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FINAL ROLL CALL REPORT

A total of \$402.66 in memberships and contributions have been received by the Lincoln County Red Cross chapter in its annual Roll Call just completed.

Communities represented and their contributions are:

Carrizozo	\$123.50
Fort Stanton	66.15
Capitan	53.26
Ruidoso	41.75
Hollywood	16.00
Corona	22.00
Lincoln	18.00
Jicarilla	4.00
Ancho	15.00
Hondo	11.00
Glencoe	13.00
Alto	5.00
Nogal	4.00
Ostura	3.00
San Patricio	2.00
Ramon, White Oaks, Picacho and Tucumcari	\$1.00 each.

Among the memberships this year were six, \$5.00 memberships and one. The total number of members is 341. Melvin Waters, County Chairman, expressed profound appreciation and thanks to all citizens of the Lincoln County chapter who gave so generously of their time and funds that the Red Cross may be in a better position to handle its multiplying responsibilities. Thanks are also due the Lincoln County News and the Carrizozo Outlook for their generous publicity given the drive.

"It is for peace I have labored; and it is for peace I shall labor all the days of my life."—President Roosevelt at Philadelphia.

Bible Character Quiz

Melton Evans won 25 points by guessing the character, Samson, on the seventh clue in the Bible character quiz at Epworth League Sunday night.

Fifty points are awarded to the person writing the selected character quiz. The person winning the most points by Easter will receive a prize. One character quiz will be given each Sunday evening at Epworth League at 6:15 at the Methodist church. Come and join in the contest which started last Sunday.

Toys Toys Small Toys at Cost at DOERING'S

Mr. Florencio Vega spent a few days in town this week from his ranch home east of town.

White Oaks Girl Joins Sorority

Portales, N. M., Dec. 12. Miss Opal Crenshaw, daughter of R. A. Crenshaw of White Oaks was one of the 49 men and women students at ENMC who were pledged by the College's four social Greek-letter groups. She was pledged by Sigma Iota Chi.

Miss Crenshaw, who is a sophomore at ENMC, transferred here from Oklahoma University, Norman, Okla., where she was a student last year.

Sharon Belle Pruett

Rev. L. A. Hughes, pastor of the Methodist church, conducted funeral services for Sharon Belle, the one-day old infant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pruett at the Freeman home last Monday afternoon, December 9, 1940. Members of the family and a few friends were present. Interment was at the local cemetery beside its grandmother, the late Mrs. Carl E. Freeman.

Epworth League To Give Play

"Mothers of the World" will be given at the Methodist church on Sunday evening December 22, at the regular church service at 7.

The characters are: Refugee Chinese Woman, Elizabeth Jordan; Refugee Finnish Woman, Nell Joy Bowlin; Japanese woman, Mary Lou May; German woman, Geraldine Dixon; Mary, the mother of Jesus; Elita Loy Bowlin; Joseph; Joe G. West.

Every one is invited to come.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank the people of Carrizozo and Angus for their kindness and the flowers given at the death of our son and brother.

Sayers Crockett, Ervan Crockett.

Genovevo Greigo

Funeral services were conducted at the Catholic church last Monday for Mr. Genovevo Greigo age 74, who passed away last Sunday, after an illness of over a week.

He is survived by his wife, two daughters, Mrs. Clara Zamora and Miss Lorenza Griego and three sons, Messrs. Rene, Jacobo and Enrique Griego. Burial was at the local cemetery.

The new legislature will convene Tuesday, Jan. 14, 1941.

Rountree-Harman

A wedding of interest took place last Saturday night at the Methodist parsonage when Miss Carolyn Rountree and Mr. Roy Harman, were united in marriage with the Rev. L. A. Hughes officiating. Witnesses to the wedding were Mrs. Joe O'Kelley and Mrs. L. A. Hughes.

Mrs. Harman came here several years ago from Oklahoma, and was employed at the Rathmann hospital. Later, she became an operator at the local Mountain States Telephone office, where she is still employed. She is a very attractive and popular young lady.

The groom was born at White Oaks and was reared in Carrizozo, he is very highly regarded for his honesty, industry an exemplary habits. He has been and employee of the local postoffice several years.

Friends extend congratulations and best wishes.

Mrs. R. E. Blaney has written to friends stating that she is having a wonderful visit in Chicago.

NOTICE

The Reil Beauty Shoppe is offering an extra special Christmas gift, a beautiful large dressing table tray, to each lady getting a \$3.50 to a \$5.00 permanent from Dec. 16th to the 23rd of Dec. inclusive.

Mr. Ollin A. Roper and Miss Dorothy Porter, both of Corona, were married at the Methodist Parsonage, Tuesday morning, December 10, Rev. L. A. Hughes officiating. They were accompanied by their mothers; Mrs. Sam Roper and Mrs. Charles T. Porter. We wish for them all the happiness that such a young couple should expect.

APPLICATION NOTICE Licenses Focos District (NM-4) It is necessary for the Grazing Service to receive applications for grazing livestock on Federal range before permits are issued for the 1941-42 grazing season.

A representative of the Grazing Service will be at the following places on dates specified to assist ranchers in making applications for grazing privileges for the forthcoming grazing season: Vaughn, New Mexico, Vaughn Hotel, December 9. Kenna, New Mexico, Denton Merc. Co., December 9. Ft. Sumner, New Mexico, Ford Garage, December 10. Lovington, New Mexico, Court House, December 10. Lon, New Mexico, Post Office, December 11. Jal, New Mexico, Pendleton Hotel, December 11. Capitan, New Mexico, Monte Vista Hotel, December 12. Artesia, New Mexico, City Hall, on December 12. Carlsbad, New Mexico, Court House, December 13-14. Applications may be made at the District Office, White Building, Roswell, New Mexico, on week days during December, in order that the applications may be submitted to the Advisory Board which will meet soon after the first of the year.

Very truly yours, C. F. DIERKING, Regional Grazier.

"Acid Stomach Upset My Whole System"

Says E. Hentges: "I tried a \$1.25 bottle of Adia Tablets under your guarantee. Now pains are gone and I eat anything." Try Adia for excess stomach acidity.

Rolland's Drug Store.

CCC Company 8354 has moved to the Girl's Camp up in Back Canyon. The buildings occupied by this group at Fort Stanton will be used to house the German crew from the scuttled steamer Columbus. About 450 men are expected to arrive from San Francisco on Saturday. The group will be directly in charge of immigration officials.

—Captain Correspondent.

School Notes

The Business Men's Club entertained the High School Football Squad at a banquet Wednesday night at their regular meeting at the Southern Pacific Hotel. The program was well received and everyone had a good time. Welcome to football boys.....

Mr. J. E. Hall Response..... Mr. Burke Stiles Vocal Trio:

1. Silent Night..... Gruder
2. Danny Boy..... Weatherly

Jacqueline Dixon, Charlene Page and Theresia Page accompanied by Jane Gallacher.

Introduction of Football players and talk on Physical Education and Sportsmanship—Mr. Dan Wood Clarinet Quartet:

1. The Rolling Sea..... Zamecnik
2. Oh Hallelujah..... Zamecnik

Jane Gallacher, Marian Joyce, Betty Beck and Jeanne Hall. Remarks by Captain of Football Team..... Allen Beck Trumpet Solo..... Clyde Brewster I. Tramp, Tramp, Tramp..... E. F. Goldman

1. One Fleeting Hour.....
- Dorothy Lee

Accompanied by Jane Gallacher Moving Pictures.... Shown by J. E. Hall.

The pens, posters and other prizes for the high point students in the red cross drive will be distributed next week.

*Xmas decorations were being displayed in several rooms this week and by Monday 16th all rooms will be decorated.

The recent Leap Year Dance at the Country Club netted the Music Dept. \$60.00 which was used for payment on Band Instruments. Our Band will soon blossom out in new band uniforms if the Business Men get cooperation of people in community. The cost will be about \$150.00 and a drive for funds will be made in near future.

Dorothy Jean Bell whose parents moved to Roswell is continuing in Junior High School and living at the Cochran's home.

The eighth grade are planning a party for Dec. 20th at the Community Hall. Each member of the class and their invited guest are welcome.

The Junior Class Play given last Thursday evening was a grand success in every particular. A large and appreciative audience was on hand to greet the class. After all expenses were paid the class had net proceeds of \$45.06. Miss Della Ward the coach deserves much commendation for the success of the play.

The Epworth League of the M. E. Church is putting on a play at the Church Sunday Dec. 22 at 6 p. m. Mrs. Melvin Waters is coaching the Play. Several Junior High School Students are participating in the play.

People who missed seeing the Carrizozo Grizzlies play against Forest Thursday and Capitan Friday missed seeing two good Basketball Games.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bragg were Carrizozo visitors last Saturday from their ranch home near Nogal, while here, The Harkey Lumber Co. presented Mr. Bragg with a new 70 model Bolt Action Winchester, valued at \$61.25 which was given as a prize for killing the largest deer during the 1940 hunting season.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Richardson spent a few days last week at Hondo visiting friends and relatives.

Walter Rex Crockett

Walter Rex (Bob) Crockett, age 32, passed away at the Los Lunas Training School Tuesday morning, December 10 at 2:30. He had been suffering from heart trouble for several months. Immediate cause of death was influenza. Remains were brought to Carrizozo by Undertaker T. E. Kelley.

Burial was at Angus cemetery in charge of Mr. T. E. Kelley. Bob's survivors are his father, Mr. Sayers Crockett, and his brother Ervan Crockett of Los Angeles, California. His mother passed away in 1928.

