, sewer work, 2.00 F. A. English, bal. on conn. charges for January 12.50 F. A. English, wk., sewer line 18.50 T. A. Spencer, refund, meter dep., 2.50 J. W. Jeffrey, ref. met. dep., 2.50 C. P. Huppertz, Agent for S.P.R.R. Co., Jan. water 75.68 G. A. Snow, street lamp repairing 4.50 Carrizozo Outlook, Bill for Printing and Publishing 15.50 Hutchinson Office Supply Co., printing, 20.47 Jose Apodaca, burn. dead animals 2.00 Total \$452.40

The petitions of F. A. English, W. J. Langston and C. A. Snow for the appointment to the office of Supt. of the Water Works, successors to R. H. Taylor, are duly considered by the Board and F. A. English is appointed to the office.

It is resolved by the Board, that a telegram be sent to the Hon. John W. Marrow, Rep. at Washington, urging him to work against the Robinson amendment to the Independent Office Appropriation Bill.

The Mayor appoints T. E. Kelley, Trustee, a member of the Streets and Alleys Committee.

Proposed Ordinance No. 28 having been prepared and presented by the Carrizozo Fire Department is examined by the Board.

Trustee Albert Ziegler makes a motion that Rules 11, 12 and 13, governing the passage of Ordinances, be suspended and that the said proposed ordinance No. 28 be read by the Clerk and passed at this meeting. The Clerk then reads said Ordinance as follows: (ordinance omitted) After reading of said ordinance, Trustee S. F. Miller seconds said motion and on being put to a vote by the Mayor, same is unanimously carried.

The Mayor then declared said Ordinance passed by the Board to become effective upon publication according to law in the Carrizozo Outlook, published at Carrizozo, Lincoln County, New Mexico. There being no further business, the meeting is declared adjourned.

ORDINANCE NO. 28.

An Ordinance Concerning Fire Department: Be It Ordained by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Carrizozo, New Mexico.

Members of the Fire Department-Elected by Carrizozo Fire Department.

Section 1. The members of the Fire Department shall be elected by the Carrizozo Fire Department and subject to the approval by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Carrizozo, New Mexico. Said Department shall consist of a Chief and two (2) assistants, one (1) Fire Warden and such other officers and men as may from time to time be elected by the Carrizozo Fire Department and in the absence of any organized fire company, the members of the Fire Department shall be appointed and subject to removal by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Carrizozo, New Mexico, then the Fire Chief shall have the care of the apparatus of the fire department, and no person shall take or use any ladder or other apparatus belonging to the Village except in case of fire or by permission of the Chief in writing.

Fire Department Responsible For Apparatus

Section 2. The Fire Department through its Chief shall have control of, and be responsible to the town for the safe keeping of such apparatus as may be furnished for extinguishment of fires.

Chief Shall Have Control of Fire Force

Section 3. The Chief, and in his absence the assistants, according to rank, shall, in case of fire, have the full, absolute control over all the members of the Fire Department, and may compel such other persons present, as they may deem necessary, to aid in the extinguishment of fires.

BY-LAWS Regulation of Fire Department.

Section 4. The fire companies now organized or hereafter formed under the provisions of this ordinance, may adopt such constitution, by-laws and regulations not inconsistent with the ordinances of the town, or the laws of the state, as the members may deem best calculated to accomplish the objects hereby contemplated.

Reports of Chief to Board of Trustees.

Section 5. The Chief, shall report to the Board of Trustees on or before the first Tuesday in November in each year, and at other times when requested so to do, the condition of the apparatus furnished the Fire Department with such recommendations relating thereto and to his department, as he shall deem necessary.

Care of Fire Apparatus

Section 6. The apparatus furnished by the Town shall be kept in such places as the Board of Trustees shall provide and designate, and the Chief shall see that the same are kept in order for immediate use.

Review of Fire Department

Section 7. There shall be a general review of the Fire Department by the Mayor and the Board of Trustees once each year, on such day and at such places within the Village as the Board of Trustees may appoint, and on the day, at the place appointed, it shall be the duty of all persons belonging to the Fire Department to appear fully equipped with their apparatus.

Examination of any Building by Fire-Warden

Section 8. It shall be the duty of the Fire Warden as often as he shall deem necessary, to visit, at the proper hours, any store, dwelling, mill, factory, shop, or any building where fire is used in the Village, and examine into the condition of all chimneys, stovepipes, fireplaces, and all other matters and things which in his opinion may be dangerous in causing or producing fires; and the Warden shall give directions to the occupant, owner or agent of any building or buildings, if necessary for their better security, and in case the owner, occupant or agent shall neglect or refuse for a space of five days next thereafter, so to secure said building or buildings, the Warden shall have the same secured at the expense of the Village, and the expense of so doing and twenty-five per cent additional shall be recovered by the Village, with cost of suit, in an action for the same against either owner, occupant or agent.

Stoves Must Rest on a Zinc Plate

Section 9. All persons using a stove shall have a piece of sheet-iron, tin or zinc placed underneath such stove as security against fire, and shall have the partition through which any stove pipe passes secured from fire by metallic ventilating thimbles.

Concerning Ashes

Section 10. No person shall leave any ashes containing fire upon any street, alley, lot, or public path within the corporate limits of the village.

Chimneys

Section 11. The owner or agent of any building in which fire is used is hereby required to have suitable chimneys, either of stone or brick, built to receive the stovepipes used in such building; and no stovepipes shall be allowed to pass through the roof, or outside of any building.

Warden Reports of Complaints

Section 12. It is hereby made the duty of the Fire Warden, in case of violation of any of the provisions of this ordinance, immediately to enter complaint to the Police Magistrate.

Warden Reports Fire

Section 13. The Fire Warden shall make immediate report to the Board of all fires in the village, with the cause thereof,

so far as the same shall be ascertained. He shall also make quarterly reports at the first meeting of the Board of Trustees, in the months of January, April, July and October in each year; of all his doings as Fire Warden. He shall be entitled to such compensation as the Board of Trustees may allow, and shall hold his office during the pleasure of the Board.

False Alarm of Fire

Section 14. Any person, who shall maliciously or willfully give a false alarm of fire shall be punished as hereinafter provided.

Traffic

Section 15. When the fire alarm is sounded, all traffic must drive to the right, curb and park until the fire department has gone by. The fire department has right of way over all traffic. No vehicles shall pass over the fire hose at any time or park within ten feet of the fire plugs. The Fire department, through its Chief, shall have control of all traffic within the fire zone.

Fines

Section 16. Any person or persons violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall, upon conviction thereof, pay a fine of not less than Five (5) nor more than Fifty Dollars and cost of suit.

