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HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

Hi School Reporter: The Home Ec. Club elected the following officers a few weeks ago: President, Viola Keene; Vice-Pres., Lenye Cooper; Sec'y, Helen Strauss; Treas., Eva Keene; Advisor, Miss Davis. We have a club song. It's all about how we like the classes in Home Economics.

The semester examinations will be given next week. Our vacation begins on December 23 and we are free until January 9. And are we happy about it?

Some of us are happy for another reason. All averages of B or above are exempt from the examinations.

"Live wires work together but never cross," is our motto. We are the Home Ecs. club and our name is the Indian word, "Koshare" (The Delight Makers). Our colors are pink and green, and flowers, sweet peas.

In our last meeting we made up the program for the year and decided on the following for our objectives:

- 1-To train active and efficient leaders among young women for home and community life. 2-To establish a bond of friendship among girls taking the same kind of work. 3-To offer an opportunity for the girls in the department to show the people of the community their activities. 4-To develop personality, initiative, leadership and social poise. 5-To advocate the wise use of spare time.

We have become affiliated with the state and national organization.

We are doing our best to make this a Merry Christmas for everyone. We are helping Santa by fixing up old dolls which will probably bring happiness to some little children. In our meeting last week we drew names, so that we may exchange gifts with each other. We will have a small Christmas tree, a short program, games and refreshments.

Original Proverbs

By Sixth Grade:

- 1 He is happiest who helps others. 2. No attention, no learning. 3. Self control is a safety valve. 4. Poor work is worse than none. 5. It's education that counts. 6. Trust and love are twins. 7. Money isn't everything. 8. Don't try to recite before you've studied. 9. If everybody had what they wanted there would still be complaining. 10. One can travel around the world in books. 11. A good child does as he is told, but doesn't have to be told everything he does. 12. Cleanliness makes for self-respect. 13. To be good is to be loved. 14. Without learning there can be no earning. 15. A smile is worthwhile. 16. Attention is the basis of learning. 17. The pupil who doesn't study gets the most pains. 18. Don't fib; it doesn't pay. 19. Live today that tomorrow may have no regrets. 20. A clean mind makes a clean life. 21. A depression is a money drought.

Carrizozo Business Men's Club

held its regular Wednesday evening meeting and 6 o'clock dinner in the dining room of the popular Carrizozo Eating House.

ANCHO NOTES

The Woman's Club held a very interesting meeting last Saturday at the home of Mrs. Warden, with first vice-president Mrs. Bryan Hightower, presiding. Roll call was, "Handicaps of Children." This brought forth discussions on defective eyes, ears and throats as among the most common. Also incorrect posture being the seat of numerous spinal troubles. Another of our handicaps for older children is the hardship of keeping them in school, as the high schools are far apart and hard to reach. Last but not least, was the misunderstood child.

A brief study of the White Sands was made. We hope to study the most interesting and educational places of New Mexico. First prize for the contests was won by Mrs. G. F. Pruett and the consolation by Miss Frances Pruett. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. B. W. Wilson.

Mrs. Grace Walker and son Robert of St. Louis, Mo., were the week-end guests of her sister, Mrs. S. J. Pruett and family.

The school students are busy with their mid-term examinations.

OddFellows Hold Big Meeting

Tuesday night at the Odd-Fellow Hall, the Initiatory Degree was conferred after the business session. After the degree work, a "bite to eat" was had at the Star Cafe.

There were seven visiting members present, namely: Messrs. Newsom, Stout, Anderson, Thomas and Schultz of Alamogordo; Decker and Lott of Fort Stanton.

At the next meeting Tuesday, Dec. 20, the First Degree will be conferred and another bumper attendance is in evidence.

Another Good Wild West Story by Sam Nickels

Our old friend and western story writer, S. H. Nickels, has another good 'un in this week's Wild West Weekly. The same is on sale at the Rolland Drug Store. The name of Nick's new story is "The New Hungry and Rusty." It is in the Dec. 17 issue of the above-named magazine. Read it; you'll like it!

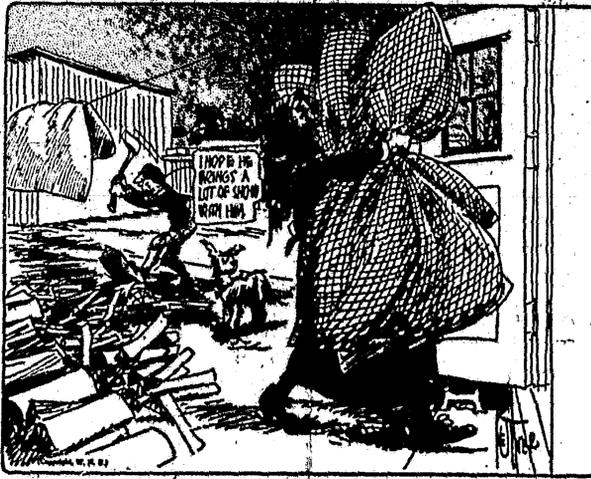
Mrs. Doyle Rentfrow is in Albuquerque this week on account of the illness of her father. She will return as soon as his condition improves.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Sears and Jeff Herron of Capitan were here last Saturday, attending the meeting of the Democratic Central Committee.

Mrs. F. H. Skinner and sister, Mrs. Charles Ferguson of Nogal returned last Sunday from Douglas, Arizona, where they visited their brother, Elmer Zumbalt, who is critically ill and confined in a hospital and his condition is giving his relatives grave concern.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Beck, accompanied by Marshall's little brother Billy, made a trip to the Carlsbad Cavern last Saturday and viewed the many places of interest in that underground mystery.

Somebody Is Coming



Mr. and Mrs. Miller French Coming Home

Mr. and Mrs. Miller French, of whom we made mention some time ago as about to leave Juneau, Alaska, arrived at Seattle Monday and left at once for Denver, where after Miller makes his report to headquarters of the Federal Bureau of Roads, they will come to Carrizozo and will arrive here this evening or tomorrow. Miller went to Alaska 2 1/2 years ago, since which time he has been in the employ of the above named federal bureau and his work being finished in the land of Santa Claus, he has been transferred to this district.

As the new Mrs. French will be a stranger in this country, we extend to her the warmest welcome with our home boy. Miller has become so accustomed to icebergs and 100 degrees below the zero mark, that we presume he will move about his old home town in his shirt sleeves—but it will be K. O. with us, Miller, you may have the keys and do as you please.

Pre-Christmas Dance at White Oaks

"The Revelers" will give a Pre-Christmas Dance at White Oaks tomorrow night, December 17. Come and enjoy yourselves and get the holiday spirit. Remember that on Christmas Eve, Dec. 24, the Benjamin I. Berry Post No. 11, American Legion will give a dance at Lutz Hall, and on New Year's Eve, Dec. 31, the Jericho Club will give one in the same hall.

A Message from Santa Claus

says that his call for toys and dolls has met with a wonderful response. There are several hundred toys and dolls at the Hi School and the boys and girls are busy repairing and painting the toys, and the girls are dressing the dolls; so that there will be lots of toys for Santa Claus to carry to the little boys and girls who wouldn't receive a visit from him if you had not brought so many things to the Hi School.

Santa Claus wishes to thank every little boy and girl who brought a toy or doll.

The S. P. Agency at Three Rivers was discontinued yesterday. Agent Ben S. Burns will, we understand, take the agency at Santa Rosa.

Pat Murphy of the ranch firm of White & Murphy of White Oaks was in town on business last Saturday. While here, he made this office a pleasant call.

Mayor McQuillen and the Relief Work

The careful planned set-up made by Mayor McQuillen in the recent relief project is worthy of much praise from two distinct points of view. First the manner in which he distributed the work to those who had been out of employment for months and second, the work under his supervision covering, as much as he could, the entire town.

Heretofore, when cinders were laid on the streets they were soon ground into dust and blown away. But gravel will settle down where it has been placed and make a substantial roadbed. The Mayor had 347 truck loads of gravel put on the streets and 50 loads of trash hauled from the alleys and yards; also 800 running feet of ditching was made.

The merchants of Carrizozo did nobly. Some donated trucks, while others paid for truck hire, oil, gas, etc., for which the Mayor wishes to thank them for their co-operation in cleaning up the town and thereby making it a more sanitary place in which to live. Luckily, we might say, the rain and snow came at an opportune time to settle down the gravel and the streets present a smooth and even surface. With all due courtesy to the mayors of our neighboring towns, we pride ourselves in the fact that when anything needs to be done in Carrizozo, the Mayor gets behind it and sees that the task is performed. People of our town should doubly appreciate his unselfish labors for the good of the community. The funds allotted to us having been used up, the work must be discontinued until spring.

The County Emergency Employment Committee composed of Dr. Johnson, Chairman; Mrs. French, Sec'y, and Henry Hoffman, have received, filed and posted the following: Soldiers with dependents 65; Non-soldiers with dependents 287; Soldiers without dependents 3; Non-soldiers without dependents 182; Total 457. Mrs. French has resigned on account of the expiration of her term of office as School Supt. on Dec. 31. The work of the committee has been conducted from her office at the Court House.

Attention, Masons!

Carrizozo Lodge No. 41, A. F. & A. M., will hold a Special Communication Saturday night, Dec. 17, for the purpose of conferring the Third Degree.

All Master Masons are cordially invited. F. L. Boughner, W. M. H. E. Lemon, Sec'y.

FORT STANTON NEWS

At the giant bridge tournament held recently, the winners of two handsome prizes were Messrs. John Hilboub and St. Pierre.

Messrs. Williams, Rantley and Wheeler were Roswell week-end visitors.

A cake and candy sale, sponsored by some of the Fort ladies, was put over with much success in the community house Wednesday, the 14th.

An unfortunate encounter with two underworld elements in El Paso compelled Shorty Higgins to cut short his long-planned journey to his home in San Francisco. Getting on the bus Higgins noticed a well-dressed bystander who apparently expected a friend to arrive. In reality he was viewing the disembarking passengers with a scrutinizing eye, in his mind picking out prospective victims for a small hold-up job. Shorty, who is young, innocent and quite unaware of the evils of this world, went over to the man and asked him for information as to where he could obtain moderate priced lodging. The man obligingly offered to escort him to such a place. Little did our friend know that his new acquaintance was a wolf in sheep's clothing until suddenly, when passing a dark alley, the fingers of the stranger's left hand closed tenaciously around Shorty's neck in Strangler Lewis fashion. With his right hand the villain ribbed him with a rod; i. e. covered him with a piece of heavy artillery. "Shove 'em up, or I'll feed yuh the pills," he commanded with a tone of voice that under ordinary circumstances would be answered with a kick. But Shorty didn't kick. He put 'em up, eager to make it as unnecessary as possible for the hoist guy to employ more brutal tactics in accomplishing his purpose. An accomplice soon dived mysteriously from somewhere and relieved Shorty of all his hard-earned savings. After having recovered from the shock our friend hastened to the nearest "bull pen" and complained to the "coppers," who only consoled him with the fact that he was one of the many in the course of a day. He also was directed to a place where he obtained cheap lodging.

