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HESPERIAN TORPEDOED WITHOUT WARNING

BRITISH PASSENGER VESSEL CARRYING 650, SINKS—REMAINS AFLOAT 36 HOURS.

TWENTY-SIX ARE MISSING

United States Consul at Queenstown Says Hesperian Carried One 4.7-inch Mounted Gun.

Queenstown.—Six second cabin passengers, six third cabin passengers and 13 of the crew of the steamer Hesperian, torpedoed 150 miles off Queenstown Saturday evening are unaccounted for, according to the revised official figures issued by the Allan line. This brings the probable death list, including Miss Carberry of St. Johns, N. E., whose body is here, up to 26.

The Hesperian sank at 6:45 o'clock Monday morning on the way to Queenstown, after Captain Main and volunteer rescue crew of 25 had made a brave fight to bring the crippled ship into port.

London.—The Allan line steamer Hesperian, 10,320 tons, with 650 passengers and a crew of 300 aboard, bound from Liverpool to Montreal, was attacked without warning by a German submarine off the Irish coast just as darkness was falling Saturday evening.

No submarine was seen and probably it was too dark to observe the wake of a torpedo, but all the passengers and members of the crew who arrived at Queenstown in the rescue steamers agreed that the attack was made by a German undersea boat, basing their opinion on the force of the shock and the great volume of water thrown into the air.

The force of the explosion was tremendous and of the passengers landed at Queenstown, many of them seriously and about 26 were injured. There were no American passengers aboard, but two members of the crew were American citizens and they were both saved.

About 29 Canadian soldiers who had been wounded in battle in Flanders were going home to recuperate. Most of the other passengers were Canadians returning from a visit to England or English people on their way to Canada to settle.

The torpedo struck the Hesperian in the forward engine room and the ship immediately began to settle by the head. Captain Main ordered the passengers and crew into the boats but with his officers remained on the bridge, although at that time he must have felt sure his ship would go down.

The discipline was perfect, but one of the boats capsized and those in her were thrown into the water. In the darkness confusion naturally prevailed, but all were picked up and with other passengers and the crew were transferred to the rescue steamers which arrived in answer to wireless for assistance. The Hesperian was 100 miles to the westward when struck.

Hesperian Carries One Mounted Gun.

Washington.—A cablegram from American Consul Frost at Queenstown to the state department announcing the torpedoing of the Allan line steamer Hesperian said the liner carried mounted and visible on her stern a 4.7-inch rifle.

Little Excitement Caused in London.

London.—London learned of the torpedoing of the Hesperian through a Sunday newspaper which issued an extra edition containing the meager details sent by the news agencies from Queenstown.

Appended to the details was the statement credited to the Allan line at Liverpool to the effect that all the passengers and crew had been saved. The news aroused no excitement comparable with the loss by torpedoing of the Lusitania and Arabic.

\$1,400,000 Land Suit on Trial.

Vernon, Texas.—The most important civil case ever tried at Vernon began here this week in the forty-sixth district court, when the case of Mrs. L. A. Collett against the Houston & Texas Central Railway company, Corsicana Petroleum company, Union Trust company, New York, and Central Trust company of New York for \$1,400,000. The suit involves a section of land in this county adjoining the Electric oil fields, now owned by W. T. Waggoner, on which there are 15 producing wells.

GERMANY ACCEPTS DEMANDS OF U. S.

PROMISES TO SINK NO MORE PASSENGER SHIPS WITHOUT WARNING.

REPLY TO LUSITANIA NOTE

"It Appears to be a Recognition of the Principles for Which We Have Been Contending."—Lansing.

Washington.—Strained relations between the United States and Germany over submarine warfare apparently have passed into history after Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, informed Secretary Lansing in writing that prior to the sinking of the Arabic his government had decided that its submarines should sink no more liners without warning.

Oral assurances to this effect had been given by the ambassador last week. But it was not until Count von Bernstorff after a call at the state department Wednesday returned to the embassy and sent a letter to Mr. Lansing quoting instructions from Berlin concerning an answer to be made to the last American note on the sinking of the Lusitania that officials frankly admitted their gratification over the changed position of the Imperial government.

Secretary Lansing said in a formal statement that the letter "appears to be a recognition of the fundamental principles for which we have contended." He immediately sent the communication to the White House and discussed it in cheerful vein with his callers. Everywhere in administration circles there was a visible relaxation of the tension which had existed ever since the Lusitania tragedy, though lessened by the earlier assurances of Count von Bernstorff and advices from Ambassador Gervais to the attitude of officials in Berlin.

The next step, it is said authoritatively, will be a formal communication from the German government disavowing the destruction of the Arabic and tendering regret and reparation for American lives lost in the disaster if the attack was made by a German submarine. Even if the submarine which torpedoed the liner subsequently was sunk by a British man of war, as has been suggested both from Berlin and London, the Berlin foreign office is expected to send its disavowal as soon as a reasonable time has passed without a report from its commander.

Once the situation growing out of the Arabic incident has been disposed of, the response to the long unanswered American note on the Lusitania will be dispatched, and if Germany's explanations and proposals in this case are accepted by the United States, both officials and diplomats here expect the way to be cleared for a complete understanding between the two governments on the subject of freedom of the seas. In German circles it is freely admitted that in Berlin a hope prevails that such an understanding would be followed by insistent action by the United States to stop interferences with neutral commerce with Great Britain and her allies which prevent Germany from importing food supplies for her civil population.

Would Send Claim to the Hague. Berlin.—Germany, according to Count von Bernstorff's instructions, offers to submit the claims for compensation arising out of the Lusitania and Arabic cases to the Hague for adjudication.

Germany Buying Munitions in U. S.

Chicago.—George M. Gatschow is quoted as stating that he is a stockholder in a firm which is making 100,000 six inch shells for the United States army, and that the German government, like the allies, is purchasing munitions of war in the American market. "I have seen some of the German contracts," continued Mr. Gatschow. "That Germany is a buyer is common knowledge among manufacturers. Most of the shipments to Germany are made in Norwegian and Danish steamers."

Adolphe Pegoud Is Reported Killed.

Paris.—It is reported that Adolphe Pegoud, the famous French aviator, has been killed. Pegoud gained renown in 1912 when he originated the feat of flying upside down in an aeroplane and looping the loop. On the outbreak of the war he joined the French aviation squadron and several times since has been mentioned in dispatches for valor. The last exploit credited to him was in April when he was reported to have attacked and brought down a German Zeppelin near St. Mandenil.

AN EPITOME OF EVENTS

DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN HAPPENINGS SERVED UP IN ATTRACTIVE STYLE.

EUROPEAN WAR HAPPENINGS

Everything Important That Could Be Confined to a Small Space is Here Found.

The finance committee of the Russian duma presented a bill extending the rights of the state bank to issue paper money. "For 1915," the report stated, "the war expenses are \$3,621,000,000 and other expenses \$1,423,700,000 making a total of over \$5,000,000,000."

An official communication issued by the Paris ministry of marine, says: "The Island of Ruad (Syria) has been occupied by a detachment from the French squadron, which holds the blockhouse and the Syrian shore." The island of Ruad lies two miles off the coast of Syria. Its population of some 3,000 is largely engaged in navigation and sponge fishing.

An officer of the White Star liner Adriatic, which arrived in New York from Liverpool, declared that the German submarine which sank the Adriatic had been caught in a steel net and the U boat's crew were now prisoners in England. He added that within the last 60 days the British have captured no less than 50 German submarines.

The German and Austrian armies on the eastern front are about to part company, according to a dispatch from Amsterdam. The message says it is believed the Austrian armies that have been operating in Poland will shortly be removed in the direction of Serbia.

At least a thousand Christians were killed and about 4,000 others died of disease in Urumiah, Persia, during the five months of Turkish occupation, according to a letter received by J. L. Caldwell, American minister at Teheran, from Dr. William Shedd of Urumiah. He said the total loss to the Christians had been estimated at \$2,500,000.