Passed this 19th day of February, A. D., 1925.

Signed and approved this 19th day of February, A. D., 1925.

G. T. McQuillen, Mayor

W. W. Stadtman, Village Clerk. It SEVEN BILLS HAVE PASSED

Session of the Legislature is well completed; House passes 22 bills; Senate has acted favorably on 10 measures.

Santa Fe, N. M., Feb. 19.—With the Legislature a little more than half of 22 bills have been passed by the House and nine by the Senate. Some have passed both Houses. Some new resolutions and memorials have also received attention. House bills that have been passed and are up to the Senate, are as follows:

- Provision for per diem and mileage of members. Provision for legislative printing expense. repeal of poll tax law. repeal of road tax law. Exemption of teamsters from occupational tax. prohibition of issuance of scrip or coupons in lieu of wages. Limitation of plea of contributory negligence in cases of persons killed by trains. Delinquent tax measure. Prohibition of black listing. Road in Harding and Colfax counties. Provision for Canadian river irrigation project. Road from Santa Rosa to Moriarty. Road from Cuervo to Coatlillo. Road from Cuba to Highway 20. Measure providing for disqualification of trial judges for prejudice. Measure to include \$25 in costs of game law violators, to be paid to deputies making arrest. Measure relating to claim of lien contents. Measure creating board for examining and licensing plumbers. Provision for investigation of investments of state funds by board of finance. Measure making it a misdemeanor to pursue game with dogs. Measure fixing time of district court in ninth judicial district. Three cent gasoline tax law. Bill providing for payment of funeral expenses of Justino Baca. Road levy for road in Socorro and Valencia counties. Road from Colorado state line to Santa Fe via Taos. Measure authorizing state engineer to extend the time for completing irrigation projects. Measure lowering the bag limit on wild game. Measure providing for the release of gas and oil leases. Measure providing for the creation of an advisory board to the state engineer.

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Mrs. Vera Cole, N. G., Mrs. Jeanette Cazier, Sec'y. Carrizozo New Mexico

CARRIZOZO LODGE No. 41— Carrizozo, New Mexico.

A. F. & A. M. Feb. 1925 Jan. 30, Feb. 7, Mar. 7, April 14, May 2, June 6, July 4, Aug. 1, 29, Sept. 26, Oct. 31, Nov. 28, Dec. 26.

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

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THE WORLD IN PARAGRAPHS

A BRIEF RECORD OF PASSING EVENTS IN THIS AND FOREIGN COUNTRIES

IN LATE DISPATCHES

DOINGS AND HAPPENINGS THAT MARK THE PROGRESS OF THE AGE

WESTERN

The "mystery bride" of Lou Tellegen, famous stage and screen star, former husband of Geraldine Farrar, was revealed in Los Angeles as Isabel Craven Ditworth, 23, daughter of the multi-millionaire glass manufacturer of Philadelphia.

The opening of the tourist season next year will find the Victory highway completed from New York City to San Francisco, according to Ben How of Topeka, Kan., manager of the highway, who is to confer with officials of the State Highway Department.

The story of the old "desert rat" who, after years of weary search, finds a rich claim, was revived in San Francisco by George Campbell Carson, 68 years old, when the United States Circuit Court of Appeals ruled that the American Smelting and Refining Company had infringed on a patent for smelting process invented by Carson.

Wyoming joined Colorado in its stand on the ratification of the Colorado river interstate compact when the upper house of the State Legislature passed Senate Bill No. 78, providing for the ratification of the Colorado river compact by Wyoming, provided the six other interested states, with the exception of Arizona also ratify the "treaty" without the participation of Arizona.

Officials of the Western League adopted a schedule of 163 games for the 1925 baseball season at Excelsior Springs, Mo., the opening games to be played April 10 and the closing games Sept. 27. They also decided to issue a challenge for a post-season series with the Eastern League to be played if accepted in the Western League grounds. Opening games will be played April 10 in the south end of the circuit. Denver will meet Wichita at Wichita; Des Moines will play Tulsa at Tulsa, and Omaha will play Oklahoma City at Oklahoma City, and Lincoln will open at St. Joseph.

WASHINGTON

William M. Jordine, president of the Kansas Agricultural College, was selected by President Coolidge to be secretary of agriculture. He is to take office on the retirement of Secretary Gore, who on March 4 becomes governor of West Virginia.

Insistence of the Senate and House on their respective rate provisions for the postal pay and rate increase bill has landed the measure in conference between the two bodies with almost totally dissimilar rate increases to be adjusted before the bill can be brought to a position with any chance of passage before adjournment.

After adding \$2,000,000, the Senate commerce committee approved the rivers and harbors bill authorizing total expenditure of more than \$40,000,000 for construction, repair and preservation work throughout the country. The committee approved a section calling for a survey of the Colorado river in Wyoming, Colorado, Arizona, New Mexico, Nevada and California with a view to determining its possible utilization for navigation.

President Coolidge has issued a formal proclamation, stating that the Senate will be called to meet in extra session on March 4. The session will convene immediately after the inauguration of Coolidge and Davis, primarily for the purpose of confirming the President's selections for his cabinet.

Administration leaders will seek to prevent action at this session of the Senate on the nomination of Charles H. Warren of Michigan, to be attorney general. This was disclosed after Chairman Cummins of the Judiciary committee had frankly informed President Coolidge of the extent to which opposition has developed.

Marked decreases in the value of the output of two major industries, grain and flour milling and beet sugar, were shown in figures made public by the census bureau for 1924 as compared with 1923. The value of grain and flour mill products dropped from \$1,179,740,131, to \$1,040,744,107, or 11 per cent, despite an increase in the quantity of production. The output of the beet sugar industry decreased in value from \$139,108,055 to \$118,818,078, or 14 1/2 per cent.

Secretary Work recently authorized the leasing of 320 acres of coal lands near Kvanston, Uinta county, Wyo. Under terms of the order, the Wyoming lease will require a royalty of 20 cents a ton, mine run, an investment of \$15,000 in the properties during the first three years, and a minimum annual production of 8,000 tons, beginning the fourth year.

President Coolidge's "hobby horse" upon which he takes daily exercise in the White House, was quarantined in a horse which was read in the House and printed in the Congressional Record.

FOREIGN

An agency dispatch received in Paris says that three persons were concerned in the assassination of Prof. Nicola Mileff at Sofia, and that they escaped after shooting him down in the street.

A severe earthquake shock, recently sent the inhabitants of Mayebashi, Japan, dashing into the streets to avoid injury by falling structures. There were no fatalities. In Tokio, only a slight tremor was felt.

