

ALONG LIFE'S TRAIL

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK, Dean of Men, University of Illinois.

LOOKING BACK

I've always been sorry for Lot's wife. She'd never had a first-rate chance. Her neighbors weren't what they should have been, and the town as a whole was no place for a decent woman.

We were climbing Long's peak, and Crosby was one of the most enthusiastic members of the party at the outset. It is a stiff, steady pull of several miles over the long trail up to the boulder field, and then the trail ends and the way leads across irregular masses of sharp rock.

Crosby's enthusiasm had begun to wane, his courage ebbed as he looked over the precipice to the yawning abyss below; his body was weary. Like Lot's wife, he hesitated and looked back.

"I think I won't try it any farther," he said; "I don't believe I can make it, and I'm not sure it's worth the struggle." He didn't exactly turn to a pillar of salt, but he sat down and waited for our return, and for want of a little effort and a little nerve missed the most glorious view in the world.

I've seen many like him, young and old. They start upon a task with interest and enthusiasm. Something else attracts their attention, difficulties arise, the uninteresting or the unpleasant is to be met, and courage fails them. They look back upon the arduous and commonplace things of the life they have essayed to leave, and opportunity vanished, and they give up, and they miss some of the most wonderful and beautiful things in life.

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Crystal Theatre

—Geo. A. Dowdle, Prop.—

Coming Soon—Mary Pickford in "Little Annie Rooney."

Friday—"Shock Punch," with Richard Dix. Last episode of "The Fast Express," "Riddle Rider," the new serial, episode No. 1.

Saturday, "The Girl on the Stairs," with an all-star cast. Century Comedy, "Honeymoon Squabbles."

Monday and Tuesday—"Night Life in New York,"—a Paramount Picture. Also a Universal Comedy, "Westward, Ho!"

Wednesday and Thursday—"K. the Unknown," a Universal Jewel, with Percy Marmont. Also a News Reel.

Friday—"Wild Horse of the Mesa," Taken from the novel by Jane Grey, featuring Jack Holt. "Riddle Rider," episode No. 2. Admission 20 and 40 cents.

Woman's Club Party, Feb. 20

Hear Yel! Hear Yel! Don't miss attending the Colonial Party at Lutz Hall Saturday evening, Feb. 20. Kahler's "Zozians" will furnish the music which is a guarantee of a good time for everybody. Refreshments will be served by "thine hostesses."

"Coming events cast their shadows before." Have you read the hand bills announcing the basketball game with Alamog tomorrow afternoon, the Golf Club ball for Feb. 13, and the Colonial Party for Feb. 20—?

Worthy of Patronage

"I am certain that no drive ever made in the state for funds is more worthy of general patronage than is the one for the Frances Willard School, says Mrs. Dehlia Wingo of Raton, president of the New Mexico W. C. T. U., under whose auspices the school is conducted.

It is non-sectarian in its management and broad in its scope of usefulness. Various churches and lodges have their own orphanages and schools, supported by their own people, but the Frances E. Willard School offers the only non-sectarian haven in the state for unprivileged girls.

Delinquent girls are cared for in a home established for that purpose and it receives support from the state. No provision has been made by state legislature or otherwise for the many girls, orphans, half orphans or those who through poor environment have no opportunity for education. Surely, the delinquent girls should be no more highly favored than the good girls, else those who have had no chances for protection nor homes, have poor encouragement to maintain a high moral standard.

In the Frances E. Willard school, no question as to religious belief is asked. She is only required to pass a satisfactory physical examination and give evidence of good moral character and after enrollment, she is required to attend the church of choice.

"We should all feel a personal responsibility toward these girls and it is good business when viewed alone from a business standpoint, to properly care for them and start them on their way toward upright, educated womanhood. It is on this basis that we ask support for the continuance of the school, and, if possible, enough for its enlargement," says Mrs. Wingo.

The campaign for \$50,000 for the re opening and enlargement of the Frances E. Willard school is being carried into every community of the state.

Another Lincoln County Pioneer Gone

Thursday morning, Jan. 28, another Lincoln County pioneer, John H. Phillips, aged 78, died at his home at the Cottonwood Springs ranch in the Venado Gap.

Mr. Phillips was born in Georgia in the year of 1848 and when a young man came to Texas, where he married Miss M. C. Storms in '79. The couple moved to New Mexico in 1886 where they resided until his death. To the union were added three sons, two of whom died and were buried at Las Cruces. The one surviving son, Peter, now resides on his ranch near that of his father's. During his long residence here, Mr. Phillips was engaged in farming and stock raising. The funeral services were held at the Phillips home with the Rev. J. H. Skinner conducting the same and the remains interred in a private lot on his ranch.

Mr. Phillips was widely known throughout the county. He was a kind and loving father, a highly respected citizen and a good neighbor. The bereaved ones he leaves behind, the wife and son, have the sympathy of our entire community.

The Ground Hog



Fort Stanton News

Ruidoso Brevities

C. H. Bradley:

Baseball has again captured the Fort and will hold it in captivity till the last game is played in the fall. At the Monday night meeting, for which general notice was posted for some days, Mr. Wm. Wunsch was re-elected manager and Mr. Ed Carr elected secretary treasurer. A committee on future plans, a dance on, or about Feb. 20, with Gus Lemp's Orchestra, and other occasions was elected including the manager, treasurer, Dr. Rasmussen and Messrs. Walter Decker and Kenneth Byrne. Watch for the date of the dance and be sure to come.

After a severe setback of pleurisy, Mr. J. S. Coombs is much improved and he, with Mrs. Coombs, who has been with the Whites during his illness, plans to return to Capitan the last of the week. Messrs. Harold Decker and George Brothers are away on a month's leave and Mr. Fagan, who was in El Paso for a few days has returned. Messdames Taulbee, Palmer, the Misses Illingsworth and Walsh have been attending to their spring shopping in El Paso and Roswell recently.

Mrs. Star, who has been ill for some weeks, was welcomed most heartily at the Fort on Monday. Mrs. Laine, who is at the Buena Vista is frequently at the Fort with Mr. Laine and her many newly made friends. Mr. James Nixon is planning a trip in the near future as is also Mr. Lunn. Mr. M. J. Donnelly has just received a consignment of 300 week old chicks from M. Johnson and Co., Bowie, Texas. Mr. Rainier is deservedly proud of the splendid appearance and mechanical efficiency of the Buick Six, sport model, which he purchased of Dr. Stewart and has thoroughly overhauled in his thorough mechanical skillful style.

Mrs. Wunsch entertained last Friday and, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Hebert, the Bridge Club will be entertained on Wednesday evening. Messrs. Carr and Shannon are in Roswell, over the week end.

Three-Linkers Held Big Meeting

Tuesday night, Carrizozo Lodge No. 30 held a bumper meeting at which the Third Degree was conferred. There was a good representation of the business and professional element present. The local lodge is entering on an eve of prosperity and many applications for membership will be entered in the near future.

Nogal Items

By "Bill O'Fare"

Lazy Luke sez: "Life's been lots sweeter since those darned song writers quit writing about their 'dear old mummy down in Dixie.'"

A Fable — Once upon a time there was a very eminent and distinguished man who wasn't born in a log cabin, nor did he have to do a lot of back-breaking labor when he was a boy.

The blond hair on hubby's coat was so short, wifey couldn't tell whether it was a flapper's or a jelly-bean's.

Teacher — "Where are elephants generally found?" Wille — "In the circus, mum."

The other day there was a boy of about 17 summers who stole a pair of gloves and a work shirt; the gloves to keep his hands warm and the shirt he sold and bought something to eat. He was caught redhanded and the pious judge, dispensing justice, gave him a year and a day in the 'brig.' Now you young men who feel your fingers getting sticky and have difficulty in turning loose of things that don't belong to you, take this advise and prosper by it. Don't steal anything to work with, not anything that has a value of less than twenty-five thousand dollars. If you must steal, and just can't resist the temptation, steal a teapot dome oil lease, or get elected to the county treasury and abscond with the funds, or you might join the Salvation Army and take a car load of pennies. But whatever you steal be sure you get enough to hire a good attorney, bribe the judge and jury and have enough left to take a trip to Bermuda or Monte Carlo.

In case you should decide to rob the people as a whole, and not some individual, you should first cultivate their faith in you by pretending to be honest and faithful for a few years. Then when they have developed an unflinching faith in you, fill up your suit case with thousand dollar bills and skip out for the sea coast. Of course you will be caught before you get to the next station, but this is a part of the plans and will all work out well in the end. When they clasp the 'bracelets' on your lily white wrists you should utter a feeble sob or two and have a bit of red pepper to put in your eyes, so that you can do a movie 'sob stunt.' By this time you should have the detective feeling very mean and little because he stopped you. When he turns you over to the proper authorities he will go back to town and tell the boys that he sure hated to 'nab' poor old so and so, and he thinks it is the fault of bad company that got you in wrong.

In a few days your trial will come up. Now comes a very important part which you must learn very well to carry it out with a flourish. First, hire some good legal talent, next, if you can you should bribe the judge and then let 'em come on. The legal battle will last from eight to twenty days, owing to your prominence and the amount you stole. Anything under a hundred dollars, the trial will last one hour, over a hundred, and up to a thousand, two hours, for every thousand over the first, a day is required, ten thousand, ten days and etc. So you see if you steal a couple of millions, the judge will grow old and doty before the trial is over, and prosecuting attorney will go out of office and a new one will be elected; a couple of the jurymen will die and several of the wit-

Eating House Notes

(By S. L. Northlane)

Miss Louise Sweet was home from the El Paso School for Girls and after spending the week-end returned Monday, accompanied by her father, E. H. Sweet, who, after attending to some important business matters, came up on No. 12 Tuesday.

L. C. Lockett, civil engineer for the government and district engineer, B. F. Kelley, are here this week looking over the Lincoln-San Antonio Highway on which we are assured of a federal appropriation of 60 per cent of the cost, the remaining forty per cent to be paid, the state paying 20 and the county 20.

Arrivals for the first part of the week were:

L. C. Boswell, E. J. Reece, O. Kirkpatrick, H. J. Mack, S. Sorenson, H. E. King, El Paso; Floyd Crews, Ocurra; G. R. Moss, Nevada, Mo.; Geo. A. Timmerman, St. Louis; G. R. Elliott, Detroit; Mr and Mrs. C. S. Hoover, George and Frank Titsworth, Capitan; Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Jameson, Dallas; Stephen Chase, Phoenix; L. C. Rackett, Santa Fe; Mr. and Mrs. Ed McGovern, Denver.

Golf Club Will Give Dance

The Carrizozo Golf Club will give a big St. Valentine's Ball at Lutz Hall on the night of February 13. Kahler's "Zozians" will furnish the music, and besides being invited, you are assured of a good time. It is the opportunity of a lifetime to have a good time — so be sure and get your share of it.

FAMOUS FORTS IN U. S. HISTORY

By ELMO SCOTT WATSON

He Cut the Cross From the British Flag

In 1636 the colonists of Massachusetts bay were in a state of great perturbation. The master of a British ship which had sailed into Boston harbor had demanded to know why no flag was flying over the little palisaded fort on Castle Island to render him a salute and be saluted in turn. That was an embarrassing question for a short time before one Richard Davenport, acting upon the orders of stern old John Endicott, had cut the cross out of the British flag because to that dour Puritan leader it symbolized the ancient Catholic religion of the mother country. That was one reason why no flag flew over Castle Island, and it took considerable explaining to avoid unpleasant results.