"The Cologne Gazette publishes statistics showing the minimum losses to British shipping during the war amounts to 4 1/2 per cent of the whole tonnage," says the Overseas agency. "Of vessels above 100 tons, an average of one in 20 of the British merchant fleet has been lost."

A dispatch from Christiana states that a German submarine of a new type, far larger than any previous vessels of this character, has been observed off the southwestern coast of Norway. This is regarded in Berlin as confirming reports that Germany is about to place in commission super-submarines, far exceeding the best of her submarines hitherto.

The salary of B. F. Bush as receiver of the Missouri Pacific-Iron Mountain system will be \$35,000 a year. This is provided in an order by Federal Circuit Judge Adams filed in St. Louis. The salary as receiver of the Missouri Pacific is to be \$20,000 and as receiver of the Iron Mountain \$15,000. The counsel for the receiver will receive \$10,000 a year from the Missouri Pacific and \$5,000 from the Iron Mountain.

Thirteen persons were drowned and many houses were swept away in Bari, Italy, by a violent rainstorm that flooded the river.

Foreign influences in Haiti, working to block plans of the United States to pacify the republic and rehabilitate its finances under American supervision, have made it necessary to declare martial law in Port au Prince, the capital, and practically all but two of the country's open ports.

The city of Marlow, Okla., sold, subject to the issue carrying at the election of Sept. 16, bonds for the installing of an up-to-date sewer system for the city to the extent of \$15,000.

An official review of the eastern campaign, as given out in Berlin, estimates that since May 2 the Russians have lost at least 200,000 men in killed or wounded and 1,100,000 captured by the Germans, a total casualty list of 1,400,000.

The Chesapeake and Ohio grain elevator "A", one of the largest in the United States, was destroyed by fire at Newport News, Va., with a loss estimated at \$2,000,000.

Indications are that President Wilson's closest friends expect him to be renominated for president in 1916 and are laying their plans accordingly. The president himself, it was stated authoritatively, however, is taking no part in such plans.

Acton, Mass.—Convinced that the blowing up of the glazing mill of the American Powder company was due to accident, the local authorities made no effort to continue investigations of the explosion.

A call to prayer, addressed to every individual in the country has been sent out by the Laymen's Missionary Movement in the United States and Canada in preparation for a series of conventions, the first of which will be held in Chicago Oct. 14 to 17.

Four known negroes dead and heavy damage to crops, the West Indian hurricane which Saturday turned inland from the gulf of Mexico on the western coast of Florida, swept over western and southern Georgia. In Atlanta the wind reached a velocity of 50 miles an hour.

The West Indian hurricane which swept across the gulf of Mexico and struck inland Saturday on the west coast of Florida, centered southwest of Atlanta. The storm entered Florida near Apalachicola. Heavy rains accompanied the high winds in Georgia and Alabama. The gulf now is clear of severe storms.

Washington.—Hall's parliament has been given given until Sept. 17 to act upon the proposed treaty by which the United States would extend a financial protectorate over the unstable little republic for ten years. In the meantime American marines will continue to occupy the principal cities of the island to prevent a recurrence of anarchy.

San Francisco has celebrated the exposition's freedom from a debt of \$1,200,000, which the exposition has been carrying since the first of the year. This has established a record, for no exposition has succeeded in paying off its indebtedness before it was half over. This is due to an attendance which has surpassed all expectations by nearly 40 per cent. The total admissions up to Sept. 3, 11,833,309.

The present activity in the Healdton fields indicates that there will be a change in the marketing conditions before a very great while. The McMan Oil company and the Corsicana Petroleum company are each operating four strings of tools and each company is completing a well every five days. Nearly all other companies are doing more or less drilling and the production will go beyond 100,000 barrels a day within a short time.

Death by starvation through four years' crop failure faces 75,000 inhabitants of Curacao Island, Dutch West Indies, unless help is sent to them, according to the Rt. Rev. M. G. Vuysteke, O. P., Catholic bishop of Curacao, who arrived in Chicago, seeking aid for the islanders.

Announcement of the adoption of an eight-hour day by the Standard Oil company of New Jersey was made on behalf of the board of directors of that concern. Twenty-five thousand workers were said to be affected by the order, which would become effective Sept. 15.

Harry K. Thaw, through his attorneys, has filed a petition in common pleas court in Pittsburg, Pa., asking a divorce from his wife, Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, charging misconduct with John Francis of New York.

The first of the American submarine bases contemplated in the plan for an inner defense line of submarines along all coasts will be located at New London, Conn., and probably will be in operation in a very short time.

An application by counsel for the Guaranty Trust company of New York to foreclose a mortgage given by the Missouri Pacific railway has been granted by Circuit Judge E. B. Adams of St. Louis.

American Consul Stillman reported that H. W. Francis, imprisoned at Vera Cruz, had been released by Carranza as a result of American representations. The state department twice made demands for the release of Francis.

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From Western Newspaper Union.

Dallas Texas, Sept. 4, 1915. Mr. Neil H. Bigger, Capitan Mountaineer, Capitan N. M. Dear Sir: As requested in your order of recent date we will make the increase in your ready-print edition as directed and we are pleased to note that your circulation is increasing.

Yours very truly, Western Newspaper Union, By Platt F. Duley, Manager.

The editor of the Mountaineer greatly appreciates the above, especially when it comes from such a source. The Western Newspaper Union is a corporation that has about thirty branch houses in different cities of the country.

Capitan School Notes.

The Capitan Schools opened Monday, September 6, with a total enrollment of 114, divided as follows: Tison school 40; Capitan, Primary 30, Grammar 25; High School 15.

On opening day, Gov. W. C. McDonald was present in the afternoon, and delivered an inspiring address to the students and the people of Capitan in the High School Auditorium.

The opening day in both Grades and High School was devoted to registration and assignment of text books. Active class work was begun on Tuesday, and at the present time all classes are meeting in the regular routine.

The High School courses are assigned to the various teachers as follows: Mrs. Price, Music. Miss Gilliam, Domestic Science. Miss Battle, Ancient History. English History. Miss Bogue, Algebra II and III, English I, II and III, Drawing, Geometry III.

Advanced Spanish Class Organized

For the benefit of students having already completed two years work in Spanish and desiring further study of the practical application of the language, a special Spanish Conversation class has been opened.

are Jenny Boone, Jenny Parker, Albert Fingsten.

Tison School Closes for Week.

Owing to the failure to arrive of the teacher engaged to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of the previous teacher, the Tison school has been closed during the present week.

Message from Paradise Valley

Well, the message that Paradise Valley has to send to the outside world this week is not as lengthy as some of the former ones, but still there have some things transpired which are worth knowing.

Quite a number of the patrons of school district No. 29 met last Saturday and agreed upon a site for our new school building.

Jim Goodall will have a large surplus of corn this year, and instead of selling it on the market, he is buying hogs to feed it to.

John Burch has rented his farm at the foot of the Capitan, to a Texas man and moved to a ranch he owns in "Give-a-Dam Canyon."

W. H. Sellers has moved his family to his ranch in Paradise Valley.

Roy Stewart and his father are at the homestead putting in a cistern preparatory to moving over.

We understand that Dr. Johnson has sold the improvements on his homestead to a Mr. Foster from Oklahoma, and made a relinquishment.

Garland Coor's baby is seriously ill, and is attended by Dr. Price, of Capitan.

Road overseer Bruce is warning hands to work the road.

Texas Letter.

O'Donnell, Texas, Sept. 2, 1915. Capitan Mountaineer. Please find enclosed check for \$1, which is to pay for the Mountaineer for one year from the time it was started.

It only covered a narrow strip, but brought destruction in its path. There are considerable improvements going on in O'Donnell at present; a good many dwellings being built, there is a 4-stand win outfit going up, and will be run by a 100-horse power steam engine; everything seems plentiful here now; stock are looking well, but the "ballies" don't look as good to me as the pine-capped hills of New Mexico.

W. T. Hastings.

New Subscribers.

