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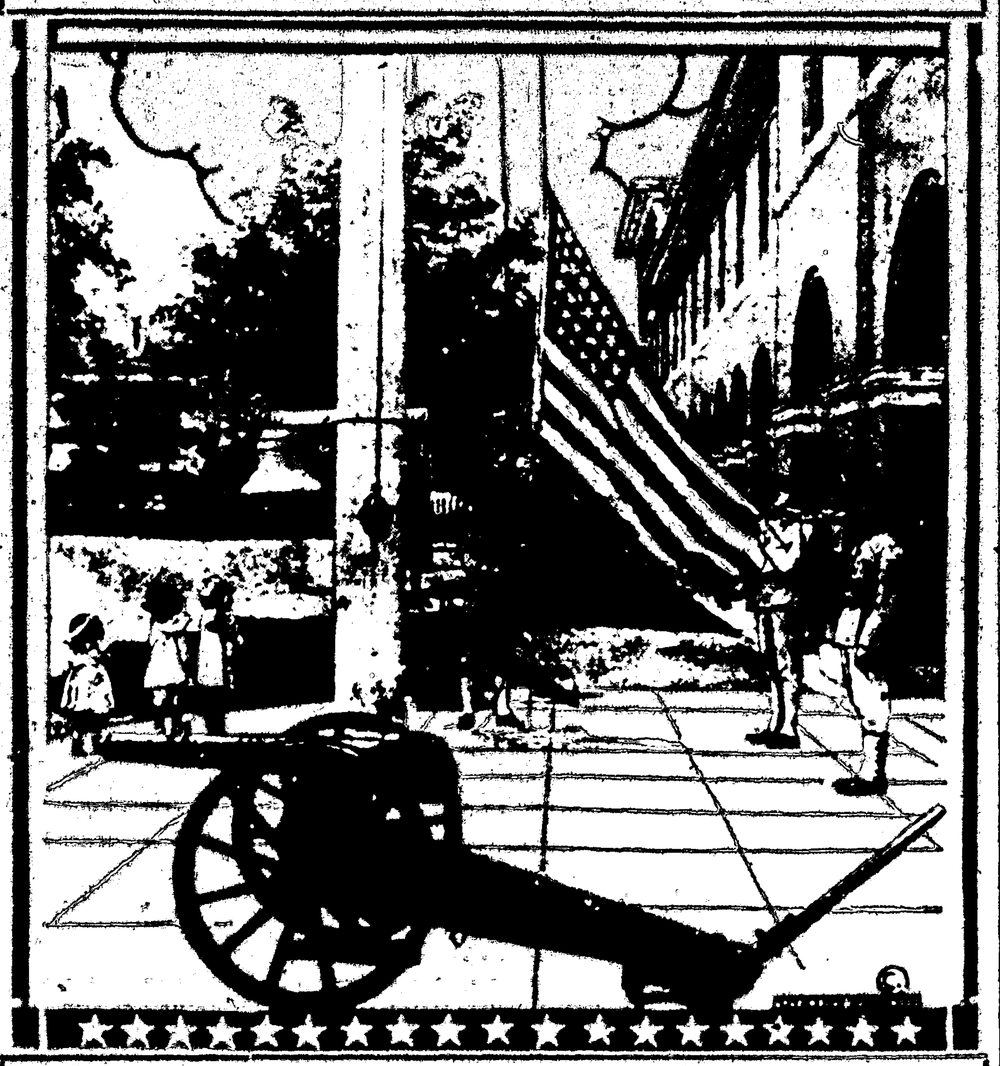
Children of Washington Salute the National Colors



A Picturesque Sight is the Salute to the Flag—the Daily Custom of the Children Who Live at the Marine Barracks in Washington—and as the Flag is Lowered Each Evening and the Bugle is Blown, These Tiny Children Have Learned to Salute the Stars and Stripes With the Spirit of Soldiers.

NEW YORK MANSION THAT FIGURED IN REVOLUTION

De Voe House Has Sheltered Famous Figures of the Early Days.

Now Occupied by Granddaughter of Patriot Who Rendered Valuable Services to the Country.

Long before the days when Times square had acquired the dignity of a pastime a sturdy white house was erected on the slope of a hill near the Harlem river at a point now known as Highbridge district, the New York Herald-Tribune says. It was a simple structure, with patriarchal porch and massive paneled doors fashioned to withstand sudden attack. Loopholed shutters were hung ready for emergency, the chimney was constructed of brick brought from England and to the handful of neighbors it was regarded as the last word in modern dwellings. They referred to it with civic pride when entertaining visitors from the seaport metropolis of New York.

Today the same house feels small blocks of towering apartments. Few passersby are aware that it is the home of a granddaughter of the Revolution or realize the important part it had in the making of this nation. The floors creaked often under the sturdy tread of Washington, the courtly Lafayette danced the minuet there, while the bluff Rochambeau, soldier fashion, toasted success to war from many a flagon while seated in its dining room.

Memories of Lafayette.

"I can well remember the stories my grandfather told of Lafayette. So gentle, so merry, yet so brave, the marquis was the favored one of all," said Mrs. Emma G. De Voe, granddaughter of the Revolution, who dwells in this house of glorious memories. Mrs. De Voe is eighty-four years old. Her grandfather was Andrew Corse, who died about the middle of the last century. He was the last of the Westchester guides, that troop of hardy men who braved death by the score to circumvent the enemy and swore by the steel to ask no quarter in battle. They were the eyes and ears of the Continental army in this section.

The story of Andrew Corse, whose picture hangs in the front room, with an ivory card of invitation to Washington's inauguration thrust in a corner of the frame, reads like a chapter from one of Cooper's novels. At the age of sixteen he was rendering important services to scouting parties that approached the British lines. A few years later he was riding at the right hand of the leader of the Colonial forces, a trusted adviser during the campaign before New York in 1781, toward the close of the Revolution.

Son of Staunch Tory.

As the records which Mrs. De Voe possesses show, when the Revolutionary troubles began Capt. Isaac Corse, father of Andrew, held a commission under the crown and remained a staunch Tory to the end of the conflict. His estate comprised the land now occupied by St. John's college, a short distance from the scenes of his son's romance. He was unbending in his belief that the king could do no wrong. From the early days of the struggle for independence young Andrew looked askance at his father's scarlet coat, and his zeal for American liberty overcame all family considerations.

"Acquainted with all the passages about Kingsbridge, Fordham and Morrisania, my grandfather's services were anxiously sought," continued Mrs. De Voe, referring to a memorandum which she had at hand. "In the summer of 1781, after the allied forces had been encamped upon the heights of Greenburg for several weeks, Washington and Rochambeau made ready for a formidable movement toward the lines of the enemy. These were trying days indeed, I can well remember hearing grandfather say when talking about the war. It seems like yesterday that he sat in his great chair sketching old battle plans on the ground with his cane. I was a very small girl at the time.