Premier Herriot, in explaining the government's financial policy to the Chamber of Deputies in Paris, declared emphatically against inflation. "Cost what it may," he said, "France must in the solution of this problem maintain her reputation for financial probity."

Leon Trotsky, who was recently removed from the post of war minister of Russia, has been relieved of his membership in the council for labor and defense, it is officially announced in Moscow. He will be succeeded on the council by M. W. Fruenz, the new war minister.

"It is materially impossible," Deputy Louis Loucheur told the Chamber of Deputies, "for any country to pay with gold the amount of France's debt to America. America did not lend France gold," he added. "France's important loans to the little countries—Poland, Serbia and Czechoslovakia—must not be forgotten. Personally, I favor France's cancellation of the debts owed it by the small powers."

Germany probably will appeal to the reparations commission in the conflict over the financial differences arising out of the German occupation of Rumania in 1917-18. It was stated at the foreign office in Berlin. The German government has also indicated that a further source of redress might be the Hague court of justice, but feels confident its position is so impracticable that the latter step will not be necessary.

Although the United States has withdrawn from the international opium conference, and may never sign the convention now being drawn up at Geneva, it still may have a voice in the election of the central board which will come into existence to control traffic in opium and narcotic drugs. The conference disposed of a long controversy by adopting a resolution whereby the central board shall be chosen by the league council sitting as an electoral body, but with the understanding that both the United States and Germany shall be invited to form part of this party.

GENERAL

Among the letters left by William G. Ford, who hanged himself in the death house at Sing Sing prison to forestall electrocution as an incendiary and murderer of six persons, there was found Ford's will. It was a note addressed to the chief of the prison commissary and read: "Kindly give to the condemned men a chicken dinner with potatoes, fruit, Irish tea, sugar and milk, to the amount of \$3, which I have on deposit at the commissary."

The story of Floyd Collins' battle against living burial is over. Another chapter in the history of mankind's war against nature is ended. "The focus of mankind's age-long struggle against nature, which for two weeks has been concentrated on Collins, previously unknown and unimportant, has been removed. Collins spent the last sixteen days alone in a hole sixty-eight feet underneath a hill seven miles from his native town of Cave City, Ky., with water dripping about his head and nothing to mark night from day of his imprisonment, held fast by a huge boulder which had rolled upon his foot. Because Collins typified the incessant fight for survival of human life, skilled engineers, soldiers, miners, doctors, nurses, newspaper men, motion picture men, telegraph operators and thousands of spectators gathered at the spot where a shaft was sunk towards the center of the earth in the effort to rescue Collins.

A new American Royal building will arise soon from the ruins of that which was destroyed by fire in Kansas City, Mo. Flames burned hundreds of expensive motor cars, tractors, trucks, airplanes and necessary exhibits of the annual automobile show, held in the building, and claimed the life of a veteran fireman.

The daughter of Mrs. Alice Roosevelt Longworth and her husband, Representative Nicholas Longworth of Ohio, has been named Paulina. The decision was reached by the parents after discussion as they celebrated their nineteenth wedding anniversary at the Chicago hospital where Mrs. Longworth is being cared for.

Looking down into the Sand cave rescue shaft, in which scores of volunteers labored for eleven days and nights to save Floyd Collins, the Rev. C. K. Dickey of the Cave City, Ky., Methodist Episcopal church conducted Floyd's funeral. A choir of eight women from Cave City sang three hymns, and the boulders were placed back upon his tomb and sealed, leaving him still locked in nature's arms, as he was caught eighteen days ago.

Gov. Vic Donahey of Ohio, whose record for granting pardons was the principal attack of his opponents in the last campaign, allowed his own son to go to jail without extending executive clemency. Hal Donahey, 18, was assigned to a cell in the city prison at Columbus in serve a three-day sentence for racing his dad's big green sedan through a traffic signal.

Approximately fifteen persons were injured, some seriously, in an explosion in the operating room at the Chicago Evening American. Fire followed the explosion.

Latest Market Quotations

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Hay market easier. Receipts more than equal to market requirements. Discounts on low grades which are wanted as buyers have plenty of good hay to pick from. Timothy barely steady. Alfalfa weaker on account of heavy receipts. Prairie averaging unchanged. Quoted: No. 1 timothy, \$12.00; No. 2, \$11.50; No. 3, \$11.00; No. 4, \$10.50; No. 5, \$10.00; No. 6, \$9.50; No. 7, \$9.00; No. 8, \$8.50; No. 9, \$8.00; No. 10, \$7.50; No. 11, \$7.00; No. 12, \$6.50; No. 13, \$6.00; No. 14, \$5.50; No. 15, \$5.00; No. 16, \$4.50; No. 17, \$4.00; No. 18, \$3.50; No. 19, \$3.00; No. 20, \$2.50; No. 21, \$2.00; No. 22, \$1.50; No. 23, \$1.00; No. 24, \$0.50; No. 25, \$0.00.

Feed markets extremely weak. Wheat feeds almost to market requirements. Corn feeds in excess and export sales of flour. Almost total lack of demand for wheat feeds. Corn feeds increasing and wheat feeds decreasing. All feeds are quoted sharply lower. Western mixed feeds report heavy receipts by mixers. Prices are generally nominal. Pure bran offered at \$2.50 per ton. Cotton seed cake, \$2.00 per ton. Stock and production all feed good and movement heavy.

Dairy Products. Butter markets irregular and unsettled. Prices at New York 42c, Boston 41c, Chicago 40c, Philadelphia 42c. Cheese markets weak on fresh made goods with a few specialties. Wisconsin primary markets: Single daisies 23c, double daisies 22c, longhorns 22c, square prints 23c.

Chicago hog prices ranged from 41.30 to 70c higher than a week ago at \$11.30 for the top and \$10.40 to \$11.20 for the bottom. Medium and good beef steers \$20 to 75c lower at \$7.75 to \$8.25. Light and medium hogs \$2 to 50c lower at \$12.50 to \$13.50. Fat lambs \$20 to 25c lower at \$10.00 to \$11.00. Fat calves \$10 to 15c lower at \$12.00 to \$13.00. Fat ewes \$20 to 25c lower at \$8 to \$9.75.