The following named persons are subscribers to the Mountaineer since its last issue September 31:

W. U. Fisher, St. John, Kan., by W. H. Fisher, Capitan; J. E. Lackey, Alto; R. C. Bowder, Picacho; B. W. Lacy, White Oaks; Adonio Montoya, Encino; J. W. Linnam, Alto. Horton Spiller is back in the High School this year.

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Webbs Return for School.

C. M. Webb and family came down from their Alto ranch the latter part of last week to establish themselves at their home at 301 North Michigan avenue for the school year.

Mr. Webb stopped over in Capitan yesterday on his return from Roswell, and in speaking of the mountain lions killing the cow, said their tracks show there are two of them, and that they are very large animals.

R. O. James, of the forest service, was over from the station on the Ruidoso Tuesday and gave us a few items from that section. He said that Sussie and Fred Tully, son and daughter of J. V. Tully, of Glencoe, have gone to Tularose to enter Freshman year of the High School there.

Monroe Howard has moved his family into town for the school, and they are occupying the Minter residence.

Teachers' Examination.

A teachers' examination will be held in Carrizozo, Oct. 1 and 2 for all grades of elementary state certificates.

Teachers who wish to perfect certificates issued on credits, and those wishing to raise grades or take Reading Circle Work of past year, will have an opportunity at this time.

The program of examination in the institute manual will be followed. \$1 00. Miss M. S. Sorrell, Supt. Lincoln Carrizozo, N. M., Sept. 8, 1915.

Notice

All of the open accounts of Ben Bentfro have been turned over to me for collection. It will be much appreciated if those knowing themselves indebted to the above party will call and settle their accounts at once. G. W. Smithson.

Blacksmithing.

Pipe threaded from one-fourth inch to four inches. Now is the time to look that plow over for plowing. Wagons repaired on short order. Horse shoeing a specialty. SMITH & SON, Capitan, N. M.

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Capitan Society Notes.

BY SPECIAL REPORTER. On account of the rain last Thursday very few members of the Dumas Club met at Mrs. ... home, but bridge was mended and water melon, punch and cake were served.

Mrs. F. S. Sorrell, of Ashland, Ala., is spending a few days with Mrs. F. H. Johnson.

Miss Mildred Peters, of Carrizozo, came up Saturday to see her nephew, John Norton, Jr. Miss Sara Irvin spent a few days this week out at Mr. and Mrs. Dahlke's, and says that she sure had some good things to eat.

Miss Mabelle Irvin leaves Friday for El Paso where she will teach Physical Training in a public school.

Miss Sara Irvin leaves for San Antonio Tuesday where she will attend Bonn-Avon school for girls.

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THE EUROPEAN WAR A YEAR AGO THIS WEEK

Sept. 6, 1914.

Russians attacked Germans on left bank of Vistula, occupied Stryl region and captured Forty-fifth Austrian regiment near Krasnyastaw.

German right wing checked near Paris.

Kaiser directed attack on Nancy. British cruiser Pathfinder destroyed by mine.

Germans levied war tax on captured cities.

France called out recruits of 1915.

French fleet bombarded Cattaro.

Sept. 7, 1914.

Austrians retreated and Russians closed in on Przemyel.

Allies forced Germans back from Nanteuil to Verdun, German flight wing retreating across the Marne.

Germans defeated Belgians near Melle and marched on Ghent.

Germans repulsed at Capelle-au-Pole.

Germans destroyed Dinant.

British submarine attacked German fleet in Bremerhaven harbor.

American ambulance corps at work in field near Paris.

Sept. 8, 1914.

Russians took Nikolajeff and Mikolajew.

Austrians defeated Serbs near Mitrovica.

Serbian invasion of Bosnia begun.

French defeated Germans on the Ourcq.

Severe fighting at Vitry.

British merchant cruiser Oceanic wrecked on coast of Scotland.

Austrian government appealed to Jews in Poland to fight against Russia.

Sept. 9, 1914.

British and French forces crossed the Marne in pursuit of Germans.

Germans evacuated Upper Alsace.

Battle at Rawa Ruska.

Austrians evacuated Russian Poland.

Germans captured Maubuge and 40,000 men.

Japanese force of 20,000 landed at Lunghow.

Force of 40,000 natives from India landed in France.

Kaiser protested to President Wilson against alleged use of dumdum bullets by the allies.

British cruiser captured the Neerham with German reservists.

Sept. 10, 1914.

General von Stein admitted defeat by allies.

Belgians recaptured Termonde, Aerschot and Diest.

Russians invaded Silesia and massacred Breslau.

Austro-Germans defeated at Lublin.

Russians suffered reverse in East Prussia.

Germans defeated by British in Nyassaland, Africa.

Panic in Cracow; Archduke Frederick admitted loss of 120,000 men in Galicia.

British house of commons voted to add 500,000 men to regular army.

Pope issued appeal for peace.

Sept. 11, 1914.

German line west of Revinny retreated, but captured fort near Verdun.

French recaptured Muelhausen.

Germans marched south from Ghent with Belgians in pursuit.

Serbs took Semlin.

Montenegrins captured Fofoha and joined Serbs in advance on Sarajevo.

Germans defeated invading Finland force at Lyok.

Russians occupied Suzawa and Hatna.

Austrians resumed offensive near Lemberg.

President Wilson sent message to President Poincare denying use of dumdum bullets.

An Insuperable Objection. Nell—I wouldn't marry the best man living.

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INTO THE EYE

MRS. NICOLL A REAL WAR NURSE



Mrs. De Lancy Nicoll, the beautiful darling of New York society and the most famous woman genealogical expert in the United States, was as serious when she took that swift course in hospital nursing last winter as she has been with everything else she has ever undertaken.

She is now in the French war zone, dressed in her blue and white, and seriously giving her services wherever they are needed. She is only one of that bery of society women who took up rapid-fire courses in nursing when it became the fashion to carry through her announced plans.

Beyond this, she is so exceptionally good looking when in street or evening garb that she must seem like a ministering angel in a nurse's uniform.

Mrs. Nicoll was temporarily stationed in Germany during the early part of the war. She was taken for a spy before she got out of that country, and only her ability to speak the German tongue fluently kept her out of prison.

ANSBERRY WAS SILENCED

Representative Timothy Ansberry of Ohio is a talker whose voice penetrates to the deepest recesses of the capitol, and when he speaks the roof reverberates with his booming.



One day Ansberry was telling a good story to a fellow-member in what he imagined was, like the voice of Annie Laurie, "low and sweet."

The gentleman who was speaking showed his annoyance at the sound, and Speaker Clark thumped his gavel.

That was an awful farce. Visions of sitting on a hard bench and writing out 300 sentences in parliamentary law while the other fellows were smoking and joking in the cloakroom rose before Ansberry, who for a while kept so quiet that the silence in his vicinity was audible.

MEXICO'S DARK HORSE



Manuel Vasquez Tagle seems to be the "dark horse" in the contest of the presidency of Mexico, and there are many who believe he is one of the few men who can save that distracted country.

The name of Tagle disappeared from publications on current Mexican affairs when Victoriano Huerta leaped over the back of Pedro Lascurain into the presidency of the dictatorship.

Tagle was born in Mexico City in 1854 and educated in preparatory and law schools of the capital.

Tagle never stopped his automobile in the street and, indeed, it is said, Tagle has gone on attending to his business affairs throughout calmly and without compromise.

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JIM MANN, KING OF DETAIL

James H. Mann, the Republican floor leader, is the King of Detail. Nothing is too small or too numerous for him to know all about.



Representative Johnny Garner of Texas was the only person at the last session of congress who asked Mann anything that he didn't answer.

Mann got up one day to criticize the Mexican policy of the present administration.

Gales of GOTHAM and other CITIES

Western Farmhand Visits Chicago Gypsy Queen

CHICAGO.—Stuart Peterson, a Nebraska farmhand, stepped out of the Desplaine street police station, where he was a complaining witness against Dr. A. W. Paulbaum, and visited a gypsy fortune-telling parlor on Madison street.



Madison street. It is not often that Peterson gets to visit town, but when he does it's a lively day.