Thus early in Massachusetts history, Castle Island, this little scrap of land less than a dozen acres in extent, became an important spot. The next incident in its history came in 1639, when the hatred of the colonists for their governor, Sir Edmund Andros, resulted in a revolt and one of the first places they seized was this fort.

In 1705 Colonel Rorer, a famous English engineer, was employed to repair the fort, whose battlements had fallen into sad disrepair. He demolished all of the old works and erected new ones of timber and earth, and this new fortification, the most formidable that had yet graced Castle Island, was named Castle William, or Fort William, in honor of the king.

During the French wars, Fort William was one of the most important defenses along the Atlantic coast, and at the close of these wars it had a total of 120 guns mounted on its walls. It was strongly garrisoned by the British at the outbreak of the Revolution as an aid in holding the rebellious colonies in subjection, but when Lord Howe evacuated Boston in 1776 the British flag was lowered over Fort William, never to be raised again.

In 1799 Massachusetts ceded Fort William to the federal government. The next year when President John Adams visited Boston he suggested that Fort Independence would be a more appropriate name for this defender of American liberties, and his suggestion was adopted. In 1832 Fort Independence was enlarged into a castellated, pentagonal, bastioned fortification, and for the first time in nearly 200 years Boston had a defender worthy of the name of "fort."

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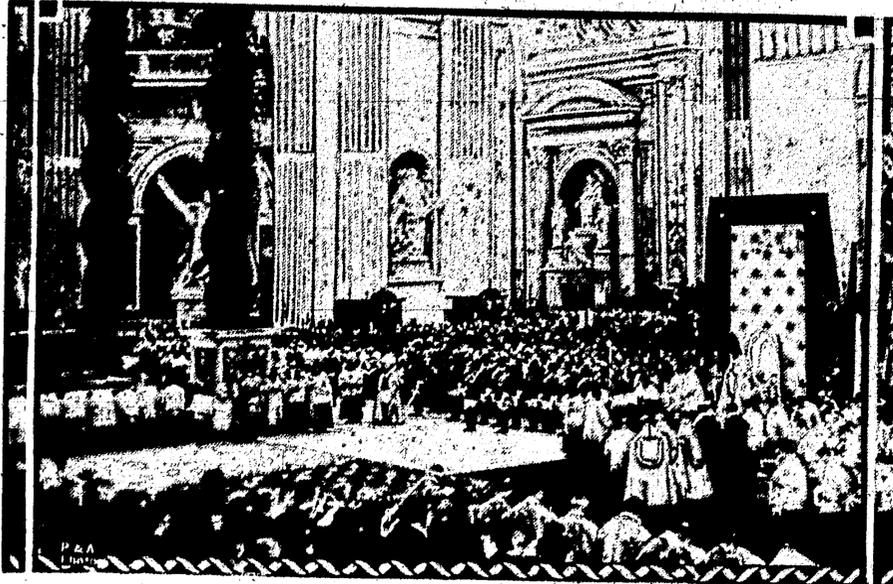
nesses will perhaps go 'goofy.'

In the course of the trial you must invent a very sad and dramatic story to tell the court, one that will bring tears to the eyes of the jurymen. You should also cry quite a bit during the trial. It would be very effective to faint every day or two, but before trying this you should practise it in your cell and learn just how to fall gracefully. We. Don't never appear awkward because some fool in the audience might "titter" a bit and make you appear ridiculous. If you don't care to soil your clothes you might pick a time when someone is close by to catch you.

Now the trial will be tedious and tiresome to you, and you will no doubt be wanting to hurry and take a ride in that new Rolls Royce, but have patience and the judge will grow weary, the jury will become so befuddled with all the technical questions discussed that they will probably forget who is on trial. By this time the people will be divided in their opinion as to whether you are guilty or not, and if a majority are for your conviction you can then ask for a change of venue and get out somewhere where they don't know you so well. About this time the judge will remember an invitation to a banquet he received, and will continue your case to the next term of court.

Now go on to Monte Carlo and rest up a bit, and learn to drive that new Rolls Royce. In a couple of years the star witness for the state will kick out and your case will be thrown out of court. Then you can come back and marry the girl you love, and live fat and sassy ever afterwards. Yours for Justice, Bill O'Fare.

Pope in Great Church Ceremony in St. Peter's



The great ceremony of the Catholic church known as the Consecration of the Cristo Re being celebrated by the pope in the church of St. Peter.

All Kinds of Vessels Throng Miami Harbor



This picture shows the crowded shipping in Miami harbor. Yachts, motor boats and sailing ships of all descriptions are anchored almost bow to stern, and in addition large freighters are anchored outside the harbor, which is not deep enough to admit them.

More Refugees Must Be Cared For



Barclay Acheson, overseas director of the Near East Relief, inspecting refugee children in Berlin for whom the relief organization has been asked to assume responsibility as a result of the fighting between the French and the rebel Danes.

Yugo-Slav Debt Settler and Wife



Yugo-Slavian's commission to settle the debt to the United States has arrived in Washington. Its seven members are headed by Dr. M. Stojadovich, minister of finance, who is shown above with his wife.

GOLDEN RULE QUEEN



Miss Eve Southern, the twenty-one year-old golden-haired beauty of Los Angeles who has been chosen in a nation-wide contest as the Golden Rule Girl of America. As such she will preside over the Near-East Relief society's Golden Rule weeks, to be held in various large cities on behalf of the orphans of the Bible lands.

RECORD FOR SERVICE



Bernard Awerkamp, over 57 years cashier of a Quincy (Ill.) bank, probably holds the record for continuous service with the same financial institution. There is no recollection of his ever making a mistake in his accounts. He is now in his seventy-seventh year.

NEW MEXICO STATE NEWS

Joint sessions of the annual conference of county extension workers of New Mexico and the State Farm Bureau Federation were held at the New Mexico A. & M. College last week.

Russell and Watson, operating a claim in the White Signal district, near Silver City, have uncovered a vein of blamuth which will mean considerable development work on the property during the coming year.

"The Vegas Scribblers" is the name of a little writers' club that has been organized at Las Vegas under the general auspices of the Normal University, with Dean Margaret Kennedy in the chair. The club will meet occasionally and discuss writers and writing, including their own work.

Governor Hannett spoke at Albuquerque to the delegates to the American Petroleum Institute annual convention at Los Angeles. The governor said to the oil operators, "We believe New Mexico is becoming one of the largest oil producing states and we hope you will be interested in it."

Free city delivery of mail will be started about the first of May in Las Cruces, according to a report by Postmaster Lee. Most of the required sidewalks have been completed and the city engineer is now numbering the houses so that everything will be ready by the time the service begins.

The Las Cruces Abstract & Title Co., Las Cruces, has been chartered by the State Corporation Commission. The authorized capital stock is \$30,000, and the company begins business with \$30,000. Fay Sperry, Berino; W. P. Bixler, Las Cruces, and Lytton R. Taylor, El Paso, are the incorporators.

The annual meeting of the New Mexico Cattle Growers' Association will be held in Albuquerque March 15 and 16, according to the decision of the executive committee at its recent meeting in Silver City. Plans are under way to make the meeting a success and every section of the state will be represented.

The temporary organization of a game protective association in Colfax county was effected at a meeting held in the Dawson Club rooms at Dawson. Over sixty representative sportsmen from Dawson, Raton, Brilliant, Springer, Cimarron and Maxwell, were present at the gathering, which was promoted by members of the Dawson Club.

H. V. Miller, chief of the Clovis fire department, in his annual report to the city commissioners of Clovis, states that the total fire losses of the city during the past year were only \$10,361, which is believed a record. The largest number of blazes occurred during the month of June, when the total loss was slightly over \$5,000, the department being called out eleven times. In addition to the regularly paid firemen, only about \$200 was paid out during the year for volunteers.

Transfer of the largest area of mineral rights so far recorded in New Mexico, was consummated at East Las Vegas between the Anton Chico Land Grant and the Magnolia Oil Company of Texas, by which the latter becomes owner of the mineral rights for 125,722 acres of potential oil lands in San Miguel and Guadalupe counties. The purchase price was 22 1/2 cents per acre. The deal affects approximately one-third of the original Spanish land grant of 378,537 acres to numerous participants in the community property, which extends from a point about twenty miles south of Las Vegas, into Guadalupe county, sixty miles south.

About 235 fancy Leghorn hens were burned when one of the large laying houses on the MacDonald Poultry farm, near Deming, was destroyed by fire.

Plans for an extensive drilling campaign are being made by E. H. Milroy and associates, who recently took over the holdings of the Bloomfield Oil and Gas Company, including the wells of the Kittel refinery near Aztec.

Reports from Santa Fe state that the Livestock and Agricultural Loan Company of New Mexico has been ordered by Federal Judge Phillips to execute and transfer bills of sale to the War Finance Corporation for the New Mexico cattle taken to Mexico for pasturage, the numbers to be based on the count taken in the spring of 1925 at the time of the transfer of the animals from the Corralitos pasture to the Santa Clara ranches, less a certain number of the steers. These bills of sale will be held by Receiver Lovi A. Hughes until the War Finance Corporation shall secure a proper declaration of trust, so that Mr. Hughes may more conveniently administer the business of the corporation, and if necessary, foreclose.

Miss Mary Eccles of the State Department of Education has sent two cases of books to Mora county to be used as traveling libraries among the schools of that county. There are now four such libraries in circulation, the other two being in Rio Arriba county.

Albuquerque, N. M., was recommended as the site for a \$17,000,000 hospital and farm colony for tubercular patients by the hospital location committee of the War Mothers' Memorial Association at a meeting held in Chicago.

Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

THE FRUIT DISH

"My life is a strange one," said the fruit dish. "Yes, it is quite strange."

"Mine is a bit odd, too," said the blue sugar bowl which stood upon four little blue china legs. "Yes, I do believe it is and, in a way, for much the same reason that mine is."

"Yet mine is even stranger," said the fruit dish.

"You see, I am a fruit dish. Yet I never hold fruit. When I first came to the house—I was a present—I held fruit for awhile."

"Then I found myself without fruit for weeks and weeks and even months at a time."

"After awhile I found that I only had fruit when it was around some special time such as Christmas or Thanksgiving or Easter."

"Then the next I knew I didn't even hold fruit around these times."

"Once in a great, great while I was filled with nuts. But oh, that happened so seldom."

"And now it just seems as though I would never know what it was to hold a bit of fruit or any nuts at all."

"That is the way it seems to me now."

"I went through the whole of last winter and last summer without seeing a piece of fruit or a single nut—that is they weren't put in my over-ready dish arms."

"It looks now as though I would go through the whole of this winter the same way."

"You see I am made of silver, and in the summer when the family go away for a holiday I am packed up and stored away with some other silver pieces."

"Usually I am not packed up for so long a time. But last year the family said that they would put away some of the silver earlier in the season and not take it out again until later."

"They said the silver tarnished easily and they didn't want to have to keep clean any more silver than was necessary during the summer months."

"They said the summer time was too nice a time of the year to bother with any more silver cleaning than they could possibly help."