The Lincoln County Democratic Central Committee met at Courthouse last Saturday and made endorsements for the various deputies who will be needed to assist the incoming officials on January 1.

Mrs. R. E. Blaney entertained last Saturday evening at a three-table bridge party. At the close of the affair, the hostess served refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burnett made a trip to Alamogordo last Saturday, Mr. Burnett managing his store at that place for the day in the absence of Mr. Price, who was ill. They returned home Sunday.

The I.O.O.F. Hall is having a new hardwood oak floor put in this week, the work being done by Messrs. Langston, Tom, and Walker, assisted by Calvin Carl, all of whom are doing the same without cost to the lodge.

LYRIC THEATRE

R. A. Walker, Owner

Friday-Saturday-Sunday - "MURDER AT MIDNIGHT," "COLLEGE CUTIES" and "DANGER ISLAND" Serial.

"The Red Lantern"

Mrs. Morgan Lovelace served her first enchilada supper yesterday afternoon and evening, lasting from 5 to 7 p. m. She wishes to announce that she will serve enchiladas every Thursday at the above hours and extends an invitation to all lovers of this particular Spanish dish, to give the Lovelace home a call during those hours. A red lantern will be hung on the front porch, so don't forget to look for it.

At this writing (Thursday afternoon) Manuel Baldonado, old Carrizozo citizen, is reported critically ill at his home on the east side of the railroad tracks.

Mrs. W. W. Walker is the new clerk at Ziegler Bros. Store, beginning the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leandro Vega and children of the Vega ranch near Nogal were week-end visitors at the Mrs. Josefa Vega, Nick and Joe Vega and Florentino Lopez homes.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Huppertz entertained a number of close friends at bridge Wednesday evening, after which refreshments were served.

Mrs. Erva Claunch, daughter Evelyn, son Jack, Wayne Richard and Mrs. Elsa Charles spent Monday in El Paso.

Mrs. Henry Silva, Sr., son Fred and Mrs. Clara Rodriguez were here from Capitan the first of the week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Barber and Dewey Stokes were El Paso business visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Elsa Charles entertained the Wednesday Bridge Club at the home of Mrs. Morgan Lovelace Wednesday evening. A color scheme of pink and white was carried out in decorations and refreshments. Mrs. M. U. Finley will entertain the club next Wednesday evening, Dec. 21.

Mesdames Albert Ziegler and Degetz spent a few days in El Paso this week.

Maurice Lemon motored to Albuquerque this morning to bring home Mr. and Mrs. Miller French, who will be here for a short visit from Alaska.

Mrs. Anna Roberts returned the first part of the week from Tucumcari, where she had been visiting with her daughters, Mesdames Asa Evans and A. E. Rohde.

Mrs. H. B. Cathey has left for San Antonio, Tex., to spend the holiday season with her mother at that place. Mrs. Cathey is the wife of H. B. Cathey, of the firm of Cathey & Reaves of the Carrizozo Bakery.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Fagen and small daughter of Fort Stanton were Carrizozo visitors last Saturday; Mr. Fagen paying this office a pleasant call while in town.

American Legion Dance at Lutz Hall on Xmas Eve, Dec. 24.

THE FEATHERHEADS

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Along the Concrete

Our Pet Peeve

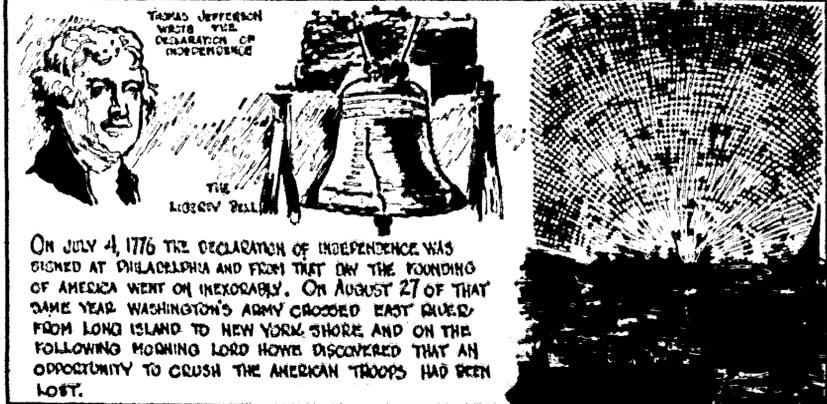


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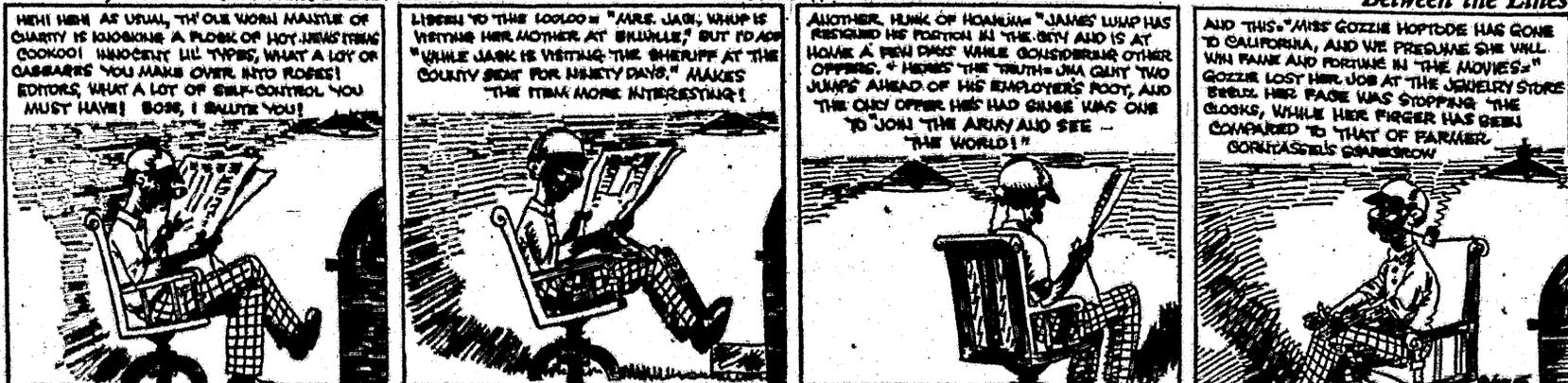


**ROBB RYMES**  
WRITER BY MOOSE  
I LIKE TO FLY A KITE!  
I LIKE TO WORK WITH TOOLS!  
IN FACT, I LIKE MOST THINGS!  
BUT SCHOOLS— HOUSES AND SCHOOLS!

MICKIE, THE PRINTER'S DEVIL

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Between the Lines



# News Review of Current Events the World Over

## More Squirming to Avoid Payment of War Debts to America—Repeal and Beer Worry Members of Congress Assembling for Session.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

GREAT BRITAIN was still hopeful that the United States would not insist that the \$95,550,000 war debt principal and interest, due December 15, must be paid. She had the money necessary, and would pay if there was no way out of it, but kept on trying to find a way. The cabinet approved the terms of a new note to Washington and even King George took a hand and helped decide what was best to be done. The king had a long interview with Neville Chamberlain, chancellor of the exchequer, who laid before him the proposal of the treasury which is dominated by Montagu Norman, head of the Bank of England. This presumably was that Britain should refuse to pay now or, at least, should pay into a blocked account, not transferring any money to America at this time.

Opposed to this view was that of the foreign office, upheld by Prime Minister MacDonald, that payment should be made promptly if the new request for postponement were refused, and that the entire matter of international debts be taken up with the Roosevelt administration when it comes into power. It was indicated that the foreign office had won out in the controversy.

France, the most determined of the opponents of payment, was passing the buck to England, Premier Herriot's government seeking to hold off decision and even parliamentary discussion until the British course was announced. Many of the deputies, however, were rebellious and sought to force the government to a showdown.

DIRECTLY connected with the war debt affair was the fall of the pound sterling, long the unit of international finance, to unprecedentedly low prices. By the middle of the week the European gold standard exchanges also weakened considerably, and at the same time the Japanese yen and Chinese currencies broke badly.

From London came reports that there had developed a sudden scarcity of available dollars in the world markets that Britain may purchase to pay the United States. The evidence was that American currency had been bought up in France and elsewhere by exchange brokers as part of a scheme to depress the pound for the benefit of bears on sterling.

BEER would seem to be occupying too prominent a place in the American public mind, were it not for the national income and employment relief features involved in the restoration of the beverage to a legalized status. Early in the week Speaker Garner devised a plan to put the hesitant legislators on the spot. The dries and semi-dries had been asserting that a measure legalizing beer and possibly light wines should not be pressed to passage until a resolution for repeal of the Eighteenth amendment had been put through. So Mr. Garner drew up such a resolution and announced that he would insist on its being put to a vote in the house on Monday, the first day of the short session. It was a resolution for flat repeal, with no mention of protection for the dry states.



Speaker Garner

Many congressmen, both Democrats and Republicans, called on the speaker with protests and pleas for delay, and Mr. Garner began to weaken, saying that if he found there was considerable objection to consideration of his resolution he would just as soon back up and say: "We will wait." Fred Britten of Chicago and other eminent wets tried to keep the speaker to his determination, Britten assuring him that the Republican side of the house would supply more than 100 votes for the repeal resolution. But there was no certainty of more than 180 Democratic votes, so it was doubtful whether the necessary two-thirds majority could be obtained. Later in the week some of the dry members from the South were reported to be siding over to the repeal side and the prospects of the resolution were considered brighter.

REPRESENTATIVE CARL VINSON of Georgia, chairman of the house committee on naval affairs, had a long talk with President-Elect Roosevelt at Warm Springs, and came away with his former "big navy" attitude considerably changed. He did not quote Mr. Roosevelt, but announced that he would favor drastic cuts in the naval building program and general economies. He declared at least \$100,000,000 could

be pared from the naval budget and said he was now willing that the building program should be reduced to a point far below the maximum set by the treaty of London.

From what Mr. Vinson said it was apparent that Mr. Roosevelt hopes to provide the United States with a small but powerfully effective navy. He thinks, too, that economies can be effected by the consolidation of some bureaus and a better control of all purchases.

PRESIDENT-ELECT ROOSEVELT held a series of conferences on farm relief with farm organization leaders and legislators, including Senators Robinson, Wheeler and Bankhead, and Henry Morgenthau, and the net result seemed to be a probability that nothing would be done during the short session except the enactment of some emergency measures such as price fixing and perhaps mortgage refinancing. Mr. Roosevelt declined to announce his own plan in advance, saying: "That would be too much like telling Congress what to do."