She waved him to a chair. Then she looked at his palm and told him to cross it with a silver coin, preferably a half dollar.

Just then the queen looked suddenly at the ceiling. Peterson looked also.

"Dern it, the trick was did quicker'n scat," he explained later to the desk sergeant the Desplaine street station.

"The splits are angry," she told me. "You'd better try it with some paper money. They're mad because you stood on the door sill when you came in."

"The smallest piece of paper money I had was a two-dollar bill, so I put it in my hand. Then she told me that a whole lot of beautiful women were after me and that I had a bright future.

"Now ain't that funny?" she asked, and got me to cross my palm with some more money.

The desk sergeant advised him to swear out a warrant.

New York's Police Learning How to Wigwag

NEW YORK.—No, the multicolored flags to be seen nowadays waving from the roof of the municipal building and the Woolworth tower are not storm signals.



In the unlikely event of war, New York probably would be the first point attacked by the enemy.

Not satisfied with entire dependence upon the telephone in case of riots or war, Police Commissioner Woods inaugurated a wigwag system of communication between police headquarters and every precinct in the five boroughs.

In transmitting messages, flags and heliographs are used by the policemen during the day and powerful signaling lamps by night.

Counterfeit Mexican Money Printed in 'Frisco

SAN FRANCISCO.—Vast quantities of counterfeit Mexican money, representing millions of currency in that strife-ridden republic, have within the year been printed and much of it circulated in San Francisco.



Mexican currency have been printed in San Francisco. The lithographing was authorized through consuls, who acted for the belligerent power that needed it.

Much of this counterfeit has been sold at a fraction of its supposed face value in San Francisco for good American dollars on the pretext that the purchaser could negotiate it at its face value on the border or just across the line.

When the facts reached the ears of Villa he issued a proclamation that any of his followers or others caught with this bogus money on their persons, or detected in an effort to use it, would be executed.

Man Is Found Living in a Philadelphia Sewer

PHILADELPHIA.—Michael Machill was found sleeping in the dead end of an unused sewer at Torresdale avenue and Cottman street, where he had been living for a week.



The Tacony police were given a surprise when the phone rang. "Say, listen," came an excited voice.

Turning to Patrolman Mager, the sergeant said: "One of those practical jokers, but you'd better take a run up there."

Machill talked incoherently and was sent to the Philadelphia hospital for observation.

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Electric Plant in Arctic Circle

The "farthest north" electric plant is being constructed at Mount Hope, 300 miles north of the arctic circle.

The darkness at Mount Hope is intense during the long arctic night, and the electric plant will supply power for both light and heat.

Under the direction of an English engineer New Zealand plans to spend about \$2,500,000 to develop its water power resource.



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Motor car of the Italian army equipped to carry a set of wireless appliances for quick work in the field. With this apparatus a wireless station is set up within twelve minutes.

GO ABOUT THEIR DAILY TASKS UNDER CONTINUAL ROAR OF BURSTING SHELLS

Several Towns in France That Are Continually Bombarded by Great German Guns—People Grow Accustomed to the Unceasing Fire and Eat, Drink and Sleep as Usual—The Case of Arras Is Typical of Many French Towns.

By GEORGE DUFRESNE. (International News Service.) Paris.—There are several towns in France where the inhabitants have grown so accustomed to being bombarded that they eat, drink, sleep, and go about their daily tasks under a continual roar of cannon and bursting shells. There are Helms, Pont-a-Mousson and Arras, for example, whose populations have had but few days' respite for months past. To take the latter town as a very typical instance of what the French have to bear at the present time, a correspondent of the Journal gives an account of the sufferings of the people, which excites astonishment and admiration; and from stories I have personally heard, it is not in any way exaggerated. "The last time I passed Arras in the train on the journey to Boulogne," says the correspondent, "shells could be seen and heard bursting close by, and though this was some time ago the German interest in this unfortunate town does not seem to have abated a jot. To understand the whole atmosphere of danger and sudden death that hangs over Arras, it has to be realized that the German lines are just half a mile away. And for eight months they have never been further off, and have showered shells of every caliber upon the town, until whole quarters have been reduced to piles of ruins.

ful, without any apparent cause or motive, as Arras has no strategic importance and is not garrisoned in force. Towards the end of April, however, the tactics changed, and every day since then at least a hundred shells have been sent into Arras. Latterly the heaviest "marmites," or "Jack-Johnsons" have begun to fall together with incendiary bombs. "One would have thought that the inhabitants would have long since quitted the inferno, and preferred to put more than half a mile between themselves and their relentless foes. When the bombardment began there were perhaps 25,000 inhabitants, and in the first fright at least half of these fled. As time went on others thought life was scarcely worth living under the existing conditions, but 2,000 have stoutly stuck to their native place, and refused to quit what is left of, or represents, their homes. These are mostly small tradesmen and the working classes, the majority of whom lead a troglodytic life in cellars, and underground shelters, but still at home. They know well the habits and customs of the enemy, and when they are sure that the firing is going to cease for a while, they venture out and do their shopping and meeting with each other. "Go On With Their Work. "With that love of order that distinguishes French official life, the prefectural service has never stopped working, and though the walls of the prefecture have long since been blown down, and little but the skeletons is left of the town hall, the staff continues to carry on their duties as calmly as if it were time of peace. One of the most curious and touching features of the life of Arras is the school, where eighty little boys and girls regularly attend, and where ten male and three woman teachers daily give their lessons in a spacious cave. The hours are not very regular, and the bombardment often makes some of the children late, both in coming and going home in the evening. The midday meal is prepared and taken in the underground school room and though several of the children have fallen victims of the shell fire this has not deterred a single one from continuing the lessons. "Another strange and admirable institution is the 'Coffin League.' When the bombardments began the victims were so numerous that it was not possible to give each a separate burial. For instance, in the almshouse one shell alone killed thirty-two women and wounded forty-three more. The cemeteries as usual being outside the town, and fully exposed to the enemy's fire, arrangements had to be made for interment in gardens or courtyards, and on one occasion one hundred and fifty bodies had to be incinerated at a street corner. This tragic spectacle so impressed the people that a Coffin League was started, and its members work almost all day and night in cellars making coffins. And now all the civilians who are killed send all the soldiers who die in Arras are decently buried in a coffin, so that their friends will be able to find their last resting place later on. "Distinguished Fire Fighters. "Of course fires are frequent, especially lately, since the Germans have taken to delivering incendiary shells upon Arras. There were only two old hand fire pumps in the town hall after the steam engine had been smashed to pieces by a shell. These were put into such order as was possible, and twelve volunteer firemen took the place of the mobbed fire department. There is never any lack of volunteers, though the job is doubly dangerous when the bombardment is in full blast. Men and women come out at their retreats, and a story is told of how on one occasion the prefect, the mayor, the bishop's vicar, and the vice-president of the prefectural council, together with the bishop himself, were all seen together working the pumps under a heavy fire, for, naturally,

Searcely a House Intact. "The massively built cathedral is hardly recognizable, and the railway station is a pile of nondescript materials. There is scarcely a house intact in the place. It was on October 5 of last year that the Germans began a bombardment that continued for three days, and was taken up again towards the end of the month. After that it became intermittent and faint.

VANDERBILT HEIR



This interesting snapshot of William H. Vanderbilt was taken at the tennis tournament at Newport. He is the eldest son of the late Alfred G. Vanderbilt, who lost his life in the sinking of the Lusitania, and inherits the major part of his father's millions. This is the first picture taken of the youth at any public function since his father's death. At present he lives with his mother, Mrs. Meta French Vanderbilt, at Newport, who was Mr. Vanderbilt's first wife.

By the Germans, who can quite easily see what is going on, as soon as they notice any attempt to put out a conflagration immediately concentrate their guns on the crowd. "At any rate Arras presents an extraordinary instance of coolness and love of the native soil. The inhabitants evidently prefer to be buried beneath the ruins of their birthplace to giving way to the brutal and senseless terrorism of the futile bombardment. I have given these details of the life in Arras because it is perhaps the nearest to the German trenches, but as far as the danger goes and the persistence of the bombardment there is nothing to choose between the conditions of life there and in the other towns already mentioned.