"So they put me away early, early in the spring. I was one of the pieces they said they would not need during the summer."

"I had a long, long rest. But I was put into use when the autumn came around only I am not used for what I am intended."

"Fancy, sugar bowl, I am used for boxes of matches. Yes, and pipe cleaners for the children's daddy, and a box of envelopes. Each one contains a small sum of money for church on Sunday."

"Now when any one says, 'Where are the matches?' Or, 'Where are there any matches?' Or, 'Is there a match to be had in this house?' the answer always is, 'Why yes, just look in the fruit dish and you'll find some.'"

"When the daddy of the children says to the mother of the children, 'I don't happen to have any pipe cleaners around, do I?' she answers, 'Why certainly, look in the fruit dish.'"

"When they go to church—Sunday they come to me for their envelopes."

"I still keep my name of fruit dish so it isn't that they don't know what I am for—but they never use me for fruit. I don't really mind."

"I'm simply leading a strange life."

"I," said the sugar bowl, "am always empty. I am an old, old sugar bowl—over a hundred years old and I just stand here in my fat, blue china costume, with trees and gardens decorating my china self—as a handsome old sugar bowl. But without any sugar. Life is indeed strange," the sugar bowl ended, and the fruit dish thoroughly agreed.

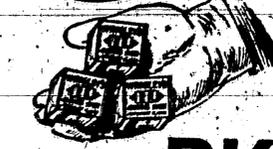
**Why Baby Was Red**  
Ethel had called to see Marie's baby brother.

"My, but he's awful red!" was her comment as she peered at him in his cradle.

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**Women and Wireless**  
Many women are finding careers of one kind or another in wireless as entertainers. There are openings as lecturers for women possessed of expert knowledge of matters of particular interest to their sex. The field, however, is somewhat restricted by the fact that women's voices are generally inferior to men's for broadcasting purposes, although, as a broadcasting official pointed out recently, this may be the fact of the microphone, not of women's vocal organs.

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The Empty Interim

Gen. Creed C. Hammond was protesting the roll collar for airmen.

"But then," he went on, "the roll collar is better than the stick-up one for every branch of the service, and the man who says it isn't is as ignorant as the Altonna girl."

"A young commercial traveler was practicing a New York restaurant to an Altonna girl."

"It's so popular," said he, "that you have to engage your table a week in advance." Then he laughed and added: "But they treat you so well there that it's quite worth while going without food in the interim."

"All the same," said the girl with a frown, "it wouldn't be much fun for me to go round a whole week with an empty interim."

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SAN FRANCISCO QUAKE CAUSE OF RECEIVERSHIP

New York.—The San Francisco earthquake and the financial panic of 1907 forced the Denver and Rio Grande railroad into receivership, Edward T. Jeffrey, former president of the road, testified in the \$200,000,000 suit of common stockholders in the Supreme Court. The failure of the road, said Mr. Jeffrey, who was president at the time the road was absorbed by the Western Pacific and Missouri Pacific roads in 1920, was indirectly due to its assistance given to the Western Pacific railroad which was being built when the earthquake came, causing a serious shortage of labor along the Pacific coast. On top of that, he asserted, came the panic in which it was "almost impossible for one to draw his own funds from the bank" in New York and other financial centers. Because of the labor shortage and the financial stringency, Jeffrey said, construction of the Western Pacific was curtailed, causing a delay of three years in its completion and a 50 per cent increase in its building costs. This, he asserted, set up the proceeds of a Denver and Rio Grande bond issue of \$18,000,000 and required payment of an extra period of interest on a \$50,000,000 first mortgage out of the sales proceeds of the bonds.

The Phoenix-Like Passenger Pigeon Denver.—Out of the ashes of racial extermination, has arisen apparently a new passenger pigeon, according to a recent game report issued on the Cochetopa National forest, in Colorado. The observations which have led to this conclusion are as follows: "A few years ago two pigeons were noticed in this locality and due to not being molested they have returned each year and increased until now there are forty or more of the birds. It is believed that this may be the passenger pigeon (Ectopistes migratoria) now supposed to be extinct in the United States. This assertion is based mainly on pictures of the passenger pigeon." It is hardly possible that these are the true passenger pigeon. Despite the general tendency to doubt the possibility of such an unusual occurrence, the fact remains that these pigeons display to a striking degree the characteristics of the extinct pigeon.

Colorado Explorers Find New Race Capetown, South Africa.—A scientific expedition, led by three Colorado scientists, has returned to Capetown from the remote desert regions to the north with a strange tale of the survival of a lost tribe of Strandloppers, the primitive cave dwellers who formerly inhabited the coastal belt of the cape and were believed to have become extinct. The leaders of the expedition are Dr. C. E. Cadie, Dr. Grant H. John and Paul L. Hoffer, all from Denver. Denver business men provided financial support for the expedition. The explorers have been filming bush life in the remote parts of the Kalahari desert, in the Bechuanaland protectorate, and the Kaoko veld, the northern coastal region of the former German Southwest Africa. These are the regions chiefly inhabited by the Bushmen, among the most backward of the human races. The scientists report that the Strandloppers, the name given the cave-dwellers by the Boers when they first came to this region many decades ago, were discovered inhabiting an almost inaccessible stretch of coast.

Greeley.—The famous Cody diamond, one of the most prized possessions of the late "Buffalo Bill" Cody, has disappeared. In the setting which once held the perfect six and one-half carat stone which was presented to the noted scout and Indian fighter by a European monarch, now reposed a piece of blue-white glass. This revelation was made here when C. J. Loney, a collector for the county treasurer of Weld county, took the setting which was supposed to hold the noted jewel to a jeweler in Greeley to have the diamond appraised.

Small Grain Seeded to Withstand Frost

Order of Resistance Wheat, Oats and Barley.

Observations made at the Nebraska experiment station and reported in Bulletin 201 show that the order of spring frost resistance in spring wheat, oats and barley. The Nebraska station agronomists suggest, therefore, that the grain be seeded in that order. At the Nebraska station, at Lincoln, the best results have been secured by seeding small grain during the last week in March or the first week in April. Eastern Nebraska corresponds in season to much of Iowa and Illinois and other middle-western states, and the Nebraska recommendations ought to be of interest to farmers throughout the Middle West.

Results at the Nebraska station indicate that the best rates of seeding per acre are eight to ten pecks for oats, six pecks for spring wheat and eight to ten pecks for barley. Little difference in yield was found between broadcasting and drilling. From the standpoint of using the grains as nurse crops, the average date of ripening is of interest. At the Nebraska station, barley has ripened earlier than any other spring grain, the average date for barley being from July 2 to 4. Early oats has, on the average, ripened about July 7, spring wheat about July 10 to 13, and late oats on July 14. When grown as a nurse crop, barley thus has an advantage of several days over other spring grains.

The Nebraska agronomists found that whenever a good quality of grain is obtained from the threshing machine free of noxious weed seeds or trash, fanning or grading is not regarded as important in preparation for seeding. Use of an established treatment for smut is always desirable, and especially when smut is known to have appeared in the preceding crop.

Milk House Is Decided Advantage to Dairyman

A milk house on the dairy farm properly fitted with separator, tester, hot and cold water and ice box with sink and drains is a decided advantage to the dairyman, but many of us are unable to afford such equipment. Many of us have milk houses supplied with well water but may not have ice. An ice house with ice supply is a thing to look forward to but without one it is necessary to keep the cream at a low temperature until it is made into butter or taken to the creamery. If no milk house is on the farm, a handy place can be fitted up for temporary use in caring for the cream by enclosing the windmill frame. The four posts make a good framework for support and an opening can be left for the rod to work through at the top. This will keep the sun off and the running water will keep the place quite cool. The door should be kept closed either by a spring or a weight on a rope so the wind will not whip it open. This little precaution will also avert the danger of leaving it open by carelessness and will help to keep out the flies. With a good floor and troughs arranged for drainage it can be made quite sanitary. A tank can be obtained having a lid, and large enough to set two or four large cream cans in, and by running the pipe directly from the pump into this tank then another pipe from there out into the stock tank the water will be kept circulating and cool and keep the cream at a reasonably low temperature. Such an equipment as this is quite cheap and will answer the purpose very nicely until a milk house can be built.

Poultry Feeds Favored for the Coming Season

Professor Card of the Michigan State college uses the following formula for compounding the rations for the college flock. Poultrymen will be interested in having this formula for preparing their feeds for the coming season.

Table with 2 columns: Feed Name and Amount. Includes items like Corn meal, Finely ground oats, Wheat middlings, Alfalfa meal, Meat scrap, Dried buttermilk, Calcium carbonate, Fine salt, Scratch Feed, Cracked corn, Wheat.

FARM NOTES

Lice and mites cut down winter egg production. Your county agent has directions for dipping and spraying. Every possible encouragement should be given to the production of home-grown feeds so far as this means cheaper feeds. Pasture undoubtedly aids in furnishing some of the nutritive factors which make skim milk such a superlative feed for young pigs fed in dry lot. Every farmer plans to keep his engine busy as many days as possible throughout the year, because a working tractor is a dividend payer, while an idle engine is a losing investment.

Outfits Suitable for Sports Wear

Jacket, Skirt and Knickers, Coat, Sweater, Important Garments.

Whether you skate or ski this winter, or if you do both, the identical outfit will suffice, says a fashion writer in the New York Herald-Tribune. Several types share the smart spotlight. There is the outfit consisting of jacket, skirt and knickers, the costume comprising coat and knickers and an ensemble of coat, skirt, sweater and knickers. The question of greatest moment is whether or not to include a skirt, and we should answer it differently, according to the degree of youth of the wearer, remembering, of course, that for skiing the skirt is always dispensed with. For skating, the very young and the slender post-debutantes may omit the skirt—they do not have to—but the matron looks a bit forced in knickers alone, and for her the skirt is a graceful essential. If you want to vary the costume, carry your



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skirt in your bag and wear it whenever occasion or variety demands. You might omit it when indulging in the active sport and slip-it on when going—into the clubhouse for tea. Snowshoeing, which is enjoying a suddenly revived popularity, requires the same type of costume as skating except that the skirt is preferably omitted. Skating demands the fewest clothes compatible with comfort, snowshoeing requires a little more, while skiing and tobogganing demand more and heavier wraps. For these latter a suede jacket and a fleece wool coat are prescribed, although a smart substitute for the former is the short washable leather jacket in gay colorings. The ensemble note retains its vogue for all winter sports occasions and the smartest matching outfits are developed in brightly colored wools, notably orange, yellow, scarlet, green and rose. A chic costume consists of jacket, sweater, skirt, knickers, scarf and hat, all made of a bright orange wool and each having a contrasted jacquard border.

Radical Departures in Silks for Spring Wear

The silks for spring and the Riviera season will mark several radical departures from current styles, says a fashion writer in the New York Herald-Tribune. Pastel shades will succeed the vivid hues of autumn and winter, while green, a present-day favorite, is destined to undergo a partial eclipse. Border patterns in futuristic designs or in dotted themes have also been developed by the leading French fabricants, and there is a well-founded rumor to the effect that ombre designs are to be revived. Dotted effects will be particularly smart, and there will be numerous versions such as the graduated dots, cablet dot patterns and combinations of the straight solid line with a series of dots. Prints also are destined for another season, and the new patterns will be distinguished by their distinct departure from conventional themes and colorings.