Pall bearers were Messrs. John W. Harkey, W.S. Norman, Wayne Richard, Jim Brown, Bowen Zumwalt and Gene Dow, Sr.

IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO WITHIN AND FOR LINCOLN COUNTY

WALTER RIGGS,

Plaintiff,

vs.

Dr. E. L. Woods, Impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained to-wit: Russel C. Dodgen, Jimmie Dodgen, The following named defendants, if living, if deceased, their unknown heirs: Julius E. Poston, also known as Julius E. Postin, Mrs. Emma Moore, Jerry H. Hoekradle, W. A. McIvers, H. B. White, J. H. Washburn, C. A. Niles, H. B. Niles, F. S. Trickey, H. B. Shultz, Louis A. Shultz, J. J. Ayers, Cyrus B. Moore, Mrs. Nancy Cox, Mrs. Mayron Mayes, unknown heirs of the following named

deceased persons: Thomas J. Moore, Nathaniel Moore, Eusebio Moore, Mary J. Woods, Jose Torres Y Chavez, Adelaida Chavez, and all unknown claimants of interests in the hereinafter described premises, adverse to the estate of the plaintiff.

Defendants.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

To each of the above named defendants against them substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, GREETING:

You and each of you are hereby notified that a certain cause wherein you and each of you are defendants, and Walter Riggs is plaintiff, being Civil cause No. 4827 on the Civil Docket in the above named Court, is now pending against you.

The general object and purpose of said suit is to establish and quiet plaintiff's title in and to the real estate and property described in the Complaint in said cause, the same being in the County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, and in Sections 31 and 32, Township 8 South 10 East, and in Sections 5 and 6 Township 9 South, Range 10 East,

against the adverse claims of you and each of you, and anyone claiming by, under, or through you, or any of you, and to forever bar and stop you and each of you from having or claiming any lien upon, or right or title to, or interest in said real estate and property.

You are further notified that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before January 24, 1941, judgment will be rendered in said cause against you and each of you by default.

That the name of plaintiff's attorney and his postoffice address is John E. Hall, Carrizozo, New Mexico.

GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the Third Judicial District Court of the State of New Mexico, this 11th day of December, 1940.

Edward Pensfield, District Court Clerk. (D. C. Seal) D13-J-3.

The T. & G. Grocery has the food stamp plan in operation at their store.

Mr. Carl Fresman returned to Las Cruces last Tuesday after a short stay at home. He was accompanied by his sister Rhoda and Mrs. Henry Hoffman and children, who came home the same day.



R. A. Walker, Mgr.

Friday and Saturday

Laurel ann Hardy

in "SAPS AT SEA"

Ollie goes berserk from the constant tooting of horns while working in a horn factory and is advised to take a sea voyage—but forgets to untie the boat and—

— ALSO —

"Truth Aches" and "Bill Posters"

Sunday, Monday, Tuesday

Mickey Rooney, Fay Bainter, Geo. Bancroft, Virginia Weidler

.... in

"YOUNG TOM EDISON"

The story of a great boy who became a great man. Thrown out of school, jeered as the village nitwit, fired from his first job and laughed at by everyone. The blueribbon performance of his whole career.

— ALSO —

Paramount News and "Buyers Beware"

Wednesday and Thursday

Clark Gable, Joan Crawford, Ian Hunter, Peter Lorre, Paul Lucas

.... in

"STRANGE CARGO"

Nine renegades from a penal colony and a woman who had no more to fear, bolting for freedom with the desperation of the damaged and a Mysterious Stranger who joins them, leads them, saves them.

— ALSO —

Our Gang in "Bubbling Troubles" & "Social Sea Lions"

All this and bargain night too!

Baked Sale

The Missionary Society of the Methodist church will hold their bake sale tomorrow, Dec. 14th at the Carrizozo Hardware Co. store.

Mr. Alfredo Baldonado returned to his work this week with the Southern Pacific shops after being layed off with an injured hand for several days.

TURKEY DINNER

Dec. 25

ARRANGE NOW

To Eat Christmas dinner with Bess. Turkey and all the trimmings. . . .

(Located at Baker's Cafe Old Stand.)

KNOW YOUR BANK

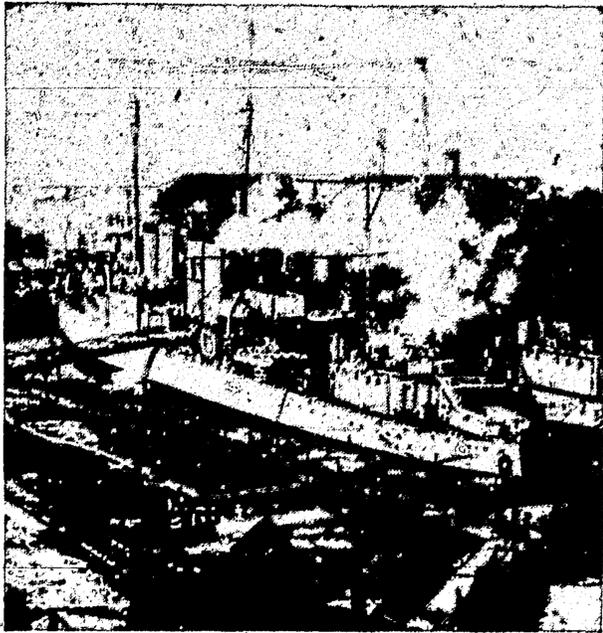
Collecting and Clearing Your Checks

ONE of the most valuable services rendered by banks to the American people and American business is the clearing and collection of checks, drafts, etc. It is a service that functions as smoothly, efficiently, and quickly that it is taken entirely for granted and little thought is given to how it operates.

This system works through a well developed plan of co-operation among country banks, city correspondents, and Federal Reserve banks.

LINCOLN COUNTY AGENCY,
Citizens State Bank of Vaughn,
Carrizozo, N. M.
Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

Intact After Bomb Threat



Charleston Navy Yard, Boston, which was protected by a cordon of more than 100 police and a detachment of marines after a navy official had received information that a workman would attempt to carry a time bomb and dynamite into the navy yard in a lunchbox, when the gates were opened for the day shift. A thorough search revealed nothing whatever.

British War Minister in Middle East



Palestine. Captain Anthony Eden, British minister of war, is shown (hatless) shaking hands with an officer of a Trans-Jordan frontier force during his recent visit to the British army of the Middle East. The be-medaled officer at left is unidentified, but the gadget he holds in his hand is a fly-switch, if that's of any help.

General's Guest



This is Boy Scout Jim East, 12-year-old who wanted to volunteer in the Eighth division. He is holding in his hand the invitation he received from Maj. Gen. Philip Peyton, commanding officer, to be the general's guest at a division inspection at Columbia, S. C. Scout East went there in the general's car which brought him from his home in Swansea, S. C., and back again.

Injected Into Arm-y



This draftee is taking a "shot in the arm" to ward off disease. This scene will take place all over the country as draftees arrive at U. S. army training camps to start a year of training.

Christmas Eve Church Service Held in Stable

Congregation Selects Barn After Fire Destroys Church Building.

By REV. BENNINGTON ROSS (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

One of the most unusual Christmas Eve services in the country was held in Kansas City last year when members of the Jackson Avenue Methodist church met in a stable.

Desire for a unique setting had not prompted use of this stable, but the choice was forced upon the congregation by a fire which had destroyed their church that morning. Although organ music was lacking and a small stove did not provide perfect



Rev. BENNINGTON ROSS, M. S. heat, the services evoked enthusiastic response.

The fire was discovered the morning of December 24 by two small boys who were reporting early for the last rehearsal of a Christmas pageant. The fire department was hastily notified, but the fire made the building untenable before it could be extinguished.

Smoke was still pouring from the water-cooled building when members of the congregation dashed into the building to bring out armfuls of hymn books and other church valuables.

With their ruined church before



Members of the Methodist church congregation in Kansas City which held its Christmas eve services in a stable last year are shown above. They met in the stable after their church had been badly damaged by fire.

them, the onlookers offered a prayer of gratitude that the damage had not been worse.

Faced with the necessity of calling off their Christmas eve services, the members immediately agreed to the suggestion that they meet in an old deserted stable nearby.

Prospects of celebrating Christmas in a common stable aroused spontaneous enthusiasm, as members worked all day to prepare the building for services. The old stable was swept from the hayloft to its concrete floor. A stove was improvised to furnish some relief from the biting cold, and chairs were borrowed and arranged.

People pressed in and filled the building as evening approached. The Christian Endeavor service for the young people was marked by unexpected features, which had been prepared to meet the occasion. A young author read an original Christmas story, and an accordionist led the singing of hymns.

Solemn evening services followed the young people's worship. The choir took its seat on one side of the stove next to the accordionist and the pastor assumed his post at the improvised pulpit.

The congregation has long prided itself on its singing, but that night the words of "Silent Night" and "Joy to the World" rose to the bare rafters, filling the stable.

Seated in a semicircle facing the pulpit in the little old stable, the congregation was told by the pastor how the little Christchild was born in a Bethlehem manger. The simplicity of the surroundings seemed to give this story an even deeper meaning.

As the moonlight streamed through the window in the old stable,

the congregation arose and sang, "All Hail, Emmanuel."

The congregation was radiant when the service ended, and the two small boys who had come early that morning to rehearse their Christmas-pageant forgot completely that it would have to be postponed.