HE GETS HIS JUST REVENGE

Indiana Farmer Catches a Neighbor Playing Poker and Has Him Arrested.

Hartford City, Ind.—When Henry Philabaum, a well-known farmer near here, was arrested a few days ago charged with cruelty to animals on a warrant sworn out by his neighbor, Noah Slentz, Philabaum vowed he would have revenge. He was fined on the charge, it being proved that he tied a tin can to the tail of a horse which invaded his garden. Philabaum found his opportunity for revenge. He saw Slentz, with several other farmers, enter an icheous to while away a few hours during the heat of the day. Philabaum acted as sleuth and found that a game of poker was in progress. As soon as he saw Slentz "edge" a nickel, Philabaum swore out a affidavit against the party, including Slentz there were six men, each of whom paid a fine of \$10 after pleading guilty.

TWO ROYAL BEAUTIES



These two children have the distinction of being the handsomest of the younger generation of the royalty of Europe. They are Princess Ileana and Prince Mircea, whose father is King Ferdinand of Roumania. It is probable that the kingdom of their father may be involved in the great European war, arraying itself with the allies against the Teutons. Should Roumania take up arms against the Germans, it is believed in Europe that the fall of Constantinople will be but a matter of time, inasmuch as Roumania and the Balkan states are the keystone to Turkey.

MISSING YOUTH FOUND IN JAIL

Country-Wide Search for Young Man in Settlement of Estate Is Ended.

Denver, Colo.—After a country-wide search, Lyon D. Allen, a Denver youth wanted by the county court to straighten out an estate matter, has been located in the county jail in this city. He is a federal prisoner, serving out a sentence for violation of the drug act. Some time ago young Allen inherited \$400 from a relative in the West. His father, Edward H. Allen, was appointed guardian for him, collected the money and then filed a claim for it, asserting that the young man owed him more than \$400 on account of money advanced. In order that the father might collect the money it was necessary that the young man be found.

HUSBAND IS ON PROBATION

Who Will Not Press Suit If He Can Get Liking for Intoxicants for One Year.

San Francisco.—At the suggestion of Judge Graham Mrs. Bridget Brennan placed her husband, Owen Brennan, on probation for one year. If he can curb his liking for intoxicants for that period she will discontinue her suit for divorce. In the meantime Mrs. Brennan will go to Philadelphia to live with relatives and will take with her their thirteen-year-old son Joseph. If Brennan does not drink for a year he will go to Philadelphia for his wife and son. "Be sure and come and get us, dad," called back the son as he and his mother left the courtroom. "Don't worry, Joey," said the father. "I'll be there when the time comes."

AGAIN TO BE FERTILE LAND

Building of Euphrates Dam Calculated to Restore the Prosperity of Old Mesopotamia.

With the completion of the Hindiyeh barrage, on the River Euphrates, the first step has been taken which will ultimately turn Mesopotamia into the fertile land it was in Biblical times. For ages the waters of the Tigris and Euphrates have run to waste in the desert, or accumulated in unwholesome marshes, and devastation and the decay of centuries have set their mark upon enormous areas that once blossomed as the rose. In the great Babylonian plain, tradition has placed the Garden of Eden, and the still visible ruins of the old dams and canals show how important a part was played by irrigation on the economic prosperity of Chaldea and Babylon. After lying dormant for ages as the result of devastating wars, Tartar invasions and Turkish apathy, fertility is about to be restored to those desolate regions as by the wate of a magician's wand. The magician is the modern engineer, in the person of Sir William Willcocks, who in 1909 was commissioned by the Turkish government to prepare an irrigation scheme. In its entirety Sir William Willcocks' plan entailed an expenditure of \$75,000,000, and it is the first portion of the work which was inaugurated. The Hindiyeh barrage, 47 miles south of Bagdad, has been built just above the town of Hindiyeh and to the east of the present riverbed, and it distributes the waters of the Euphrates through regulators down the old-Fishak branch, past Babylon to Hillah. It is 800 feet long and consists of 35 arches fitted with sluice gates 15 feet wide. The arches are supported by piers 19 feet high and four feet thick, with key piers measuring 11 feet. This structure rests upon a foundation of three feet of concrete and six feet of brickwork. Adjoining the barrage is a lock with a 25-foot opening for the use of the river traffic.

HIS WELL-CHOSEN RESPONSE

Old Frenchman's Words, in Acknowledging Gift, Were Certainly Short and to the Point.

In a certain country town there lived an old Frenchman named Le Blanc. One night some of his friends gave him a surprise party and presented him with a watch chain. That week the local paper printed an account of the affair, saying that in acknowledgment of the gift Mr. Le Blanc responded "in a few well-chosen words." Curious to know what the old Frenchman said, someone asked the reporter who was present what those "well-chosen words" were. "Well, I'll tell you," he answered. "When Charlie finished his presentation speech and held out the chain, the old man—who had been eyeing it greedily all the while—suddenly snatched it from his hand and exclaimed: "Py chne, dat was a good one!"—"Youth's Companion. Last, But Not First. Sir Thomas Lipton, whose good work for stricken Serbia is still bringing him unstinted praise from all quarters, is, in spite of his great wealth, a man of very simple tastes. Especially simple is he in the matter of dress, a fact which was once responsible for a very amusing incident. Some years ago he advertised for a number of new waiters for his business, and he decided to interview them all himself. On a certain morning, therefore, he arrived early at his office to find a long list of applicants waiting outside. "His, hat!" chuckled says Sir Thomas when he tells the story, "as I pushed my way to the door. 'Good strong men all of them! Just the fellows for—' "Dash! I was hurled across the pavement, hit a lamp post, and found myself in the gutter, and then a deep voice said: "Wot's your little game, eh? You just line up behind and take your turn with the rest of us!"—"Pearson's. Easily Remedied. "Oh, George, you've 'broken' your promise!" "Never mind, dearie; I'll make you another."—Life. Father Adam may have had troubles of his own, but at any rate, Eve never flashed his old love letters on him.

CALOMEL WHEN BILIOUS? NO! STOP! ACTS LIKE DYNAMITE ON LIVER

I Guarantee "Dodson's Liver-Tone" Will Give You the Best Liver and Bowel Cleansing You Ever Had—Doesn't Make You Sick!

Stop using calomel! It makes you sick. Don't lose a day's work. If you feel lazy, sluggish, bilious or constipated, listen to me! Calomel is mercury or quicksilver which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel, when it comes into contact with your bile, crashes into it, breaking it up. This is when you feel that awful nausea and cramping. If you feel "all knocked out," if your liver is torpid and bowels constipated or you have headache, dizziness, coated tongue, if breath is bad or stomach sour just try a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver-Tone. Here's my guarantee—Go to any drug store or dealer and get a 50-cent bottle of Dodson's Liver-Tone. Take a spoonful and if it doesn't straighten you right up and make you feel fine and vigorous I want you to go back to the store and get your money. Dodson's Liver-Tone is destroying the sale of calomel because it is real liver medicine; entirely vegetable, therefore it cannot salivate or make you sick. I guarantee that one spoonful of Dodson's Liver-Tone will put your sluggish liver to work and clean your bowels of that sour bile and constipated waste which is clogging your system and making you feel miserable. I guarantee that a bottle of Dodson's Liver-Tone will keep your entire family feeling fine for months. Give it to your children. It is harmless; doesn't gripe and they like its pleasant taste.

HAD TO HAVE MORE ROOM

Wobbly Man Needed Extra Accommodation Before He Could Really Enjoy Seeing Play.