Blouses and Tunics Are in Interesting Models

Blouses and tunics of many styles are shown. They are worn belted in, after the manner of the European peasant. Different sorts of belts are used for these overblouses and mark the normal waistline more definitely than any curve in the cut of the gown or bodice could do, but they do not make for symmetry or grace. The longer tunics ending between the hip and the knee are held by any one of the flexible belt girdles or swathing sashes. This fashion has caught the fancy of many Americans.

Metal Flowers for Coat or Heavy Street Dress



Metal flowers form a new ornament for the coat or heavy street dress. These roses are of golden brown tones, and add chic to lady's garment.

Metallic Cloth Vogue Reaches Accessories

The newest brassieres are elaborate fancies, made of many different materials, some of them far from practical. All-over embroideries and laces have been long used. Now they are shown in silk, satin, crepe, even chiffon, finely plaited, with now and then conspicuous embroidery or hand-painting. The metallic cloth vogue seems to have penetrated to these most intimate accessories, for the loveliest of brassieres are made of gold and silver lame, in metal brocade and metal lace. One of cloth of gold, slightly gathered in front and at the sides and finished with bright gilt lace, is extreme, but intriguing. The ensemble idea, too, has penetrated to these undergarments. In the latest suits of lingerie the brassiere is matched by the girdle and the garters. Sometimes the whole paraphernalia is done in one scheme of material, color and manner of ornamentation. Linen and muslin are rare and frills and furbelows nonexistent. The usual materials are chiffon, voile, marquisette and crepe. A few extravagant examples of underthings are hand-painted, lace trimmed and some are all lace.

Models on Lines of Spanish Dance Frock

The present season is not dominated by any particular period in fashions. Here and there one finds a hint of Persia in the graceful flare of a tunic, or a suggestion of China in the cut of the sleeves and bit of decorative embroidery. The geometric designs which give such a new and different aspect to certain of the smartest frocks reveal quite clearly the influence of the modernistic trend. In the frocks chosen by a few of the debutantes, noted for the picturesque quality of their costumes, the silhouette and colors have been inspired by the dress of a Spanish dancer. It takes a distinct and rather rare type to wear a period frock, but when it is becoming there are few costumes more charming. A new fashion that has just been introduced and that is destined for great popularity is the dance frock of black taffeta and lace, modeled on the lines of a Spanish dancer's frock and emphasizing its distinctiveness by bright red roses posed on shoulder or skirt.

Ensemble Is Offered in Velvet, Wool and Silk

In the fashions of winter the importance of the ensemble is evidenced by the varied interpretations of costumes of this type which are shown by couturiers of note. Many ensembles both for day and evening wear are brought out in velvet, wool and silk. A significant feature in the new fashions is the prominent position accorded black, which for a short period has been rather cast in the shade by the dominance of brilliant shades. In general, ensembles carried out in black have tunics or dresses fashioned of white or colored broche. When the frock is black, however, a lighter note is introduced by trimmings of a colored material or gold and silver. Occasionally metal embroidery is used with most effective results.

Novelties in Garters Arriving From Paris

Since the round garter has come back into fashion a great variety of novelties of this sort are found in the shops. Hand-painted, lace frilled, flower and feather trimmed garters are shown. Gilt or silver lace is gathered to form a tulle at the lower edge of a garter, on which is shirred gilt or silver gauze ribbon. An ornament of metal or one jewel-studded is added at the side. Tiny painted faces are among the novelties shown on some of these fancy garters. Some lovely buckles of real gold, set with stones, are presented with the latest things from Paris. The making of elaborate garters is simplified with the new elastic covered with fancy ribbon shirred and frilled, sold by the yard. Some of this garter material is exceedingly pretty.

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SEASONABLE SANDWICHES

During the winter the filling for sandwiches may be prepared of game, turkey, and various meats which are especially good during the colder months. Turkey Sandwiches.—Mix one-half cupful each of chopped cold turkey, celery and blanched almonds. Season with salt, pepper and molsten with mayonnaise dressing. Spread half the slices with the dressing, cover with a lettuce leaf; spread the remaining slices with a thick layer of the turkey mixture. Put together in pairs, trim off the crusts and cut diagonally across. Garnish with ripe olives and celery hearts. Serve with coffee or mulled cider.

Caviare Sandwiches.—To one-fourth of a pound of caviare, add two table-spoonfuls of lemon juice and three table-spoonfuls of olive oil. Stir until creamy, then spread on thin slices of white or entire wheat bread, press edges together, sprinkle one side of each sandwich with paprika, insert small sprigs of parsley in the centers and serve with oysters.

Hot Chicken Sandwiches.—Chop medium fine, cold cooked chicken. Have ready rounds of hot buttered toast. Slightly moisten the chicken with hot chicken gravy and spread half the rounds with the mixture. Cover with the remaining rounds. Arrange sandwiches on hot plates and pour over the hot chicken gravy. Serve with celery salad.

Emergency Sandwiches.—Take one cupful of grated cheese that is rather dry, add three hard cooked eggs finely chopped. Add one table-spoonful of finely chopped chives or onion, season with salt, cayenne and paprika. Moisten with mayonnaise or thick cream. Use as filling for white bread sandwiches, spread with mustard butter.

Peanut Butter and Tomato Sandwiches.—Moisten peanut butter with tomato catsup. Spread thin slices of white bread with the mixture, cover with crisp lettuce and cover with another slice. Press the edges together and serve at once.

Salads and Other Things. A very pretty, as well as tasty salad, is prepared with lemon jello as a base. Carrot, Pineapple and Lemon Jello Salad.—Grate carrots to fill a cup, add as much finely diced pineapple, stir into lemon jello to lemon jello and pour into small molds to harden. Serve on head lettuce with a highly seasoned mayonnaise dressing.

The Three P's Salad.—Take a cupful each of stewed prunes, rolled peanuts and minced pineapple. Arrange on head lettuce and serve with French dressing.

Hot Open Oyster Sandwiches.—Scald one cupful of cream, add two table-spoonfuls of fine bread crumbs, one table-spoonful of butter, one-eighth teaspoonful of paprika, a few grains of nutmeg and salt to season. Wash, drain and chop two dozen select oysters, add to the first mixture and stir until thoroughly heated without boiling. Add one-half teaspoonful of finely chopped parsley and spread rounds of hot buttered toast with the mixture. Serve at once, garnished with lettuce hearts and olives.

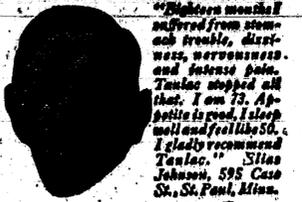
Roast Goose.—As geese are so fat it is necessary to treat them differently in cooking than the ordinary fowl.—Scrub it well with soda in the water, stuff and truss and place in the roaster in a hot oven. As the fat begins to fry out, thrust a fork into the skin and pierce the breast of the goose all over; when there is a cupful or more of the fat in the pan, pour it out and continue piercing the skin occasionally until the most of the fat is withdrawn, then baste during the roasting. This fat may be used for various things. Goose fat is invaluable as it remedies for rubbing on the chest and throat when suffering from colds and croup.

Jelly Sandwiches.—Spread slices of thinly cut white bread with creamed butter, cover half of the slices with quince jelly, or apple, sprinkle with chopped nuts, press together into pairs and cut into fancy shapes.

Nellie Maxwell

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**The World Court**

The adoption of the protocol of the World Court by a decisive vote in the senate ends a controversy which has lasted for some years. In view of the excitement, and hours consumed in arguing the subject, it may seem a rash prediction, but there are sober people who say that the element of controversy created the high light and now that it is an accepted fact, the whole subject will become one for sober, sincere, constructive discussion. Under the protocol as adopted, the United States agrees to assist in the election of judges and to contribute in part the cost of maintaining the court. But through reservation it is distinctly stipulated that the court cannot act on American cases, except those submitted by American authorities, and further that the United States may at any time withdraw its adherence to this Protocol.

The American government, wholly apart from the World Court, will continue advancing its own distinctly American theory of peace through treaties of arbitration, of which a considerable number have already been made, and its system of treaties of commerce and amity with which it has always safeguarded the rights of its citizens in their relations with the subjects of foreign nations, all of which are subject to acceptance by our senate.

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**NOTICE**

State of New Mexico  
County of Lincoln  
Probate Court

**TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:**

Notice is hereby given that T. M. Du Bois, Executor of the Estate of James R. Tucker, Deceased, has filed his final report of his acts and transactions as Executor of said estate; and the Honorable W. E. Kimbrell, Probate Judge of Lincoln County, New Mexico, has set the 1st day of March, A. D. 1926, the same being the 1st day of the regular March Term of the Probate Court, within and for the aforesaid County, at the hour of 10 a. m., at his office in the Court House in Carrizozo, New Mexico, as the time and place for hearing any objection to the same.

Therefore, any person or persons objecting to said final report may do so by filing their objections on or before the above-named date.

Dated at Carrizozo, N. M., this 5th day of January, 1926.

Lotah Miller,  
(Seal) J 8-29 Probate Clerk.

**NOTICE**

Last Will and Testament of Lyda M. Goff, deceased.

To James Owings, Helper, Kansas, Zella White, Shelburn, Oregon, May Misgrave, Los Angeles, California, and Alice Skinner, Los Angeles, California, and to whom it may concern:

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that the alleged last will and testament of Lyda M. Goff, deceased, late of the County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, was produced and read in the Probate Court of Lincoln County, State of New Mexico, on the 5th day of January, 1926, and the court fixed the hour of two o'clock a. m. March 1, 1926, as the time for the proving of said alleged last will and testament.

Given under my hand and the seal of the court, this 14th day of January 1926.

Lotah Miller (Seal)  
County Clerk.  
Jan. 15-Feb. 5

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**

Department of the Interior  
U. S. Land Office at Las Cruces, N. M.  
Dec. 30, 1925.

Notice is hereby given that John Gallacher, of Carrizozo, N. M., who, on Nov. 18, 1920, made Additional Homestead Entry No. 019762 for NW 1/4 Sec. 14, NW 1/4, N 3/4, Sec. 15, Township 5-S, Range 8-E, N.M.P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Frank J. Sager, U.S. Commissioner, at Carrizozo, N. M., on Feb. 15, 1926.

Claimant names as witnesses: Fred Burch, Doyle Rentfrow, Fred Dawson, George Olney, all of Carrizozo, N. M. K. D. Stoess, Register.  
Jan 8-Feb 5

**Important Notice**

State Tax Commission  
Santa Fe, N. M.,  
January 6, 1926

**To all County Assessors:**

As you are about to begin the work of assessing the properties situate within your county for the current year, it has occurred to us that a suggestion as to ex-service men's exemptions might, with propriety, be brought to your attention. We desire to render you every assistance possible and to that end would suggest one plan as outlined below. This, if carried out, will assist you and we believe, be of great benefit to this class of taxpayers and also would relieve the courts of a great deal of annoyance and work.

An ex-service man, who is entitled to an exemption of two thousand dollars and he has property, regardless of whether the property is real or personal, should, during the month of January, render to the assessor, a complete description and list of his property. At the same time, those who are entitled to exemptions should request the allowance of exemptions and make such showings to the assessor as the assessor may require. These requests and showings should be made in writing and should accompany the returns. By all means, this should be done during the present month.