"Count Mathew Dumas and several other young officers belonging to the French staff who had been mapping the country hereabouts were ordered to set out at daylight and to push forward until they came within sight of the enemy's most advanced redoubts at the northern end of Manhattan island. The command was given to Count Dumas, while Cornelius Oakley of White Plains was selected to act as principal guide, accompanied by his cousin, James Oakley, and by grandfather.

Drove in British Outposts.

"Below Morrisania the reconnoitering party found a junction with a body of American light infantry. The allied detachments then attacked and dispersed a strong patrol of British regulars and soon afterward drove across Kingsbridge the chasseurs that occupied the Hessian outposts.

"Because of Grandfather Corse's exact knowledge of the country his services were of prime importance. For hours he was constantly on horseback, giving counsel to Washington, Rochambeau, Lauzun and other generals while they passed through the fields of Morrisania, Fordham and Yonkers.

"Now we come to an incident which I always liked to hear grandfather describe, for, young as I was, it appeared highly humorous and he had such a droll way of telling it. Grandfather was mounted on a spirited horse, noted for speed, but which never before had been under fire. When the allies, marching east near the Bronx river, came in sight of the enemy the fire which the British artillery opened upon them was so terrible that the horse turned tail and galloped for safety behind the old Morrisania mill. With great difficulty grandfather managed to rein him in. Looking back, he saw Washington, Rochambeau and the other officers riding calmly along, as though nothing unusual was occurring. He forced his mount to return and resumed his place in the order of march. The officers, with good-natured laughter, welcomed him back."

"At the termination of the engagement Washington was loud in his praise of this boy, whose knowledge of the country had been of so great assistance. This is shown by the official letters that grandfather received.

"Every member of the Westchester guides was a personal friend of his. He himself was the youngest member of the company."

Washington Frequent Visitor.

Even in the busy years which marked the real formation of the republic Washington did not forget the hospitality of the De Voe house, and several times he was a guest there while making tours of the old campaign ground. One of the chairs, now standing at right attention against the wall, was a prime favorite with the general, and a scar on one of the arms is said to have been made by his sword hilt. The old clock by which he measured the length of his visits stands in the hall with folded hands. A wooden pin in its once busy mechanism has gone away, so the ancient timepiece silently faces the door which has opened to the touch of so many notables.

To the Marquis de Lafayette the house had a fascination which extended into the days of his old age. He had learned to look upon it as a haven wherein to cast aside the cares in war.

So many thrilling facts associated with the birth of the nation are clustered about the little white house and the family which has occupied it from one generation to another until the present it would need a volume to chronicle all of them. The De Voes, who helped to carve history with their swords, have been in this country since 1677. The first to make his home in the New world was Frederick De Voe, or, as the name then was spelled, De Veaux. His lands extended over many acres.

Now the homestead, with its bit of land, shelters only the granddaughter of the Revolution and her son, Chauncey De Voe. To her son Mrs. De Voe is the "most remarkable mother in the universe." As he bends to say good night, while she places her hand upon his silvering hair, it seems as if the days of Lafayette himself had returned to the house on the Harlem.

July 4, 1776 and 1924

Strong faith had answered doubt
and silenced fear,
And love of freedom, mothering resolve,
Faced down the dangers which bold deeds involve
When Right and Wrong on challenged front draw near,
And one road only seems to Duty clear!
The' fingers trembled, courage gripped the pen,
And names were written—names of simple men
Thus made immortal and forever dear.
Undying words above undying names,
From these new fire kindling spirit flames
In every soul that still loves liberty!
O, flames, consume the false gods of our day,
Dispel the fog of error, light the way
Where travels Truth, Who makes and keeps us free!

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THE WORLD IN PARAGRAPHS

A BRIEF RECORD OF PASSING EVENTS IN THIS AND FOREIGN COUNTRIES

IN LATE DISPATCHES

DOINGS AND HAPPENINGS THAT MARK THE PROGRESS OF THE AGE

WESTERN

With election of officers and selection of Pocatello, Idaho, as the next meeting place, the district grand council of the United Commercial Travelers of America concluded business sessions of the meeting which was in progress in Billings last week.

The Woodmen of the World, holding its quadrennial convention at Mammoth Hot Springs, Yellowstone Park, Wyo., elected I. I. Beak of Denver, Colo., to the office of head consul for the coming four years, and John Wirsdon of San Francisco, head advisor.

The annual Golden West Days, the biggest summer celebration in the great Uintah basin, will be revived July 4 and 5 at Vernal, Utah. According to A. B. Thoman, secretary of the Vernal Commercial Club, there will be 10,000 persons in Vernal during the celebration.

A jury in the case of William L. Nail, charged with first degree murder for the killing of Ezra Sweet, on trial in the Superior Court at Globe, Ariz., returned a verdict of not guilty. Nail admitted on the stand having shot Sweet, who, he said, had alienated the affections of his wife and broken up his home.

The Pacific fleet paid tremendous and reverent homage to the three officers and forty-five men who fell in line of duty in No. 3 turret of the battleship Mississippi. "You died at your posts of duty," said Rear Admiral W. V. Pratt as he faced the long rows of coffins in the last ceremonies for the dead, at Naval Hospital, San Pedro, Calif.

All embargoes to Arizona points on fruit and vegetables grown in the Imperial valley have been lifted by the Southern Pacific Railroad Company upon official authorization of Governor Hunt of Arizona, it was announced a few days ago. A trainload of cantaloupes and watermelons was immediately made up for shipment to Arizona mining centers.

WASHINGTON

Charles Beecher Warren, the United States ambassador to Mexico, who plans to resign that post soon, has been prevailed upon by President Coolidge to withhold his formal resignation for the present.

C. Bascom Slemp, secretary to President Coolidge, announced in a formal statement before leaving for Cincinnati, that he had not resigned his present position and would continue actively associated in the Republican national campaign.

As the chief official of the Department of Justice charged with enforcing prohibition, Mrs. Mabel Walker Willebrandt, assistant attorney general, submitted a defense of the law's administration before the Senate Daugherty investigating committee.

The population of the United States totaled 112,920,000 on Jan. 1, 1924, according to estimates announced by the National Bureau of Economic Research. This compares with 110,053,000 on Jan. 1, 1923, and the census count of 105,711,000 on Jan. 1, 1920.

No. 2 turret on the U. S. S. Mississippi, where the explosion, fatal to forty-eight naval men, occurred near San Pedro, Calif., was not the only one in which the auxiliary gun mechanism was not working properly that day, according to testimony at the inquiry aboard the U. S. S. Tennessee.

General Pershing addressed the 493 members of the graduating class of the military academy at West Point, N. Y. The commencement address was to have been made by Secretary of War Weeks, but he sent his regrets at being unable to attend on account of the Republican convention at Cleveland.

At least 463 women will attend the national Democratic convention as delegates or alternates. Of this number it was made known at the Democratic national committee headquarters in Washington, 143 will sit as delegates at large, thirty-four as district delegates, seventy-eight as alternates at large and 208 as district alternates. These figures, it was explained, do not include all of the women delegates and alternates from Virginia and any from Alabama.