During the run of a play in New York last winter a wobbly person teetered up to the box office one Saturday night when the place was packed and demanded a good seat. "Nothing left except standing room," said the box-office man. "Sell you standing room for a dollar." The wavering one produced a dollar and went inside. But so many general admissions were grouped at the rear that over the intervening hedge of heads he caught only vagrant glimpses of what was going on upon the stage. He forgly considered the situation for a spell. Then he rocked his weaving way back to the box-office window and put a second dollar on some more powder.—Judge. "Gimme apizir one of them standin' rooms," he ordered; "can't see the show at all if you only got one."—Saturday Evening Post. Theory and Practice. Mrs. Blough—I don't try to suit everyone. I always want people to take me just as I am. Caller—Glad to hear it, but you're in a big hurry. I'm the staff photographer for the Scarehead, and the Sunday editor sent me out to get a snapshot of you— Mrs. Blough—Good Heaven! Wait till I run and frill up a bit and put on some more powder.—Judge. Rain on the Diamond. Midge—Do you think Mr. Phan loves you more than he does baseball? Maude—I really don't know. Last night he told me that my eyes were like diamonds. Midge—That is a sign of affection. Maude—Then a little later he said that when I cried it made him feel like a postponed game.—Judge. Tedious Business. "What is your attitude toward the belligerents in Europe?" "Oh, the usual attitude." "And what is that?" "I'm just waiting for them to quit." "Umph! You are evidently not rushed for time." Occasionally a man makes a great hit by doing the wrong thing at the right time.

Start Children to School Right After the vacation rest, school children should quickly settle down to the task of learning. Do your part! Parental responsibility does not end by sending them to school. The child must be equipped with mind and body at their best. And here the right food plays a most important part. Growing children need energy; the right kind and lots of it. And energy comes from well-nourished nerves and brain. Grape-Nuts —a food made from wheat and barley, contains the vital mineral salts—Phosphate of Potash, etc. (grown in the grains) which directly act with other food values to build up body, brain and nerves. Statistics prove that much of the "backwardness" of some children is due to faulty nourishment. A morning dish of Grape-Nuts and cream is good alike for the bright scholar and the backward pupil. The latter needs the nutrition; the former will progress in sounder physical and mental health because of it. "There's a Reason" for Grape-Nuts —sold by Grocers everywhere.

LOCAL AND HOME NEWS

Mrs. Wade Dugger has moved into Capitan for the school and is living in one of the Rentfro houses.

J. F. Lackey and J. W. Dinam are two additions to our Alto subscription list.

C. D. Zidnitz and Don McCasland, of the Cactus Flat community, were visitors to Capitan Tuesday, and paid this office a call while in town.

Rancy Colorado potatoes at \$1.80 per hundred, at Welch & Titsworth's.

Billy Kimbrell, of Picacho, was in town Tuesday after a load of goods for his father's business house.

WANTED.—Man and wife on ranch; man to do ranch work and wife to board some men. Apply to John Bell, at Sunset Ranch, Picacho, N. M.

Father J. H. Girma, of Lincoln, was in Capitan Tuesday. He stated that he would conduct services at the Catholic here at 9 o'clock next Sunday.

Leslie Lane has bought a new Ford car. He is stopping with Perry Humphrey in Capitan and will carry passengers to any points desired for reasonable fare.

Misses Helen Pfingst and Mary Fyitz, from near Hondo, are back in Capitan for the school. They are doing light house-keeping in the postoffice building.

Fruit Jars.

We offer you Muson Fruit Jars, pints per dozen .40 cents Quarts per dozen .75 Welch & Titsworth.

Don't fail to see the new line of fall and winter samples for men's and women's tailored suits at Geo. Hyde's.

Our good friend Melchor Chavez came in yesterday and handed us a check for \$2 to pay for two subscriptions.

Welch & Titsworth have just received a car load of Portland cement; also, a car load of barbed wire.

The Methodist people will arrange to make Capitan a point on the Carrizozo work after the meeting of the annual conference in October, and will have preaching here once a month. Alto has also been made a part of the work.

Dorattello, son Monica Peralta, living in the Tucson mountains, had the misfortune to get two fingers bit off by a vicious stallion one day this week. Dr. Price is attending the case and reports the patient doing very well.

As will be seen our Fort Stanton news budget is coming again. This week's letter is an exceedingly newsy one, and very few happenings at the Post escape the writer. We are assured that there will be no more intermission in the news from Fort Stanton.

Just received our first shipment of Fall and Winter millinery for Children, Misses and Ladies. Come in and inspect the line at first opportunity. Welch & Titsworth.

There is a protracted meeting going on at the Baptist church; all are cordially invited to attend and help and get all the good they can out of the same. The local membership especially request that all the out-of-town members attend as much as possible.

Squire Smithson got out of bed much earlier this morning than usual and spent two hours or more washing dishes, sweeping, brushing, etc., in expectation that his good lady would arrive on the incoming train—then she didn't come.

Will Titsworth brought into this office one day this week two ears of corn from their Tinnie ranch. One of the ears measured 1 1/2 in circumference and 12 inches long and is well filled. He says that his corn crop on the Tinnie ranch this year will yield at least 75 bushels to the acre.

You can get your school books at Welch & Titsworth's in Capitan.

A Car of Premium Apples.

W. L. Gumm says that the car of apples shipped by him from Capitan last Tuesday, consigned to E. P. Kepley Co., of El Paso, was without doubt the finest car of apples ever shipped out of Lincoln county. They were of the Stark's Delicious variety, and grew on the Sunset ranch, near Picacho, and owned by Welch & Titsworth, of Capitan. The car of apples shipped by Mr. Gumm graded 86 per cent extra fancy, 12 per cent fancy, and 2 per cent choice. Mr. Gumm's judgment of apples is equaled by very few handlers of fruit in the state, having had a long experience in that line of business, and during that time has been in the portion of the country where the best quality of fruit is raised. His time will be occupied from now until cold weather gathering and shipping apples from the orchards on the Bonito and the Hondo.

Picacho News.

[Too late for publication last week.]

Miss Rena Thomas, Miss Emma Peppins, and Miss Rena's brother from Lincoln were down Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Hurst.

Jess Tulley from Tinnie was down Sunday making pictures.

Ben Chavez has been sick for some time, but is better at this writing.

The late hail storm did considerable damage to fruit and other crops.

Mr. R. C. Mammit and Mr. Dave Merchant, of Capitan, passed through Monday on their way to Roswell.

Mr. Jack Rose has returned to the Sunset ranch with a very pretty little wife. We all wish them a long and happy life.

Mrs. Murray and daughters, of Tinnie, were visitors at the Sunset ranch Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Aken and little daughter Jewel went to Roswell Sunday with a load of fruit. Mr. Aken has a very heavy crop of peaches, apples and pears.

The late rains in this locality saves lots of irrigation. Perhaps we will have time to thin the weeds so they can grow.

Mr. Bill Kelsie passed through going to Roswell with a fine load of posts for the market.

Crops of all kinds are fine around Picacho, and roasting ears are simply fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Burgner of the Circle Diamond ranch have a fine boy, born Friday of last week.

Miss Nina Takey, one of the Hondo girls is staying at the Circle Diamond ranch.

Mr. Ed Nelson, of Tinnie, was down Sunday—suppose on business.

Mr. E. T. Amosett, of El Paso passed up on the mail car Monday on his return to that city where he owns a large saddlery.

Mr. Wm. Gladd passed thro Wednesday on his way to C. N. Morris' ranch in the Capitan mountains with a load of plums.

Riley McPherson has bought a nice little two room cage from C. N. Morris. Every one thinks that he is hunting for a Martin to put in it.

Meek Waves.

More good rains; hay crop is fine, and corn crops are good in this part of the country.

Miss Bart Shields and Mr. Jobe McPherson made a trip to Roswell this week.

Miss Bart Shields had quite a serious accident to happen her last Friday. The horse she was riding became unmanageable and ran away with her, running over a wire fence and throwing her off. She was badly bruised and otherwise hurt.

Mrs. Robert Latham, of Cedar Hill, is visiting home folks at Meek this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Coor have gone to Roswell to meet their daughter, Mrs. Barton, from Tom Green county, Texas.

Welch & Titsworth Capitan, New Mexico.