If the above suggestions are carried out, the ex-service men will receive their exemptions in the tax roll and it will not be necessary for them to apply to

the courts next fall, requesting that the tax which the assessor has levied be stricken in order to grant proper exemption. It will relieve the Court of the necessity of issuing orders granting these exemptions. It will also relieve the tax roll of a great deal of property upon which taxes have been regularly levied and upon which budgets are based, but from which no return will be received. Now is the time for the ex-service men to attend to this matter, rendering their property and requesting their exemptions.

I trust that you will give this letter, or such portions of it as you see fit, due publicity in your county, so that all ex-service men will be advised as to their rights and duties.

Respectfully submitted,  
State Tax Commission,  
By J. E. Owen,  
Chief Tax Commissioner.  
Jan. 15-Feb. 5

**NOTICE**

State of New Mexico,  
County of Lincoln

Joe Phillips, Plaintiff,  
vs  
Ivaloe Phillips, Defendant.  
No. 3663.

In the District Court of the Third Judicial District of New Mexico, for the County of Lincoln.

The said defendant, Ivaloe Phillips, is hereby notified that a complaint has been filed against her in the District Court for the County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, that being the Court in which said case is pending, by said plaintiff Joe Phillips; the general object of said action being for a decree of absolute divorce on the grounds of desertion and abandonment, as will more fully appear by reference to the complaint filed in said cause.

That unless you the said defendant Ivaloe Phillips enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 27th day of February A. D. 1926, judgment will be rendered against you by default.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said Court at Carrizozo, N. M., this 13th day of January A. D. 1926.

Lotah Miller, Clerk District Court.  
Name and address of plaintiff's attorney: G. B. Barber, Carrizozo, N. M.  
Jan. 22-Feb. 10.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**

Department of the Interior  
U. S. Land Office at Las Cruces, N. M.  
Jan. 25, 1926.

Notice is hereby given that Elva H. Senter, widow of Eugene C. Senter, deceased, of Hobart, Oklahoma, who, on June 6, 1922, made Original Homestead Entry, No. 023704, for W 1/4 E 1/4 Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 14, 15, and 16, Section 30, Township 4-S, Range 8-E, N.M.P.M., has filed notice of intention to make three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Frank J. Sager, U. S. Commissioner, at Carrizozo, N. M., as to the witnesses, on the 12th day of March, 1926.

Claimant names as witnesses: J. B. French, R. E. Berry, John Reddin, J. W. Hutchins, of Carrizozo, N. M. The Claimant will offer her testimony before J. S. Carpenter, Judge of the County Court of Kiowa County, Okla. K. D. Stoess, Register, Jan. 29-Feb 20

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**

Department of the Interior  
U. S. Land Office at Las Cruces, N. M.  
Jan. 26, 1926

Notice is hereby given that Dennis L. Spaid of Ancho, New Mexico, who, on December 6th, 1919, made Additional Homestead, Serial No. 025745, for E 1/4 W 1/4 Sec. 4; NW 1/4 NE 1/4, NE 1/4 NW 1/4; S 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 9, Old No. 033878, Township 4-S, Range 11-E, N.M.P.M., has filed notice of intention to make three year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Lotah Miller, Carrizozo, N. M., on Mar. 13, 1926.

Claimant names as witnesses: Bryan Hightower, Juan Valdez, Guy Warden, all of Ancho, N. M.; Jimmie Cooper of Carrizozo, N. M.  
K. D. Stoess, Register.  
J 23-F 26

Those who listened to the program of the Scottish Rite Male Choir broadcasted from Station WBL last month will be glad to know that this choir, augmented with ten of the best female voices in Baltimore, will be broadcasted from Station WBL, February 12, between the hours of 9 and 10 o'clock, p. m., eastern standard time.—Scottish Rite News Bureau.

**NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE OF MORTGAGE AND SALE OF REAL ESTATE**

Notice is hereby given that on Oct. 28, 1922, Sofia T. Chavez, a widow, executed her certain promissory note in the sum of \$1,000.00 payable to the order of Mrs. Oney Ramond, at the Citizens National Bank of Roswell, N. M., and due three months after date, bearing interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from date until paid with 10 per cent additional on the full amount due for attorneys fees if placed in the hands of an attorney for collection; and that on said October 28, 1922 and to secure the payment of said note said Sofia T. Chavez, made, executed, acknowledged and delivered her certain mortgage deed conveying unto the said Mrs. Oney Ramond the following described real estate situated in the County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, to-wit:

A certain tract of land containing twelve (12) acres more or less, in sections 3 and 10, in township 11, south of Range 17-East, N.M.P.M. better described as follows: Beginning one chain north of the southwest corner of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter, section ten, said township and range; thence in a northerly direction twelve and one-half chains to the boundary line of Estalano Sanchez land, thence north by east 11.80 chains to the south boundary line of Transito Chavez land; thence east by south five chains thirty-five and one-half link to the west boundary line of Florindo Chavez land; thence south by west twenty-seven chains and ninety links to place of beginning, together with a water right of twenty hours each week in the Chavez ditch.

Also about thirty acres in sections three and ten, township 11 S, range 17 E, N. M. P. M. beginning at a point from which the southeast corner to the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of Section 3, Twp. 11 S, Range 17 E, bears east 90 degrees 6.54 chains 16 links to the land of Cornelia P. De Sanchez to the northwest corner of tract from which corner post of fence bears east 40 degrees N. 18 links to the southwest corner of tract, which is also the northwest corner of land of C. D. Chavez; thence 48 degrees east 10 chains 71 links to the west boundary of land of C. J. Jackson, which is the southeast corner of this tract, and is also the northeast corner of land of Florinda C. De Bie; thence west 48 degrees north to place of beginning. Together with other description not needed in this abstract.

That at that time said mortgage lien herein referred to was the first lien upon said premises; that said mortgage deed was recorded on or about the 31st day of October 1922, in Book A-9, page 321 of the Records of Mortgage Deeds of said Lincoln County and the said Mrs. Oney Ramond is now the owner and holder of said note and mortgage deed. That default has been made in the payment of said note and interest according to the terms and conditions of said note and mortgage deed and the terms and conditions of said mortgage have been wholly breached, and that said note has been placed in the hands of an attorney for collection and there is now due on account of said note and mortgage in the principal sum of \$1,000.00, \$322.37 interest, \$102.99 attorneys fees, being a total of \$1,455.36; and the said mortgagee as the legal owner and holder of said mortgage and under the authority of the power of sale contained in said mortgage deed, does hereby give notice that in accordance with the terms of said mortgage deed and power of sale therein contained, the undersigned mortgagee as aforesaid, will on the 23rd day of February, 1926, at the front door of the County Court House of said Lincoln County, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the real estate in this notice above described, and under the power in said mortgage will execute to the purchaser thereof a deed to said premises and with the proceeds of said sale will pay and satisfy the indebtedness secured by said mortgage deed so far as said proceeds will pay and satisfy the same. That in addition to said sum of \$1,455.36, there will be added the costs of this sale and accrued interest which will be approximately \$40.00 and if there be any residue after paying all of said indebtedness and sale, the same will be paid to said mortgagee.

IN WITNESS MY HAND this 18th day of January, 1926.

(Signed) Mrs. Oney Ramond,  
Mortgagee and Seller.  
Jan. 22-Feb. 12

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**Notice of Special Master's Sale Under Foreclosure**

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of final decree of foreclosure and order of sale made on the 23rd day of September, 1925, in the District Court of the Third Judicial District of the State of New Mexico, in and for the County of Lincoln, in Cause No. 3531, on the civil docket of said court, wherein The First National Bank of El Paso, Tex., a corporation, is plaintiff, and John F. Thompson is defendant, the undersigned special master, designated in said final decree and order of sale will offer for sale, at public auction, and sell to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the courthouse, in Carrizozo, County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, at ten o'clock a. m., on Tuesday, the 23rd of February, 1926, all of the following described real and personal property, to-wit:

The remnant of livestock of said John F. Thompson, ranging in said Lincoln County, described in a chattel mortgage given by said John F. Thompson to Exchange Bank, of Carrizozo, N. M., and foreclosed by said decree, will be sold range delivery; and also the following real property, lying and being situate in the County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, to-wit: Under foreclosure of the mortgage recorded in Book A-9, of the mortgage records of said Lincoln County, at page 278, described as follows: SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 and W 1/4 of SW 1/4 of SW 1/4, of sec. 17; S 1/2 of SE 1/4 of SE 1/4, and E 1/2 of SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of SE 1/4, of sec. 18; NE 1/4 of NE 1/4, N 1/2 of SE 1/4 of NE 1/4, E 1/2 of NE 1/4 of NE 1/4, and E 1/2 of E 1/2 of NW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of sec. 19; W 1/2 of NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of NW 1/4, and W 1/2 of E 1/2 of NW 1/4 of NW 1/4, and W 1/2 of NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of sec. 20, in township 4 south of range 12, east, N. M. P. M., containing 160 acres; and S 1/4 of NW 1/4, N 1/2 of SW 1/4, N 1/2 of SW 1/4 of sec. 17, SE 1/4 of NE 1/4, NE 1/4 of SE 1/4, N 1/2 of SE 1/4 of sec. 18, in township 4 south of range 12 east, N. M. P. M., containing 280 acres, together with, all and singular, the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, or in any wise appertaining, and the rents, issues and profits thereof.

And notice is further given that the amounts to be realized from the sale of said chattels and the above described real estate, according to the terms of said decree, are as follows: Attorney's fees \$266.00, judgment \$2662.14, together with interest thereon to date of sale, aggregating the sum of \$3035.57, together with the costs of this sale.

And notice is further given that the following described real estate, situate in the County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, to-wit: Lot 24, in block 2, of McDonald's Addition to Carrizozo, as shown on the plat of said addition on file in the office of the county clerk of said county and state aforesaid, together with, all and singular, the tenements, hereditaments, and appurtenances thereunto belonging, or in any wise appertaining, and the rents, issues and profits thereof; will be sold under foreclosure of the mortgage recorded in Book A-6, at page 306, of the mortgage records of said Lincoln County, pursuant to said decree and order of sale, at said time and place, and notice is further given that the amounts to be realized from the sale of said last above described real estate are: Costs of suit, \$8.00, attorney's fees, \$19.00, judgment, \$192.14, together with interest thereon to date of sale, aggregating the sum of \$226.87, together with the costs of this sale.

Dated this 28th day of January, A. D. 1926.

Graco M. Jones, Special Master.  
Jan. 29-Feb 19

**Notice for Publication**

Department of the Interior  
U. S. Land Office,  
Las Cruces, N. M. Serial No. 031613  
Jan. 7, 1926

**NOTICE**

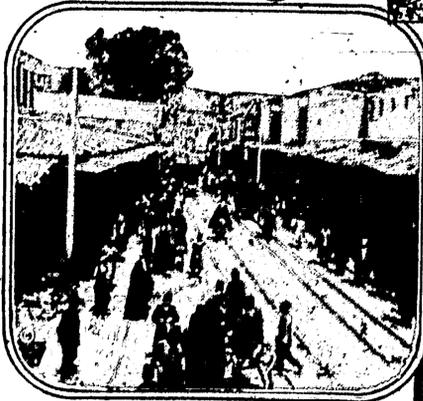
Notice is hereby given that on the 7th day of January, 1926, the Santa Fe Pacific Railroad Company, by Howel Jones, its Land Commissioner, made application at the United States Land Office at Las Cruces, New Mexico, to select under the Act of April 23, 1904 (33 Stats., 211) the following described lands, to-wit: SW 1-4 SW 1-4, Sec. 15; NW 1-4 NW 1-4, Sec. 22, T. 4 S., R. 10 E., New Mexico Principal Meridian.