Selection of Gifts Rates as Real 'Art'

By ALLAN REID

There is more to gift giving, particularly Christmas gift giving, than the mere fulfilling of obligations. The giving of gifts can be fun for the giver as well as the recipient.

The instance of the little crippled boy who received a book on the life of Steinmetz bears out the point. Steinmetz, the electrical wizard, dwarfed and crippled, was an inspiring example to the crippled boy. It was convincing testimony that there is opportunity for everyone in the world, no matter how badly handicapped, if one but follows the right channels. It gave that little cripple a pattern of life. It was a superbly intelligent wonder working gift, that book.

Gifts should be designed to serve beneficent purposes in the lives of those to whom they are sent. An inexpensive kit of tools may be the means of starting a young man off on a successful career. An inexpensive, even second-hand, sewing machine may result in the lifting of the entire personality of a girl whose fund for clothes is limited. These are the sort of gifts which have a deeper meaning—and a constructive rather than ornamental value.

Also, there should be a fitting regard for what the recipient already possesses. The instance of the person who received a set of the Encyclopedia Britannica, shortly after he had purchased one, illustrates how thoughtless and wasteful gift giving may be. An automobile radio to one who does not own a car; candy to those who are on a diet; a drawing outfit for one who has neither talent nor interest in art, are examples of pointless gift giving. They betray not only an absence of interest but also a lack of intelligence.

It is well to get away from the ordinary in the choice of gifts. Dolls, cigars, neckties need not make up the entire Christmas gift list. On the other hand, a bicycle or pair of roller skates for the youngster who has a long trek to school, a mandolin for the girl who likes music but whose folks will not be able to afford a piano for some years to come; a game for the chap who is inclined toward developing his mental powers and get fun out of doing so—chess, checkers, citadel, and the like—are worthwhile gifts.

In essence, therefore, give meaningfully. Give as you would want to be given to—with good taste, intelligence, and kindness.

R. O. T. C. Expands, Enrolls 197,000 Men

MINNEAPOLIS.—The army of students taking R.O.T.C. military training at American colleges, high schools, and academies, has expanded another 11,000 men with the fall enrollments of 1940, to a total enrollment of 197,788 trainees.

Applications are pouring into the war department for establishment of new R.O.T.C. units from schools and colleges now without them; applications are already on file from 375 schools, treble the number of institutions represented on the application files of the war department a year ago.

There is little immediate likelihood of any of these requests being granted, as the army cannot spare any more experienced officers for instruction purposes, according to a new report on military training in U. S. schools by Northwestern National Life Insurance company.

Total R.O.T.C. student/military enrollment totaled 186,750 men in the academic year 1939-1940, which was an increase of 30 per cent over the previous two years. The 1940-41 enrollment consists of 106,651 men taking the basic two-year training, 18,996 taking the advanced course, and 72,101 youths enrolled in junior units — of prep and high school grade, according to the report.

Meanwhile the comparatively limited group of students in naval R.O.T.C. units is also showing a sharp expansion, to a number approximating 3,000, at 18 universities.

Pre-views

Observe National Hobby Week



Exhibitions will be featured December 25 to January 1 during National Hobby week. Some unusual hobbies are pictured above. The "Cinderella Carriage," upper left, was made entirely of pipe cleaners. (Upper right) Gelett Burgess, noted author, with his "nonsense machine," which only makes noise. Below, tiny buildings made of boiled match sticks.

Musicians Meet



Dr. Howard Hanson, who will preside at the annual conference of the National Association of Schools of Music in Cleveland, December 24-27. Many noted composers and instructors will attend.

Alien Registration Deadline Approaches



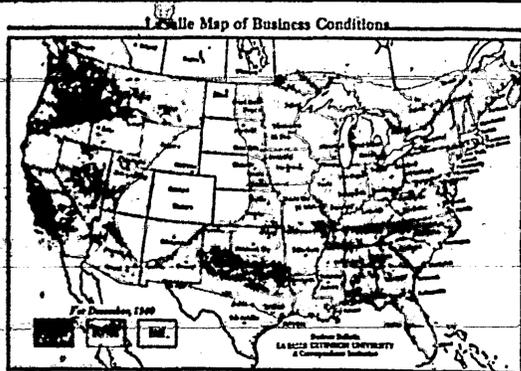
December 31 is the deadline for an estimated 3,000,000 aliens residing in the United States to register with the government. These pictures show aliens in the various steps of registering, as they try to beat the deadline.

Winter's Debut



Winter begins December 21 in the Northern hemisphere, when earth is tilted to sun. Sketch shows angle at which sun's rays strike north pole at equinoxes.

Demand for Farm Products Is Improving



The above map pictures the current condition of business and agriculture for the month of December, 1940. It indicates that the harvest of most major farm crops has been above average and that farm prices are higher than last year. Also, Christmas buying in retail stores is close to the highest on record, according to the figures compiled by the La Salle Extension University of Chicago.

By L. G. ELLIOTT, President, La Salle Extension University.

U. S. farmers this year have raised larger than average crops, and are getting higher prices than they received a year ago. Their total cash income will be close to the largest in 11 years.

The demand for farm products continues to improve and is expected to be ever greater in 1941. Larger payrolls for industry mean that consumers will be able to spend more for food and clothing. These increases are already speeding up holiday buying in retail stores. The

Brazil's Surplus Coffee Used for New Plastics

Brazil will endeavor to dispose of some of its huge surplus coffee production by converting coffee into plastics, in a new plant.

Within a month the plant will be turning out a molding power from which it will be possible to make a wide range of plastic objects.

The plant will have a capacity of 37,000 bags of coffee a year, and may be expanded to consume 5,000,000 bags annually. This would considerably reduce the destruction of coffee beans in Brazil which has exceeded 2,000,000 bags in one year.

Because of the low price of this surplus coffee, the new plastics will be among the cheapest to produce. Another factor contributing to its low price is the fact that the coffee beans not only contain the necessary filler but also the resin which is needed to make the plastics.

Christmas trade is running ahead of even the high volume of last year and will probably be above all previous peaks.

Those farmers who produce grains, fruits, tobaccos, meat animals, and dairy products have had the greatest gains in income, while those raising cotton and vegetables have received smaller increases over a year ago. Improved demand from consumers, however, has recently been helping these crops. Cotton and woolen mills have been especially busy for some time.

The foreign demand for agricultural products is lagging far behind the domestic demand. Although current shipments abroad are large, they consist mostly of industrial goods and war materials. Exports of farm products are likely to remain relatively small for many months.

Supplies of all crops are large enough to provide adequate food and feed during the next season as well as leave plenty on hand for carry-over.

The supply of feed grains per animal is the largest on record and conditions remain most favorable for those farmers raising live stock and producing dairy products. Cattle prices have been better than have the prices of hogs and poultry.

Industrial activity has been speeded up and the volume of goods being turned out by factories surpasses all previous records. The national defense program and the building of inventories has had much to do with this increase. A considerable part of it, however, is due to normal business expansion.

Hawk in the Wind

BY HELEN TOPPING MILLER

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THE STORY THUS FAR

When Virgie Morgan, widow, and owner of the Morgan paper mill in the Carolina mountain district, turns down a marriage proposal from Wallace Withers, he leaves her home in a rage. Virgie turns him down because she believes he is more interested in possession of her mill than in obtaining a wife. After he has gone, Brantford Willis, a young stranger, who has been lost on the mountain-side for three days, finds his way to the Morgan home. Taken in, he is fed and warmed and allowed to remain overnight. Next morning it is learned that Willis, a government employee who has been working with surveyors in the district, has developed pneumonia, due to his exposure. He is forced to remain in the household and Marian Morgan, Virgie's daughter, expresses her dislike with the arrangement for she dislikes Willis.

CHAPTER II—Continued

As Virgie went through the gate her swift eye measured every sign and sound, every spouting feather of steam, every odor. The mill was roaring on—roaring on without her. Tom was anxious. Virgie felt better when she saw his gaunt face. At least Tom had missed her. She spent a half-hour telephoning, then was properly indignant.

"Those government men went along back to Washington. Bridges says they said something about waiting for this young Willis, then they decided that probably he'd caught a ride down the mountain. This is a crazy country! If you catch a six-inch fish out of a creek up there in the forest a ranger will chase you a mile—but a man with brains and potentialities can go to waste anywhere and nobody bothers about it!"

But Tom was not worrying about young Mr. Willis. A government man more or less could be lost in the laurel hells indefinitely without loss to the Morgan mill. Tom had other things on his mind.

"Old man Perry Bennett come in." Tom pushed off his wide hat, worried his forehead. "He says he reckons he won't sell you that piece up Tuckaseegee. He says he got a better offer on it."

Virgie's mind stiffened to attention. "Who'd buy that cutover piece—and what for?"

"Champion maybe."

"Champion have got all they want. And even with the Government taking their best acreage, they wouldn't bother with a little thickety piece like old Bennett's. Tom, I think I see a few things you don't know about. You let me handle this."

"I ain't itchin' to handle Perry Bennett."

Virgie remembered presently to pull off her hat and spike it on the book on the door. The telephone purred. Marian's voice came, thin, with an edge of fright on it.

"Mother, it is pneumonia!"

"Keep your head on," counseled her mother, dryly. "Open the window and keep the fire going. I'll get Ada Clark out there in a little." She hung up. "Where's Lucy?" she demanded.

The chair, the little desk, the covered typewriter on the other side of the office were vacant. So was the prim little wooden costumer in the corner where every morning Lucy Fields, Virgie's secretary, hung up her green wool coat, her small black hat.