President Coolidge issued definite instructions for the administration of the soldiers' bonus law, despite the failure of Congress to appropriate funds for its initial cost. "The World War adjusted compensation act became a law over my protest," the President said, in a letter to Secretary of War Weeks. "I am not willing, however, to let the administration of the law remain practically in abeyance until Congress again convenes, simply because I would be justified under existing conditions in so doing."

FOREIGN

The United States Olympic rifle team won the international rifle tournament, held in Rheims, France. The American team's grand total for the three days was 5,234 points. Switzerland was second with 5,184 points.

Gaston Doumergue was elected President of France by the national assembly. M. Doumergue received 515 votes and Paul Painleve, President of the Chamber of Deputies, 309 votes, with twenty-nine votes for various other candidates and eight blank ballots.

President Millerand of France has resigned. The resignation of M. Millerand, which followed an adverse vote in the Chamber of Deputies, was contained in a letter addressed to M. Doumergue as president of the Senate and M. Painleve as president of the Chamber.

Five thousand black-shirted Fascisti militiamen, fully armed, poured into Rome from the provinces to keep order and to protect the Fascist organization. Their arrival resulted from the general excitement and unrest over the kidnaping and slaying of Socialist Deputy Giacomo Matteotti.

The declaration of Premier Herriot's cabinet, submitted to the French parliament, affirms that the Ruhr will not be evacuated until the guarantees provided in the Dawes report have been set up. Other features of the declaration include a pronouncement for the restoration of normal relations with Russia.

Prof. Timothy A. Smiddy of Cork has been appointed minister plenipotentiary of the Irish Free State at Washington, it was announced in the Dail Eireann by Desmond Fitzgerald, minister of foreign affairs. The new appointee has been in the United States for some time representing the Free State unofficially.

A shipment of arms of American manufacture consigned to Germany is reported by the Dutch newspaper Granwel to have been seized by the police at Rozendaal on the Holland frontier. The cases, according to the newspaper, were marked as containing sporting guns, but upon being opened were found to contain six machine guns and 10,000 cartridges.

Hjalmar Branting, former premier of Sweden and prominent Swedish representative on the council of the League of Nations, was elected president of the International Labor Conference by acclamation amid great enthusiasm, at Geneva. Thirty-nine countries are represented. Twenty-nine sent complete delegations representing governments, the employers and the workmen.

The Tokio Chamber of Commerce has announced that it will oppose to the utmost the boycott of American goods, instituted by certain elements because of the enactment of the Japanese exclusion act by the American Congress. The home department has instructed prefectural governors to exercise a stricter control over anti-American demonstrations and punish those guilty of violence and intimidation.

GENERAL

Sale of the San Francisco Journal to Wallace M. Alexander, sugar magnate, was announced last week by Andrew M. Lawrence, publisher of the Journal.

Seven arrests have been made in connection with the holdup of a Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul mail train near Chicago by bandits who obtained loot valued at between $1,000,000 and $3,000,000, but there is a difference of opinion as to how far the arrests go toward clearing up the mystery.

With Frank Rossi and James Hughes under arrest, New York police are trying to find a motive for the slaying of "Big Bill" Brennan, well-known pugilist, who twice fought Jack Dempsey. Brennan was called from his restaurant, The Club Tia Juana, on upper Broadway, and shot to death without warning.

The Olympic record for the 400-meter hurdles was bettered by a half second by Charles Brookins, Iowa University star, when he won a trial heat in 0:53 8-10 at the final Olympic track and field tryouts at the Harvard stadium in Cambridge, Mass.

A sturdy, tireless Washington crew triumphed over the eights of four Eastern colleges at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., and won the premier race of the Intercollegiate Rowing Association regatta by a wide margin, repeating last year's Washington victory. Another Western crew, that of Wisconsin, undecided by the experts, picked up its pace in the last mile, pressed the victors and finished second.

A mistrial was ordered in the case of Frank McDowell, charged with the murder of his mother. Judge M. A. McMullen ordered that the clerk record a mistrial when the jury reported it could not agree. The prisoner was remanded to jail. He confessed to the police that he killed his father and mother in their St. Petersburg, Fla., home on Feb. 10 and that one year earlier in Decatur, Ga., he was responsible for burning his two sisters to death.

On the first favorable day, in an airplane more solidly built than the one he used last July, Lieut. Russell L. Maughan will take off from Mitchel field, New York, in a third attempt to fly across the continent between dawn and dusk. He hopes to alight at Crissey field, San Francisco, within seventeen hours or less after he soars away from the shore of Long Island. The lieutenant will descend for fuel and repairs at Dayton, St. Joseph, Mo.; Cheyenne, Wyo., and Salduro, Utah, the last three being aerial mail stations.

CHLORINE BOMB IS LET LOOSE

FORTY-HOUR SESSION OF RHODE ISLAND LEGISLATURE BROKEN BY DEADLY FUMES

SENATORS ARE GASSED

USE OF CHLORINE IS FEATURE IN FOUR-MONTH FILIBUSTER; SOLONS OVERCOME

Providence, R. I.—Chlorine gas was let loose in the Senate chamber after that body had been in session continuously for two days. The fumes were so strong that it was impossible to stay in the room and the factions that have prevented adjournment agreed to an hour's recess in order to clear the gas from the chamber.

Three Republican senators and one Democrat were overcome by the gas and treated by physicians.

The gas was in a newspaper discovered behind the rostrum draperies.

Governor Flynn, who appeared in the chamber shortly after the discovery of the soaked newspaper, declared that an attempt apparently had been made to suffocate Lieutenant Governor Toupin, who showed effects of the fumes and left the chamber.

When the gas made itself evident senators and spectators became groggy. Soon Senators Sherman, Sanderson and Sharpe, Republicans, and Powers, Democrat, sank into coma and were carried out.

When the Senate reconvened and the lieutenant governor noticed the absence of the three Republicans who were overcome by gas, he ordered the deputy sheriffs to bring them into the Senate chamber. The deputies reported that they were unable to do so. The lieutenant governor then deputized fifteen civilians to compel the attendance of the Republicans. He ordered them to break down the doors of the committee room where the stricken senators were. A squad of fifteen Providence police was prepared to resist such violence.

A conference of party leaders with Gov. William S. Flynn, at which was discussed a compromise measure for a popular referendum next fall on the calling of a constitutional convention, was without result, the governor announced.

The Democratic minority in the Senate has been filibustering and preventing adjournments for weeks past, because the Republicans would not approve the constitutional referendum measure proposed by Senator Quinn. Important legislation, including appropriation bills for the support of state institutions, has been obstructed by the deadlock.

Much fume for an amateur gas bomb which flooded the chamber with suffocating fumes has not been placed.

Cummins Will Leave Mexico

Mexico City.—Proceedings of the Mexican government to expel Herbert C. Cummins, British agent, were ordered stopped by President Obregon upon his arrival in Mexico City. This action was taken by the President after he had learned that Great Britain had ordered Cummins' withdrawal.

New Zealand Short of Wheat

Wheyling, N. Z.—In the course of a review of the trade outlook, Prime Minister Massey forecasts a wheat scarcity in this country. "We are 2,000,000 bushels behind in wheat production," he said, "and although I regret the necessity we will have to go outside for wheat."