The purpose of this notice is to allow all persons claiming the land adversely, or desiring to show it to be mineral in character, an opportunity to file objection to such location or selection with the local officers for the land district in which the land is situate, to-wit, at the land office aforesaid, and to establish their interest therein, or the mineral character thereof.

K. D. Stoess,  
Register.

# Damascus, the Deserted

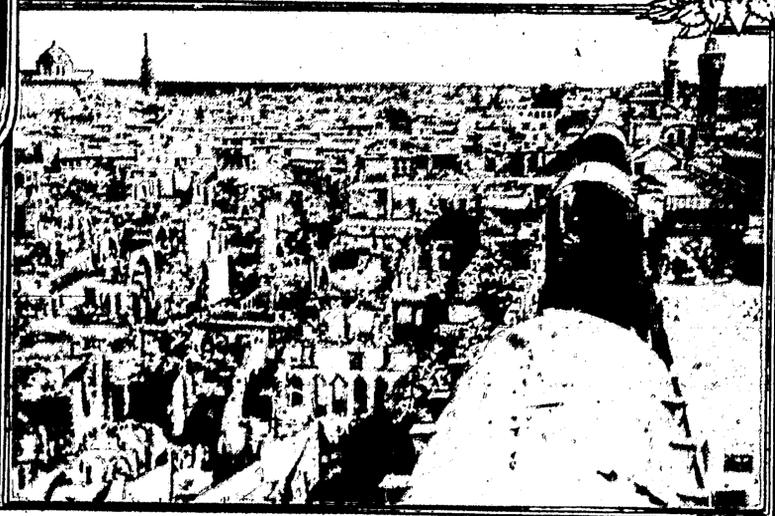
## Soldiers Now In "The Street That Is Called Straight"



Market of Damascus



Damascus - Before



Damascus - After

**D** By DEWITT J. MASON

AMARCUS, one of the oldest cities of the world, and at one time the wealthiest and busiest market of the Orient, is now partially deserted. Automobile trains, native carts, and other available vehicles, pressed into service, removed many of the inhabitants, including merchants, fleeing with their families from the ancient city of historical and mythical story as though from pestilence.

Many of the famous bazars, where merchants once sat cross-legged and displayed their wares, are closed. Hotels are empty. The streets are deserted except for loungers in the Mordjo Central square (where revolutionaries were recently hanged by the hundreds) and the beggars in "the street which is called Straight"—and troops. Soldiers are everywhere. Black, yellow, white, these soldier squads move through the narrow streets constantly, arresting revolutionary suspects.

Three vernacular daily newspapers and two comic weeklies have been suppressed by the French authorities. Meantime revolutionary organizations, called the "Iron Hands," "Watchful Eyes," and the "Moslem Stalwarts," are circulating secretly printed inflammatory proclamations telling of supposed French disasters. The vendors of these proclamations are arrested by secret service agents the moment they are discovered.

Promptly at 6 o'clock each evening the curfew sounds. A gravelly silence descends, broken only by the heavy rumbling of tanks, the clattering of armored cars, the sound of galloping hoofs as cavalry moves through the streets. Then, from time to time, comes the distant crack of a French "seventy-five." You know it is bombarding rebel groups hidden away outside the city.

Then there comes a wailing chant and from high up in the minarets a voice calls the faithful to prayer.

This is the Damascus of rebellion; the ancient city after revolt against French control and subsequent bombardment.

Rebel activity in the south has been suppressed, but bands of marauders and revolutionaries are roaming the country.

The French are cutting down groves and destroying the gardens in the suburbs of Damascus. It was in the groves and the gardens that the revolutionaries concealed themselves. The city is also being encircled with a cordon of barbed wire, while every military police post is guarded by sandbags and machine guns. Sentries keep constant watch from the roofs of buildings, while the batteries of Fort Gouraud are trained directly upon those sections of the city that are regarded as most dangerous.

"THE world began at Damascus and will end there," says an eastern proverb. And there is a story about Mohammed "a tale which a visitor in Damascus is bound to hear many times." The prophet is said to have ridden to a hill overlooking Damascus, "where he was met by a delegation of Damascenes." With great ceremony, the story proceeds, they invited him to enter the city. The prophet gazed down on Damascus, in the center of its green gardens, and said: "When I die, I shall go to heaven; so why should I now go to Damascus?" And that handsome compliment to the city where the Apostle Paul, after his miraculous conversion, found shelter in a house in the street called Straight, is explained by a reference to the Koran, "which pictures paradise as an orchard, traversed by streams of flowing waters, where grow the most delicious fruits." This ideal, explains William Jourdan Rapp in the New York Times, appeared to the natives of that sterile region to be realized at Damascus. The city and its surroundings are lavishly extolled by Arabian poets, he reminds us. Sketching the eventful story of that archaic paradise—"the oldest city in history"—so recently devastated anew to a ferocious clash between the occupying French and the recalcitrant Druses, Mr. Rapp remarks that Damascus, although "battered, pillaged and burned at recurring intervals since the days of Abraham," has always been rebuilt, until it is easy to believe the eastern saying that the world will end there, in its legendary cradle. And he continues:

"From its early days the history of Damascus has been stormy. The origin of the city is unknown, and there is much to confirm the popular belief that it is the oldest continuous city in the world. It is mentioned a number of times in Genesis. Abraham's steward is called 'Knezer of Damascus.' David made a successful expedition against the city for the aid it gave his enemy, Hadozezer, king of Soba. Throughout the reign

of Solomon, Rezon, who established a dynasty in Damascus, seems to have been in constant conflict with the kingdom of Israel.

"In all its long life the history of Damascus may be divided into a few great chapters. In 333 B. C., after the battle of Issus, in which Alexander the Great destroyed the Persian armies of Darius, Damascus was delivered by treachery into the hands of Parmenio, a general of Alexander, and the harem and treasury of Darius, which had been lodged in the city, were surrendered to the conquering Greeks.

"In the New Testament Damascus is spoken of in connection with the miraculous conversion of Paul; the episode that pictures his being lowered in a basket over the wall to escape Arotas, the governor, and Paul's return to the city from Arabia."

**D**URING the first centuries after Christ, Syria was a Roman province, and in 150 A. D. Trajan made Damascus a provincial capital. Later the city was an outpost of the Byzantine empire. In the wars between Byzance and Persia it suffered greatly and was finally captured by Khalid-ibn-Walid in 635. The seat of the caliphate was transferred from Mecca to Damascus, which became the center of the great empire of the Ommyyads, whose rule extended from India to the Atlantic.

The Ommyyads were replaced after ninety years by the Abbassids, who removed the seat of their empire to Bagdad. Damascus then passed through a period of unrest in which it was captured and ravaged in turn by the Egyptians, the Carmathians and the Seljuks.

Crusaders attacked Damascus in 1120, but never succeeded in keeping a firm hold on the city, even during their brief domination of Syria. Throughout his fierce struggle with the Franks Saladin made his headquarters in Damascus. His tomb is now one of the sights of the town. In 1899 Kaiser Wilhelm of Germany, on his visit to Damascus, laid a bronze wreath on the tomb. It bore the inscription: "From one great emperor to another." The wreath was removed by the English when General Allenby captured the city from the Turks in 1918.

In the centuries following the Crusades Damascus was plundered by the Mongols and the Mamelukes of Egypt. In 1399 it purchased immunity from destruction at the hands of the Tatar conqueror, Tamerlane, of whom we read:

"Tamerlane, on this occasion, captured all the famous armurers of Damascus and carried them to Samarkand and Khorasan, where they introduced the art of manufacturing Damascus blades. Today this art still exists in these cities of Turkestan, while at Damascus it has completely disappeared.

"Damascus fell into the hands of the Ottoman Turks in 1516 when Sultan Selim conquered Syria. It remained part of the Ottoman empire until the British conquest of Palestine and Syria in 1918.

"In 1800 Damascus was the scene of a terrible massacre of the Christians. More than 6,000 were killed by the Moslems, whose minds had been greatly excited by the Indian mutiny. A French army corps of 10,000 men finally brought calm to the city and the surrounding country after the Turks had failed to re-establish order. Today the French claim to the mandate of Syria is largely based on France's traditional position as protector of Christian minorities.

"Then comes the last chapter. At Damascus the Arabs proclaimed Emir Faisal king of Syria in February, 1920. To this the French objected, and in August of the same year they occupied the city, driving Faisal out. However, Damascus, even under the French, has remained the center of Arab self-determination. If the dream of a great Arabian state, including all the Arab lands from the Persian gulf to the Mediterranean and from

Turkey to Aden, is ever realized, Damascus will probably be its capital.

"The most important building in Damascus is the Great Mosque of the Ommyyads. Its minarets dominate the whole city. The site of the mosque was originally occupied by a Roman temple. This was converted into a Christian church by the Emperor Theodosius in 376, and named the Church of St. John, because it was supposed to contain a casket with the head of John the Baptist. To this day Damascenes swear by the head of St. John.

**T**HE greatest sufferers in the present turmoil, the writer remarks, are the 15,000 Armenians who had built a model refugee village on the outskirts of the city. Of these unfortunates we are told:

"After many years of hard struggle, and with a little aid from the Near East Relief, they had become self-supporting. Dispatches report that these Armenians have had to abandon their village and flee to Beirut, where, under the guns of French warships in the harbor, there is some protection.

In peaceful times, May is the best season in which to see Damascus a visit, for then the plain of the Barada river, in whose midst the city stands, is covered with a brilliant carpet of wild flowers. Walnut, apricot, lemon and orange trees in the gardens surrounding the city are in full foliage. This brilliant oasis, with minarets rising from hundreds of mosques, Bedouins of the desert regard as the next thing to paradise.

"Damascus has a population of about 300,000 souls, four-fifths being Moslems. The other fifth is made up of Christians and Jews. Among the Christians, members of the Greek Orthodox church predominate; but there are also Roman Catholics, Maronites, Gregorians (largely Armenian refugees from Cilicia) and a few Protestants. The Moslems subdivide into Arabs, Circassians, Druses and Kurds—nationalistic divisions which, in the case of the Druses, is heightened by a fanatical sectarianism. Much rivalry and hatred exists.

"The city has three distinct quarters—Moslem, Christian and Jewish. It is said that there is no other city where customs have changed so little during the ages. The Jews as nearly resemble those of the time of Paul as can be imagined. Scarcely any other people in the world has adhered so tenaciously to the very letter of the religious code.

Strolling, you find it difficult to make your way among the vendors of lemonade or sweetened water shouting "Berid al-kalbika!" (refresh thy heart), and the sellers of other refreshments crying: "Take care of your teeth!" "Food for the swallows!" and "Allah is the nourisher, buy my bread!" "You come to the silk bazaar, which is especially interesting because of the fact that it contains more of the produce of native industry than may be found in any of the other bazaars. Here are shawls and mashlaks or kimonos, or brilliantly colored silk cloth, woven with elaborate designs in silver and gold; farther along is the cotton bazaar, dedicated to mattress makers and wool carders. Then comes the spice market, where drugs and spices are displayed in interminable rows of boxes and glasses.