Tom pulled out his ponderous watch. "It ain't but four minutes after eight."

"My lord," muttered Virgie wearily. "I thought it was most noon." Lucy came in, on time to the minute, taking off her overshoes, setting them neatly in the corner.

Lucy Fields was another of those who comforted Virgie Morgan. Lucy's quiet hazel eyes, her husky voice and smooth hair, gave an air of calm to the cluttered bedlam of the office. Lucy had gone to high school with Marian, but when Marian was setting out for college with two trunks full of clothes, and a little roadster of her own, Lucy was learning Gregg and swift, assured ways of knowing exactly which way a lost car of potash might be routed.

Lucy's mother made watermelon-rind pickles and luted counterpanes for tourists. In good weather the counterpanes hung on clothes-lines on the porch of the Fields' cottage, facing the highway.

Marian was sorry occasionally for Lucy, inviting her out to supper, suavely overlooking Lucy's made-over frocks, her half-soled shoes. But when there were young men at the house on the mountain, with dancing and gaiety, Lucy was not invited.

"She blushes so. She squirms, actually!" Marian justified this omission. "For a girl with the poise she has around the plant, to let the boys rattle her so and make her tongue-tied, is silly—but that's the way Lucy is!"

There were things about Lucy that Virgie was sure she knew. Prim little secrets that Lucy's quiet eyes hid. Still maids who led on dreams, with no satin or moonlight or rose petals with which to wrap the timid bones of dreams, suffered. Virgie knew. She had been a tongue-tied, tormented girl in hand-me-downs, herself.

She sent Lucy out into the mill for the chemical report. "She'll have a good day and every word will be spelled right if she sees Stanley Daniels first," she told Tom Pruitt.

There is something sudden, something intrepid and challenging about a mountain town.

A settlement gathered together on the plain marks the place where men paused, where they delayed and rested. But a town under a scarp, with foothold on the iron, hostile knees of the ranges, with quarreling streams gashing a roadway past the heart-straining rise of a ridge, for a barbican, has something valorous about it; cocky, self-contained, a little defiant.

Stanley Daniels, chemist for the Morgan mill, lean and thirty, out of the University of Missouri, with young intolerance and the unbearable sting and surge of young ambition in his blood, felt and resented this cool remoteness of the mountain town clustered about the mill.

He was in it and of it, he was of hill stock from the Ozark country, yet this little town had never let him in. He lived at a rambling green house facing the main highway and the railroad; a house needing paint, with a vast asparagus fern on the porch and a row of stiff, indifferent chairs around the wall of the parlor, with five kinds of meat set out in the long dining-room and the linen not always clean.

The landlady, a Mrs. Gill, mothered him, washed his socks for him, her face screwed up at the terrible



Stanley Daniels was pleased by Lucy.

chemical odors he brought in with him. Her other boarders, widowers torn up by the roots, judges and lawyers in court-wear, odds and ends of detached humanity, were pleasant enough to him.

He was a young man in the quiet backwater of old lives drifted together. He let the elders admire his youth and take the winds of life, as they blow for youth, vicariously in their faces through him, but he never felt that he belonged.

He was a bird afloat, he was a hawk in the wind, something alive briefly, caught in the slow motion of a mountain mill village; sooner or later he would be caught up in a stronger current. But while this hiatus in his life lasted he would ease it by such gracious means as came to his hand. And the most gracious of these gifts was Lucy Fields.

Lucy was tamed deep. She had quiet splendors. She read a great deal and thought a great deal and she was as foreign to her thin, leather-skinned little mother, who wore a sash around her neck all winter, as the moon is foreign to a barnyard lantern.

Lucy still ached a little because she had not been able to go to college. She winced when her mother said "over yan," or cleaned her dry fingernails with the scissors. She worked hard and believed that Virgie Morgan was the finest woman in the world.

Stanley Daniels was pleased by Lucy, warmed by her admiration, sensed the fine gold under the quiet shyness, generously let her go on incubating little dreams about him while he waited, cannily, committing himself to nothing, waiting for whatever more splendid offering life might be saving for him.

When the whistle moaned at five o'clock he waited for her. She was always conscientiously a little late. She dabbed about, dusted, licked stamps, hated hurrying out of the office. Usually Virgie or Tom had to shoo her out.

"Get along home, Lucy—your beau won't wait out there all night in this raw weather."

The wind dragged at Lucy's skirt and made her thin silk hose feel like coatings of ice on her legs as she went down the cinder road to the gate. But at the sight of Stanley Daniels, hunched in a sheltered spot, warmth flooded her body, sang in her blood, made her cheeks burn and her eyes grow bristly.

"Oh, hello!" The wind caught at her voice but could not chill the shine of her eyes. "Were you waiting for me? You must be absolutely stiff. Let's walk fast."

Daniels fell briskly into step. "Is this the best you can do in Carolina—this kind of weather? What about all those songs—moonlight and fields of white, trees in bloom, sweet perfume—all that stuff?"

"Oh, that's for summer. Fall isn't very nice, anywhere—not late fall anyway."

They were at the gate of Daniels' shabby boarding-house. Lucy's home was at the end of a little street farther on. A scrap of a street that ran headlong into the mountain and stopped. They stood for a moment and Lucy's wrists tingled. Would he walk home with her? He never had yet—

Obviously he was not going on. He tipped his hat, set it more firmly on his head, said with a smile, "Better hurry in out of this wind."

Lucy struggled with her disappointment, walked home rapidly, certain what she would find there. A stuffy, too-warm room, littered with threads and snips of cotton, dull lamplight, a smell of frying or the blatant offense of cabbage.

But in her own bleak, frigid bedroom with the few dance programs and wistful souvenirs pinned to the window curtains, she let rebellion tear at her. Life was so unfair. Up there, high on the mountain where lights winked briefly, was Marian Morgan, who had everything, held it all casually as though it were her due.

Stanley Daniels scrubbed the yellowish stains from his fingers, brushed his hair flat, buttoned his coat, and went down to Mrs. Gill's dining-room. There was a caramel fragrance, sharp and tangy. Her pies had run over in the oven again.

"Mock cherry," she bragged, complacently, "and if you can tell the difference, you're the first! Looks like winter was here, don't it? And ain't it awful about that young feller up at Morgans'?"

"Is he worse?" Daniels inquired, indifferently.

"I ain't heard if he is. But it's terrible to think what might 'a happened to him out there in them mountains. I put you a place here, Mr. Daniels, because one of my neighbors has decided to come in and eat with us. This is Mr. Wallace Withers, Mr. Daniels. Mr. Daniels works at the mill."

"How do you do, Mr. Withers?" Stanley Daniels regarded the stranger on his left, saw only a well-knit, aging man with a weather-tinted face, narrow nostrils, and eyes that revealed nothing.

"Lived here long, Mr. Withers?" Daniels asked, again, after a little interval of gustatory silence.

"Born here." Withers was terse. "Born in the house where I live now. My father was born there."

"They built it of good heart timber then. No wood like that available any more, at any price," Daniels said.

"The men that built it were heart timber, too," Withers spooned sugar. "No scamp work on that building, like you see nowadays. Say you work for Virgie Morgan?"

"I'm a chemist over there—yes, sir."

"Ain't rushed to death these days, I reckon?"

"Not rushed particularly, but business holds up very well. Mrs. Morgan has managed to hold her markets."

"Making any money, you think?" Stanley Daniels was young. Flattered a little by the attention of this old man, he let himself expand a trifle. The mill, in his opinion, was holding its own, but not making the profits that it should. Mrs. Morgan was proud, but too conservative, keeping to old traditions, making a product too good and too expensive for the bulk of her trade.

"You're a pretty shrewd young feller, I see. Own any stock over there?" asked Withers.

"No, sir—I don't think they are selling any."

"If a forward-looking young chap like you owned a piece of it—a good voting block—it might be a good thing, you think? Get new blood in—catch up with these modern notions."

"I think"—Daniels considered the question soberly—"that it would be a good thing. Good for the mill—and for Mrs. Morgan herself."

"Well, young man, I enjoyed talking to you. Not many young fellers talk common sense any more. Know where I live? Brick house out the river road, toward the reservation. Come out and talk to me some rainy evening. I'm always figuring on one thing or another—I like to talk to a business man, especially a young one. We might get together on something, maybe."

"Thank you. I'd be glad to come."

CHAPTER III

Back in the Morgan house Marian Morgan sat in Brantford Willis' room watching him.

Ada Clark was having her supper and Marian was on duty and annoyed with the vigil. Illness frightened her, and this young man had displeased her. She was not of the type to forgive easily. She sat on the edge of her chair, ready to escape as soon as possible.

Brantford Willis had trouble with his perceptions. They were febrile and wild, they told him fantastic tales. This girl was not there, of course.

He said, in a voice made dry and strange by fever, "You aren't real, of course. I'm sick-as-the-deuce." She came nearer. Delusions did not wear red wool, did not have fingers cool as lilies.

"A little ice on your tongue? That was real. It's pretty bad. I know. I had it once. You'll feel rotten for two or three days, then a

lot of terrible pain. They give you whisky and quinine and you're better."

"This is disagreeable for you. You don't like me."

"That doesn't matter." She put more ice in his mouth. "I get furious when people pick on mother. This whole country would have been destitute during these bad times if she hadn't been the shrewdest manager in the world."

He had, so Marian noted, absurdly slender, graceful hands. One nail was broken, it snagged the blanket. Marian brought the scissors.