California Refuses Chaloner Gift

San Francisco, Calif.—A proposed gift of from $3,000 from John Armstrong Chaloner, wealthy New York resident, to the state of California to aid in a campaign instituted by Chaloner to check the movement of young people from the country to the city has been declined because a similar campaign in the state is far advanced and is being adequately supported, Chaloner announced here. The state of Nevada has accepted a like gift from Chaloner and has adopted his plan of community motion picture and social centers for a year's experiment, he announced.

Confidence Vote Given Herriot

Paris.—The Chamber of Deputies voted confidence in Premier Herriot in connection with the declaration of the new government. The vote was 311 to 274. Debate on the declaration of the new government aroused a violent disturbance. Only a suspension of the session prevented it from degenerating into a physical clash between members of the majority and minority.

Liner Hits Steamer at Sea

St. Johns, N. F.—Two battered vessels, the Italian steamer Clara Camus and the Canadian Pacific liner Metagama, crept into the port of St. Johns, leaking badly as the result of a collision in a heavy fog, which fell off Cape Race. The Clara Camus reported there had been no loss of life aboard and no reports of loss of life were received from the Metagama. The Clara Camus arrived with her bow driven back to the forecastle which and her forehold flooded.

New Mexico State Items

At its present rate of development Ruidoso bids fair to become one of the largest summer resorts in New Mexico. Building lots are being sold or leased daily and sawmills and carpenters will be busy the whole season with the building program now under way.

At a big meeting of the sportsmen of Gallup, held last week, a new organization was formed to be known as the Gallup Gun Club. A Black Diamond trap has been ordered and a range will soon be fitted up near the lumber yard at the outskirts of the city. The club starts off with about twenty-five members and it is possible that several of the ladies of the city will enter some of the events to be staged during the summer.

The engineer regiment of the New Mexico National Guard will hold its summer encampment this year in Las Vegas instead of at Fort Bliss, Texas, as originally scheduled. The cavalry and artillery, however, will go to Fort Bliss. As the result of urgent messages by Gov. James F. Hinkle, at the request of a number of American Legion posts, the War Department has ordered the transfer of the engineer corps encampment.

The outlook for the wheat crop in Curry county is now very encouraging and there is every indication that there will be a bumper yield all over the county, the yield is estimated at about thirty bushels per acre. The crop is now maturing rapidly and it is believed that the harvest will be an early one. Plenty of rain has fallen to start the crop in good shape and dry weather from now on will have little effect on the yield.

Many new improvements are being made on the grounds of the Northern New Mexico Fair Association at Raton in preparation for the fair which is to be held in September. A new grandstand is being erected which will have a seating capacity of 1,600 people, the structure to be 160 feet long and covered with a good roof. As soon as this is completed work will be started on the bleachers which will seat 600, making the total capacity of the grounds over 2,000 people.

Two boys, aged 9 and 11 years, sons of Quirino Nabaretto, were drowned in a small lake near Artesia when the boat in which they were riding turned over. Four boys were in the boat at the time and during a heavy gust of wind the boat capsized and all were thrown into the water. Two of the boys floated to the shore by clinging to the boat, but the other two went down. Hundreds of men searched the lake for over eighteen hours before the bodies were recovered by divers.

Four extensive explorations will be conducted this summer by leading American scientists and archaeologists in New Mexico. The first exploration will be at the Pecos ruins, thirty miles east of Santa Fe, under the direction of Prof. Alfred V. Kidder of Phillips Academy, Andover, Mass., and Prof. G. C. Vaillant, who accompanied the Harvard, Boston expedition to the ruins last year. The second exploring party will go to the Mimbres valley, near Silver City, in southwestern New Mexico. It will be under the direction of Prof. Wesley Bradfield, curator of the archaeological department of the New Mexico State Museum. Prof. Lansing Bloom, director of the state museum, will lead the third expedition to the Jemez pueblo in north central New Mexico. The fourth expedition probably will be conducted to Grand Quivira under the direct supervision of Dr. Edgar L. Hewitt, who will be assisted by a number of noted scientists.

U. Leon Guy was elected commander of the Leonard Hoskins post of the American Legion at the annual meeting which was held last week at the Elks' Home in Las Vegas. Jack Stewart was chosen vice commander of the post; J. Harvey Brown was named finance officer and Louis Espeled was elected adjutant. The executive committee of the post was elected as follows: Dr. M. R. Chapin, Thomas V. Trujeo and John Gundt.

A forest fire which might have proven expensive occurred near Gloudcroft recently on the right-of-way of the Gloudcroft Land and Lumber Company railroad. It is believed that the fire was started by the careless dropping of a match. Although the flames were controlled on an area of about twenty acres, the area burned for several days.

First shooting a black cat which had been his only companion during the last years of his life, Thomas H. Bartlett, 81 years old, a rancher, then killed himself as he sat in a chair in the kitchen of his home near Glorieta, on the site of the Civil war battle of Pigeon ranch, according to word received in Santa Fe.

Alfalfa prices are high in most parts of New Mexico, and will probably remain so for the coming year. The dairy department of the New Mexico College of Agriculture advises dairymen to cut down expenses by using more silage in feeding their cows. This is particularly good advice in cases where alfalfa has been fed heavily, or where it has constituted the only roughage.

After the first of July, this year, the Artesia postoffice will be advanced to a second class office according to word received by Postmaster Hanna.

DEMOCRATS STAGE FIGHT OVER KU KLUX ISSUE.

Demonstratio For Al Smith Beats All Records. Davis and Ralston Among Others Nominated. Fist Fighting.

Madison Square Garden, New York, June 23—The Democratic Convention is hopelessly deadlocked over important issues. Contending forces fight with fists.

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1-pound Sections	*$0.25*
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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

With Sears visited at San Patricio Wednesday.

The Rev. Father Giruu was over from Carrizozo Thursday.

Jack Price went to Nogal Thursday.

R. A. Walker was over from Encinosa this week.

Ben Payne was here from the North side of Mountain Thurs.

J. D. Walker returned from Carlsbad Tuesday.

E. O. Jones was in Capitan Tuesday.

Jno. W. Stuart was in from his ranch near Alto Monday.

Mr. Bilbo from Wilson ranch was in Capitan Monday.

Chas Coe from Little Creek was in for supplies Monday.

The Liberty Garage is installing a new Bowser gasoline pump and repairing their buiding.

George and Will Titsworth made a trip to San Patricio Wednesday

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Bryan of Baca Canyon community were in Capitan Thursday.

Mr. Burns, Knights of Columbus secretary, was over from Ft. Stanton Monday.

Sam Bigger and family have returned from a visit with Mrs. Bigger's father at Lucy, N. M.

Rob't Hale and family and Mrs. Fisher visited at Lincoln Sunday.

C. O. Hightower from North side of the Capitans was in town Saturday.

Misses Edna Pfingston and Julia Penfield of Lincoln are the house guests of Miss Elizabeth Titsworth this week.