"As one walks through these bazaars, which but a short time ago were prosperous and in full activity—it is impossible to drive—one is depressed by the spectacle of destruction and ruin, and this feeling is accentuated by glimpses of even greater damage done up the little side-alley leading off them. The Saghar quarters are also badly damaged, while the Sak-el-Kharatla (Turner's Market), which runs across the south end of the street called Straight, has also suffered severely, house upon house and shop after shop having the appearance of being in process of demolition. But the holes are unmistakably made by shell, and smoke curling between the rafters and firemen working on the roofs tell the true tale."

**HOW TO KEEP WELL**

DR. FREDERICK R. GREEN  
Editor of "HEALTH"

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**BLACK LADY**

**BLACK LADY** was a beautiful cow. She belonged to a farmer in Edgar county, Illinois. She was fat and sleek and apparently perfectly happy. She gave a large amount of milk.

When the state department of agriculture tested her and pronounced her tubercular, the farmer was mad. "Those scientific fellows make me tired with their germs and tests and microscopes and things. Where's the sense in killing a perfectly good cow? Our grandfathers and grandmothers never heard of such nonsense and I guess they lived as long as anybody."

So he gave Black Lady to Kelly, one of his farm hands and Kelly took her home. Mrs. Kelly and the seven little Kellys soon became very fond of her, especially the five who liked milk. The oldest child didn't drink milk and the baby was too little. But all the others did. So did the family cat and the kittens and the pig, when it could get any.

Two years went by. Then Annybell, the five-year-old girl, began to have pains in her back. "But all young children have growing pains and they soon outgrow them." Only Annybell didn't. She got worse and her back hurt her so that, finally, the doctor was called.

He found that little Annybell had tuberculosis of the spine. Then he found that Black Lady and the other cow, the pig, the cat and all the kittens had tuberculosis. So did all the rest of the family, except Mr. and Mrs. Kelly, the oldest girl and the baby, none of whom had drunk milk.

So, as one of the children said: "Annybell got sick and the doctor came and took away Black Lady and the red cow and all the kittens. We're awfully sorry to lose Black Lady, 'cause she was such a pretty cow. Annybell's getting better now but she has to wear a plaster cast. We're drinking milk now from another cow that the doctor says is tuberculin tested. I don't know what that means but the doctor says if we drink pure milk and stay outdoors in the sunshine we'll soon be well again."

This is a story from real life. Black Lady was a pretty cow but pretty cows are just as apt to have tuberculosis as homely cows.

It was a pretty expensive lesson for Kelly, who thought he was giving his little brood good milk. The farmer who gave him Black Lady was fined \$100. That's all right, only it doesn't make little Annybell's back straight nor the other little Kellys well. The farmers of Edgar county have learned that quarantine laws are not foolish but are for the protection of the people and that when they are broken someone suffers, even sometimes little children.

Little Annybell doesn't know she is an object lesson to the farmers of Illinois. All she knows is that her back hurts and that she has to wear a heavy plaster cast and that she can't run and play like other children. But she will know some day and then she'll tell other little girls on farms, "Don't drink milk from tubercular cows. I did and I wish I hadn't."

And all this story is written in the records of the Illinois state department of agriculture.

**THE EYES OF SCHOOL CHILDREN**

ONLY one child out of ten, of the average age of eight and one-half years, has perfect eyesight. Sixty per cent of all school children need glasses of some kind to aid their eyes. These are the conclusions of a committee of experts who have made a careful and painstaking examination of a large group of school children. Most of these children were far-sighted. Over 66 per cent have some degree of far-sightedness. Of the remaining 12 per cent, 4 per cent were near-sighted while only 8 per cent had perfect vision.

Fortunately, far-sightedness tends to correct itself with growth and development, more than near-sightedness. Nevertheless, many of these children, at least during their school years, need and should have help in the form of suitably fitted glasses to relieve the strain on the eyes and to reduce the danger of injuries to the vision in later years.

That these eye defects do not all disappear in later years is shown by the fact that an examination of 42,275 college students in 22 colleges and universities shows that the amount of defective vision runs from 15 to 51 per cent in the various colleges, with an average of 37 per cent.

How about the school children who don't go to college but who go to work when they finish school? Here the average is even higher. The committee appointed by Secretary Hoover found that in 7 large factories employing 5,000 or more men, eye tests made on 135,530 employees showed defective vision ranging from 48 to 71 per cent and averaging 53 per cent. That means that every other man had some defect of sight.

So whether your child is going to college or going into a shop or factory, during his school days, at least, his eyes should be carefully watched and protected for the sake of his future.

**Weak After Operation**

Gardner, Colo.—"After having a heart operation for familial dyslipidemia I was in a very weak condition. I never fully recovered from the operation, and after 18 months of virtual invalidism—during which time I performed my household tasks by sheer force of will—I almost despaired of ever getting stronger. Finally I began taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Now I have some reserve energy and my work is not nearly such a task. I have a good color in my cheeks and a good appetite—both due to this wonderful medicine."—Mrs. Sam J. Lutz, Box 22, Lutz, Mo.

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**Speed Not Everything in Airplane Fighting**

Lieutenant Bettis of the army air service, who has traveled at higher speed than any other person living, says that when the army increases the speed of its pursuit planes it decreases their power to maneuver. Nearly every victory in the air during the World War was accomplished by maneuvering. If in the future it will be found effective to go at the enemy with a speed of four or five miles a minute, annihilate him with one machine gun burst and get away, that will not call for much maneuvering. But in the last war the way an airman outgeneraled his enemy was to get above him and then swoop down beside him, raking him with gun fire during the process. In the animal world the best fighters are not the swiftest runners—they don't have to be.—Capper's Weekly.

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**Physican Made Name Immortal by Discovery**

The centenary of the discovery of the condition known as Bright's disease, hospital, where, a hundred years ago, Dr. Robert Bright made the definite statement that in his opinion a sailor admitted to the hospital complaining of dropsy, and of a large and inflamed heart, owed his condition to disease of the kidneys. Bright's name ranks today among the half dozen greatest of English physicians. Before him the symptoms of the disease with which he will always be associated had been observed again and again, but they had been correlated by no one with damage to the kidneys. His history was peculiar and significant of the spirit which makes for discovery. He started his career by studying arts in Edinburgh, and then embarked upon medicine, interrupting his course to visit Iceland and to write extensively upon its botany and zoology.

**Finally**

Orator—What will become of the standing army? That's what I want to ask—what will become of the standing army? Voice in Crowd—They'll get tired and sit down.

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CHAPTER IX—Continued

"But, mademoiselle, you must be surfeited with pretty words from Monsieur," he said maliciously, sure of the effect. "Pretty words from heem?" She laughed bitterly, "that ees a joke! No pretty words from heem since the lady, who will marry Lascelles at Albany, drive heem crazy, eh, Louis?" Lafamme scowled into her mocking eyes, but was silent. He rose and led his guest to the living room. Then the sound of voices outside attracted his attention, and shortly, the Ojibway girl appeared and spoke to him in a whisper. "You will excuse me for a little while? I am called to the trade-house." At the door he added with a brutal laugh, "Help yourself to the cigarettes and whisky. And—those will keep you entertained, no doubt."

was busy with what the Frenchman's return from the trade-house had checked the girl from disclosing. If Pierre were Lafamme's man, as he seemed to be, Steele was curious to learn what tale the Indian had brought from Walling River concerning the lost fur canoe and the Windigo terror. He finally decided to drive straight at the point with the hope that the girl would drop something. "Did I tell you this afternoon that I heard a Windigo at Walling River?" he began. "What? You a scientist, mean to tell me that you heard a Windigo—a creature of Indian myth and superstition—a bugaboo of the medicine man?" Steele grinned with delight into the trader's puzzled eyes. "I certainly do. I was waked by his howling on the ridge across the river from the post."



The Face of the Girl Went Gray With Fear. "Mon Dieu! If It's Lafamme!"

he caught a furtive signal from about the girl. She cautiously lowered an eyelid, as she watched Lafamme. So the Frenchman was deceiving him. Pierre had been on the trader's business at Walling River. But why did Lafamme wish to conceal it? He could not suspect that Steele would return to the Walling. "And you believe with the Indians, I suppose, that the Windigo got the canoe, also?" jeered Lafamme. "That's a bit too raw, monsieur! It is not the first boat to be smashed in that whitewater." "But it was not lost in the rapids. That has been proved, for no trace of boat, fur or men was ever found. They couldn't steal the fur and get out by the Albany or through the muskeg country. That leaves the Windigo as the only solution, doesn't it?"

pointed to the door. "We've had enough of this; you're drunk! Monsieur Steele will excuse you. Good night!" The insult drove the blood from her flaming face; sobered her. She walked to the door, where she turned and said quietly to Steele: "Bon soir, monsieur, I leave you with these gentleman and—cutthroat."

CHAPTER X

From the outside the cabin where he and David were to sleep was dark, but he entered to find David, aided by the light of two candles, busy with their bags. "What's the trouble?" Steele asked, noticing the blankets with which David had nudged the windows. "You don't think he'd dare fire in on you?" "Maybe," and the Ojibway pointed to the contents of a large waterproof bag on the floor at his feet. "They have come to see eef you are w'at you say." "They've been through our Indian stuff?" "Yes, dey look at dese bag and not pack dem good." A low knock checked the conversation. David reached for a candle. "No!" said Steele, "stand by with that!" pointing to David's rifle, then opened the door. It was Rose Lafamme. Disapproval was stamped on David's face as he slowly shook his head. "Monsieur Steele, I wish to talk with you in private—" she hesitated, with a nod of her head toward the Ojibway. "David, wait outside a minute," said Steele concealing from the girl a lowered eyelid. Carrying his rifle, David reluctantly left the room. "You needn't worry, Lafamme's asleep," she began, then approaching Steele, placed her hands on his shoulders as she begged: "Will you get me out of here, now—tonight?"



SUCH A WASTE

"Key, vot is dot book you vos readin'?" "About Chullus Caesar, fader." "Und vot business vas he in?" "He vas a soldier, und ven he von a great battle he sent do message home, 'Vent, vid, vid.'" "Only three vords? Oy, vot extravagant! He could have sent seven more vords for do same money."

Proprietor Procedure Two pickpockets had been following an old man who seemed a likely subject for their nefarious designs, when suddenly he turned into a lawyer's office. "What shall we do now?" asked one of the pair, nonplused at the turn events had taken. "Wait for the lawyer," promptly replied the other.

A Financial Wizard Gentleman—What would you do with a nickel if I gave you one? Hobo (sarcastically)—Get a new suit, mister, an' some supper, an' a night's lodgin', an' breakfast and dinner tomorrow. Gentleman—My good fellow, here's a quarter. Go and support yourself for the rest of your life.



DIDN'T ASK MUCH Johnson—My son-in-law can just about keep my daughter in gloves. I pay for everything else. Thompson—Then he deceived you as to his circumstances? Johnson—Oh, no. He only asked me for her hand.