"Hold still till I fix this."

The twitching heat in his fingers disturbed her. She brought a cool cloth and sponged his palms and the backs of his hands where the tendons stood up and thin, dark hair grew. She felt queerly motherly and tender as she covered the hands with a blanket.

For a year she had laughed at men, evaded them, taken what they had to offer—dances, new cars to ride in, flowers, candy—but so far the men had all been alike. One careless word, one relaxed moment, the guard down for an instant, and they were all alike. Country boys with too much blood in their veins. But this man did not grip her fingers hard nor look meaningfully up into her eyes. He whispered, "Thank you," when Marian straightened the pillow, and her heart gave a curious jerk.

When Ada Clark came back, Marian went downstairs and wandered aimlessly through the rooms. The windows were dark and beyond the black glass the mountain night was cold and lonely, but the dark loneliness suited her mood. Was this falling in love? She stiffened against that thought. Love was weakness, love was surrender—and she was of the blood of David Morgan, who had



"Mrs. Morgan was too conservative."

tolerated no weakness and never known the meaning of surrender.

Bry Hutton telephoned and she answered him curtly, while Lottie stared and listened from the kitchen. No, she said, she didn't want to go out. No, she wasn't mad about anything. She was just not interested.

Virgie Morgan drove up the mountain road toward Hazel Fork on a foggy winter morning. The road was narrow and rutted with outcropping boulders that raked the crank-case of the old truck. Stumps banded the hubcaps on either side. Frost oozed from the ground, making a gray-like sludge over the still-frozen iron of the mountain slope.

She drove slowly and alone. Her booted toe prodded the grunting old engine. She wore riding trousers and a leather coat left open at the throat.

The truck overheated on the stiff grade and she waited for the engine to cool, getting down and tramping the grass, counting the spruce seedlings that were near at hand.

Then behind her on the twisting one-way road, she heard the labored piston-slaps of another straining motor.

"Somebody's lost," she said aloud, trampling on her starter. The truck jangled as the other car came up behind and stopped with a choked gurgle. A black car, heavy and expensive, with two strange men in it. Virgie pulled out of the ruts, her old engine, wallowing, got out and walked back.

"You've missed your road," she said. "This is nothing but a woods' trail. You'll have trouble with that heavy car if you try to go any further."

"We're looking for a piece of land formerly owned by a man named Pruitt," the taller of the pair said. They were city men of a type Virgie Morgan knew well. All one tint of gray, close-shaven, milled like dollars, the cautious click of shrewd finance in their voices.

"Tom's land is on the other side of the ridge," Virgie told them. "You'll have to walk three-quarters of a mile. Do you belong to that Phillips' outfit? They defaulted on everything they bought in this country."

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Trojan Horses in Many Towns

Federal, State and local officials have found disloyal groups, organizations and agents of foreign Governments in localities that were believed to be free from suspicion. When Congressman Dies first began to tell the country about spies and enemies, cries of remonstrance arose against him, but he has convinced everyone that there are Nazis, Fascists and Communists moving around, where they might least be expected to be found. So it behooves every locality to conduct its own careful survey to discover the differences between honest persons with sound opinions about war conditions and the objects of other persons who may be disloyal to the Government of the United States.

NOTICE OF SUIT

State of New Mexico, County of Lincoln. In the District Court. Garnetto Elizabeth Kiser, Plaintiff, vs. Roy E. Kiser, Defendant.

No. 4821

The State of New Mexico to the above named defendant, Greeting: You are hereby notified that the above entitled action in the above named court has been instituted against you by the plaintiff, Garnetto Elizabeth Kiser, seeking to obtain a decree of absolute divorce from you upon the ground of incompatibility, and that unless you enter your appearance or cause the same to be entered in the said cause on or before the 10th day of January, 1941 judgment will be rendered in said suit against you by default.

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

Witness the Honorable Numa C. Franger, District Judge of the Third Judicial District, and the seal of the District Court of Lincoln County, New Mexico, this 27th of November, 1940. (D.C. SEAL) EDWARD PENFIELD, District Court Clerk.

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State of New Mexico } County of Lincoln. }

IN THE PROBATE COURT.

In the Matter of the Last Will and Testament of Albert Ziegler, Deceased.

No. 505

Notice of Appointment of Administratrix C. T. A.

Notice is hereby given that on the 8th day of November, 1940, the undersigned was appointed administratrix C. T. A. of the Last Will and Testament of Albert Ziegler, deceased, in the above named Court, and having qualified as such, any one having a claim against said estate is hereby notified to file the same within six months from November 29, 1940 and make proof as required by law.

Nettie Lemon, Administratrix C. T. A.
John E. Hall, Attorney for Administratrix C. T. A.
Carrizozo, New Mexico
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Dated at Santa Fe, New Mexico, this 28th day of November, 1940.

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STATE SOIL CONSERVATION COMMITTEE OF NEW MEXICO

Notice of Hearing Upon Organization of Proposed Upper Hondo Soil Conservation

Whereas, on the 17th day of August, 1940, there was duly filed in the office of the State Soil Conservation Committee of State College, a petition signed by at least 25 land owners pursuant to the provision of the Soil Conservation Districts Law, Chapter 210 of the 1937 New Mexico Session Laws, as amended, establishment of the Upper Hondo Soil Conservation District, and described as follows: "An area including the Bonito and Ruidoso Watershed... Bound on the east by the county line and to include a part of the Nogal Canyon watershed."

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held pursuant to the said petition, on the question of the desirability and necessity in the interest of the public health, safety and welfare of the creation of such district; on the question of the appropriate boundaries to be assigned to such district; upon the property of the petition, and all other proceedings taken under the said Act; and upon all questions relevant to such inquiries.

The said public hearings will be held by the State Soil Conservation Committee on the 4th day of January, 1941, beginning at 10:00 o'clock a. m., at the Capitan High School, in the county of Lincoln; and on the 4th day of January, 1941, beginning at 2:00 o'clock p. m., at the Hondo High School.

All owners of land lying within the limits of the above described territory and all other interested parties are invited to attend and will be given opportunity to be heard at the time (s) and place (s) hereinbefore specified.

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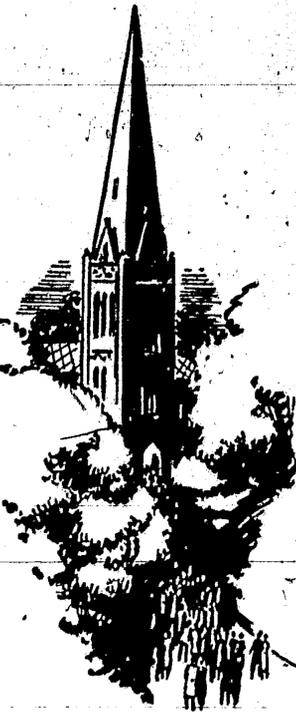
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In The District Court of The Third Judicial District of The State of New Mexico Within and for the County of Lincoln.

G. Mildred LeBaron)
vs.) No. 4817 Civil
George B. Short, et al.)

To George B. Short, impleaded with the unknown heirs of the following named person against whom substituted service is sought to be obtained, to-wit: Lucy J. Henley, deceased; you are hereby notified that a suit No. 4817 in which you are defendant has been filed in the Third Judicial District Court of the State of New Mexico for Lincoln County to quiet title to the West half of the southeast quarter of section 5 township 9 south, range 13 east, N.M.P.M.; that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 10th day of January, 1941, judgment will be rendered in said cause against you by default. Plaintiff's attorney is E. G. Shannon, Las Cruces, New Mexico.
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Local and Personal

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Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Rutledge were in town last Monday. Mr. Rutledge had just been discharged from the Turner hospital where he spent several days following an accident when a post had been thrown against him, by a tractor while at work.

Carl Freeman came up from State College Sunday night, and attended the funeral of his tiny niece, Sharon Belle Pruett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pruett.

Mr. Mike Doering arrived home this week from an extended visit to the east. He returned by Evansville, Ind., his former home.

Mrs. Roy Richard and Mrs. Bryan Cazier were El Paso visitors last Monday.

Judith Ann McPherson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Riley McPherson of Roswell is ill of double pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Joé Melendrez of Las Cruces visited last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. St. John. Mrs. Melendrez is a sister of Mrs. St. John.

Mrs. Don English is quite gifted in the line of window decorating, as is evidenced by her artistic window displays at the Carrizozo Hardware Co. In the large front window Santa Claus with his pack is standing by a chimney, ready to descend. A snow covered roof and yard lend further enchantment to the scene. In the smaller window a sacred scene is depicted; a view of Bethlehem with the babe in the manger.

About January 1st Representative and Mrs. S. E. Greisen will go to Santa Fe to be present at the meeting of the State Legislature.

Just after Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Ramey will move from Jicarilla and will occupy one of the Hines apartments.

After the first of the year Mrs. Ola C. Jones and sons will occupy an apartment in the Sproles cottage formerly occupied by the Dillard family.

Mrs. Grace Comrey of Nogal spent last Monday and Tuesday in El Paso and Las Cruces attending to some business affairs.

Mrs. W. W. Smith of White Oaks was shopping here Tuesday. Miss Thelma White was here Tuesday from White Oaks.

Mr. J. H. Fulmer was an El Paso business visitor last Tuesday.

Mrs. Clesta M. Prior received a message at noon Saturday stating that her mother, Mrs. Ella Bumford, age 78, had passed away at her home in Michigan. Mrs. Prior and her son, Ted Purcay left at once to be present at the funeral.