Wholesale and retail dealers in General Merchandise. Our stock is large and well assorted, and our prices are reasonable.

Welch & Titsworth.

Fort Stanton Budget.

Mrs. F. H. MKeon, of No. 2, returned from a six weeks visit to Seattle, Denver and other points. She was accompanied by her son William.

Lieut. and Mrs. J. R. Besse visited relatives at Spencer, Iowa, recently. Mrs. Besse will remain east for some time, while the Lieutenant will spend the winter at Ft. Stanton.

Mr. Hugh Goodwin, of New York, visited a few days ago with his cousin, Mrs. F. C. Smith, of No. 1, returning east on the first.

Mrs. Weber, mother of our expert farmer, after spending the summer at the Post, left on the first for Salt Lake to visit another son before returning to her home in the east.

Mrs. Harry Leach and children left on the first for Cleveland and other points to visit relatives. She expects to remain east until November.

The "Ft. Stanton Invincibles" spent Sunday and Monday last at Roswell, where they played three games, entertaining large crowds and playing the best ball of the season.

Messrs. Henry O'Bannon, Captain Vanzant and W. H. Smith motored to El Paso recently on a pleasure trip. They returned highly pleased with the sights and general good time given them.

Miss Mozelle Irwin, of Capitan, visited Dr. and Mrs. Ruoff the fore part of the week.

The regular Non-Sectarian Services were held last Sunday evening, with Chaplain Frund, P. H. S., presiding. Announcements were made for a series of lectures, song services and readings to be held during the fall and winter.

Chapel services every Sunday, consisting of mass is held at 9 a. m., and on every alternate Sunday Vespers is held at 7:40 p. m. Non-Sectarian services held in Library Hall every alternate Sunday, at 7:30 p. m.

Chief A. V. Sitton has returned from El Paso, where at Hotel Dieu he underwent a slight operation.

Gov. McDonald stopped off between mail cars last Sunday and enjoyed meeting a number of friends.

Number 11 was just recently been painted on the interior, making a notable change throughout in appearance.

Lieut. J. R. Besse and Dr. C. R. Irby are the local organizers, presiding respectively at the Chapel and Library Hall.

The regular popular Moving Picture Shows are held weekly in Library Hall.

J. J. Brown of the Vanzant Exposition is visiting with relatives at Chicago. He will return this month.

Mr. Falcone, our local wireless operator, gave us quite an interview the other day on the progress he is making with his new location of the local station. He is in daily communication with the leading stations of the

country, notably he mentions of his hearing Key West, Arlington, San Antonio, Cuba, Swan Island off Honduras, North Head, San Francisco, San Diego, and from ships two thousand miles out, as for example, he heard the other evening the ship Santa Cruz, sailing near Panama, giving position as 1044 miles south of San Francisco on her way to New York.

Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Dryden, of Pima, Arizona visited Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Weber at 13-B; leaving Tuesday morning for Parsons.

The non-sectarian Sunday school held every Sunday morning in Library Hall, proves very interesting and its promoters deserve credit for the success.

The Capitan Mountaineer is read with much pleasure, since it gives liberally in space for the Post news. Subscriptions may be sent to either the editor, Mr. Bigger, or with the local news agent, Mr. Gentry.

Dr. and Mrs. Lanza, formerly of Ft. Stanton, now stationed at Joplin, Mo., had a pleasant surprise served on them recently when our Commanding Officer called and spent a few days with them, on his way west after attending to business matters at Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Dr. Ruoff contemplates a trip to her old home at Natchez, Miss., leaving here about the first of October. Her husband will join her later in the winter.

Mr. Harriman, mill nurse, left last week for a month's trip to the Pacific coast. Mr. Shanahan has resumed his old position as the hill nurse.

Notes from Mountain View.

Weather is very cool; have been having considerable rain of late; many feel that if the cool weather continues long.

Mrs. H. D. King and daughters have returned from the Valley; don't know why she did not leave the girls to attend school.

Mrs. Nora Welch and children, who have visiting her sister and friends of the Aroyo Soco, have returned home.

R. E. Ferris is employed by Jobe McPherson of the Aroyo Soco is visiting home folks.

Mrs. Beta Riggs' baby is quite sick.

Mrs. Annie Mobley, Miss Leza Mobley and Mr. and Mrs. Mobley are at Hondo drying fruit.

Mr. Hipp left Friday to visit his daughter Mrs. Vina McFarland of the Micho.

Earnest Hayes and wife, of the Micho are up visiting Mrs. Hayes' parents, Dr. Fowler and wife.

Clarence Bruce and A. H. Hayes made a trip to Fort Stanton the first of the week.

W. A. Yates who is employed at Carrizozo came in Friday for a few days visit with his children, who are attending school at this place.

Mrs. Ida Thompson is on the sick list this week.

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LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

DESCRIPTION OF THE RESOURCES AND INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS, ETC.

Capitan a Trading and Shipping Point for a Large Territory.

Lincoln county is just a little southeast of the center of the state. Its altitude ranges from about 5,000 feet at its lowest parts to the top of Serra Blanca in the Mesalero Indian reservation, which reaches an elevation of 11,522 feet, said to be the highest point in the state. The elevation at Capitan is 6,218 feet.

Lincoln county has an area of 4,059 square miles, approximately 2,500,000 acres, of which 634,000 acres lie in the Lincoln National forest, which covers the central part of the county—its mountain ranges.

Lincoln county has a population of about 10,000. Settlers are furnished free of charge from the National forest all of the timber that they need for every purpose (wood, post, building logs, etc.), the principal timber is pine, cedar, pinon and juniper.

The soil of the mountain valleys is a dark, rich alluvium, almost bottomless, the wash of ages from the surrounding mountains.

There are many springs in the mountains, running streams in some of the valleys and in many of the others an abundance of water may be had at a depth of from 10 to 20 feet, while in some parts of the county there are wells in use a few hundred feet deep. Not only does the water vary in depth but also in quality. However, very little could be considered bad, usually the water from the mountains is the better.

There is a good irrigation well one and one-half miles southwest of Capitan.

Lincoln county has 95 miles of railroad, one line passing through the county from north to south, with a branch line running out from the main line at Capitan, terminating at a station, which is the trading and shipping point for more than half the people of the county.

In addition to the railroad service we have a telegraph and passenger auto service through Capitan.

The timber in Lincoln county is abundant. The timber in the mountains is a regular and domestic source of manual labor and the commercial branches are active.

All schools in the county run seven months or longer.

There are ten church buildings in Capitan which have just been completed.

Capitan is surrounded by rolling prairie and forested mountains, the nearest part of the Lincoln National forest being four miles out.

The office of the assessor of the Lincoln National forest is located at Capitan.

We have a fine school, which is one of the best in the county.

Water is abundant in Lincoln county. The principal crops raised are the diversified products of the soil, such as wheat, corn, alfalfa, etc.

The extent of the coal fields of the county can best be estimated by the number given for taxation. It is safe to say that this will not be an over estimate, which is as follows: 4,000 horses, 200 mules, 20,118 head of cattle, 20,542 sheep, 17,120 head of goats. All have valued at \$2,114. The tax roll also shows 3,200 acres of coal land in the county valued at \$1,907, and 2,200 acres of other mineral land (gold, silver, copper, lead, zinc and iron) valued at \$71,107. The above valuation does not cover the improvements on the mineral lands.

Climate Health Conditions: Altitude, fertility and preponderance of sun shine, combined with its latitude, gives Lincoln county one of the best climates to be found anywhere. From season to season, from year to year, it is one of the most attractive features that the county has to offer. Generally the winters are short and mild, the summers cool and delightful, and, except in the higher altitudes, the people follow their usual pursuits throughout the year. It is an account of these wonderful climate and health conditions that the United States government located their great Marine hospital and sanatorium at Ft. Stanton, only five miles from Capitan.