Grain. Grain market lower. May wheat futures down 5c to 5 1/2c from a week ago. Corn futures about 5c lower on account of heavy receipts and increasing commercial stocks. Feeding demand slack. Oats down 5c on record commercial stocks and light demand. Wheat \$1.75 to \$2.00. No. 2 red winter, \$1.75 to \$2.00. No. 3 red winter, \$1.75 to \$2.00. No. 4 red winter, \$1.75 to \$2.00. No. 5 red winter, \$1.75 to \$2.00. No. 6 red winter, \$1.75 to \$2.00. No. 7 red winter, \$1.75 to \$2.00. No. 8 red winter, \$1.75 to \$2.00. No. 9 red winter, \$1.75 to \$2.00. No. 10 red winter, \$1.75 to \$2.00. No. 11 red winter, \$1.75 to \$2.00. No. 12 red winter, \$1.75 to \$2.00. No. 13 red winter, \$1.75 to \$2.00. No. 14 red winter, \$1.75 to \$2.00. No. 15 red winter, \$1.75 to \$2.00. No. 16 red winter, \$1.75 to \$2.00. No. 17 red winter, \$1.75 to \$2.00. No. 18 red winter, \$1.75 to \$2.00. No. 19 red winter, \$1.75 to \$2.00. No. 20 red winter, \$1.75 to \$2.00. No. 21 red winter, \$1.75 to \$2.00. No. 22 red winter, \$1.75 to \$2.00. No. 23 red winter, \$1.75 to \$2.00. No. 24 red winter, \$1.75 to \$2.00. No. 25 red winter, \$1.75 to \$2.00.

DEWEY MARKETS. Cattle. Best cows brought \$5.40 and \$5.60 in good lots, and one load of heifers in good lots topped \$6. The bulk sold strong from \$4.75 to \$5.25. Some good to choice cows brought \$7 and \$8.00, with the bulk in this class going to packer buyers from \$5.00 to \$6.00. Poorer selections sold down to \$3. Veals were in demand at \$4.50 to \$5.00, with the bulk of the sales at \$4.00 and \$4.50 for the good to choice kids, with the choice heaviest selling from \$4.50 to \$5.00. Fat calves sold from \$3.50 to \$4.00, with a few light killers bringing \$4 to \$4.50. Bologna sold unevenly from \$1.75 down to \$1.70. Some good yearling steers brought \$10.00 to \$11.00, with choice beef steers sold at \$8 and down to \$7. Few odd head in this class were offered and the balance went to the stock and feed market at \$5 to \$5.50. Cattle sold at \$2.50 and down to \$2. Canners brought \$2.50 to \$3.00, with the bulk at \$2.50. Fat sheep brought \$6.50 and sold about steady down to \$5. Heifers were of a little better grade and sold at a \$25 to \$30 for the common kinds. A few stock calves brought \$4.75 and odd head sold as high as \$6. Stock cows sold from \$3.50 to \$4.00, with the bulk about steady from \$2.50 to \$3.50.

Hogs. Best heavy weight butchers brought \$10.00 for top with good loads bringing \$9.50 and \$10.00. The bulk weighed from \$9 to \$10.00, with odd lots selling down to \$10.00 and \$10. Parking hogs brought \$8.50 to \$9.00 for the bulk and went lower in the range of \$7.50 to \$8.00. Fat hogs sold at \$4.50 and down to \$4.00 for some unfinished kinds. Fat pigs brought an \$8.00 top and sold evenly down to \$7.00. Stock pigs brought \$5 to \$5.50 for the choice with the bulk selling at the top price. Light hogs and plain butchers sold from \$9 to \$10 with 150-pound averages bringing \$9 to \$9.50.

Sheep. One sale in the fat lamb class brought \$15.10 for top and \$12.00 for averages, one load of 97-pound ewes sold at \$2.25 flat and one other load of 88-pound ewes brought \$2.00. Large markets called from \$2 to \$2.50 and the effect was felt on the Deaver market.

MAY AND GRAIN. Hay quotations. Deaver dealers offer the following prices: 1. O. B. Deaver, for various varieties and grades of hay: No. 1 Prairie Hay, \$11.00; No. 2 Prairie Hay, \$10.50; No. 3 Prairie Hay, \$10.00; No. 4 Prairie Hay, \$9.50; No. 5 Prairie Hay, \$9.00; No. 6 Prairie Hay, \$8.50; No. 7 Prairie Hay, \$8.00; No. 8 Prairie Hay, \$7.50; No. 9 Prairie Hay, \$7.00; No. 10 Prairie Hay, \$6.50; No. 11 Prairie Hay, \$6.00; No. 12 Prairie Hay, \$5.50; No. 13 Prairie Hay, \$5.00; No. 14 Prairie Hay, \$4.50; No. 15 Prairie Hay, \$4.00; No. 16 Prairie Hay, \$3.50; No. 17 Prairie Hay, \$3.00; No. 18 Prairie Hay, \$2.50; No. 19 Prairie Hay, \$2.00; No. 20 Prairie Hay, \$1.50; No. 21 Prairie Hay, \$1.00; No. 22 Prairie Hay, \$0.50; No. 23 Prairie Hay, \$0.00.

Grain quotations. No. 2 yellow corn, bushel, \$1.01; No. 3 yellow corn, bushel, \$1.00; No. 4 yellow corn, bushel, \$0.99; No. 5 yellow corn, bushel, \$0.98; No. 6 yellow corn, bushel, \$0.97; No. 7 yellow corn, bushel, \$0.96; No. 8 yellow corn, bushel, \$0.95; No. 9 yellow corn, bushel, \$0.94; No. 10 yellow corn, bushel, \$0.93; No. 11 yellow corn, bushel, \$0.92; No. 12 yellow corn, bushel, \$0.91; No. 13 yellow corn, bushel, \$0.90; No. 14 yellow corn, bushel, \$0.89; No. 15 yellow corn, bushel, \$0.88; No. 16 yellow corn, bushel, \$0.87; No. 17 yellow corn, bushel, \$0.86; No. 18 yellow corn, bushel, \$0.85; No. 19 yellow corn, bushel, \$0.84; No. 20 yellow corn, bushel, \$0.83; No. 21 yellow corn, bushel, \$0.82; No. 22 yellow corn, bushel, \$0.81; No. 23 yellow corn, bushel, \$0.80; No. 24 yellow corn, bushel, \$0.79; No. 25 yellow corn, bushel, \$0.78.