Coursement officers will be held in Washington December 12 and 13 and said that every effort then will be made to insure "the smoothest possible" operation of Selective Service in the January and subsequent calls.



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WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK

By LEMUEL F. PARTON (Consolidated Features—WNU Service.)

NEW YORK. — Also bulky and muscular, but less belligerent than John L. Lewis, his predecessor in office as president of C. I. O., is Philip Murray. He is of Silver-Tongued; Scottish descent and therefore given to fewer words than Mr. Lewis, and has been a powerful offstage figure in the sensational rise of the C. I. O. in the last four years.

Conservative labor opinion sees in his selection an augury for improved labor relations under the urgency of our defense effort. He has been a negotiator and labor pacifier for three Presidents. President Wilson made him a member of his War Labor board. In 1921, President Harding used him to sidetrack a civil war in the West Virginia coal fields, with 10,000 miners in revolt. President Roosevelt asked his cooperation in the successful adjustment of the threatened steel strike of March and April, 1937. He has been a hard-hitting foe of the left-wingers, both in the old craft unionism and "vertical" unionism days. A month ago, he wrote to Eugene O. Grace, president of the Bethlehem Steel corporation, proposing a conference, "for the establishment of orderly industrial relations."

In his native Lanarkshire, Scotland, he was a breaker boy in the mines. He arrived in America with his family when he was 16 and went down in the pit for the Keystone Coal and Coke company in Westmoreland county, Pa. He started a small civil war when he punched the weighmaster in the nose. That, he has said many times, was one of his greatest mistakes. Thereafter he kept his temper. But the nose-punching started his career as a labor leader. The miners made him president of their newly organized local of the United Mine Workers of America, at the age of 19.

He educated himself by a correspondence course and now he is a master of flawless grammar and diction. Restraining his powerful fist has not always been easy and he enjoys vicarious milling as an eager boxing fan. He is silver-haired, slow-spoken, with a bit of the old Scottish burr on his tongue, and deliberate in speech and action. In behalf of his organization, he has pledged labor's full co-operation in defense. He is married and has a 21-year-old son.

GUTZON BORGLUM, 73-year-old sculptor, recently made the radio presentation of awards in national poster contest of the William Allen White Sculpture Committee to Sculptor, a Man Defend America of Varied Talents

Apparently taking this personally, Adolf Hitler orders the destruction of Mr. Borglum's statue of Woodrow Wilson in Posen, Poland. The Nazis call it an "artistic eyesore, with the legs too short, the body too long and the head too large."

They wouldn't talk that way to his face. The big, knobby, Danish-American citizen once mixed with "Rudy Bob" Fitzsimmons, without getting hurt. He is not only a sculptor, but an amateur boxer—still good for his age—a politician and engineer, a writer and a painter.

He likes a lot of elbow room in whatever he does and has been having the time of his life with his Black Hills sculptures of the Presidents. Standing up, his mountain-side Abraham Lincoln would be 465 feet tall. He's never so happy as when he has a steam shovel for a chisel and a carload of dynamite for a mallet. He has a hair-trigger temper, riding any big political cyclone that may happen to kick up. His first attempt at gargantuan mountain carving, for the Confederate memorial at Stone Mountain, Ga., broke up in a row, in which models and plans were destroyed.

With a number of other distinguished artists he has been active in the poster contest and has helped stir public excitement over the competition. Born in Idaho, he was educated in Fremont and Omaha, Neb., and studied art in San Francisco and Paris.

IN THE war-planning, which Jaily takes on more and more of an emergency aspect, whipper little gray-moustached Gen. George V. Strong is the diplomat of the army. His recent mission to Great Britain is said to have yielded much basic information on which the army and navy are working out hemisphere defense. He is chief of the war plans division of the war department's general staff. General Strong is one of the few high-ranking army officers who started their careers fighting Indians.

Santa Comes to Pierre

By Jules Bevan

OLD MARIE didn't quite understand about Santa Claus, but her little Pierre did. Pierre went to school with the other boys while Old Marie sewed dresses in the sweat shop. It had been that way ever since Jacques died, two years after they left sunny France and came to New York.

"Mamma! little Pierre would ask her at night, 'Please, Mamma, will Santa Claus bring me the violin from Rubens' pawn shop this Christmas?'"

Then he would stare expectantly while Marie tried to find an answer. She usually promised him Santa would, for little Pierre wanted the violin so badly. But as Christmas grew nearer the groceries and coal



Pleez, M'sieur, a penny! She cried to the passers-by.

and shoes used up all her savings—there was nothing left for Pierre's violin.

Marie was usually stolid, but she felt sad when she left the sweat shop Christmas eve. Little Pierre would be home waiting for Santa Claus and the violin. Pierre had seen it in the window at Sam Rubens' pawn shop only yesterday, a big five-dollar price tag tied around its neck. How sad he would be if this Santa Claus fellow forgot him!

Marie was swept along in the Christmas Eve traffic, downhearted. But despair gave way to triumph, for a plan suddenly came to her amid this confusion: She would beg for aims like her gran'pere had done back in Paris! These Americans—they seemed happy enough to help her on Christmas eve!

"Pleez, m'sieur, a penny!" she cried to the passers-by on Broadway. "A penny for my little Pierre's violin!"

Marie had collected seventy-eight cents before the big Irish policeman saw her.

"Here now, old gurrul!" he protested. "Don't yez know ye can't panhandle here? Come along now to th' station!"

A few minutes later old Marie was pouring out her story to the gruff desk sergeant. She was confused.

"Thees panhandling," she complained. "You say I cannot do it. But I only try to get money for the violin, so your Santa Claus weel come to my little Pierre. See?" she held out her money. "I only need four dollars and twenty-two cents more!"

"Well, now, that's different," the sergeant replied. "Come boys!" he addressed the policemen gathered around his desk—"let's kick in the five dollars to buy a violin for Marie's little Pierre! Sure now, and where's your Christmas spirit?"

A few minutes later a grateful old Marie was hurrying down the snow-covered side street to Sam Rubens' pawn shop. But alas! Sam was just handing the violin to a well-dressed old gentleman as Marie stormed in. "Pleez, m'sieur!" she cried. "You mus' not buy it. The violin, she is for my petit Pierre. See? I have five dollars!"

The white-crested purchaser was dumbfounded.

"But madame," he answered, "I have just bought it for my grandson's Christmas."

"N'importe!" Marie protested, adamant now. "You mus' sell it to me. The policeman, they have given me the money, see? My little Pierre, he will be so disappointed!"

The old man looked at Sam. "Have you another violin?"

"For seven dollar I got a better one." Sam's eyes lighted up. It looked like another sale.

"All right, madame," the gentleman spoke to Marie. "Here's your violin. Give me the five dollars."

"Merci, m'sieur!" Old Marie cried. "My Pierre, he will be so happy!" With that she dashed out into the night, happy at last.

Pierre was asleep when she arrived home, but he found the violin on the table next morning. It glinted like new inside the weather-beaten case.

"Mamma!" he cried with glee. "Mamma! The violin! But how—where—who gave it to me?"

Old Marie's eyes filled with tears. "Santa Claus brought it, Pierre. Of course—Santa Claus. Then there was the policeman and the kind gran'pere."

But Pierre didn't hear the last. He only knew Santa Claus hadn't forgotten!

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Sequin and Jewel Embroidery Add Glitter to Winter Costumes

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



See the devastating long-sleeve, slenderline divanter gown shown to the right in the group. Here the trend for jet on black silk crepe is seen in fascinating interpretation. Black bugle beads in flower and vine motifs give a new slender line-on-line bodice and skirt. Note the return of pre-World war elegance which this distinguished dress reveals.

THERE is a wicked gleam on the winter fashion horizon, a glitter that stems from a heritage of fashions reminiscent of Central City's opera house in the eighties and the red plush and gaudy of the glamorous days of yore. The millions of paillettes, beads and sequins, the gold embroidery and metal cloth popular those days are again found this season trimming otherwise simple silk dresses for both day and evening wear.

In the silk parade of fashions, sparkling embroideries, trim yokes, form pockets, bodice tops and even entire dresses take on an allover sparkle. There's big news, too, in the fact that it is as fashionable for your costume to take on glitter at high noon and afternoon as it is for it to take on the witchery of glittery and gleam by night.

Speaking of daytime glitter, starkly simple silk crepe dresses frequently introduce one brilliant accent in the form of pockets trimmed with gold-braid or bizarre-jeweled embroidery. See this bold adventure in glitter in the novelty black silk crepe daytime dress centered in the illustration. It is made on neat tailored lines with lapels and fly-front opening accented by eye-dazzling gold braid pockets. Inverted front pleats retain the now-stylish slim skirt line. Worn with an orange-rust pompadour bonnet with sunburst tuck trim and a flowing veil framing the face, this costume leads on to "the end of a perfect day."

There is much black on black to be seen this winter. This alluring combination is called "airen black."

The-vogue-for-jacket-and-skirt dresses for more or less formal evening wear calls forth increasing enthusiasm. The skirt may be a billowy bouffant type of net, lace or shimmering silk, or it may be a sleek velvet pencil slim sort. One skirt with a flock of jacket-boussie tops suffices for a whole season of dine and dance parties. The jacket blouse can be most elaborate with glitter and embroidery. See in the inset a black-embroidered-on-white jacket. This is a simple type compared with gorgeous affairs that are often sumptuous with jeweled handwork and riotous color.