Mrs. George Linley and children of Deming N. M. are visiting their sister and aunt, Mrs. R. B. Provine.

Jim Howard was in from Mesa this week and reports things dry there but says corn is standing up fairly well.

R. A. Honeycutt from near Angus was here trading this week. He reports good rains in that vicinity.

The Guthrie and Evans families, Geo. Hyde, Mrs. Read and Oliver went to Nogal Lake Sunday.

C. H. Patterson and family and James Howard and family spent Sunday on the on the Ruidoso.

Mr. and Mrs. Titsworth, Mrs. Hobbs, Misses Florence Hobbs, and Bernice Burrell went to Ruidoso Sunday.

G. T. McQuillen and Julian Taylor of Carrizozo were business visitors Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Mr Wentley West and Mrs. Bonday Avant returned to El Paso Thursday. They have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. West for the past week or two.

J. R. Besso and wife left Wednesday for a visit with Mr. Besso's brother at Calgary Canada. They will go by the way of San Diego, Los Angeles San Francisco, Seattle, Vancouver, and Lake Louis, returning to Capitan late in August

Twenty one members of the Audobon club and their friends went into the hills picnicing Saturday afternoon. Everyone had an enjoyable time in spite of the fact that it rained. Sandwiches and cake were served and games were played.

Good Games Scheduled.

If you are a lover of the National game, and the crack of the bat and the drone of his "umps" are music to your sporting soul, you are to have an opportunity to indulge in your lust for the cleanest of sports, when the El Paso "Spinners" cross bats with the Fort Stanton team on July 4.

These said "Spinners" are a wonderful aggregation of ball-tossers. A short time since they took the long end of a 5 to 7 score with the crack Las Cruces team. They are here primarily for the big celebration on Independence Day but with great expense, the Ft. Stanton Baseball comittee has signed for three games, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, July 4, 5, and 6.

All games are to be called promptly at 2:15 p'm. Come early, as you dont want to miss a single play by these evenly matched teams.

The admission will be fifty cents as usual, notwithstanding the fact that it has cost the management considerably more to get this team than any heretofore.

Random Thoughts Along the Way.

(By Clement Hightower)

Major Lewelley of Las Cruces rises to nominate Will LaPoint of the Las Cruces Citizen, for representative in congress. The Maj. wasn't around two years ago so Will having the courage of his convictions, nominated hisse'f.

The Maj. says of Mr. LaPoint: That he knows what the people need, that he is capable and energetic; that he is strong for the constitution and law enforcement but advocates light wines and two six-bit beer. That's the fly in the ointment, you cant be for the constitooshun and agin it. There is no room for neutrality.

The wail and clamor for 2.75 per cent. beer and light wines in al out the cheapest camaflauge the foreign-owned brewery interests and their hop-balled dupes could advocate, they well know that it is futile to attempt to abrogate the eighteenth amendment or to repeal the Volstead Act therefore seek to undermine the structure by "modification" of the law.

The majority of those clamoring for this modification seem not to realize that they are discriminating the propaganda of foreign-owned brewery interests. Why the 2.75 per cent slop? If alcohol is beneficial or necessary, why not demand the revocation of the eighteenth amendment outright? If little is good, a whole lot is better, go after the whole hog, don't ask for the tail! Right there's where the rub comes. The staunchest advocate of "modification" cannot find a fact on which to base his argument: He says the two six-bit belly wash is not injurious because the alcoholic content is so small. In that case it is useless as a stimulant and is neither food nor medicine.

One quart of good rich milk is worth all the diluted alcohol the veriest toper could gamble in a week.

Notice For Publication.

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office
Roswell, New Mexico.
June 4, 1924.

Notice is hereby given that Mrs. Della Starkey, of Ringling, Oklahoma, who, on May 16th, 1924, made Final Proof, Nos. 015472 and 015473, for 640 acres, Sections 4, 5, 8 and 9, Township 6, S. Range 14, E. N.M.P Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Five Years Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before R. M. Treat, Clerk County Court, Carrizozo, for witnesses and the claimant J. P. Wade, Notary Public, and Justice of the Peace, at Ringling, Oklahoma, on the 11th day of June, 1924.

Claimant names as witnesses: Jack Cleghorn and Bob Crenshaw, of White Oaks, N. M. Dr. W. J. Dossey and W. B. Dillon, of Ringling, Oklahoma.

JAFFA MILLER
Register.

SAN PATRICIO LOCALS

Half a dozen circulars printed on a "jitney" typewriter, announcing a "San Juan Day Celebration" brought together at least fifty people from other parts of the county and the entire local community to have a little recreation and to forget their troubles, at this "wide place in the big road" Tuesday the 24th inst. There was "nuthin' much doin" but everybody looked happy and seemed to enjoy the occasion to get out and meet their old friends and acquaintences, buy ice cream and "soda pop"; no one had a grouch; no battles, no courts. What would the attendance have been had a few printed circulars been distributed? It pays to advertise!

San Juan's day (John the Baptist) June 24, is not only a religious festival, celebrated in all catholic countries, generally with mass and procession, but also, in all spanish-america, with a complete relaxation of all industry and given over to recreation and innocent diversion—not a bad custom, eh?

The local merchants, Johnie West and F. C. Stover, each stocked up on ice cream and pink and yeller soda pop in anticipation of a local rush of business, Tuesday, but they had to enlist outside assistance to handle the trade; one of them—thru an error—received a double order of ice cream, but before the crowd dispersed it all went. It's an ill wind that blows no good.

Witt Sears, George and Will Titsworth and families, were visitors from Capitan, San Juan day.

Frank Coe and family were down to mingle with the crowd Tuesday; such occasions are not new to them, they have lived in in this valley since it was first flattened out of the hills.

Wilbur F. Coe was here Tuesday, but he seemed sorter listless and unappreciative. He was no doubt thinking of the "time" the mingue was having in N'n Yawk trying to put Macadoodle across.

Sam Bergner was here again Tuesday. San Pat. is getting to be a regular place with Sam.

Allie F. Stover, who has been absent for several weeks with R. C. Sonder, in the eastern part of the state, returned in time for the big "day." He reports conditions east of the Pecos about like they are here, cattle men broke and farmers on the ragged edge. Why decamp?

The harlequin bug, a very pretty bird, a cognacher of inestiable appetite and a long bill, has struck the local cabbage patches and is making life burdensome for cabbage planters. This pest is proof against all forms of poison sprays and other insecticides, because instead of feeding upon the leaves, he jabs his bill into the plant and sits and sucks and sucks till he extracts all the substance of the plant which wilts like a paper collar on a fat man's neck. He's a bad actor in a cabbage patch.

Domingo Maes of Arabela was among the visitors from that deserted village at the foot of the Capitans Tuesday.

Elordo Chavez, former probate judge, brung his fiddle and made the music for the dance at Hondo Tuesday night, Elordo is the best bet for Probate Judge on the republican ticket at the coming election, if he can be induced to run. He hails from Arabela, a republican precinct

Johnnie Cox of Hondo has been so busy hauling goods and supplies for the summer campers on the Ruidoso that he forgot to plant a crop in time for the bugs to destroy. Lots of time yet for a crop.