Wheat quotations. No. 1 hard winter wheat, bushel, \$1.25; No. 2 hard winter wheat, bushel, \$1.24; No. 3 hard winter wheat, bushel, \$1.23; No. 4 hard winter wheat, bushel, \$1.22; No. 5 hard winter wheat, bushel, \$1.21; No. 6 hard winter wheat, bushel, \$1.20; No. 7 hard winter wheat, bushel, \$1.19; No. 8 hard winter wheat, bushel, \$1.18; No. 9 hard winter wheat, bushel, \$1.17; No. 10 hard winter wheat, bushel, \$1.16; No. 11 hard winter wheat, bushel, \$1.15; No. 12 hard winter wheat, bushel, \$1.14; No. 13 hard winter wheat, bushel, \$1.13; No. 14 hard winter wheat, bushel, \$1.12; No. 15 hard winter wheat, bushel, \$1.11; No. 16 hard winter wheat, bushel, \$1.10; No. 17 hard winter wheat, bushel, \$1.09; No. 18 hard winter wheat, bushel, \$1.08; No. 19 hard winter wheat, bushel, \$1.07; No. 20 hard winter wheat, bushel, \$1.06; No. 21 hard winter wheat, bushel, \$1.05; No. 22 hard winter wheat, bushel, \$1.04; No. 23 hard winter wheat, bushel, \$1.03; No. 24 hard winter wheat, bushel, \$1.02; No. 25 hard winter wheat, bushel, \$1.01.

Wheat quotations. No. 1 soft winter wheat, bushel, \$1.10; No. 2 soft winter wheat, bushel, \$1.09; No. 3 soft winter wheat, bushel, \$1.08; No. 4 soft winter wheat, bushel, \$1.07; No. 5 soft winter wheat, bushel, \$1.06; No. 6 soft winter wheat, bushel, \$1.05; No. 7 soft winter wheat, bushel, \$1.04; No. 8 soft winter wheat, bushel, \$1.03; No. 9 soft winter wheat, bushel, \$1.02; No. 10 soft winter wheat, bushel, \$1.01; No. 11 soft winter wheat, bushel, \$1.00; No. 12 soft winter wheat, bushel, \$0.99; No. 13 soft winter wheat, bushel, \$0.98; No. 14 soft winter wheat, bushel, \$0.97; No. 15 soft winter wheat, bushel, \$0.96; No. 16 soft winter wheat, bushel, \$0.95; No. 17 soft winter wheat, bushel, \$0.94; No. 18 soft winter wheat, bushel, \$0.93; No. 19 soft winter wheat, bushel, \$0.92; No. 20 soft winter wheat, bushel, \$0.91; No. 21 soft winter wheat, bushel, \$0.90; No. 22 soft winter wheat, bushel, \$0.89; No. 23 soft winter wheat, bushel, \$0.88; No. 24 soft winter wheat, bushel, \$0.87; No. 25 soft winter wheat, bushel, \$0.86.

Wheat quotations. No. 1 hard spring wheat, bushel, \$1.15; No. 2 hard spring wheat, bushel, \$1.14; No. 3 hard spring wheat, bushel, \$1.13; No. 4 hard spring wheat, bushel, \$1.12; No. 5 hard spring wheat, bushel, \$1.11; No. 6 hard spring wheat, bushel, \$1.10; No. 7 hard spring wheat, bushel, \$1.09; No. 8 hard spring wheat, bushel, \$1.08; No. 9 hard spring wheat, bushel, \$1.07; No. 10 hard spring wheat, bushel, \$1.06; No. 11 hard spring wheat, bushel, \$1.05; No. 12 hard spring wheat, bushel, \$1.04; No. 13 hard spring wheat, bushel, \$1.03; No. 14 hard spring wheat, bushel, \$1.02; No. 15 hard spring wheat, bushel, \$1.01; No. 16 hard spring wheat, bushel, \$1.00; No. 17 hard spring wheat, bushel, \$0.99; No. 18 hard spring wheat, bushel, \$0.98; No. 19 hard spring wheat, bushel, \$0.97; No. 20 hard spring wheat, bushel, \$0.96; No. 21 hard spring wheat, bushel, \$0.95; No. 22 hard spring wheat, bushel, \$0.94; No. 23 hard spring wheat, bushel, \$0.93; No. 24 hard spring wheat, bushel, \$0.92; No. 25 hard spring wheat, bushel, \$0.91.

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Geneva.—The anti-narcotic and opium convention was adopted on its final reading by the international opium conference without including in the convention any mention of the American principle that the production of opium should be limited to medicinal and scientific needs.

The announced British attempt to incorporate this principle in some form failed to materialize. Instead, the French delegation with the approval of the British, introduced a new article calculated to calm the fears of those apprehending that the provisions of The Hague convention concerning production may be weakened.

Besides the convention proper, the conference adopted the protocol, whereby producing countries agree to adopt measures to prevent within five years the smuggling of opium from constituting a serious obstacle to effective suppression of opium smoking in the Far East.

By the protocol, already accepted by the first, or Far Eastern conference, the countries where smoking exists agree to discontinue it within fifteen years after smuggling has ceased to prove to be an obstacle.

The conference likewise adopted the draft of the final act containing the names of countries which may sign the convention if they are so disposed. The list includes both the United States and China, which have withdrawn from the conference.

Plan New Arms Conference. Washington.—The principal powers have been approached by the United States on the subject of a new arms conference. Thus far the discussions have not reached the advanced point characterized by diplomats as "formal negotiations," but they have been followed up quietly and persistently in all the principal capitals of the world. Officials here will not discuss what obstacles may have been encountered or what measure of success may appear to be held out by the exchanges up to the present.

Kahn's Widow Is Elected. San Francisco, Calif.—Mrs. Florence Prag Kahn, Republican, widow of Congressman Julius Kahn, was elected as her husband's successor from the Fourth district of this city. Mrs. Kahn was elected by a margin of 2,220 votes over her nearest competitor, Raymond D. Burr. Her total vote was 12,575. Registrar Zemansky announced. Mrs. Kahn is the second San Francisco woman to be elected to her husband's place in Congress. Mrs. Mae Nolan having been elected to serve her husband's unexpired term when he passed away while in office.

Japanese Mill Strike Spreads. Shanghai.—The Japanese cotton mill strike has spread to thirteen mills, involving 50,000 operatives. The strikers attacked the mills, damaged the machinery and injured six people. The trouble is said to be partly due to Chinese Bolshevist activities.

Mexican Killed in Prison Riot. San Quentin, Calif.—Hooting between Mexican and American prisoners in the San Quentin prison here caused the death of Antonio Hernandez, a Mexican, who, it is believed, was trampled and beaten so seriously that he died a few hours later. Hernandez, who was 60 years old, was sent up from Imperial county in 1922 for assault with a deadly weapon and robbery. According to Warden Frank J. Smith's office, three Mexicans were alleged to have attacked an American prisoner, inflicting slight wounds which led to retaliations later.

Collins Sealed in Tomb. Cave City, Ky.—Sealed in his perpetual tomb, Floyd Collins sleeps in peace. Buried alive, he endured for days the terrifying solitude probably praying he would somehow escape the impending doom. Unable longer to withstand the tortures of body and spirit, he died, alone, trapped in the jaws of a cavernous earth. He met death gamely, his teeth set. A few hours, or maybe a day or two after death had ended his suffering, rescuers broke open his sarcophagus.