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Rumpus Gloves



Boxing mitts, cosily interlined, are making the "hit" of the season in campus girl circles. The glove pictured is done in rumpus red, the very seltsame color that is the latest in nail-tip tones. This rumpus red is best described as a cerise-toned red that is eye-catching at very first glance. The dress pictured here is velveteen in school-house green (a deep pine tone) brightened with red felt insets. The peaked suede hat is also rumpus red.

Current Styles Appear In More Vivid Colors

There is color in the air! Coming right toward us from every direction, from South American shores, from Mexico, from native Hawaiian dress, from China, from Spain. All these influences are reflected in current styles and will be increasingly self-evident as time goes on. Yes, indeed, fashion is in a vivid color mood.

Vogue for White Gains Momentum

It is always the unexpected that may be expected so far as fashion is concerned. The expected unexpected this time happens to be a sudden movement in the direction of a widespread vogue for white. It is smart to wear a white hat with your dark coat, suit or dress. An interesting feature is that of white trimming on white hats, gardenias, feathers and so on, the entire prettily veiled with brown or black, navy or wine or fashionable green. In the evening, white holds triumphantly forth in wool coats, spangled jacket tops and white frocks detailed with gold bells, leopard trims and also in airy-fairy full-skirted billowy tulle, lace and net frocks contrasting pencil-slim white jersey gowns.

Woolens Accented In Winter Styles

Wool fabrics are having their "big moment." The vogue for classic wool daytime frocks is one way of "saying it." Another is the endless procession of wool evening coats and capes that wend their way to the opera and other festive night occasions. The story of the triumph of wool weaves goes on in endless pagantry throughout the entire style program during this winter.

Amber Fashionable

Just now amber and all its related browns is very fashionable. However, amber has just started on its career for early reports declare that spring will see these lovely vibrant amber tones take on new importance.



FIRST-AID to the AILING HOUSE

By Roger B. Whitman (© Roger B. Whitman—WNU Service.)

Using Up Old Paint. QUESTION: I find that I have several gallons of interior paint left over from a previous job. I need exterior paint. Is there any way that I could treat the interior paint to make it suitable for outdoor use?

Answer: I do not recommend trying to make outside paint out of interior paint. The result would probably be a failure, and you would lose time and materials. It would be much better to save the inside paint for some future job for which it is suitable, and buy only the best quality paint for your outside work.

New Shingles Over Old.

Question: I am told that in this climate (New Jersey) it is not wise to lay a new red cedar shingle roof over an old roof; that it works well in New England, but not around here. Would like your opinion.

Answer: In this, as well as other parts of the country wood shingles are applied over an old roof with satisfactory results. It is a general practice to leave the old shingles on the roof. In doing so, you provide better insulation against heat and cold, and avoid the expense and mess of tearing off the old shingles.

Cracked Porch Floor.

Question: My coal bin is under the cement floor of my porch, 7 by 20 feet. The floor has cracked, and because of a sag the cracks are wider at the bottom than on the top. There are bad leaks in a rain. How can I close them?

Answer: You should run a girder lengthwise under the floor, supported by two or more posts. First, paint the cracks on the under side with thick roofing cement, working it in as deeply as you can. In putting in the girder, take out the sag with a jack or with wedges, which will squeeze the cement into the cracks. Then run cement into the cracks on the top. After drying, paint the roofing-cement-on-top with aluminum paint to prevent the oils from bleeding into the floor paint. The floor paint should be applied only when the floor is thoroughly dry.

Torn Documents.

For making repairs on an old and torn document, a correspondent sends the following advice: "Take a little library paste in a saucer and beat it with a small spatula, which will make it semi-liquid. Water should not be added. For paper that will not receive heavy use, touch the torn edges lightly with the worked paste. Arrange them carefully so that the edges meet exactly; put a small piece of tissue paper on each side of the tear, and let dry under a weight. Pull away the tissue paper, and at casual glance the paper might never have been torn. For less fine work, or for something that will receive hard wear, cut strips of thin semi-transparent bond paper, such as is used for file copies of letters. Coat with worked paste, lay over the torn places, rub down with a clean cloth and put under a weight until dry."

Mildew on Paint.

Question: In places dark brown paint on my outside trim has become covered with black blotches. This only occurs in spots that do not get the direct rays of the sun. The painter says that these blotches are "a fungus growth caused by trees," and will have to be burned off. I am wondering if he is right.

Answer: Yes; he is right. Paint that is in shadow is likely to be attacked by mold. The softer the paint the more likely it is to become moldy, and dark colored paint is soft because of the greater quantity of oil that it contains. The mold can be burned off or can be killed by washing with alkali; washing soda, for instance. In repainting, replace some of the oil with turpentine, and mix powdered calomel with the paint, in the proportion of an ounce to the gallon.

Leaking Metal Roof.

Question: A large frame house was reroofed two or three years ago with corrugated sheet iron. In places this roof has always leaked. How can it be made thoroughly watertight?

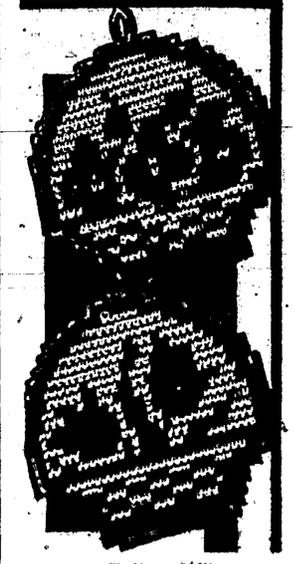
Answer: Use roof cement, which can be had from any roofer. Fill the joints as deeply as possible by forcing in the cement with a stiff brush or a putty knife. Any nail-heads that are exposed should also be covered. For appearance, you can then paint the entire roof with any asphalt paint. For a suggestion, use aluminum paint with an asphalt base, which will go far to protect the house against summer heat. This paint, which is a recent development, does not dry black, for the aluminum flakes float to the surface and harden there. The final effect of the roof will be aluminum.

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Household News

By Eleanor Howe



THE HOLIDAY SEASON APPROACHES!
(See Recipes Below)

One of the most important occasions in the year's schedule of holidays is the Christmas dinner. As homemakers, it behooves us to crown it with a superlative dessert. Cakes, fragrant with spices, and rich with fruits and nuts, are traditional Christmas fare, and are more than satisfying as a finale to the feast.

Fruit cakes improve with age. They become mellow and more flavorful as the days go by. So, make them early and let them ripen until the holiday season arrives. Proper storage prevents fruit cakes from molding and drying out. Wrap the cooled cakes in wax paper, and store in tightly covered tins. Pour a little wine or fruit juice over the cakes, every week or so, and when ready to be served they will be mellowed to the proper degree.

Make out your Christmas list now. I'm sure you will find a few friends and relatives to whom you may send fruit cakes. They will make charming gifts, especially for those away from home, and who have neither time nor the facilities to bake their own.

Wrapped in cellophane and tied with a bow, or fastened with colorful Christmas seals, the packaged fruit cake is indeed "lovely to look at, and delightful to eat."

A box of Christmas cookies of various shapes, sizes and kinds will be an appreciated present for someone on your list. Perhaps it is the kindly little old lady next door, or the lonely old man down on the corner, both of whom will thank you for your thoughtfulness.

Christmas Fruit Cake.

(Makes 10 pounds)

- 1 1/2 pounds currants
- 3 pounds seedless raisins
- 1 pound citron
- 1 pound mixed candied fruit
- 1 pound candied pineapple
- 1 pound candied cherries
- 1 cup butter
- 1 cup brown sugar
- 8 eggs
- 4 cups pastry flour
- 1 teaspoon baking powder
- 1 tablespoon cinnamon
- 1 teaspoon allspice
- 1 teaspoon nutmeg
- 1/2 teaspoon cloves
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1 cup fruit juice or wine

Cut fruits. Cream butter and add sugar. Add well-beaten egg yolks. Mix and sift dry ingredients and add alternately with fruit juice or wine to the butter mixture. Add fruit. Fold in beaten egg whites. Place in baking pans lined with wax paper. Cover pans with wax paper and steam 3 hours. Then bake 1 hour in a slow oven (275 degrees).

Gum Drop Cookies.

- 4 eggs
 - 2 1/4 cups light brown sugar
 - 2 cups flour
 - 1 cup nutmeats (chopped)
 - 18 large gum drops (cut in small pieces)
- Beat eggs thoroughly. Add sugar and continue beating. Add flour and beat until smooth. Fold in nutmeats and gum drops. Spread evenly in 1 large or 2 medium-sized greased baking pans. Bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) for 20 minutes, or until firm. Sprinkle with powdered sugar and cut into bars.

Glaze Finish for Fruit Cakes.

- 1 1/2 cups water
 - 1/2 cup granulated sugar
 - 1/4 ounce Gum Arabic (1 1/2 teaspoons)
- Place sugar and water in a saucepan and bring to the thread stage (230 degrees). Add Gum Arabic and beat again just to the boiling point. After fruit cake has been baked, remove from the oven and garnish with nuts and fruits as desired. Then pour the Gum Arabic mixture over the fruit cake in a thin stream, and manipulate as it

le an possible in order to avoid crystallization of the glaze.

White Fruit Cake.