No Joke Though running out of gas is not so dangerous a funny. It is not half so bad as running out of money.

Repertee "Why do you punch that hole in my ticket?" asked the man of the railway official. "So that you can pass through," was the reply.—Good Hardware.

After Kipling Singleton—What's that Kipling said about the female of the species? Wedmore—Don't remember; but he might well have said that she spends more specie than the male.

The Useful Cat "But, dear, your cat has very strange markings!" "Yes, my husband is writing a new book in a hurry and he doesn't look where he wipes his pen!"



A RAG-PICKER "Pity such a fine banjo player as he should fall so low." "What do you mean?" "Heard a fellow say he was known as a good rag-picker everywhere."

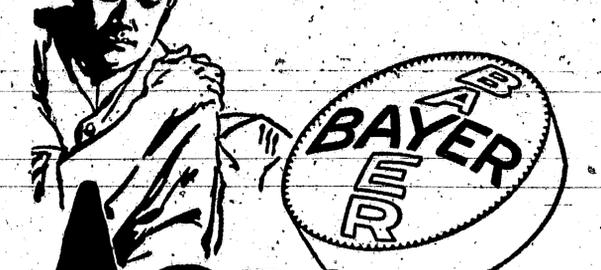
Inscrutability We find in our affairs of state likewise on every hand—The more that we investigate The less we understand.

Mean Brute! "Do you think it is safe to trust money to the mulls?" asked Mrs. Pender. "A hanged sight safer than trusting it to the females," growled her peevish husband.

The P. S. Husband—What is that you are reading, my dear? Wife—It is a letter from mother. Husband—Is there anything important in it? Wife—I can scarcely say; I haven't got to the postscript yet.

Designing Business "You say Irene stumbled on, dunque, just so she could be picked up by that eligible young man?" "Yes, it was a business trip."

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Odd Place to Find Sword A steel sword, of the type used by the British army during the latter part of the Seventeenth century, was plowed out of an Indian mound near Millville, Wis. Except for a slight corrosion the sword was as good as new.—Exchange. Figures to Consider Uncle Sam has 320 billion dollars in wealth; 110 millions in population; 48 states, not including territories. Could Washington ever have contemplated his country attaining such vast proportions?—Poet and Philosopher. A tower of strength is an honest man.—Bulwer. Mental pleasures never cloy.

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**PERSONALS**

Mrs. E. T. Williams of Douglas, Arizona, stayed over here Wednesday as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Collins while enroute to Kansas City, Mo., to attend as a delegate to the convention of Ladies' Auxiliary of the Order of Railroad Conductors.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Warren of Alamogordo are spending the week here, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Dowdle of the Crystal Theatre. Mr. Warren is junior member of the Warren Drug Store in our neighboring city.

C. A. Snow and son, C. A. Jr., returned Wednesday from Stephenville, Texas, where they attended the funeral of Mr. Snow's father, who died last week at the age of 73. The funeral being held on Friday, Jan. 29. Mr. Snow was one of the persons of that locality and many people from the surrounding country paid their last respects as tributes of the esteem in which he was held.

Attend the Golf Club dance at Lutz Hall Saturday, Feb. 13. Its the St. Valentine's Ball, you know.

Ladies - Before buying, compare our prices with our competitors. C. D. Mayer.

Mr. Henry Lutz left the latter part of last week for Amarillo, to pay a visit to his daughter, Mrs. O. W. Bamberger, and family. Mr. Lutz will be absent several weeks.

Prices Guaranteed to be the Lowest in Town. Come in and investigate, to be sure of this fact. - C. D. Mayer.

Mrs. Harry Dixon, who now resides in Miami, Fla., writes that the city is overflowing with tourists who are there to attend the races. The weather is ideal for the sport which attracts people from all parts of the country.

Wm. McClane, who has been suffering from an attack of rheumatism of late, is improving rapidly and will soon be out again.

An unmistakable Saving of Dollars and Cents at Mayer's. Come in and get our prices.

Mrs. Robanna Kiel and son, Teddy came in from Tucson, Arizona, Sunday to spend a short while with relatives. On Jan. 15, Teddy, who is but three years of age, made an attempt to board a truck and fell under the wheels, breaking one of his legs. He is getting along nicely at the present time and the Kiels will remain here for several weeks.

A pleasant evening was enjoyed at the Homer McDaniel home in Nogal on Wednesday, Jan. 27, the event being in honor of the birthdays of Mrs. McDaniel and George Hust. Good music and dancing were enjoyed until a late hour after which refreshments were served. Besides the neighbors in the home town, many were present from the Mesa, Capitan and Carrizozo.

In discontinuing our free delivery system, we are enabled to make decided reductions on all goods, some of which are as follows: Coal Oil, 18c per gal.; Peaberry Coffee, 45c per lb.; Armour Star Hams, 37c per lb.; " " Shield B Bacon, 40c lb.; " " B Bacon, 45c per lb.; Dry Salt Bacon, sliced or whole, 35c per lb.; Oat Meal (Large Size) 22 cents.

C. D. Mayer's Store.

Mrs. Sabino Vidaurri and children returned the latter part of last week from a pleasant visit with relatives in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Greer and son, Randall, were here last Friday from their Angora Goat ranch in the San Andres mountains, staying over with relatives and leaving for home Saturday afternoon.

Stanley Squier, for many years a resident of this place, but now at the head of the Spooner Variety Store in Spooner, Wis., writes that the weather is extremely cold in that section, and that Mrs. Squier and himself would be glad to help us to enjoy some New Mexico sunshine.

Mr. and Mrs. Brack Sloan and son Mark were visitors here on Monday. Mr. Sloan is Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brubaker (Captain) were visitors here on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Benson of Corona were visitors here on Wednesday, leaving for home late in the afternoon.

**FOR SALE** - One dozen full-blooded Anaconda hens and cockerel. See B. L. Stimmel.

Albert Ziegler of Ziegler Brothers General Store, left Monday on No. 4 for eastern points to make purchases for his spring and summer goods in the way of ladies' wearing apparel and gents' furnishings. Mr. Ziegler makes two trips each year and gets in the markets before the stock is broken so as to be able to make the best and choicest selections. Before long, these goods will begin to make their appearance, the particulars of which will be given to the public. The best of goods and the lowest prices will be in store for careful purchasers.

**Fire at Lantz's Shop**

Monday afternoon of this week, a fire broke out at the blacksmith shop of A. Lantz, the trouble originating by sparks from his anvil igniting a stack of baled hay which he had stored away in one corner of his shop. He had lately bought several tons of hay and as he lives on a ranch about four miles east of town, he had the hay hauled home in small quantities. In doing some welding, sparks flew into the hay and the fire gained such headway that the fire department was called, and in a very short space of time, the fire was under control. The portion that was not burned, was water-soaked, but the building was saved.

**Moonlight, "Radio Wrecker"**

Moonlight, a commodity generally believed to worry nobody but the writers of popular songs, has been revealed in a new role as a radio wrecker. Preliminary tests for the national survey of fading and static to be conducted by the Stewart-Warner Speedometer Corporation in cooperation with Northwestern University, Dept. of Physics, on the nights of February 9, 10 and 11 from 8 to 11, central standard time, will bring unexpected reports on the insidious activities of the moon.

Published reports of private inquiries into the causes of disturbances that prevent good radio reception so far have dealt with the manner in which atmospheric conditions are changed by sun spots, comets and eclipses. Even the aurora borealis has been investigated, but it has never been suggested that the phases of the moon might have

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**Some Tariff Facts**

Commenting on the tariff question, the San Francisco Bulletin, in a recent editorial, said: "There has come about a curious identity of purpose between Wall Street and the insurgent western farmers. Finance wants a low tariff, on the theory that if Europe is to earn money enough to pay interest on what she owes us, she must have easy access to our markets. Western farmers still have the notion that Eastern manufacturers get all the benefits of the tariff.

"Our customs revenues have risen from \$323,000,000 per annum since 1920, to \$540,000,000, the greatest customs collections in history. Our total imports in 1913 amounted to \$1,813,008,234; for the ten months ending October 31, 1925, they amounted to \$3,454,656,039. Our exports for corresponding periods were, respectively, \$2,466,884,149 and \$3,995,167,727.

"It would seem that the so-called tariff wall is no detriment to our import trade, nor does it serve to reduce our markets abroad. The figures speak for themselves."

"All that is certain American industries in the agricultural and manufacturing field need, is a sufficient tariff differential to afford them an equal chance with cheap labor foreign products in supplying our home market. Such a tariff will not prevent an exchange of trade between nations." - The Manufacturer.

**Carrizozo School Notes**  
(By Mary Catherine Chandler)

The games played between our teams and the teams of Tularosa last Saturday were very good considering the weather. Our boys won by a score of 9-4. All the boys on the team played exceedingly well, Clint Brannum making the most goals for the home team. The game was a fast one, especially during the last quarter when both teams were fighting for the victory. The on lookers were very excited for the game was very close up until the last. This is the first time in the history of the boys' team that Carrizozo has won from Tularosa so the people of Carrizozo should be proud of the boys who play on the team this year. The boys played a strong defensive game, Ernest and Miller breaking up many of their best plays and keeping the opposing team's score low.

Mr. Burkett, the coach, deserves much credit for this victory. Constant practice such as he has given the team will win victories. The boys are playing better ball this year than in any year previous as the record will show. They have won five games and lost six.

The girls won by a score of 29 to 8. Stacy Rustin was the star of the game. All the players played a good game but it would have probably been faster if the weather had not been so bad.

The Alamogordo team will play the Carrizozo team on the local court Saturday, Feb. 6, at 2 o'clock. Come out and see the games. Both are expected to be fast ones.

**"BEAT ALAMO"**

The Chili-Supper which the Junior Class was to give at the Wetmore building Feb. 6, will be postponed on account of the game with Alamogordo.

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**NOTICE OF SUIT**

State of New Mexico  
County of Lincoln  
In the District Court for  
Lincoln County  
May Martin,  
Plaintiff,  
vs  
Horton Leroy Martin,  
Defendant.  
No. 3564

The said defendant, Horton Leroy Martin, is hereby notified that a complaint has been filed against him in the District Court for the County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico aforesaid, that being the Court in which said action is pending, by said plaintiff May Martin; the general object of said action being for a decree of absolute divorce on the grounds of desertion, abandonment and failure on the part of said defendant to support plaintiff and her children the issue of the marriage between plaintiff and defendant, as will more fully appear by reference to the complaint filed in said action.

That you, the said defendant, Horton Leroy Martin, enter your appearance and plead in said action on or before the 18th day of March, A. D., 1926, judgment will be rendered against you in said action by default.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of said court at Carrizozo, New Mexico, this 3rd day of February, A. D., 1926.

Lotah Miller,  
Clerk.

Name and address of plaintiff's attorney: G. B. Barber, Carrizozo, New Mexico.  
Feb. 5-March 5

**Birthday Party at  
Dr. Johnson's Home**

Last Saturday night at the home of Dr. Johnson, a birthday celebration was held in honor of the 77th birthday of Henry Jones. Dr. Johnson had the residence handsomely decorated for the occasion, and after a supper of turkey and every other delicacy to accompany the toothsome fowl, dancing and bridge finished a well-spent evening.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jones, Mesdames Wetmore and Bryan, L. A. Jolly and Dr. Johnson.

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