Farm leaders in Washington said they thought Mr. Roosevelt wants to meet the 1933 crop emergency and that they are willing to accept temporary measures such as the price-fixing bill that was proposed in the previous session.

HENRY FORD spent the week in the Detroit hospital that bears his name, recovering from an operation for strangulated hernia. The operation, which included removal of the appendix, was pronounced a success, and within three days the automobile manufacturer's temperature, pulse and respiration were back about to normal. By that time the hospital physicians and members of the Ford organization felt assured that the multi-millionaire's recovery was a matter only of rest and quiet. Members of his immediate family, who visited him daily, were no longer anxious about his condition. By the time this is read he may have been permitted to leave the hospital for his home.



Henry Ford

DEATH took another congressman, this time the victim being James C. McLaughlin, Republican representative from the Ninth Michigan district and dean of that state's delegation. Stricken with heart disease while on a tour of Virginia, he died at Marlon. Mr. McLaughlin, who was a member of the ways and means committee, was defeated in the recent elections by Harry W. Musselwhite, Democrat. His death makes the party lineup in the house at the "lame duck" session 208 Republicans, 220 Democrats, one Farmer-Labor, and six vacancies.

EXPANSION of its regulatory authority over public utility companies is recommended to congress by the power commission in its annual report. The body argues that it be authorized to require concerns with federal licenses, including holding companies to submit any information desired as an aid to their supervision. The two fundamental purposes in view, the commission said are: "First, Regulation of the holding company in relation to the operating company and through the operating company to the consumer of electrical energy; and, second, regulation of the holding company in relation to the investing public, which is principally interested in the securities of such holding company."

JUST as soon as there is a let up in the depression and federal finances permit, the regular army should be increased by 2,000 officers and 40,000 enlisted men, in the opinion of Gen. Douglas MacArthur, chief of staff. In his annual report the general said the army already has been reduced below the level of national safety. "The regular army should be ready at all times," General MacArthur said, "to furnish any troops required by internal emergencies and initial defense against attack. The national defense act provided 18,000 officers and 280,000 men. This has been progressively reduced to 12,000 officers and 125,000 enlisted men, including Philippine scouts. On June 30, 1932, the actual figures were 12,180 officers and 119,888 enlisted men."

DONALD BUCKLEY, a retired shop-keeper who was a rebel against British rule for years, was appointed by King George to be governor general of the Irish Free State, on the advice of President De Valera, whose close friend he is. London was rather shocked by the appointment, many regarding it as a distinct attempt to belittle the king and bring the office of governor general into disrepute. Buckley succeeds James McNeill, who was forced out of office by De Valera.

THROUGHOUT another week President Paul von Hindenburg sought to find a man who could form a new ministry for Germany. His best bet of the seven days was Gen. Kurt von Schleicher, the minister of defense, who is probably the strongest man in public life in the reich. The general was willing to undertake the task, but needed the support of the Nazis, and this was denied him by Adolf Hitler who continued to hold the ground that there should be no government unless headed by himself. However, there was hope that Hitler would yield in later conferences. If not, there was a chance that the President might instruct Von Schleicher to form a cabinet and dissolve the reichstag. Or else, he might create a "business cabinet" under Von Papen and let it carry on, regardless of public opinion. The Nazis said if the government dissolved the reichstag forcibly, this would be considered by them an illegal act and would evoke an "illegal answer."



Gen. Von Schleicher

PRESIDENT MACHADO of Cuba is not afraid of his political foes, who have so often sought his life; and he is determined to restore internal peace if possible. He ordered Gen. Alberto Herrera, chief of staff, to release 80 political prisoners, and the following day he directed that 60 other oppositionists be let out of the penitentiary on the Isle of Pines. Military rule was discontinued throughout the island except in Havana. Machado's enemies said his magnanimity was due to unofficial pressure from the United States, but he denied this flatly.

RAMON DE VALERA, president of the League of Nations council, passed the Lytton commission report on Manchuria on to the league assembly, calling that body to convene in special session on December 6. The Japanese special representative, Yosuke Matsuoka made the usual reservation to this action in line with the Tokyo contention that the assembly is not competent to handle the Sino-Japanese affair, including the status of Manchuria. The council dismissed the Lytton commission, but stipulated that it should consider itself subject to recall to submit whatever information the assembly may require. To this also Matsuoka objected without avail. "As you know," he said, "we have been taking the view that the commission is no longer in existence."

The committee of nineteen of the assembly met Thursday to prepare the program for the special session. Then some of the great powers will have to make clear their attitudes toward the far eastern situation and if the smooth spoken Matsuoka cannot prevail it may be Japan will withdraw entirely from the league. Certainly she shows no intention of letting go her hold on Manchuria, whatever the rest of the world may do.

PREMIER HERRIOT of France and Ambassador Dovgalevsky of Russia signed in Paris the new Franco-Russian treaty of nonaggression and conciliation. It is the first such pact that the Soviet government has completed with any of the great powers.

AGRICULTURAL depression did not seem to hurt the International Live Stock show in Chicago, for this year the affair was bigger and better than ever. The title of grand champion steer of the world was awarded to a Hereford from Texas, the selection being made as usual by Judge Walter Biggar of Scotland. The animal was raised and exhibited by Will Largent of Merkel, Texas, and after its brief reign it went through the customary process of sale by auction, slaughter and consumption by Chicago gourmets.

Herman Treille of Wembley, Alberta, Can., won the crown of world wheat king for the third successive year, the judges pronouncing his wheat the finest they had ever seen. The new hay king is M. V. Gillett of Nebraska. Coincident with the stock show was the congress of 4-H clubs, attended by many hundreds of young agriculturists of both sexes who competed for the usual fine prizes.

HEARTILY backing up the demands of President William Green, the American Federation of Labor in convention in Cincinnati adopted a resolution calling for the universal adoption in industry of the five day week and the six hour day.

Stirring the delegates to waves of applause Mr. Green said labor's patience with industrial management was at an end. Labor's paramount policy, he said, henceforth would be to resort to "forceful methods," if necessary, to establish the shorter work week. By those methods he meant use of every weapon in the union armory—economic, political, and industrial.

It was indicated by Mr. Green that the spearhead in the movement for the thirty hour week would be a demand on the federal government that it set an example by establishing that reform.

## TO GATHER CELTS UNDER ONE BANNER

### Movement Has Autonomy for Its Goal.

The movement to restore the ancient Brythonic tongue of Brittany to popular usage and literary recognition begun by Le Gonidec, a rebel against the French revolution more than a century ago, appears to have flowered into an agitation for Celtic autonomy. What brought the movement to light was a campaign undertaken by a society of Breton not-heads to spread the propaganda by terror. Their first stroke was the dynamiting at Rennes of a monument commemorating the union of France and Brittany, on the four hundredth anniversary of that union. Other societies committed to more pacific methods are known also to be in existence. One of them has for its remarkable goal the creation of a Celtic empire embracing Brittany, Wales, Ireland, Scotland, the Isle of Man, and presumably Cornwall! But weird as the idea may be, it serves to call attention to the ancient affinities of the inhabitants of these lands.

The Celts, as distinguished from the Teutons and the Mediterranean tribes, are a middle race, darker and broader than the Scandinavian and German peoples, but lighter and heavier than the South Europeans. They seem to have spread and mingled both east and west of the Central European mountains. The pure modern survivors are descendants of tribes that lived from immemorial times in what are now the British Isles.

These fall into two language groups, Goidelic (Ireland, Scotland, Isle of Man) and Brythonic (Wales, Cornwall, Brittany). The Bretons are descendants of tribes who fled into Armorica in the Fifth century from the Angles and Saxons. There are today nearly 1,000,000 of these people who retain vestiges of Druidic and primitive beliefs, speak a language half Celt and half French, and

form a conservative group stubbornly resistant to modern change. Their traditional hero is Nomenoe, who defeated Charles the Bald, in 849 and forced him to recognize the independence of Brittany. Reunion with France came in 1532, but up until the revolution, Brittany retained its own estates, or parliamentary body.

Celtic culture in Brittany is analogous rather than related to Welsh or Irish. Its literary aspects are comparatively recent, early fragments being mostly folk lore and tradition. Like Welsh, which enjoyed a rebirth when Methodist preachers defied the Anglicized bishops and carried Protestantism to the people in their own tongue, Breton popularity has been increased by governmental disfavor. It long has been barred from public schools, but its use in written form has spread under the urging of the Union Regionaliste Bretonne. The prospective "martyrdom" of Theophile Jousset, young artist who threw the bomb at Rennes, marks a milestone in the progress of a movement hitherto distinguished chiefly by its obscurity, and by a pacifism strange to Celtic uprisings.—Detroit Free Press.

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## WHAT PATIENT NEEDED

A certain young woman of Punxsutawney, Pa., had been a patient at a hospital there. Though sent home as well, she kept returning day after day, insisting she was still out of sorts. The staff doctors could find no symptoms and were greatly worried. "It's a funny thing," she remarked one day, "I seem to feel all right as long as my temperature is being taken." They gave her a thermometer to carry home so that she could take her own temperature. She has not been back since.

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# What makes a baby turn out to be PERFECT?



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**EDITORIAL COLUMN**

**After Prohibition Repeal—What?**

**Tucumcari Daily News:**  
Now that the Garner prohibition repeal measure has failed, it might be a good thing for the nation as a whole to do a little high-powered thinking about the exact sort of repeal bill that it plans to consider next and the exact sort of policy it wants to follow when prohibition is at last discarded.

That such a discard is to be made, eventually, hardly seems open to question.

A formerly dry house of representatives came within six votes of voting to throw the 18th amendment out of the window; the next congress will be far wetter than the present one.

It would take a rash prophet indeed to predict defeat of repeal next spring.

But there is not, so far, much agreement on the form which repeal is to take, or on the course which is to be followed once repeal is assured.

It may have been excellent politics for Mr. Garner to force his repeal bill to a vote without debate, but in the long run such a course cannot be good statesmanship.

The prohibition issue will not die when a repeal bill is passed.

It will be with us for a long, long time, no matter what we do; and if we really have the ability at self-government that we like to think we have we shall try, before another repealer comes up for a vote, to find answers to a lot of questions that have, so far, gone unanswered.

Do we, for instance, mean it when we say that the "old-fashioned saloon" is never going to return?

Are we simply going to repeal the amendment and let the several states join in a dizzy hunt for 48 different kinds of substitutes?

Do we want to try a variant on one or another of the Canadian provincial systems?

Are we going to permit the importation of wines, beers and liquors from abroad?

Are we going to retain our constitutional protection for states that wish to remain dry?

So far there has been nothing like unanimity on any of these questions; but they are the questions that will demand immediate answers the moment the repeal bill is passed.

Before we vote on the matter again we ought to have a fairly definite idea what those answers are to be.