Johnnie is no akin to the hero of the old song: "Old Johnnie Cox, a wano commandante lives in Albakerke in a 'dobe shanty", etc., etc. The o'd timers will remember the balance.

Juan Samora of Hondo is preparing to make final poof on his dry claim before leaving for the cotton patches in the pan handle country.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

Buena Vista

Wm. Hindi, and Bros., Duran.
O. H. Richter, Austin, Texas.
C. H. Richter, Austin, Texas.
Charles Thomas, and Family, Alamo.
Miss Louise Adams, Alamogordo.
Miss Cora Rhea, Alamogordo.
Jno. Caldwell, El Paso.
G. T. McQuillen, Carrizozo.
Julian M. Taylor, Carrizozo.
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hebert, Fort Stanton.

Cottage

Alton Daily, Roscoe, Texas.
M. S. Morton, Roscoe, Texas.
Billy Jackson, Block Ranch.
Avalon Rogers, Roswell.
P. R. Dietz, El Paso.
J. D. Walker, Encinosa.
J. A. Hammer, Ruidoso.
R. M. Hipp, Spindle.
Pat Dixon, Tucson Mts.
Harry Lee, El Paso.
C. O. Hightower, Block Ranch.
O. H. and C. H. Richter, Austin, Texas.

COTTAGE HOTEL

Mrs. Julian Wells, Prop.

Good, Clean Beds. We make you feel at home with our home cooking. Make this Hotel your headquarters when in Capitan.

Buena Vista Hotel

Mrs. L. A. Boone, Prop.

The new Hotel. Rooms neat and cool. Our cooking and service, unexcelled.

Capitan, N. M.

Riggins Dairy.

S. C. Riggins, Prop.

Jersey Gold dairy products. Milk, quarts, 12½c. Whipping 25c pint. Butter, 50c pound. Evening delivery.

Job Printing

Our job work pleases.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE—Pride of Denver, Flour. $1.40 per cwt. Guaranteed to be satisfactory. The Titsworth Co, Inc.

RENT or BUILD a cottage in the beautiful White Mountains. I have cut 40 acres out of my ranch, 5 miles west of Glencoe and will rent or sell choice cabin sites on National Highway, on Roswell-El Paso White Line Mail Stage. For reservations write Stanley Pepper, Glencoe.

WANTED:—Men or women to take orders for genuine guaranteed hosiery for men, women and children. Eliminate darning. Salary $75 a week full time, $1.50 an hour spare time. Beautiful line, all colors.

International Stocking Mills, Norristown, Pa.

GUARANTEED Hemstitching and Picoting Attachment. Fits any sewing machine. $3.50 prepaid or C. O. D. Circulars free. LaFlesh Hemstitching Co., Dept. 2, Sedalia, Mo.

FOR SALE—Seed barley, oats, turnip seed. The Titsworth Co., Inc.

ORDERS TAKEN for Satisfactory shoes, These shoes are all leather and are guaranteed to give satisfaction. See samples at my shop.—George R. Hyde, Capitan, N. M.

E. H. GOODALL

U. S. COMMISSIONER

Special Attention to Land Matters

NOTARY PUBLIC

CAPITAN, N. M

Building Materials!

Lumber Doors Nails Cement Sash
Paints Oils Brushes Putty Glass

FISHER LUMBER COMPANY

Capitan, N. M.

Notice

This serves notice on everyone who likes delicious, nutritious, wholesome refreshments in hot weather, who wants them of the highest quality, served attractively.

Our Soda Fountain

is just the place you are looking for. The ice cream is rich in butter fat and is delicately flavored. The service is prompt, courteous and the last word in cleanliness.

You are cordially invited to call on us.

Capitan The Sunshine Pharmacy *N. Mex.*

Capitan Mercantile Company

Groceries, Hardware, Ford Parts, Fresh Fruits, Vegetables and Bread.

We Will Please You

Capitan Mercantile Co.

White Line Stage Co.

Operating Daily Between

Roswell and Carrizozo
Roswell and Alamogordo

LONG DISTANCE TRIPS TO ANY POINT A SPECIALTY
BEST OF EQUIPMENT, CAREFUL DRIVERS

HOME OFFICE, 106 SOUTH MAIN STREET

Roswell, New Mexico

LINCOLN COUNTY BATTERED, BUT NOT BROKEN.

WITH VALUES reduced by the exodus of cattle due to the drouth, and financial deflation, yet Lincoln County is a long way from being broke. What has been made of Lincoln has been made mainly by persistent local people and they can restore and increase.

The ranges are again wonderful in the mountains. For a nucleus, cattle owners probably have not less than the 41,000 count of cattle they turned in for taxation in 1923, estimated to have a depressed value of approximately $750,000.00.

In 1923 sheep and goat owners returned for taxation 81,192 head, valued at $973,020. Stockmen were assessed for 4,620 horses and mules at $9,015, and 568 hogs were assessed at $2,912.00.

Even in the off year the people reported valuations of property for taxation as aggregating $4,533,371. The E. P. & S. W. Railroad was assessed at 2,705,954. Total valuation in the county was $7,039,225.

Last year, though dry, had assessed 8,958 acres of dry farm land cultivated, and 4,092 acres irrigated land cultivated. Dry farming on the mesa is yielding feed, forage, crops and fruit. Capitan shipped, by freight alone, 87 full cars of apples to Chicago, Kansas City and Texas cities from old farms in the Bonito, Ruidoso and Hondo districts. The production equaled 100 carloads. From above districts 150 acres of cabbage is expected to fill 75 cars and apples 100 cars, to supply Eastern markets. Indicating agricultural development is the fact that the Capitan station last year did a business of $115,000., breaking the record that has increased with each of seven succeeding years.

The Lincoln National Forest has in Lincoln county 165,575,000 board feet of saw timber and on private holdings are 56,000,000 feet, a total of 221,571,000 feet, worth, standing, about $6,647,000. at the prevailing prices per thousand feet. The forest system does not permit spoliation or use of timber except in the ratio it matures, so that the new growth will maintain the timber supply and continue an important revenue. Thirty-five per cent of the gross revenue goes to the county for maintenance of roads and schools.

At White Oaks a number of mines have yielded three million dollars in gold ore, one producing a third of that amount. These mines are not being operated at present except for development, but the shafts are being preserved for later production by much needed modern machinery. Gold has been found in lesser quantities at Nogal, Picacho, Bonito and other points.

Vast visible banks of iron, some of high grade, to be found over a large area embracing White Oaks, Corona, Tecolote and Pine Lodge. Also 80 miles from Carrizozo across the Socorro county line. Claims have been held and worked in these districts by local people for fifteen years, under direction of exports from the Pueblo steel mills who prospect near Pine Lodge. Some have shipped to smelters, for fluxing.

Lincoln county also has copper possibilities, and cement is under consideration for development near White Oaks. Clay deposits near Ancho is used in making tiling, fire brick and paving brick. An oil well was sunk at White Oaks twenty years ago and a big corporation put down a well at Picacho several years later. Geologists predict oil for Lincoln county.