Aviator Plunges to Death. Yuma, Ariz.—Lieut. W. S. Garrett of the United States navy aircraft station at San Diego was buried to death here when the plane which he was piloting slipped at the edge of the field and crashed to earth from an elevation of a hundred feet. The machine burst into flames, incinerating the body of Garrett and severely burning observer mechanic, Chris A. Funk. Funk was rushed in the hospital fire and is away for treatment and physicians say that he has a chance to recover.

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 Xeso 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 Elton 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 Quesberry 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 hits 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 local project alone yielding 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 near-by lakes and streams, moving the deer 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 startled authorities until official information revealed there had been no uprising, simmered still lower when the Indian whose death was reported to have precipitated a tribesman'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. Lacey Bird, a home-steader, is said by authorities to have shot the Indian, Juan Toledo, in an encounter which ensued when the Navajo attempted to thrash corn.

According to a 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 \$150,000 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 50 cents per dollar to the depositors on the first day it is opened.

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Wash, and it was not long till I was relieved. Now I do all my own work and help others. I sure praise Lydia E. Pinkham's medicine to any one I meet that is suffering from similar troubles. I think if mothers with girls would give it to them when they come to womanhood it would make them stronger. People who have known me all my life are astonished to see me now as I was always sickly when in my teens until I started taking the Vegetable Compound. — Mrs. MARY R. BENEDICT, 213 Payson Street, Kewanee, Ill.

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 sister 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.

Mrs. MARY R. BENEDICT, 213 PAYSON STREET, KEWANEE, ILLINOIS. — "When I was married about a year and a half I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound because of ill health. I did not have any children. I now have two healthy little girls and I am sure I would not have had them had it not been for your medicine. Last spring and summer I got all run down, irregular, and I had awful headaches, and my back and side hurt me so that I could stay up only a short time. My limbs would get so tired and ache till I could cry. I started to take the Vegetable Compound again and used the Sensitive

SHORT JACKET IS OFFERED BY PARIS

French Dressmakers Are Not Exploiting Ensembles With Long Coats.

A surprising comment, heard in some quarters from stylists returning from abroad, is that "Paris dressmakers are not exploiting ensembles with long jackets, but are really showing short jackets for spring." They further state that the long jacket is supported by American manufacturers based on the fall success of the style.

"Why call it a suit?" the question arises. It is either a costume or an ensemble, but too far removed from our conception of a suit to continue the use of the name. Many are in favor of eradicating a name that will blot out all memories of the dark days when valiant efforts to revive suits in two-piece development were rife.

The reference to two-piece suits as a memory is almost literally true. A great many designers whose reputations were built upon their production of this type of garment have entirely eliminated it. A few do them just to be accommodating for a possible call, but no importance is attached to them. Of the few examples shown, the very long jacket is the prevailing style.

Speaking about the presence of one or two models in a collection calls to mind the fact that nearly every costume collection includes at least one coat formed on flared, slightly molded lines that suggest redingote formation. The fact it so frequently is included makes it well worth watching.

Monkey fur is being accorded a "comeback" this season. Its vogue is a result of the rage for long haired furs, with the additional virtue for spring that it is not a warm fur. Its effectiveness is especially marked on black silk wraps and costumes.

The loosely fitted lining that is allowed to escape beyond the front and lower edges, sometimes forming a jabot effect, is one of the nonchalant style effects that must be handled carefully to be successful. On the other hand, it may be a saving grace where linings that do not always "fit" are found.

Chanel's double coat, or vest coat, as it was called at its introduction last summer, is not entirely forgotten as its lack of response in the fall

As Novel as Beautiful This New Spring Dress



This handsome spring dress is made up in a printed crepe de chine in brown, blue and green on white, and bids fair to be one of the season's favorites.

might indicate. It is still retained, as an occasional idea, by exclusive designers.

Whether simulating tunic styles or otherwise, the best liked type of dress for wear with the ensemble is of one-piece formation.

The costume suit is established for some time and next fall will find them more generally worn than ever.

Simplicity Feature of Dainty Evening Frocks

Evening gowns are, for the most part, of simple styling. In contrast to the sumptuous models that characterized fall fashions. For the "jeune fille" are a few taffeta dresses, one with pointed tiers set below the hips and another from Lucille in pink, trimmed with blue moire ribbon. Less formal is a quaint plaid taffeta in green and orchid colorings, with full tiers piped in orchid and an orchid ribbon tie in back.

Of more mature conception are the simple evening gowns of soft crepe fabrics on which a touch of beading in rhinestones, pearls or paillettes is used to suggest a low waist, or to mark occasional motifs. These are in bright colors of rose and yellow, and in white, and there is a tendency to relieve straight lines with floating draperies that extend from a hardly perceptible side drape or from the shoulders. Rather low cut décolletages appear in either rounded or V-shaped effects.

Roses of Silk Muslin

A most unusual evening gown has a deep gathered rounce bordered with roses and silk muslin. A single rose is placed on the right shoulder and another on the left hip. This model is clearly inspired by the prevailing Spanish influence.

Chic and Colorful Is This Brocaded Turban



Bright green and gold, and decorated with ostrich feathers tinted in green and cinnamon, are the most attractive points of this hat which promises to have a long run during the season.

Stout Woman Must Use Care in Lines of Duds

The thin woman has not such a big problem with her clothes as her stout sister, but she cannot, nevertheless, be careless. Since the straight silhouette still leads the fashion, she can be modish without much effort. Her chief consideration is that if she is extremely tall, her height should be offset somewhat by broken lines. Her skirt and blouse, therefore, preferably are not the same color. Her skirt may be plaited or not, as she prefers.

But, as always, it is the stout, stout woman who must take thought for her skirts, for her blouses, and for every garment she wears, for each plays some part either in detracting from her figure or in adding it to conform to modish lines.

In a general way, a plaited skirt may not be becoming to a stout, stout figure, because plaits make for excellent straight lines. The only trouble is that plaits have a way of becoming undisciplined and broadening out in a most unwelcome manner. If you are stout and must have a plaited skirt, try to get one in a material that is not so soft and elastic that it soon loses its long slim lines. It goes without saying that if the material is striped, the stripes should run up and down and not around.

trude below the waist, but long-waisted, with the waist beginning as near as possible to the hips, thus softening the hipline. A skirt with a fitted yoke is a tragedy for the large-hipped figure.

The materials chosen by the stout woman should be given much thought. Unusually stiff fabrics, and materials with large conspicuous patterns never should be selected by this type.