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**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**  
Department of the Interior  
U. S. Land Office at Las Cruces, N.M.  
Nov. 22, 1932

Notice is hereby given that Fred T. Phipps, of Gran Quivira, N. M., who, on Nov. 22, 1927, made homestead entry, No. 055477, for All Sec. 25, Twp. 2 S., R. 8 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make 3-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Mary C. DuBois, U. S. Commissioner, at Corona, N. M., on January 6, 1933.  
Claimant names as witnesses: Frank Loller, W. M. Petross, C. W. Pherigo, S. A. Corley, all of Claunch, N. M. V. B. May, Register.  
D2-30

**Dear Customer:**

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Pearl Bostian, Noble Grand  
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**UNITED STATES**  
Department of the Interior  
General Land Office  
Las Cruces, N. M.  
Nov. 22, 1932

Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico has filed in this office its Indemnity School Land Selection list No. 9704, serial No. 047129, for the following land:

Lots 3, 4, S<sub>1</sub>NW<sub>2</sub> Sec. 1, T. 3 S., R. 10 E.

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 their protests against the approval of the selection.

D2-20 V. B. May, Register.

**UNITED STATES**  
Department of the Interior  
General Land Office  
Las Cruces, N. M.  
Nov. 22, 1932

Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico has filed in this office its Indemnity School Land Selection list No. 9705, serial No. 047130, for the following land:

BE<sub>1</sub>, N<sub>2</sub>SW<sub>1</sub>, SE<sub>1</sub>SW<sub>1</sub> Sec. 5; S<sub>1</sub>N<sub>2</sub>, N<sub>2</sub>SW<sub>1</sub> Sec. 8, T. 6 S., R. 19 E.

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 their protests against the approval of the selection.

D2-30 V. B. May, Register

**UNITED STATES**  
Department of the Interior  
General Land Office  
Las Cruces, N. M., Nov. 22, 1932

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NW<sub>1</sub>SW<sub>2</sub>, SE<sub>1</sub>SW<sub>1</sub>, SW<sub>1</sub>SE<sub>1</sub> Sec. 4; N<sub>2</sub>SE<sub>1</sub> Sec. 6; W<sub>1</sub>SE<sub>1</sub>, E<sub>1</sub>SW<sub>1</sub>, SW<sub>1</sub>NW<sub>1</sub> & W<sub>1</sub>SW<sub>1</sub> Sec. 9, T. 6 S., R. 19 E.

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 their protests against the approval of the selection.

D2 30 V. B. May, Register.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**  
Department of the Interior  
U. S. Land Office

Las Cruces, N. M., Dec. 2, 1932  
Notice is hereby given that Ego Carabajal, of Ancho, N. M., who on August 22, 1929, made original homestead entry No. 039991, and additional homestead entry, No. 059862, for S<sub>1</sub>SE<sub>1</sub> Sec. 24, T. 3 S., R. 3, T. 4 S., and W<sub>1</sub>SE<sub>1</sub>, S<sub>1</sub>SW<sub>1</sub>, NE<sub>1</sub>SW<sub>1</sub> Sec. 26, SE<sub>1</sub>SE<sub>1</sub> Sec. 27, NW<sub>1</sub> Sec. 35, T. 3 S., all in Range 11 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make 3-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Frank J. Sager, U. S. Commissioner, at Carrizozo, N. M., on January 18, 1933.

Claimant names as witnesses—  
Ramon Padilla, Allen A. Hightower, Nicolas Mass, Bryan Hightower, all of Ancho, N. M.  
V. B. May, Register

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**Junior Music Club Recital**

Mrs. T. E. Kelley's Junior Music Club will appear in recital on Dec. 16 at the Hi School Auditorium, assisted by the Girls' Hi School Glee Club.

Here will be a chance for music lovers to enjoy a treat. There will be no admission charge and the public is cordially invited to attend.

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**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**  
Department of the Interior  
U. S. Land Office, Las Cruces, N. M.  
Nov. 18, 1932

Notice is hereby given that John A. Cooper, of Fort Stanton, N. M., who, on January 17, 1929, made Hd. entry, No. 039485, for S<sub>1</sub> NE<sub>1</sub>, E<sub>1</sub>NW<sub>2</sub>, Sec. 20, Twp. 6 S., R. 16 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make 3-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Eunice P. Hall, U. S. Commissioner, at Capitan, N. M., on December 30, 1932.

Claimant names as witnesses:  
John Winkler, Johnnie Shaw, Chas. Winkler, all of Capitan, N. M., Lonnie G. Cooper, of Fort Stanton, N. M.  
V. B. May, Register.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION**  
Department of the Interior  
United States Land Office  
at Las Cruces, New Mexico  
Nov. 22, 1932

Notice is hereby given that Edith I. Thomas, widow of Henry A. Thomas, of Gran Quivira, N. M., who, on Sept. 7, 1927, made original homestead entry No. 034466, and on October 1, 1927, made additional homestead entry, No. 034467, for Lots 3, 4, SW<sub>1</sub>NW<sub>2</sub>, W<sub>1</sub>SW<sub>1</sub> Sec. 4, T. 1 S., R. 8 E., W<sub>1</sub>SW<sub>1</sub> Sec. 1, N<sub>2</sub>Sec. 12, T. 2 S., R. 9 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make 3-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Mary C. DuBois, U. S. Commissioner, at Corona, N. M., on January 6, 1933.

Claimant names as witnesses—  
James L. Wells, Mannel Wells, Ivar E. Eldridge, Ethel May Eldridge, all of Gran Quivira, N. M.  
V. B. May, Register

D2-30 Register

**Notice of Sheriff's Sale**

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Sheriff of Lincoln County, New Mexico, on the 23rd day of Dec., 1932, at the hour of 10 A. M., on the front steps of the Courthouse, at Carrizozo, Lincoln County, New Mexico, will sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described property, to-wit: Southeast quarter, the south half of the southwest quarter, of section twenty-six, the south half of the southeast quarter of section 27, the north half of the northeast quarter of section 34, the north half of the north half, the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 35, all in township 11 S., of Range 16 East, N. M. P. M.,

or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise the sums hereinafter mentioned, by virtue of the authority vested in me by an execution issued out of the District Court within and for the County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, Dec. 1, 1932, on that certain judgment on a promissory note recovered in the Justice of the Peace Court, Precinct 14, Lincoln County, New Mexico, on the 2nd day of June, 1931, wherein J. B. French was plaintiff and M. W. Chavez and Martin Torres were defendants, in the amount of \$256.95 damages, interest and costs of suit. The amounts to be raised by the sale of the above described lands are as follows:  
Judgment with interest to date of this sale \$279.33  
together with the costs of this publication, Sheriff's fee and costs of this sale.

JOHN E. BRADY,  
Sheriff of Lincoln County,  
New Mexico.  
D2-23

**FOR RENT—Apartment.**  
Apply at Carrizozo Hardware Company.

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Given by  
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Music by  
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**Notice of Contest**

No. 6527  
Department of the Interior  
General Land Office  
Santa Fe, New Mexico  
Nov. 21, 1932

To Joseph B. King of Ramon, N. M., Contestee:

You are hereby notified that Leslie M. Kuykendall who gives Ramon, N. M., as his postoffice address, did on October 20, 1932, file in this office his duly corroborated application to contest and secure the cancellation of your Stock Raising H—D Entry, Serial No. 058296, made April 13, 1929, for Lots 3, 4, S<sub>1</sub>NW<sub>2</sub>, SW<sub>1</sub> Section 4; Lots 1, 2, S<sub>1</sub>NE<sub>1</sub>, SE<sub>1</sub> Sec. 5, Twp. 2 S., R. 18 E., N. M. P. M., and as grounds for his contest he alleges that entryman has totally abandoned said entry for more than two years, that he did establish residence on said land and built a shack on it, but sold it and it was moved off in the spring of 1930 and he left about May 1, 1930 and has not returned and homestead is abandoned from May 1st, 1930 until the present time. There is a small tank on the land which was built sometime before May 1, 1930. There are no other improvements.

You are, therefore, further notified that the said allegations will be taken as confessed, and your said entry will be canceled without further right to be heard, either before this office or on appeal, if you fail to file in this office within twenty days after the FOURTH publication of this notice, as shown below, your answer, under oath, specifically responding to these allegations of contest, together with due proof that you have served a copy of your answer on the said contestant either in person or by registered mail.

You should state in your answer the name of the postoffice to which you desire future notices to be sent to you.

Frank L. Wood, Acting Register.  
Date of first publication Dec. 2, 1932  
" " 2nd " " 9  
" " 3rd " " 16  
" " 4th " " 23

**30 Christmas Greeting Cards**  
and Folders with envelopes to match, \$1.00  
Each Design Different  
Outlook Art & Gift Shop

**HELP SANTA CLAUS**

This has been a very hard year on Santa Claus and he is in need of help if he is going to get toys for all the good little boys and girls this Christmas. It would just simply be too bad if any good little girl or boy should fail to receive a visit from Santa Claus; so he has figured out a plan that will enable him to do a lot more work between now and Christmas. This is the plan: If all the boys and girls who have toys that they have used until they are no more, will bring them to the schoolhouse, and the boys in the Manual Training Department will fix these toys up, paint them and get them ready for Santa Claus, he will call for them and carry them to the little boys and girls, who will be glad as can be to get them.

Now, all you boys and girls who have toys or dolls that are old, soiled or broken, bring them right away to school, so the boys have time to fix them up before Santa Claus calls for them.

**Methodist Church**

One hundred and ten in Sunday School; over 50 at Epworth League service. Preaching service at Capitan next Sunday morning; at Angus in the afternoon. The Christmas Cantata, Pageant and Tableau in the church in Carrizozo at 7:45 in the evening. Come early and find a good seat. Those who heard the Cantata last year will want to hear this one and will tell others, so we expect a crowded house.

Mrs. C. E. Freeman's class installed 8 beautiful hickory chairs in her classroom Sunday. Other classes are planning improvements in their classrooms. Mr. Brickley's lecture on Bible Study last Sunday was exceptionally good. That is a large class and has great possibilities. We are in need of a suitable classroom for that class. Please, someone, mention that to old Santa.

# Jim the Conqueror

By Peter B. Kyne

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## CHAPTER IX—Continued

At the head of the single street Don Jaime looked back. "A contented people," he declared. "Chilli peppers drying on every roof and ample corn for the tortillas; a tiny garden for onions and lettuce and beans, labor exchanged for bright calico and overalls and gingham at cost at the ranch commissary; no debts, no rents, no lawsuits, freedom from a puritanical code of morals. Sometimes I could wish I, too, were a peon. Bull, weevil and the price of beef bothers them not, nor taxes nor notes at the bank."

"Nor sheep," Roberta supplemented. "Speaking of which," he continued, "we will ride out and visit the woolies after luncheon. If you care for a ride."