From observations taken at Ft. Stanton covering a period of 25 years are taken the following facts concerning temperature, rainfall, snowfall, etc.: Annual mean temperature, 52 degrees; highest temperature, 88 degrees; lowest temperature, 29 degrees; annual snowfall, 21 inches; annual precipitation, 17 inches. Average date of frost

In spring, May 6th; average date of frost in autumn, October 6th. Average hourly wind velocity, 6 to 10 miles.

The altitude at Ft. Stanton is 6,231 feet. The figures taken here will perhaps be a fair estimate of conditions over the county at that altitude, the lower the altitude the lighter the precipitation, and at the higher altitudes the heavier the precipitation, as will be seen from records kept at the following places: Nogal Lake, altitude 7,144 feet, annual average precipitation 21 inches; South Fork, altitude 7,725 feet, annual average precipitation 33 inches. (Ft. Stanton; five miles south of Capitan, Nogal Lake, seven miles west, and South Fork, fourteen miles southwest.)

We have from reliable sources the following data on the annual average yield of some of the non-irrigated crops grown in the mesa district, west of Capitan, for the past five years: Corn, 25 bushels per acre; beans, 600 pounds per acre; barley hay, (fed on the farm not weighed) estimated at two tons per acre.

There are instances of a much heavier yield than that given above, one farmer producing on 28 acres of land 25,500 pounds of beans one year, and another producing 5,000 pounds on four acres last fall.

We have a good local market for all farm products grown here, the price of beans ranging from \$3.50 to \$7.00 per cwt., with an average price of \$4.00, and corn ranging from \$1.55 to \$2.00, with an average price of \$1.65, and other farm products in proportion.

HOW NOBEL MADE DISCOVERY

Cut Finger Caused Him to Find a Way of Handling Nitroglycerin With Safety.

When that very dangerous explosive nitroglycerin was first invented extraordinary precautions had to be taken to prevent accidents while the substance was being handled, but, notwithstanding this, on many occasions occurred that there seemed to be strong probabilities that its manufacture and use would have to be prohibited, says an English paper.

After several governments had actually interdicted its use, however, means were discovered by which this powerful explosive could be used with a minimum of danger to those who handled it.

One of the methods employed was to convert the nitroglycerin into a dynamite by its absorption in the infusorial earth known as kieselguhr. This process, however, involved a reduction of the explosive power of the nitroglycerin and explosives chemists perched in their laboratories to find some substance which when added to nitroglycerin would render it safe for handling without diminishing its explosive force.

One of these chemists was Nobel. It is on record that one day while Nobel was at work in his laboratory he cut his finger, and in order to stop the bleeding he resorted to some solution in liquid preparation akin to gunpowder over the cut to form a protective artificial skin.

Having done this, he poured some of the solution in a test tube, and the outcome of these experiments was blotting gelatin, a mixture containing 90 per cent of nitroglycerin and 10 per cent of soluble gelatin. Thus, as a result of a very trivial occurrence, that violent explosive blasting gelatin, was discovered.

Physician of Eminence.

Dr. Richard E. Morgan, having quelled the epidemic of typhoid fever in Santa Fe by saving countless thousands of lives now returns to the county to take his place as a professor of tropical medicine at the Harvard Medical school. He had previous plague experience in the Philippines and China. Doctor Morgan was born in Fairfax, Virginia, March 1872. It is said that even as a child he was attracted to medicine as a profession, and that the medical officers at the fort were his chosen friends. He graduated from the medical school at Johns Hopkins, winning his M. D. in 1897. Then came a year as resident house physician at the Johns Hopkins hospital. He entered the army July 23, 1898, as assistant surgeon. After his splendid work in China he was induced to attach himself to Harvard university, where he has operated along research lines.

Heavy Guard for Morgan's Place. J. P. Morgan's estate at Glen Cove is still under guard and is likely to be until the end of the war. Three men are on duty by day and four by night. One is on post at the bridge connecting East Island with the mainland, and not only every traveler, but every package that passes can do so only after having been subjected to his scrutiny. The others patrol the beaches.

Work for Crippled Soldiers. One form which Germany's provision for the employment of crippled soldiers is taking is the purchase of two large landed estates in the neighborhood of Magdeburg, where each man will have a plot of ground for growing vegetables and fruit, which can be easily disposed of in the Magdeburg market. One estate cost \$375,000, and the other about the same price.

IN ALL OUR NEIGHBORHOOD

There is Hardly A Woman Who Does Not Rely Upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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Experience of a Nurse.

Poland, N.Y.—"In my experience as a nurse I certainly think Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a great medicine. I wish all women with female troubles would take it. I took it when passing through the Change of Life with great results and I always recommend the Compound to all my patients if I know of their condition in time. I will gladly do all I can to help others to know of this great medicine."—Mrs. HORACE NEWMAN, Poland, Herkimer Co., N. Y.

If you are ill do not drag along until an operation is necessary, but at once take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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Every woman's dresser drawer is full of things "blasted off" at odd moments, which she hopes to be able to sell to the magicians.

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Invokes God's Reward For Pellagra Cure

Jumbo, Va.—J. H. Satterwhite writes: "I want to thank you for what you have done for me. You have cured my wife; God bless you in your work. I hope some day to see you; if I never see you I hope to meet you in heaven. God will reward you for your grand and noble work."

There is no longer any doubt that pellagra can be cured. Don't delay until it is too late. It is your duty to consult the resourceful Baughin.

The symptoms—hands red like sunburn, skin peeling off, sore mouth, the lips, throat and tongue a flaming red, with mucus and choking; indigestion and nausea, either diarrhoea or constipation.

There is hope; get Baughin's big Free book on Pellagra and learn about the remedy for Pellagra that has, at last been found. Address American Compounding Co., box 2029, Jasper, Ala., remembering money is refunded in any case where the remedy fails to cure.—Adv.

High Finance. "Henry, dear," announced Mrs. Up-to-date, "I guess you will have to admit that I am a pretty good business manager after all. I took Willie with me to the movies this afternoon and as it was raining when we came out of the theater, I gave Willie ten cents car fare and had him hurry home and get an umbrella for me. In that way I saved my new hat from being ruined."

"Uh, huh," replied Mr. Up-to-date. "Yes, I see, my dear; but why the Sam Hill didn't you both ride home for your ten cents in the first place?" "Henry! You—boo hoo—you never give me credit for anything I do!"—Jude.

HOW TO HEAL STUBBORN TORMENTING SKIN DISEASES

A Baltimore doctor suggests this simple, but reliable and inexpensive, home-treatment for people suffering with eczema, ringworm, rashes and similar itching, burning skin troubles.

At any reliable druggist's get a jar of resinol ointment and a cake of resinol soap. These will not cost a bit more than seventy-five cents. With the resinol soap and warm water bathe the affected parts thoroughly, until they are free from crusts and the skin is softened. Dry very gently, spread on a thin layer of the resinol ointment, and cover with a light bandage—If necessary to protect the clothing. This should be done twice a day. Usually the distressing itching and burning stop with the first treatment, and the skin soon becomes clear and healthy again.—Adv.

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WELL AND IN GOOD HEALTH

Since Taking Cardui. After Seven Years of Suffering, Says South Carolina Lady.

Columbia, S. C.—Mrs. L. C. Heilmann, of 331 Washington St., of this city, says: "I have received so much benefit from Cardui. I feel like speaking a good word for it to every lady I come in contact with, that I think needs it, hoping to help some one to get well, as I did."

I had been sick in bed for a long time with the change of life. The doctor tended me all along, and finally one morning when he came he said he believed I would have to go to the hospital yet. I said No. I then read all of the testimonials in the Ladies' Birthday Almanac and then I phoned for a bottle of Cardui and commenced taking it. I began to improve from then on. I took five bottles continuously, then off and on for awhile, and I was well. . . . and have had good health ever since, I am glad to say. I have recommended it to a lot of my friends.

I was troubled for seven or eight years before I took Cardui. I think it is the best medicine on earth for female troubles. . . . If this testimonial will help some one else you are at liberty to use it if you like."

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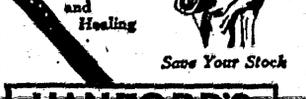
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