Simply Made Costume

In these days when anything hangs straight from the shoulders in style any woman can take three yards of silk or crepe and make herself an attractive afternoon or evening frock which may be given individuality by a choux of ostrich, a border of brocade or other simple means. The silk remnant counters of the big stores are crowded in consequence.

Smart Street Gloves

The heavier and looser the gloves for walking costumes, the smarter at present, provided the hand within the glove be small. Chamolix slip-on gloves with a center gusset in the cuff and gathered at the wrist by an invisible elastic band are very popular, especially in white instead of the natural chamolix color.

Fashions in Perfumes

One perfume no longer is enough for one woman. Nowadays she selects a different perfume for almost every occasion. The names are new, but the odors show little change since the days of Sheba and Cleopatra.

COLLINS FOUND DEAD IN CAVE

RESCUE CREW REACHES CAPTIVE AFTER BEING ENTOMBED SEVENTEEN DAYS

PINIONED BY BOULDER

BODY OF FLOYD COLLINS IS FOUND HELD FAST BY ROCK SLIDE

Cave City, Ky.—The quest is over. Mother earth, after clinging grimly, in life and in death to Floyd Collins, for more than seventeen days, surrendered and without warning opened a tiny hole between a rescue shaft and the natural tomb of the cave explorer.

Peering down this tiny fissure into Sand cave, the brave workers who had waged an unequal combat with the natural forces of the earth, saw that what they had fought so hard for had been lost.

Collins was dead.

After describing the break through the roof of Sand cave and telling of the preliminary investigation of it by Albert Marshall, the statement said:

"His game little partner, Ed Brenner of Cincinnati, whose work has been very conspicuous and of untold value by reason of his small stature and great strength and iron nerve, went down headforemost into his hazardous pit and with a light closely examined the face and position of the man we understood is Floyd Collins and called up to Mr. Carmichael, five feet above him, that the man was cold and apparently dead."

The bulletin was signed by Brig. Gen. H. H. Denhardt, H. T. Carmichael and M. E. S. Posey.

From the early days of the cave man's entrapment, when friends and neighbors made futile efforts to extricate him, down through the days that followed there was waged a great struggle with nature and the elements.

Collins was found firmly pinioned by a boulder which fell on his foot as he was emerging from the cave. Friends and neighbors rushed to his aid and time after time rescue parties went into the narrow, crooked passage and wormed their way along its slimy course to where the man was imprisoned. Their efforts to get him out were unavailing and others from the outside came in.

Miners from the nearby coal fields and from the asphalt mines of the Kentucky-Rock Asphalt Company at Kyrock, Ky., flocked to the rescue. Newspaper men, consigned to the cave to "cover" the story, made that an incidental part of their endeavors and turned their first attention to the helpless man.

Gov. W. J. Fields sent Mr. Posey to the scene as his personal representative. State troops followed, a little handful of them at first and then General Denhardt, commander of the Seventy-fifth infantry brigade, was ordered to take command of the situation.

Kellogg Confirmed by Senate

Washington.—The nomination of Frank B. Kellogg of Minnesota to succeed Charles E. Hughes as secretary of state was confirmed by the Senate. Action was taken unexpectedly and without consideration of the nomination by the foreign relations committee. No opposition was offered to confirmation, senators said, and Senate action came with practically no discussion.

Miscer Wins Millions in Court

San Francisco, Calif.—George Campbell Carson, 69, itinerant miner and "desert rat" as he termed himself in his grim humor, had little cause to complain of "the law's delay." A decision of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals here changed Carson's status by making him a potential multi-millionaire. The high court's decree put Carson in possession of the rewards of his inventive genius and nineteen years of struggle and sacrifice, he avers, by holding the American Smelting and Refining Company had infringed patents of his own devices, to facilitate copper ore smelting.

Bill Haywood Has Not Returned

Moscow.—Reports from America that "Big Bill" Haywood, the former I. W. W. leader, had returned to the United States, are untrue. He is employed as a traveling speaker by the International Society for the Relief of Workmen in Prisons Abroad and has just completed a tour of Southern Russia in which he made sixty-five speeches.

Carmichael Praises Heroic Workers

Cave City, Ky.—H. T. Carmichael, who had been in charge of Floyd Collins' rescue volunteers, expressed his admiration of the unselfish and unceasing labor of the men, "from the lowliest water boy to the man who was about to receive his A. B. degree." He said this experience had strengthened his faith in human nature. "After twenty-odd years of construction work I have never seen a group of unorganized men do work so well and quickly," said Mr. Carmichael.

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MAIL PILOTS TRAVEL 1,288,352 MILES IN SIX MONTHS

Washington.—The forty-six air mail pilots in the postal service flew 1,288,352 miles in the last six months of 1924. 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 6,602,537 miles, or approximately 265 times around the earth.

The pilots flew 437,387 air miles at night and 602,903 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 39,370 miles, flying both day and night.

The parachute flare is the best safety measure in use for night flying, according to reports received from the air mail pilots. Each plane is provided with two flares in case one does not work. All planes assigned to fly between Cleveland, Ohio, and Rock Springs, Wyo., are so equipped.

Story of Inheritance Untrue

Livingston, Mont.—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 toxic gasser, 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 Detroit millionaire, whom she had nursed at a tourist camp in Yellowstone National park. All efforts to verify her story failed.

French Aviator Killed in Africa

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

Fleischmann Will Filed

Mincoln, N. Y.—Julius Fleischmann, Jr., and Mrs. Henry C. Yeiser, 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 its armament 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 296 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 Dumbaries Burghs to reduce the £15,000 which it has been estimated will be required for the trip. The vote on this question was 204 against 86.

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Apples Important Food 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 39-100 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 hydralium. Few men are greater than their environment, but great minds make theirs. Oaths are but words, and words but wind.

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PERSONALS

C. M. Goodwin of San Gabriel, Calif., is here, visiting the E. T. Collier family and looking over the surrounding country with a view of locating.

Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Peters of Capitan, were over today.

Lincoln School Notes

(Supt. M. J. Hunt)

The basket ball season is closed and the members of the team, under the direction of the coach, Mr. Stewart, are preparing a play to be given in the near future, to cancel the indebtedness incurred during the season. A good play will be presented. The cast is putting into the play the same enthusiasm which has marked their playing during the last season.

Mrs. Huntington and Miss Huntington from Oneonta, N. Y., visited our schools during the week and were particularly pleased with the work of the music classes, conducted by Miss Rice.

We are glad to have Edward Penfield in school again, after a week's absence due to a bad cold.