Crooked Bill was wondering why his niece was such a poor correspondent, when Harms, the butler, entered with the mail.

Crooked Bill pounced upon it. Two envelopes, one slim and the other fat, bore the return address of the Rancho Valle Verde, so Crooked Bill opened the slim one and read:

"My dear Mr. Latham:  
I wired you for permission to pay my court to your very lovely niece, Miss Roberta Antrim. In granting the desired permission, for which I am deeply grateful, you saw fit to give me some wholly unnecessary and rather silly advice on how to be successful in love.

"My dear Mr. Latham, you know nothing of your charming niece's disposition. The finest way in the world for me to kill my foolish prospects would be for me to wrangle a guitar under her window and sing 'Robre las Olas' And anyhow, what's your interest in me that causes you to be so free with your foolish advice? I suspect you would like to get me in Dutch.

"I think she likes me, but she doesn't know whether I'm crazy about her or not, even when I swear I am. I figure that the best way to get her winging is to keep her guessing, but—quite sane! If you have any other suggestions for helping along the game of your old friend Patricio Jesus Higuener's son, let them fly.

Sincerely yours  
J. M. HIGUENES."

Crooked Bill read and reread this remarkable document and with a huge sigh laid it aside. "I've overplayed my hand," he murmured, and took up Roberta's letter, which ran as follows:

"Dear Uncle Bill:

"I am ashamed of myself for having neglected you so, but the fact is I have been having such a wonderful time at Don Jaime's ranch (I call him Jim) that I haven't had time to write. "Uncle Bill, he's marvelous. Everybody thinks so and says so—consequently it must be true. He is very bold, he sings and plays divinely, he is a sort of feudal baron and he works hard all day with his men. He has thousands of acres of cotton, thousands more of alfalfa, thousands more of cattle range, and all the cattle in the world.

"I haven't thought of Glenn Hackett more than twice since coming here and then only to compare him, to his disadvantage, to this amazing Jimmy. If he'd only make love to me like a reasonable man should I think I'd fall for him—hard.

"I enclose a number of photos. The one of Jimmy is excellent. Write soon.  
"Your loving

"BOBBY."  
With the calmness of despair Crooked Bill scrutinized the photographs. The one of Don Jaime showed him on a gray horse with a day-old calf draped across his lap.

"Caramba!" murmured Crooked Bill. "This fellow is no fat, oily, perfumed, lazy Mexican with a mustache. The boy has sized Roberta up right—not the width of a goat's wing out of line—and he'll win to a walk, as sure as death and taxes, unless I do something and do it my pronto. I don't want Roberta to marry into a mixed breed like the Higueneses.

"Well, Roberta says if he'd only make love to her like a reasonable man she'd fall for him hard. That means she's still safe. . . . Bill Latham, you've got to get that girl back home in a hurry. Those infernal sheep and my foolish scheming sent her to Texas, and in order to get her home those sheep must be disposed of—in a hurry. God help me, I'll have to buy them myself—and if that Higuenes bandit ever gets on to the identity of the purchaser, he'll induce her to sock me so hard, when I'm unable to defend myself, that I'll never have the heart to eat a mutton chop again. Glenn, my boy, fighting your fight is going to be mighty expensive, but as an adjunct to the family I guess you're worth it." He telephoned to his office in New York, instructing it to secure him transportation and a drawing room to Los Algodones, Texas, and the following day was en route to consummate the crookedest piece of business he had ever contemplated—that of swindling himself!

In due course he arrived in Los Algodones and put up at the Mansion house. Neither the town nor the hotel had changed a particle in the twenty-

five years that had passed since he had seen it last.

Nobody knew him, nor did any of the faces of the loungers in the chairs tipped back against the front of the hotel awaken in Crooked Bill the faintest flicker of recognition. At the general store he purchased a pair of overalls, a canvas coat and a gray sombrero, which, combined with a soft white shirt and black tie and the boots (a relic of other days) which he habitually wore, metamorphosed Crooked Bill into a very fair imitation of a Texas citizen of the wide open spaces. Thus garbed he called upon Don Prudencio Alvizo.

"My name's Blodgett, Mr. Alvizo," he announced, and soothed his conscience with the thought that it was his middle name. "I understand you're the attorney for Tom Antrim's estate. I also understand he left quite a smean of sheep."

Don Prudencio nodded. "Are they for sale?"

"A sale might be arranged, with the consent of the court, Senor Blodgett," Don Prudencio answered guardedly.

"Fine," said Crooked Bill. "I'll buy them. I've a notion I can make a turn on those sheep. I understand Antrim's heir lives in New York, so I presume she'll be glad to sell and get rid of a nuisance."

Don Prudencio shrugged. "Maybe so." With his eyes he inquired what Senor Blodgett's offer might be. Having looked up the market quotations in an El Paso paper Crooked Bill promptly named a figure one dollar per head above the highest market quotations.

Don Prudencio stirred slightly. "I weel sell you those sheep, subject to the confirmation by the court," he purred. "I am the executor for the estate. The sheep have been counted recently and I weel guarantee the count. I weel write for you an offer for all those sheep, wheech you will sign. Then I weel accept, subject to the confirmation by the court and you weel pay me now on account ten thousand dollars, no? I am queech trader—like you."

"I'll have the money wired to the credit of the estate in any bank you name. It will be there tomorrow. You've sold something."

Don Prudencio Alvizo might have looked sleepy, but behind those slightly litherly eyes he was very wide awake. Within ten minutes he had William B. Latham sewed up on a contract of purchase and sale, provided the court approved Don Prudencio's action as executor.

When Crooked Bill had the contract safely tucked in his pocket he commenced talking with Don Prudencio about the deceased Tom Antrim, and learned that for a few days following Antrim's death the sheep had remained in charge of one Bill Dingle, Antrim's foreman. Later Dingle had been rather forcibly relieved of his charges by Jaime Higuenes, of the Rancho Valle Verde.

"That Dingle might be a good experienced sheepsman to care for these sheep to ease the court approves the sale," Crooked Bill suggested hopefully. "Where might one get in touch with him?"

Don Prudencio gave him minute directions for finding Mr. Dingle, and with a heart beating high with hope Crooked Bill took his departure.

"Tomorrow I'll hire a car and driver and hire me out to saw those sheep off on Bill Dingle," he decided. "I'll give that grass thief a bargain he just naturally won't have the heart to refuse. Then I'll get an airplane to freight me back home in a hurry, because I mustn't waste any time with that Higuenes bird always on the job. Once home, I'll wire Roberta I'm very ill and to come home immediately. After that—the Deuce."

## CHAPTER X

For a long time after Crooked Bill had left his office Don Prudencio Alvizo sat in his swivel chair and stared hard at the opposite wall. He was thinking equally hard. Presently he took down the telephone and called the proprietor of the Mansion house and with him held a conversation in Spanish. Then he hung up and waited. Presently the telephones rang and Don Prudencio answered. "Gracias." He hung up and wrote on a scratch pad the initials W. B. L. Thereafter he continued to stare at the wall for another hour.

The following night he appeared at the Rancho Valle Verde. Roberta was dressing for dinner, and Don Jaime was lying in his long chair on the gallery, with Ken Hobart beside him.

"Hello, Prudy, what brings you out?" Don Jaime hailed him.

"I am mystified," Don Prudencio replied, and forthwith related in meticulous detail his impending sale of the Antrim sheep to a fat-headed old gentleman for a very great deal more than they were worth. "He said his name was Blodgett, and signed the contract William L. Blodgett," the lawyer continued. "He did not say where he was from, but I could see he knew nothing of sheep and was a city man. He did not bargain with me and he

seemed to me to be quite too anxious to buy the sheep. So I telephoned to the Mansion house to inquire if he was stopping there and when I described him they said they had a guest there from New York by that name, but that his baggage carried the initials W. B. L."

"Hum-m-m!" Don Jaime grunted and sat up, very straight. "He isn't a very good liar, is he? What does W. B. L. of New York, want of the Antrim sheep, and why should he pay such a high price for them? This is indeed very mysterious, Prudy. Did he deposit the ten thousand?"

"He did. It was telegraphed from New York."

"I wonder what the old idiot is going to do with those sheep?"

"I imagine he's going to get Bill Dingle to care for them."

"Not on my range. Prudy, the minute those sheep pass out of possession of the estate of Thomas Antrim, deceased, they're going to get off the Higuenes range. If they linger there'll be a fight or a foot race."

"Do you suppose Miss Antrim will agree to sell the sheep, my friend?" Don Prudencio queried.

"Sell them? Of course she'll sell them. You are her executor and you recommend the sale. I am her friend and business adviser and I certainly



"I Gave Dingle and His Men a Pretty Tough Deal."

recommend it, and as the probate judge knows nothing of sheep and will be guided by such experts as you and me in making his decision, naturally he will sign an order of sale. Have a drink, after that long and interesting report!"

"Weeth de-light," said Don Prudencio.

The following morning Don Jaime motored in to Los Algodones, and Roberta accompanied him. As they swung down the main street past the Mansion house, with its row of chair-warmers on the front porch, Roberta started and laid a half-determining hand on Don Jaime's arm.

"Jimmy, look! See that man sitting on the right of the line—the one in the blue overalls and canvas coat?"

"He's a replica of my Uncle Bill. If he had Uncle Bill's clothes on I'd get out and kiss him without question. Good gracious, what a marked resemblance! Why he and Uncle Bill are as near alike as twins."

"So?" murmured Don Jaime and stepped on his foot throttle. "Now that's mighty interesting."

He parked in front of the bank, excused himself to Roberta, entered and sought the cashier.

"Ed," he said, "yesterday ten thousand dollars was wired here to the credit of the estate of Thomas Antrim, as a first payment on account of the purchase, by one Blodgett, of the Antrim sheep. That young lady outside in my car is Antrim's heir, Miss Roberta Antrim. I want to know what New York bank wired it."

"Certainly. I don't think I violate

any confidence. The Twelfth National."

"Who ordered the transfer?"

"A man by the name of Glenn Hackett."

"Thanks," said Don Jaime, and climbed back into the car with Roberta. When they were half-way back to Valle Verde he said to her very casually, "Do you know a man in New York by the name of Glenn Hackett?"

Roberta jerked erect with surprise. "Why, yes! He's one of my dearest friends and my Uncle Bill's attorney. Do you know Glenn, Jimmy?"

"No—and I hope I never do. I dislike him very much. He's in love with you!"

"That's none of your business, and besides, if he were, Jimmy, you couldn't expect me to discuss the subject with you. Who has been telling you about Glenn Hackett?"

"The fairies," Don Jaime replied emphatically. And though Roberta pressed him to tell her more and employed every feminine wile to break down his resolve not to, he refused. As they alighted at the hacienda the outrageous man still further mystified her by saying:

"And I don't think so much of your old Uncle Bill, either."