At White Oaks no thorough prospecting for coal has been done, but it has been mined for local uses. Back in the eighties the Southern Pacific patented a thousand acres of coal land at White Oaks, and retained ownership until feel oil became available. Capitan being the nearest point with coal, may, under different conditions, become active in shipping to El Paso. Given a supply of iron and coal, in conjunction, such a region may become an important shipping, or even manufacturing center.

One of the greatest assets of Lincoln county is its delightful and curative climate, the virtue of which is attested by the U. S. Marine Hospital, maintained at Ft. Stanton, where hundreds of marines are sent.

With camps, resorts and play grounds, the Lincoln Forest abounds. Ruidoso and other spots are drawing hundreds of tourists, and summer colony centers are being established for towns of lower altitude. The mountains, rising 12,500 feet, largely timbered and watered, offer ideal conditions. The Forest statistics show 93 000 visitors in 1923.

While the production of commodities was far below normal in 1923, the number of carload shipments from Lincoln county stations were as follows: Wool, 1; wood, 10; horses and mules, 4; cattle and calves, 24; sheep and goats, 130; hay and straw, 1; clay, 121; coal, 14; apples, 87; vegetables, 1; ore, 8; all others, 79. Total cars shipped, 702. This does not include considerable quantities of fruit and other products shipped in less than carlots by freight, express, parcel post and trucks.

PUBLIC RELATIONS DEPARTMENT,
E. P. & S. W. RAILROAD CO.

CAPITAN MOUNTAINEER.

Published Weekly By
L. L. BEARD

WE KNOW a bird
WHO WOULDN'T give
A THIN dime to go to a
PLACE OF comfort,
WHERE his wife and
KIDDIES could enjoy
A FEW weeks of
PLEASURE and
RECREATION, where
THE BLOOM will come
INTO THEIR cheeks and
A HEALTHY gleam into
THEIR EYES.
SUCH a gink as
HE IS should be made
A BOTTOM foundation
FOR THE pyramid of
SIZZLING lost souls
WHICH the preacher
PROMISES us if we
ARE THAT DAMMED MEAN.

WE HOPE McAdoo't:

GIVE US this day our daily rain.

"And whosoever shall exalt himself shall be abased; and he that shall humble himself shall be exalted."—Matt. 23-12.

"WHEN IT comes to a man in the case, they're alike as a row of pins; for the Colonel's lady and Judy O'Grady are sisters under their skins."—Kipling.

THE DEMOCRATIC Convention is now in session at New York. That it will prove to be a torrid affair is the prediction of those that have had occasion to study the past actions of the Democratic nominating body.

Looking Backward

These news items were taken from the books of The Titsworth Co. for the week of June 20, 1902.

Star Tobacco, 48c—now 60c

Dry salt bacon, 13½c—now 20c.

Screen doors, $1.00—now $3.

Good manila rope sold for 25c a pound—Now 70c.

Breakfast bacon, 16c—now 35 and 40c.

G. W. Barrett was in for supplies this week.

F. B. Cox was in and purchased a large supply of provisions.

Harry Little was in trading this week. (Mr. Little ran a carpenters shop here years ago.)

L. F. Avant was in this week buying supplies. (Mr. Avant is a former cowman and Territorial ranger and is now located at Ft. Bayard.)

Good Rain.

A bountiful rain which made roaring torrents of rivers and small creeks fell here, beginning at noon Wednesday.

The dry land farmers welcome the precipitation as the savior of their growig crops and the forest rangers see in it a temporary relief from constant vigil.

The rain came at a time when many farmers were seeding indigo in this section.

Reports were rampant that a drowning had occurred at Double Crossing on the Hondo, but could not be verified.

The rain appeared to be general in character.

Birthday Party.

Miss Elizabeth Titsworth entertained with a birthdry party Tuesday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Titsworth.

The event was to celebrate the fifteenth anniversary of Miss Titsworth and was a most enjoyable affair.

The young people made merry until an early hour. Refreshments were served.

Fort Stanton Picnic.

Those having served on a picnic committee have ample reason for knowing the magnitude of the task. That bunch of virile, untiring, young birds at Fort Stanton are bending every effort to pull off such a celebration as will make history in the county. That they will succeed in their endeavor, is the prediction of the Mountaineer.

The entertainment features they are securing will be of the highest type and if effort and and money mean anything in putting off a picnic, theirs will mark a red letter day.

The fireworks display will eclipse many of its kind that you have traveled hundreds of miles to view.

The baseball games will equal any minor league exhibition ever witnessed and the young tender beeves that will be slaughtered for this special barbecue are to be of excellent quality.

There are numerous other attractions that will be signed up and those attending will retain a pleasant memory for their decision to attend the Fort Stanton Barbecue and picnic on July 4.

And these birds are doing all this without circulating a subscription list of any description.

"All together like Brown's cows"—LET'S GO!

Payne Stock Sold.

The bankrupt stock of W. B. Payne has been sold to the Capitan Mercantile Company.

The stock which consists of general merchandise is good clean salable condition.

The Capitan Mercantile Company is making many reductions in some of the merchandise in order to sell off the brands of goods not handled by them.

Glencoe

The Ruidoso people enjoyed a fine rain last Saturday.

Mrs. Roy Cox has returned home from her visit in Texas.

Mrs. Lenna Blevins has returned from El Paso.

The crops are looking fairly well considering the hot weather.

There is going to be a barbecue and basket picnic on the upper Ruidoso July 4.

Geo. Wilson is now setting his late cabbage which will be about 20 acres.

Nelson Bannell is working the roads this week in the vicinity.

Mrs. Dan Lucas is able to be out again. She spent one day this week with Mrs. Pepper.

The White Mountain Inn fed fifty or sixty people Sunday and everyone enjoyed the chicken dinner and delicious supper.

Bobbed Hair A.D. 1500

What was said in fifteen hundred,
When our lords and masters
Cut their lovely, curly locks?
Was it silly and a crime
Against nature and the Bible?
Was it style, or fad, or foible,
Or just right, because man did it?

Why this outcry against woman,
When her only fault is aping
After a perfectly good example
Set four hundred years ago
By creation's noble lords.

Why berate the modern woman
All her vanities and follies,
When in ages past the men were
Vainer than all foolish women
That this century ever saw.

In those days the Reformation
Played its grand and serious part
Not alone in thoughts and writings
But in clothes and modes as well.

Can you fathom all the gossip
Of those days so long ago,
When the wondrous changes happened
To our best beloved men?

Did their fair admirers shudder?
Did they cry and sigh or laugh
And as weapon against progress
Use two-edged ridicule?

Vain and futile, then as now,
Stem the tide of progress mighty;
Man or woman ever protesting
Against nature's ways and means
Is effaced and soon forgotten.

Join the ranks of the progressing,
Live and laugh among the happy,
Youthful, useful, old or young,
Bobbed-haired sports in knickers clad
Of this time and century born.