(Makes 5 1/2 pound fruit cake)

- 3/4 cup butter
- 2 cups sugar
- 7 eggs (separate)
- 2 1/2 cups flour
- 2 teaspoons baking powder
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1 cup sweet milk
- 1 teaspoon lemon extract
- 1 pound white raisins
- 1/2 pound figs
- 1/2 pound blanched almonds
- 1/2 pound citron
- 1/2 pound candied cherries
- 1/2 pound candied pineapple

Cream butter and add sugar. Separate eggs, beat egg yolks and add. Mix and sift together dry ingredients and add alternately with the milk. Add lemon extract. Cut fruits and add. Blend well and fold in well-beaten egg whites. Place in pans lined with wax paper and bake 1 hour in a very slow oven (275 degrees); then increase heat slightly (300 degrees) and bake 2 hours more.

Yuletide Cookies.

(Makes 60 cookies)

- 1/2 cup butter
- 1 cup light brown sugar
- 2 eggs (well beaten)
- 2 cups flour
- 1/2 teaspoon soda
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg
- 1/4 teaspoon cinnamon
- 2 tablespoons of cur cream
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- 1/2 cup seedless raisins
- 1/2 cup candied cherries (cut)
- 1/4 cup citron (cut fine)
- 1/2 cup dates (cut fine)
- 1/2 cup pecan nut meats (cut)

Cream butter, add sugar slowly and beat thoroughly. Add eggs. Mix and sift all dry ingredients and add alternately with cream and vanilla extract. Fold in fruit and nut meats. Chill thoroughly; then break off in small pieces, form into balls, flatten, and place on greased cookie sheet. Bake in a moderate oven (250 degrees) for approximately 12 minutes.

Orange and Lemon Christmas Cookies.

(Makes about 5 dozen cookies)

- 1 cup sugar
- 1/4 cup orange juice
- 1/4 cup lemon juice
- 1 teaspoon lemon peel (grated)
- 1 teaspoon orange peel (grated)
- 3 1/2 cups flour (sifted)
- 2 teaspoons baking powder
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 cup butter (melted)

Mix sugar and fruit juices well. Add grated peel, dry ingredients and melted butter. Stir well. Dough should be firm enough to roll. Roll very thin and cut with fancy cutter in Christmas shapes. Bake on a greased sheet in a moderately hot oven (375 degrees) for about 10 minutes, or until lightly browned on the edges. (The dough may be chilled in the refrigerator for about a half hour to make the rolling simpler).

Feeding Father.

Don't let father down when the holiday season catches up with you. You may be busy with the holiday tasks before you, but Dad will still be around for the evening meals, and during the week-ends, and the family must be fed, regardless of the amount of work to be done.

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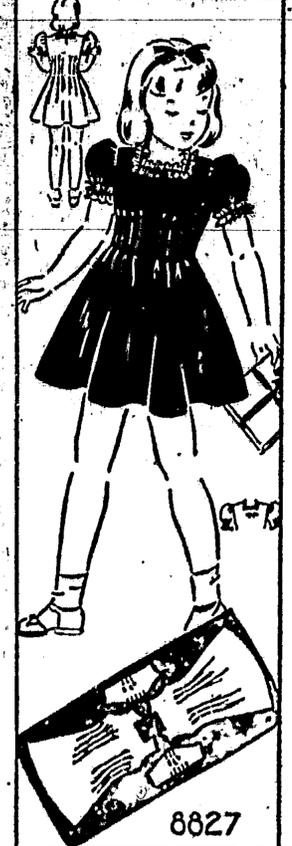
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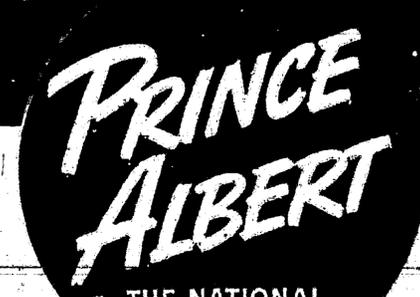
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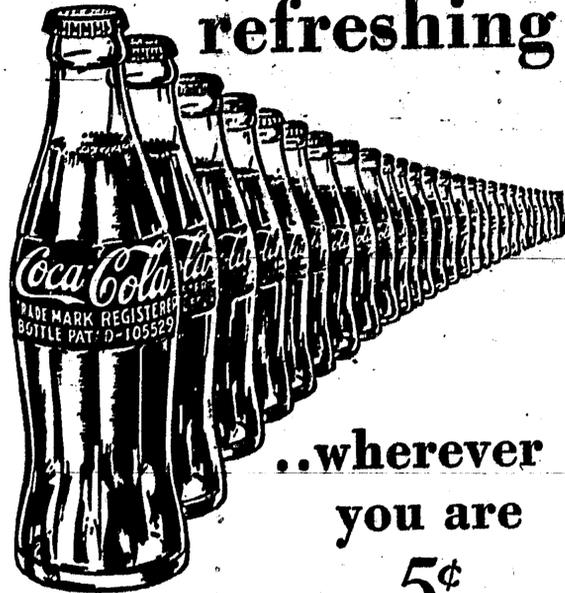
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Local and Personal

Charles Snow came home from State College for the week-end with his parents.

Messrs. Arnold Farris and Everett Bragg killed a 250 pound bear last week. Mrs. Farris presented the editor of the Lincoln County News a large bear roast and also some venison sausage, both of which were highly enjoyed. It was the first bear meat we had ever eaten.

L. B. Champman purchased the Reil cottage this week, which has been occupied by the Meyer Barnett family the past two years.

Mr. W. J. Sandifer was in Carrizozo from Tinnie last Tuesday.

Miss Hilda Ann Barnett is a new employee at the county health department.

Miss Mary Lewis and her brother, Rex were here from their ranch last Monday.

Mr. Dick Kimbrell of Picacho spent the week-end here visiting his parents, county assessor and Mrs. Kimbrell.

Mr. and Mrs. Domingo Montoya of Albuquerque are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Garcia this week.

Mrs. Anson J. Gilmore, who resides here with her daughter, Mrs. Paul Mayer, has been extremely ill since last Saturday afternoon. At present she is resting well, and seems somewhat improved.

Mrs. Ethel Boetcher, in charge of the local relief office left Saturday for Albuquerque, where she will undergo a throat operation at St. Joseph's hospital.

Judge A. H. Hudspeth was in Socorro on business last week-end.

Mr. W. W. Smith, and Dr. M. G. Paden, were business visitors from White Oaks the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tennis Smoot and son will leave next week for Washington, where they will spend Christmas. Mrs. Smoot's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Stimml will return home with them after the holidays.

Governor John E. Miles underwent a minor operation at the Mayo clinic in Rochester, Minn., last week and is reported recovering nicely. He was accompanied to Rochester by Mrs. Miles.

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CAPITAN NEWS

Miss Grace Hudson of the Titworth Company spent Sunday and Monday in El Paso.

Mrs. Hunt Hobbs entertained her bridge club on Wednesday, December 4th at her home. Members present were Mesdames H. M. Belknap, Percy Christensen, Norman Dukeshire, C. A. Henderson, L. H. Merrell, J. T. Northrup, R. B. Provine, Walter Heckleman, George Titworth, and B. T. Williams. Guests present were Mesdames Wallace Ferguson, Howard Coleman, J. V. Long, J. E. Long, and Francis Lindsey, Mrs. Coleman won high score, Mrs. Williams, second, and Mrs. J. V. Long Low.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ferguson will open a restaurant in the near future in the old bank building, Mrs. Ferguson is the former Viola Erickson who taught Home Economics in the Capitan High School. At present Mrs. Ferguson is Farm Security Administration supervisor in McKinley county.

The Fort Stanton bridge club met on Thursday, December 5th, at the home of Mrs. J. G. Mearns. Mrs. A. S. Lowey was co-hostess with Mrs. Mearns. Fifteen members were present including Mesdames L. H. Merrell, J. E. Herbert, E. W. White, M. B. Noyes, Leo Payman, L. S. Rolufs, C. B. Galt, J. T. Northrup, Ralph Werner, John Benson, W. R. Gould, and Misses Josephine Martelle and Thelma Burns. Mrs. Agnes Black was a guest of the hostesses. Prizes were awarded as follows: First, Mrs. Rolufs; second, Mrs. Mrs. Payman; third, Mrs. Northrup; fourth, Mrs. Werner.

The Woman's Club held its Christmas meeting on Friday with Mrs. Burton Williams. Several children in the lower grades took part in the program.

Moving pictures are being shown to grade school students this year. Every two weeks on Wednesday afternoon the pictures are shown to students and the public. They include a musical film, an educational film, and a travelogue.

Mrs. W. C. Hendren entertained nine members of the Round Table club at her home in Fort Stanton on Monday, December 2nd. Those attending the meeting were Mesdames: Champaign Ferguson, William Ferguson, B. T. Williams, Lon Merchant, Le Roy Merchant, J. T. Northrup, L. A. Merrell and George A. Titworth.

Mrs. H. E. Marr was hostess to the members of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Episcopal church last Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester James are the parents of a son born to them on Sunday at the U. S. Marine Hospital, Fort Stanton.

Mrs. C. A. Henderson entertained the Wednesday bridge club on December 11th with a desert-bridge at La Poblana Cafe.

Mrs. J. V. Long is a guest of her son Eddie Long and family.

Mrs. Jack Cleghorn of White Oaks has opened a restaurant next to the barber shop.

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Preaching Service 11:00 a. m.
Young Peoples' Meeting 7:00 p. m.
Prayer Meeting Wed. 7:00 p. m.
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The Notre Dame football team pass through here Tuesday morning on their way home after playing their annual game with Southern California. The Santa Rita School turned out to meet them.

Franciscan Latin

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