This statement when there was not apparently any reason why Uncle Bill should ever be the subject of thought, was the final feather that broke the back of Roberta's curiosity. "Jimmy," she pleaded, "would you care to save a human life?"

"Some humans. You, for instance."

"Then tell me what has lowered my innocent Uncle Bill in your estimation."

"He's crooked."

"Oh, Jimmy, he isn't! His friends call him Crooked Bill because he's—well, rather joyously sly, cunning and prudent. But dishonest—never!"

"He's out to boost the stock of this Glenn Hackett person to you and to depress mine."

Roberta smiled a small and knowing smile but said nothing.

"No, he doesn't play fair," Don Jaime protested. "He says one thing and means something else, so just for that I'm going to take your Uncle Bill's conceit down a couple of notches."

"How do you know he doesn't play fair?"

He laid finger on lip. "Hush! It's a secret."

"Evidently," Roberta replied bitterly, after waiting about twenty seconds for him to impart the secret.

"I think I'll go back to Los Algodones," he announced suddenly. "There's something about the atmosphere of that town that aids my powers of divination."

"Am I invited to ride back with you? Or must I mope around the house until you return?"

"I think you had better mope. I have need to do some thinking—and you ditch my train of thought." He looked at her keenly, earnestly, and without the slightest flicker of levity in his eyes. "Are you enjoying your visit at Valle Verde, Bobby? I've wondered if you didn't feel a bit lonely and neglected here."

"Oh, no, Jimmy! You're such a friendly, comfortable person when you are around the house. Will you return from Los Algodones in time for dinner, Jimmy?"

"I don't know. I'll do my best to complete my business and be back in time. I don't relish driving around this country at night because just at present, for me, at least, the night has a number of eyes."

"You mean—"

"I mean that your foreman, Bill Dingle, has been across the line, and something tells me he went there to hire some renegade to bump me off. I don't particularly blame him for that. A man acts according to his lights, and I gave Dingle and his men a pretty tough deal."

"But you went to town today unarmed, Jimmy?"

He shook his head, half removed his tropical whipcord coat and displayed a gun under each arm, in a shoulder

holster. "I try to appear non-pollonous off the ranch," he explained. "Well, I have a few friends who keep me advised on matters in which I am interested. I'm pretty safe in daylight, but coming home in the dusk I'd just as lief have a good man for company. So you stay home, Roberta, and I'll take Ken Hobart with me. He's very reliable."

With a careless nod he left her, to drive over to the men's quarters for his foreman. Roberta stood in the patio entrance and watched him—saw Ken Hobart come out of the saddle room, receive his orders and go to his own adobe bungalow for his coat and a couple of carbines and ammunition belts. Then the two drove away, and Roberta, with terror in her heart, went to her room and wept, as her lively imagination pictured Don Jaime Miguel Higuenes, all bloody and limp, lying in the deep gray dust of the road to Los Algodones.

In the cool of the late afternoon Don Jaime dropped into a vacant chair beside Crooked Bill on the veranda of the Mansion house, after first inquiring, in Spanish, if by any chance the chair was reserved for any friend of his.

"Not at all," Crooked Bill replied in the same language, albeit haltingly, for the years had been long since his tongue had caressed so many vowels. "Help yourself, my friend."

"I thank you," Don Jaime replied in English. "I observe you do not speak Spanish too well. I beg pardon for addressing you in that tongue, but observing that you appear to be of this country I supposed you spoke the language of the country."

"Never was much of a hand at foreign languages," Crooked Bill replied with the utmost friendliness.

Don Jaime produced two cigars and handed one to his neighbor. Crooked Bill favored the weed with a swift, furtive appraisal, saw that it was a brand that retailed at three for a dollar, and decided he might risk it.

"Much obliged," he murmured. "I'm a stranger here," he added. "My name's Blodgett—William Blodgett."

"I am pleased to meet you, Mr. Blodgett. I am Jaime Miguel Higuenes."

Crooked Bill started noticeably. "The h—I you are!" he burst out, unguardedly.

"Ah, you have heard of me?" Don Jaime's face betokened mild surprise and inquiry.

"Why yes, Senor Higuenes—if you will forgive me for bringing up a delicate subject. I believe you're the young man who waited—old Tom Antrim into the bosom of Abraham."

"I had the pleasure," Don Jaime replied modestly.

"Would you mind shaking hands with me, Senor Higuenes? By the holy poker, that was a first-class job of work you did on Tom. I'm delighted to meet you, sir."

"The pleasure is mutual, Mr. Blodgett. You know Antrim?"

"I should tell a man. He skinned me on a cow deal once. That rascal was so low he could kiss a rat without bending his knees."

Don Jaime smiled. "I believe, Mr. Blodgett, that you and I have interests in common. Suppose we cement our acquaintance in two fingers of tequila. I know a place where we can get it."

"Boy," said Crooked Bill, "you're a gift from God. But we'll pass up the tequila, because I have a couple of quarts of thirty-year-old Bourbon in my room. The h—I of it is there's no ice in this hotel."

"I will get ice from the soda clerk at the drug store, Mr. Blodgett. Mint, also, is available, and if you will permit me, I will make a julep after the manner taught me by my father. Although of Spanish persuasion he married a lady from Virginia and she taught him the great secret."

"Get on the job," ordered Crooked Bill, "and come up to my room, Number 38."

Five minutes later Don Jaime returned with the ice and the mint, and Crooked Bill arose and led the way upstairs.

"My use to get him to walk worked," thought Don Jaime. "He has a slight limp. Yes, beyond the prudence of a doubt this sly old wretch is Roberta's uncle, and if I don't find out what he's up to before we part I'm far from being the boy I used to be."

Up in Number 38 Don Jaime mixed the julep, shaving the ice with a bow-knife sorted out from under his coat-tail. Crooked Bill watched him, fascinated. "What part of our glorious Lone Star state do you hail from, Mr. Blodgett?" Don Jaime inquired presently.

"I come from El Paso." This was true. Crooked Bill had changed trains there.

"Thinking of settling in this part of the state?"

"Oh no! Fact is, I came down here to buy those sheep from Tom Antrim's estate."

"This is most unfortunate, Mr. Blodgett. I am a cowman and I had no idea I was fraternizing with a sheepman. Were it not for your antiquated liquor it would be incumbent upon me to retire instantly."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

## IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

(By REV. F. B. FITZWATER, D. D., Member of Faculty, Moody Bible Institute of Chicago, Institute of Christian Education, 2122 Western Newspaper Union.)

Lesson for December 18  
REVIEW: CHRISTIAN STANDARDS OF LIFE

**GOLDEN TEXT**—And he said to them all, If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross daily, and follow me.—Luke 9:23.  
**PRIMARY TOPIC**—A Holiday with Jesus.  
**JUNIOR TOPIC**—How God Orders Us to Live.  
**INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC**—Following Christ in Everything.  
**YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC**—Ideals of the True Christian.

The best method of review for young people and adults will be to discover the principal teaching of each lesson. This teaching may be set forth as a kind of a motto for the life. A good plan will be to make assignments to the members of the class a week in advance. The passages of Scripture are so diversified that a great variety of opinions will doubtless be obtained. The following suggestions are offered:

**Lesson for October 2:**  
The Christian's growth is by means of his devotional life. His understanding and heart-life should be symmetrically developed. Bible study and prayer go hand in hand. The neglect of either means stunted growth.

**Lesson for October 9:**  
The look into the Bethany home is not to see how Jesus behaved therein, but to see the behavior of the members of that home. The most important lesson is that we should sit at Jesus' feet in the days when all is well, that in the time of sickness and death we, like Mary, may know how to act. We should choose that good part which cannot be taken away.

**Lesson for October 16:**  
The child of today will be the home-maker of tomorrow. It is most important that children be trained for God by instruction in God's Word.

**Lesson for October 23:**  
The divine unit of society is the home. The welfare of its members depends upon their being united to serve the Lord. This union includes the father, the mother, and the children.

**Lesson for October 30:**  
The believer is a citizen as well as a Christian. The instructed Christian will be loyal to the state as well as to the church.

**Lesson for November 6:**  
World peace will come, not through conferences, leagues, and understandings, but through the appearing of the Prince of Peace and the establishment of the Messianic Kingdom. Only then will the "Will of God be done on earth as it is in heaven."

**Lesson for November 13:**  
The all-important thing in life is not making a living but a life. Man's thought and effort should be to shape his life for the life which is to come and not to accumulate the things of the earth which must be left behind at death.

**Lesson for November 20:**  
Wealth is from God. The natural resources from which wealth is gained were prepared by God. Even the ability to seize them and transform them into useful commodities is from God. Every believer should regularly and systematically give of his possessions to God.

**Lesson for November 27:**  
Stewardship of life means the recognition that our very being with all its faculties and powers is a gift of God and that our powers were given for a definite purpose and that God will hold us responsible for their use.

**Lesson for December 4:**  
In order to live in peace with members of other races, one must realize that God has made of one blood all the nations of the earth. In this light, racial supremacy will vanish.

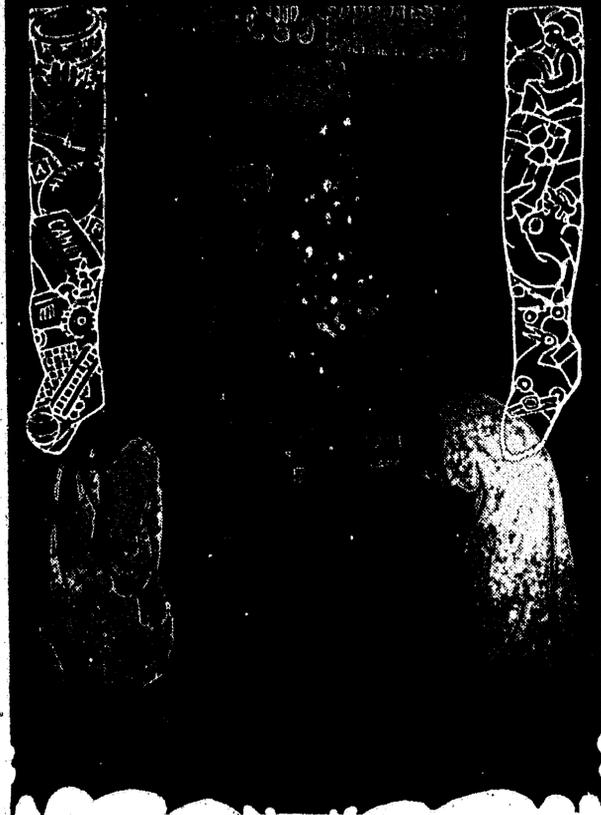
**Lesson for December 11:**  
The Christian's leisure time should be given to hearing the Word of God and to doing good in Christ's name.