The Agriculture class paid a visit to Mr. Ramey this week and had a demonstration in grape vine pruning, followed by application of the knowledge acquired, in each student pruning under the observation, several vines. They also took home a number of cuttings for propagating. Climatic conditions in the valley seem favorable for the development of the grape industry, and many varieties of American or European grapes will be tested by the students. Mr. Ramey has kindly placed his vineyard at the service of the class in agriculture for observation. This courtesy is much appreciated and occasional visits for observation and note-taking will be valuable aid to the class-room instruction.

Moral—Buy at Home

See your dollars again! Spend them in Carrizozo. The goods are better; the service better and the price is as low or lower for the same class of merchandise. Tell the agent frankly that you are patronizing your home town merchants. Tell him also that you can do better here, and you can!

Louis Nalda of the Red Canyon Sheep Company was here last Saturday and is looking forward to a good lambing season this spring. The Red Canyon Sheep Company leased the A. S. McCamant ranch near Corona and also has the Frank Pru ranch near Belen and have their sheep on both places until in plenty of time for removal, they will be taken back to the Red Canyon.

George Weisbar and W. E. Hennessee were here from Jicrilla on Monday attending to some business matters, returning home Tuesday morning.

The Board of County Commissioners has let the contract for repairing and painting the roof of the court house to Wm. Ferguson and it is safe to say, the work will be done in a most satisfactory manner as all of Mr. Ferguson's work is. He is noted for not allowing one of his men to go where he will not go himself and to verify this, on Tuesday morning, he ascended to the top of the big flagstaff on the dome to show one of the men how he wanted the big ball on the staff painted.

M. N. Penix of Corona was in town last Saturday and made this office a pleasant call.

Supt. of the S. P. Water Works, A. B. Zumwalt, is cleaning out the reservoir east of town and the water mains of the town are being flushed which is customary at this time of the year.

The dance which has been advertised in this paper for the past several weeks, will take place tomorrow night at Lutz Hall. Don't forget to attend, if you are a dance fan. The Home Orchestra under the leadership of Hippo Bamberger is giving the dance.

Thomas Shields of Bogle was here this week to make final proof on his homestead near that place.

Mrs. Chloe Fisher and son, Ben Griesham were here yesterday attending to some important business matters. They returned to Capitan last evening.

Champ and Don Ferguson and Jack Brazel are now in Long Beach, Calif., and doing nicely. The boys have been in the Golden State for several months, and were accompanied by Road Foreman Wm. Ferguson, who returned about one month ago.

Capitan School Notes

F. S. Copeland, Supt.

On last Friday afternoon, the following program was given in the high school room, attended by all the pupils and teachers:

- Songs, "America" and "America, the Beautiful"
- "I'll Try to Be," Roland Gardenhire
- A Lesson to America, Christine Hall
- Piano solo, George Stuart
- February Song, First and second grades
- Biography of Washington
- Florence Huskaby
- Piano solo, Helene Titworth
- February, Julian Herrero
- Washington Song, Third to sixth grades
- The Flag, Frances Gardenhire
- Address, Rev. H. K. Stanley
- Star Spangled Banner

Mrs. Stuart and Mrs. William Titworth came to hear the program. We extend a cordial invitation to all patrons to attend any of our programs.

Sickness has cut large inroads into our attendance, about an average of twenty per cent of the pupils having been absent the past two weeks.

Sunday was a good example of the power was effect of wind as an eroding agent.

Miss Bell reports a profitable convention at the State College, where Miss Robertson, state supervisor of home economics work, had called a conference.

Seventh and eighth grades will soon finish the geography and New Mexico history, civics, and start on physiology in the seventh and agriculture in the eighth.

"The Keeper of Bees" by the late Gene Stratton-Porter is a good wholesome, American novel that could be read with profit by all. Its central theme is the returned soldier, maimed and neglected, and what to do with him. It is her valedictory and a noble one. The story can be found in McCall's.

High School Entertainment
March 9-10, 1925

Crystal Theatre

- Chorus, Six High School Girls
 - Reading, Marie Tangeman
 - Dance, Jane Spencer
 - Boys' Quartette, High School
 - Ladies' Quartette, Town Girls
- Picture, Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall, starring Mary Pickford.

Proceeds for the purpose of taking care of the expense of the High School Basket Ball Team while participating in the State Tournament. Admission, 25 and 50 cents.

To Her Long Rest

After an illness of about six weeks, Mrs. Martha Jane Taylor, aged 73 and one of our oldest residents, passed away at the home of her son, Julian, between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock this morning.

The Taylor family came to White Oaks from the state of Texas, 81 years ago and resided until 1906, when they moved to Carrizozo, where they have since lived.

Mrs. Taylor led a consecrated, Christian life. She was one who would consider it an act of disregard not to be called on to assist in every movement for good. Her wise counsel, kind and noble-hearted, made every one love her with whom she came in contact.

The funeral services were conducted this afternoon by the Rev. W. R. McPherson at the Methodist Church of which organization the deceased was a devoted member, and the remains interred in the local cemetery.

To mourn her loss, she leaves two sons, Robert and Julian of Carrizozo, Mrs. J. N. White of Los Angeles, her only daughter, besides other relatives and many friends in this community.

Girls' Friendly Society
Entertain

The Girls' Friendly Society gave a Social Dance last Saturday night at the Wetmore Building, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Van Scoyck of White Oaks and J. B. Dinwiddle of Carrizozo furnishing the music, graciously donating their services for the occasion. There were over 70 present, including the following ladies who chaperoned the affair: Mesdames W. C. McDonald, J. B. French, S. G. Allen, C. W. Hooper of Carrizozo and Mrs. John Townsend of White Oaks. After a session of dancing, the guests were served with delicious refreshments. This was the initial event for this important society and more of the same nature will be given in the future.

As a means working toward the unselfish end of making Carrizozo one of the best towns in the west for girls to live in, the Girls' Friendly Society invites girls regardless of religious faiths to unite with the society with the above named object in view. The Society meets every Friday evening at 7:30 at the old Rolland Building and we doably welcome the Girls' Friendly Society and commend its uplifting purposes among the younger set of our town. Long may it live and all societies of a kindred nature.

NOTICE

A REWARD of \$50.00 is offered by the Chamber of Commerce of Carrizozo for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons found tampering with, or maliciously trespassing on Railroad Property known as the Reservoir, adjacent to Carrizozo or damaging said water by throwing anything of a damaging nature into the Reservoir.

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Chavez—Ramirez

Alex Chavez, employed at the Eating House for several years, and Miss Mary Ramirez of this place were united in marriage last Saturday night at the Catholic Church. Their friends extend the young couple the very best wishes for future happiness.

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