**His Dying Eyes**  
His orderly found him alone and dying. The officer asked the soldier if he thought he could say a prayer. "That isn't in my line, sir," said the man; and then, with a sudden thought, he said, "But I have got a little cross my mother gave me; will that help you, sir?" The officer took the cross, and lifting it before him, murmured, "Hold Thou thy cross before my dying eyes," and died.

**Blessings**  
In every duty every happiness, God sends us some sacrifice—some offering is required. If he sends riches, they are weighted with responsibilities; if he sends loving parents, they will need care and gratitude when the trail of old age draws on; if he sends unbroken, unclouded days of happiness, there is the gift of sympathy for others not so blessed.

**Personal Service**  
Many young people are stinging in the giving of personal service, either to the society or to the church. They are willing, perhaps, to do the easy and pleasant things but reluctant to undertake tasks that require time and thought and effort. What Sunday school is not in need of young men for teachers of the boys' classes? To teach such a class demands study and interest in the boys and work in their behalf.

# CAUGHT!



## Southwestern Briefs

The state corporation commission issued an order closing the Three Rivers, N. M., agency of the Southern Pacific Railroad effective Dec. 15.

Gordon Stores, Inc., of Las Vegas, N. M., concluded a closing out sale recently and moved the remainder of the stock of goods to Grand Junction, Colo.

The New Mexico state corporation commission cancelled the charters of the United Royalties, Inc., of Albuquerque, for failure to file required annual reports.

Thomas V. Truder, Republican candidate for district attorney in the fourth judicial district, New Mexico, reported he had spent \$375 during his campaign for office.

A jury in District Court at Las Cruces acquitted Gideon Redding, cowboy of Big Lake, Texas, on a charge of robbing the First National Bank of Hatch, N. M.

H. Merle Cochran of Tucson, Ariz., has been commissioned as secretary in the diplomatic service and has been designated first secretary of the United States embassy in Paris.

Mrs. Glen Davis of Fairbanks, Ariz., is in a hospital at Bisbee suffering from injuries received in an automobile accident in which her brother, Merlin Clymer, 26, was killed.

Low bids of \$74,595.20 was submitted by E. H. Honnen of Colorado Springs, Colo., for construction of four and one-fourth miles of forest highway between Taos and Las Vegas, N. M.

Two counties in New Mexico have already forwarded advance payments on their 1932 taxes to the state. Dona Ana County has sent \$20,000 to the treasurer and Otero County \$12,000.

Paul Turner and Larry Sheldon, trustees who escaped from the Arizona state penitentiary at Florence, were captured by prison guards while asleep in a field southwest of Chandler.

Taos is rapidly recovering from the effects of a \$250,000 fire which occurred there last May. Practically all of the business section razed by flames, the north side of the plaza, is being rebuilt.

Arizona's next annual buffalo hunt will be held in House Rock valley next February 15. The herd of buffalo, which now numbers 106 head, is the only one in the nation which still roams free on the range.

J. D. Rick, 25, and Jimmy Sneddon, 40, both employees of the Gallup American Coal Company at Ganero, N. M., died almost instantly when their home-made airplane plunged downward to a street intersection and burst into flames in Gallup.

Secretary of State Scott White said J. A. Mulcahy, treasurer of the Democratic state central committee, reported the recent Democratic campaign in Arizona cost \$10,252.92. Mulcahy reported that \$10,458 was contributed to the campaign and that \$205.71 of that amount was not spent.

Gov. Arthur Sellsman's first economy measure was announced when he requested all state departments, institutions and state officials in New Mexico to prepare their budgets for the 1933 state legislature on the basis of not to exceed 90 per cent of the appropriations granted by the tenth state legislature.

From his sick bed in a hospital at Phoenix, Governor George W. P. Hunt signed an order declaring Arizona's prohibition law null and void. Arizona's prohibition law was adopted six years before national prohibition. The only liquor law now effective in the state is the federal act. Vote on repeal of the state law was 63,250 to 25,219.

Patrick J. Hurley, secretary of war, and his assistant in charge of aviation, F. Trubee Davison, accompanied by more than 200 army officers and ninety airplanes, will come to Phoenix December 17 to accept on behalf of the war department the Frank Lake, Jr., memorial trophy presented by the Arizona department of the American Legion.

Elliott Barker, New Mexico state game warden, said that two more Rocky Mountain sheep arrived in Santa Fe from Banff, Canada, for planting in the mountainous region near Aspen ranch, north of Santa Fe. The sheep, two ewes, will be added to the Rocky Mountain sheep let out of the country near the Aspen ranch several months ago by the game department.

One of the richest strikes ever to be recorded in the mining history of Graham County, Arizona, was that made by Van Lee in the Ft. Grant mining district, a newly opened section near Safford. Assays of the ore show them to be worth from \$45.00 to \$1,632.00 per ton. The news caused much excitement in eastern Arizona mining circles. The mine, located about forty miles west of Safford, was formerly known as the "Lost Mexican" property, and has been worked by Mr. Lee of Bolla, Arizona, and his partner, Dr. H. C. Burson of Denver.

Constant Weinzapfel of Tucson was elected president of the Arizona older boys' conference at Tucson.

Lloyd Thomas, state superintendent of banks in Arizona, has filed foreclosure suit in Coconino County Superior Court for \$112,390.60 against the Yaeger and Bly livestock firm, naming as defendants F. D. Bly of Williams and Manuela Yaeger Raub of Phoenix, the owners. The money is alleged due on loans obtained from the Arizona Bank before it closed. The loans allegedly date back to December 16, 1929.

## Death Follows Shock From Electric Eel

### Other Denizens of the Deep Also Equipped by Nature With "Death Rays," for Their Protection.

That electricity can be produced by means of machinery and by the use of chemicals is well known. That certain fish can produce it in their own bodies on a scale large enough to kill a man is not so easily understood—except by those unfortunate who have actually received shocks from these "living batteries," writes the contributor of this article to London Answers.

The most powerful of all electric fish is the electric eel, a fish about 6 or 8 feet long.

This fish has the electric organs, which are composed of a soft, jelly-like substance, situated in the tail. The potency of the shock received from this formidable fish depends on the way in which it is discharged, being greatest when the head and tail of the fish are simultaneously in contact with the body of the victim, on which occasions a blue-white spark is actually emitted.

The electric eel is emphatically a dangerous fish, capable in certain circumstances of even killing a man. Not many months ago one of the aquarium keepers at the zoo went on the sick list as a direct result of receiving a shock of some 400 volts from one of them.

Almost as dangerous is the African catfish, or "rnod" (the Arab name for "thunder"). Though not so large as the electric eel—it rarely exceeds 4 feet in length—it is capable of giving its victim very powerful shocks, which prevent all further motion for the time being.

The electric organs of the catfish are distributed over the entire body and lie just below the skin. Not long ago the zoo was fortunate enough to obtain a small specimen. When touched by human hands it gave a shock which was clearly felt up to the elbow.

Then the electric rays can also give fairly powerful galvanic shocks. These rays, often over 4 feet long and a couple in width, have the electric organs situated on the head, and as they are occasionally found off the British coast and in the English channel, prospective channel swimmers must beware!

It is not generally known that the common skate is likewise endowed with rudimentary electric organs, which lie on the top of the fish's head between the eyes. The shock given by the skate is only a feeble one, but it is enough to unnerve the unwary bather who happens to put his foot upon this fish.

Curiously enough, no mammals, birds, or reptiles at all can give forth an electric shock, but there are several insects capable of doing so. Some South American caterpillars, if touched with the hand, can temporarily paralyze a man's arm.

Likewise, click-beetles—or "skip-jacks," as they are sometimes called—can numb the arm of anyone whose hand chances to touch them. Some bugs have the same curious power, the best-known being the wheel-bug of the West Indies.

What are the uses to which these "living batteries" put their strange

equipment? Why has Nature endowed them with this mysterious force otherwise known only to Man? The answer is twofold. First, they paralyze their prey before eating it, and second, by emitting a well-timed shock they can keep at bay larger creatures which might want to eat them.

### Works That Way

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## The Glorious Christmas Firelight

ENV of us really spend our Christmas plodding through fresh-fallen snow to a little house in the country whose inartistic commonplaces have been covered with a white blanket. But we like to choose cards that show such scenes. For the cold outside suggests the glow of a warm retreat within. It comes down to us from ancestors far away that "here by the fire we defy frost and storm." You will see people looking longest of all at pictures of a hearth where a fire blazes, above which stockings hang, before which little children sit, nodding off to sleep.

Children around the hearth are at the heart of Christmas, and always have been. For children so readily catch this spirit of good will and kindness, and bubble over so joyously. The little hysterics, the sudden closing of closet doors, the sudden dropping of voices to a whisper, have excited them. They know that these are happy secrets. Has not every dire threat that Santa Claus might forget them been spoken in a tone of jollity that told their shrewd young minds that no one was really angry? Trust them to know the spirit behind their elders' words and tones.

How great a thing this Christmas is that it can bring its blessing even to little children. How far back the impulse had to start to be so strong that it would overflow until it reached the lives of the children, who do not really understand, but who feel so truly that at this season everyone has grown kinder.

"Tidings of comfort and joy," they sing in the words of the old carol. And they called the message of Bethlehem the "good news." Not an old, familiar kind of good news—not that those who had little should have a little more, or that those who had much should be blessed again with the joy of something left to wish for. But to all a word that there were better things possible in life than the little reliefs from grief or loss or want. "Good will" was the message—thinking kindly of people until the very kindness in one's own heart casts out the resentments and the wants and the contradictions of life.

We try to be good to children, thinking it may be that thus we pay honor to a child that lay in a manger. But really we are kind to them because nothing else so quickly and so truly shows us how our own kindness cheers our own hearts and makes us glad. And at Christmas we are reaching out for those things which revive our own faith in things that are true and good.

**1932**  
Use of "Xmas"  
What is the reason for the name "Christmas" being abbreviated as "Xmas" and does not this latter simply mean "crossmas"?  
The "X" does not stand for "cross" but is the Greek letter "chi" which has this form. It is the initial letter of the Greek word for "Christ" and is used as its abbreviation, just as "Xn" is used for "Christian" and "Xty" for "Christianity."—Detroit News.

## The Real Christmas Spirit

By S. J. Duncan-Clark in Chicago Daily News

SAW a wistful look on the face of a man I know. It struck so strange a note in the sophisticated music of his life that I was puzzled by it. He was a young man—in his later twenties. He had abundance to satisfy every need and many rather expensive desires.

He was carefully attired as usual. His winter coat was of latest design. His spatted shoes were immaculately shiny. He stood on a loop corner when, seeing him, I paused, made curious by the expression in his eyes and about his mouth. I followed his gaze. It was fastened on two poverty-stricken urchins—boy and girl—who were gleefully inspecting a shop window aglitter with holiday decorations.

"Tom," said I, breaking in on his reverie, "you look almost sentimental. What's the matter?"

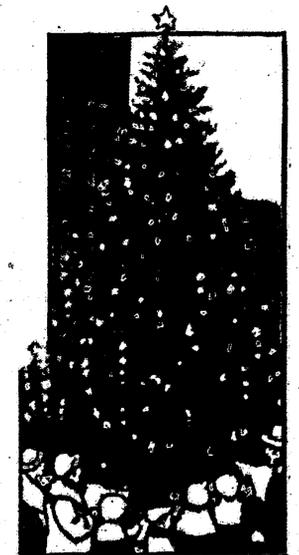
He turned toward me a face that had become suddenly embarrassed. Then he laughed.

"To tell the truth, old man, I was wishing I could recapture the Christmas spirit. It seems to have gone clean out of life—that is, the life of my crowd," he answered.

"There is a way," I said, "but it's old-fashioned and unsophisticated, and what you would call sentimental. First, you must really believe in something—the star and the child and the love behind them. Then you must forget yourself and think of making somebody else happy—somebody who really needs the happiness you can bring. Oh, it's all very bourgeois and passe, I know—but it's the only way."

"I guess you're right," he said. "I'm tempted to try it, but—" And he turned on his heel and left me—left me thinking of a certain rich young man in an old story who "went away exceeding sorrowful."

## THE COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS TREE



**AT THE FIRST SNEEZE USE MISTOL**  
NIGHT AND MORNING  
Fight COLDS 2 ways  
AND PUT  
Essence of Mistol ON YOUR HANDKERCHIEF AND PILLOW IT'S NEW

Try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound  
Too "Worn-Out" to go  
Another date broken... Couldn't stay on her feet a minute longer! Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound always relieves cramps. Try it next month.

## Could Your Car Pass a "Cold Test" like this?



Through deep snow drifts that blanketed Wolf Creek Pass, 10,600 feet above sea level in Colorado's Rockies, a great V-type snow plow doggedly pushed its way. A whirling rotary plow spouted clouds of snow, clearing the roadway. And soon, despite temperatures daily below zero, workers of Liberty Truck & Parts Co., of Denver, had opened the 15-mile road.

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There's a "cold test" to guide you in buying motor oil! Conoco Germ Processed Motor Oil is thoroughly dewaxed and circulates freely below zero. It makes winter starting easier. More important still, it saves your motor from terrific punishment during the starting period, when half of all motor

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ANY OIL WOULD BE BETTER OIL IF GERM PROCESSED

**HEARD ABOUT TOWN**

Mr. and Mrs. Lell St John entertained with a big party at their home last Sunday afternoon. There were about fifteen guests present and the afternoon was spent in games of various kinds, refreshments, etc.

**Santa Rita Church**

Very impressive services were held at Santa Rita Church last Saturday evening and Sunday morning, in honor of Lady of Guadalupe, patron saint of Mexico. Father Brady was assisted in the ceremonies by Father Augustine Pozos of Tularosa, who gave a most wonderful illustration of the apparition of this saint in Mexico in 1531, to an Indian peon by the name of Juan Diego.

There will be midnight service on Christmas Eve and mass on Christmas morning.

The choir is composed of young ladies from Santa Rita School and their singing is beautiful. Come and hear them.

**A Portfolio of Parchments**  
12 Different Christmas Designs—each with a friendly Christmas Wish. Box 50c. Outlook Art & Gift Shop

Sam Wells of White Oaks was a business visitor in town Saturday of last week. Sam is contemplating doing some improvements on his iron mine holdings in the near future.

Delightful Miniatures, painted by Willard Page the scenic artist. Now on sale at the Outlook Art & Gift Shop. These make ideal and inexpensive Christmas gifts. Done in oil paint.

Tirclo C. Romero and Roman Maes of Lincoln were Carrizozo business visitors on Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jones were here from Glencoe last Saturday to attend the meeting of the Democratic county central committee.

Tommy Cook and Everett Myers of White Oaks were Carrizozo visitors Wednesday of this week. They report a heavy snowfall on that day.

**Santa Claus**—Please don't get your feet wet and freeze in this snowstorm, so you can bring us little girls and boys lots of things to play with and good things to eat. My papa and Bertha's papa work at Mr. Ziegler's store. —Natalia Sanchez.

**Fred Fisher Injured**

Mrs. J. E. Farley of Alamogordo received word the first of the week to the effect that her son, Fred Fisher, had fallen from a ladder at Phoenix, Arizona, and seriously injured. She sent the word to her daughter, Mrs. Elsa Charles at the local postoffice and left on the next train for her son's bedside, since which time, no message has been received. Let us hope that his injuries were not so serious as first reported.

Operator and Mrs. Elmer Baker and baby daughter, Evelyn Ann, have returned to Pastura, where "Red" has taken up his old trick at the keys.

**Dolphin Brings Trouble**

Boiled in the Philippines that the killing of a dolphin will bring bad luck was borne out, according to the crew of the Bustananta, when Dolfin Jaramila, attorney general, recently shot an eight-foot specimen during an ocean trip. When Jaramila took the fish on board the crew warned him, but he laughed at their fears. Soon afterward there was a fire aboard ship. Then followed engine trouble, and finally the vessel was caught in a storm.

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**Given Away!**  
With each 25c purchase, we will give a ticket on a **Big Dressed Doll AND Electric Motor Boat**  
To be Given away Dec. 23.

**Mrs. Saylor's and Johnson's Candies**  
Christmas Wrapped  
Many attractive Gifts at Small Prices!  
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**Services at Baptist Church Next Sunday**

The glad Christmas season is drawing near, and thoughts naturally turn to a long ago night in the little village nestling amid the Judean hills. The sermon subject Sunday morning: "Around the Manger." The subject at the evening hour: "Compromise."

**P. T. A. Minstrels**

gave a performance at the Hi School Auditorium last Friday night, from which the P. T. A. organization realized the sum of \$37.60.

**NOTICE**

All Christmas cards (no personal message) unsealed, will go to any place in the United States for 1 1/2 cent —Postmistress.

Forrest Cathey of Hobbs, N. M., is the new baker at the firm of Cathey & Reaves of the Carrizozo Bakery.

**Comments**

The Albuquerque Civic Orchestra of 60 pieces has caused a great deal of favorable comment in their initial program recently. Said program was broadcast over station K O B. The Albuquerque music lovers now have an orchestra that is second to none in the southwest.

Mayor Cermak of Chicago issues the following order, "Put the Gangsters in Jail or the Morgue. The Mayor might be the next one to visit the morgue."

"All the available assets of the Republican party; one sack of tobacco," says Ed Safford. Let's hope that it isn't a 5c bag of Bull Durham.

We hope that Santy Claus didn't get buried in the Democratic landslide last month.

There's a necktie party a-waitin' for Winnie Ruth Judd on Feb. 17. The velvet tigris certainly did a good job of murdering two former women friends—"and how."

Hoover Blamed for Foreign Debts — Newspaper headline, Ho, hum. What next?

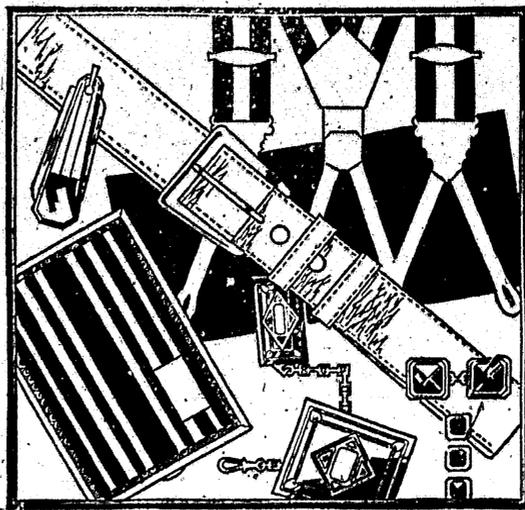
We note they are having freezing temperatures in Yuma, Arizona. Yuma has the name of being the hottest place in the United States, temperatures of 116 degrees in the summer time being, not quite unusual.

The way Congress is functioning it begins to look as though the boys who want Lager Beer by Christmas will have to depend on Santy Claus again.

This town was visited Thursday of this week by a blizzard; only it was too cold to snow much. And it was c-o-l-d, too.

Everyone is saying—"What is old Santa going to bring you?"

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**Gift Suggestions for Men**

**Bathrobes:**  
Plain or Stripe Bathrobes. He'll Appreciate it. to be sure.  
**Price at \$3.85**

**Pajamas:**  
Broadcloth or Flannel Pajamas always makes a practical Gift. Sure to please both young and old.  
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Pure Linen Handkerchiefs—Pack 3 in a Xmas box in plain or fancy.  
**Price 50c a Box**

**Fancy Silk H'kerchiefs:**  
Packed one in Xmas box.  
**Price 60c**

**Pure Linen H'kerchiefs:**  
White - 6 for \$1.00

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in Xmas box, 65c

**Slippers:**  
Is there anyone, young or old, that does not find delight in a pair of comfortable house slippers.  
**Price \$1.25 to 3.00**

**Dress Gloves:**  
Serves so admirably as the gift which is

truly appreciated. There are styles to please one and all—

**Price \$2 to 3.50**

**Neckwear:**  
Ties don't last forever you know, and many a man who finds what he believes is an oversupply of ties as gifts, soon finds that the giver was more thoughtful than he at first suspected.  
**Price 50c, 65c, \$1.00**

**Hosiery:**  
A Gift both Intimate and Lovely. Sure to please both young and old, for it is a gift quite as practical as can be found.  
**Price 25c to 50 per pair**

There is a reason for the giving of every gift. Whether it be an unusual, exquisite, practical, personal, charming or thoughtful gift, depends upon you - - but they will be found here at - - -

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**What to Buy**

**A Set of Bavarian China Would Make an Ideal Christmas Present!**

- Tumblers
- Stem Glasses
- Vases
- Salad Plates
- Silver Salt & Pepper Shakers
- Silverware
- Stationery
- Bridge Sets
- Scarfs
- Sweaters
- Beautiful Line of Handkerchiefs

- Large Assortment of Purses To Select From
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- Beautiful Dolls
- Three Styles of Radio Lamps
- New Line of Costume Jewelry
- Baby Goods
- Xmas Candles
- Poinsettias

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- Chuck Roast of Baby Beef per lb. 12c
- Plate Ribs of Baby Beef per lb. 10c
- Best Cuts of Steak, lb. 20c
- Pork Ham Roast. 15c
- Whole or Half, lb. 15c
- Pork Chops, lb. 18c
- Pork Shoulder Roast. 12 1/2c
- Home-Made Chili, lb. 20c

On Saturday, Dec. 24, a piece of Merchandise will be given to each lady customer who will try our Self-Serving System.

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