Ease and comfort! Back to nature!
Is the cry we hear today.
Hair and skirts alike are doomed
To oblivion or the attic,
Along with other fine antiques.

Time has come when ease and comfort
Means to women what to man.
When he tired of his follies,
Back in fifteen hundred, and
Cut his locks and shed his ruffles,
Added dignity and poise
And severity to appearance;
Formerly so gay and grand,
Like the brilliant bird in plumage,
And in usefulness—perhaps.

Man by now has reached a climax
Where improvement is no more,
For the mountain of perfection
Has he reached, and never more
Must he criticize poor woman
Plodding slowly the path he trod.

In four centuries more of time
People of that day are reading
About our time and wondering
What we thought and said and did,
When our women bobbed their hair.

Won't they think us very foolish,
Hampered, struggling and succeeding
Rather slowly after all;
Fighting age-long customs silly,
And each other most of all;
When in peace and harmony
We should solve the bigger problems
How we might most useful be.

—Anonymous.

BASEBALL!!

Sunday June 29th at Ft. Stanton

FORT STANTON VS. MESCALERO INDIANS

Time 2:15 Admission 25c

The Indians are bringing a strong team down Sunday. DON'T FORGET the big games on July 4, 5 and 6, with the El Paso "Spinners."

Summer Camp.

A camp ground in Turkey Canyon, near Parsons, has been located and is being prepared for the patients at Ft. Stanton. Those in charge are authority for the statement that every convenience and comfort is to be anticipated and cared for.

The encampment will be for a period of six to eight weeks and will be conducted by the Knights of Columbus.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR SHERIFF

We are authorized to announce A. J. Coffey as a candidate for sheriff of Lincoln county. His candidacy is subject to the action of the Democratic County Convention. He respectfully solicits your support.

FOR TAX ASSESSOR

We are authorized to announce the name of Mrs. Anna (JULIAN) Wells as candidate for the office of County Tax Assessor, subject to the action of the Republican County Convention. She will appreciate your support.

I am a candidate for Tax Assessor of Lincoln county. Candidacy subject to the action of the Republican County Convention. Will very much appreciate any support given me.

Very Respectfully,
Sam J. Bigger.

Notice For Publication

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office
Roswell, New Mexico,
June 4, 1924.

Notice is hereby given that Juan Montez, of Glencoe, N. M., who, on February 13, 1919, made stock raising additional, No. 037668, for NW¼SW¼, W½NW¼, SE¼NW¼, Sec. 14; NW¼NE¼ Sec. 15; N½NE¼, Sec. 22; NW¼NW¼, Sec. 23, Township 11-S, Range 20-E, N.M.P.M. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register & Receiver, U. S. Land Office, at Roswell, N. M., on the 15th day of July, 1924.

Claimant names as witnesses: Transito Chavez, of San Patricio, N. M. Manfor Chavez, of Glencoe, N.M. Jesus M. Montez, of Hondo, N.M. Mauro Sanchez, of Glencoe, N. M.

JAFFA MILLER,
Register.

Notice for Publication—Isolated Tract,

PUBLIC LAND SALE.
Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office,
Roswell, New Mexico,
May 24, 1924.

Notice is hereby given that as directed by the Commissioner of the General Land office, under provisions of Sec. 2455, R. S., pursuant to the application of John F. Fears, Serial No. 051904, we will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, but at not less than $1.00 per acre, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., on the 16th day of July, next, at this office, the following tract of land:

N½NW¼, SE¼NW¼, NE¼SW¼, Sec. 8; T 10-S, R 18-E, N.M.P.M.

The Sale will not be kept open, but will be declared closed when those present at the hour have ceased bidding. The person making the highest bid will be required to immediately pay to Receiver the amount thereof.

Any persons claiming adversely the above described land are advised to file their claims, or objections, on or before the time designated for sale.

JAFFA MILLER,
Register

(Republication)

State Land Selections.

Department of the Interior
U. S. Land Office
Roswell, N. M.
May 17, 1924.

Notice is hereby given that the State of New Mexico, by virtue of Acts of Congress, has selected, through this office, the following lands:

Serial 051652, Lots 3, 4, Sec. 18; T 12-S, R 18-E, and Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, Sec. 4; T 13-S, R 18-E, N.M.P.M. 240.13 acres. Serial 051653.

Protests or contests against any or all of such selections may be filed in this office at any time before approval.

JAFFA MILLER,
Register,

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office,
Roswell, N. M.
May 27, 1924.

Notice is hereby given that Valentine Perez, of Roswell, N. M., who, on March 16, 1921, made Homestead Entry, No. 048858, for Section 24, Township 7 S, Range 19 E, N.M.P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Homestead Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register or Receiver, at Roswell, N. M., on the 16th day of July, 1924.

Claimant names as witnesses: James D. Allen and Russell G. Bird, of Arabella, N.M. Fred B. Corn and Robert L. Corn, of Roswell, N. M.

JAFFA MILLER,
Register.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior
U. S. Land Office
Roswell, New Mexico
June 16 1924

Notice is hereby given that Bonifacio Samora, of Capitan, N. M., who, on May 22nd 1919, made Add. Hd. Application, No 045359, for SW¼SE¼SE¼, S½SW¼ SE¼, Sec. 34. T.8.S., W½ Lot 1, (Lot No. 3 4042,) Section 3, Township 9 S., Range 13 E., N. M.P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final 3 Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before E. H. Goodall, U. S. Commissioner, at Capitan, N. M. on the 26th day of July, 1924. Claimant names as witnesses:

Robert Swan, Adolpho Swan, Soico Padilla and Elbert Brown, all of Capitan, N. M.

JAFFA MILLER,
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior
U. S. Land Office
Roswell, New Mexico
June 4, 1924

Notice is hereby given that Candido Chavez, of San Patricio, N. M., who, on February 19, 1910, made Add'l S. E. Homestead entry, No. 037460, for N½, Sec. 11, and the E½NE¼, Section 10, Township 11 S., Range 16 E., N. M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before E. H. Goodall, U. S. Commissioner, at Capitan, N. M., on the 15th day of July, 1924.

Claimant names as witnesses: Juan Montez, Glencoe, N. M., Mauro Sanchez, of Hondo, N. M., Transito B. Chavez, Nicodemo Chavez of San Patricio, N. M.

JAFFA MILLER,
Register

Notice for Proving Claims.

State of New Mexico } ss
County of Lincoln }
In the District Court

State of New Mexico, Plaintiff
vs.
The First State Bank of Capitan, New Mexico, Defendant } No. 3890

By order of the above entitled Court in the premises, I, C. H. Patterson, Receiver, have been directed to notify all persons having claims against said bank to present the same to me as such Receiver, at my office in Capitan, New Mexico, in writing, with full details, under oath, before the first day of September, 1924, and those failing so to do by the said date shall be barred and forever estopped from urging their claims.

All claims against the above named bank which are not filed with me, as aforesaid, will be forever barred, and the holders thereof forever estopped from urging the same, except only those claims for such amounts as may be admitted by the Receiver herein to be owing by said bank to creditors thereof in the statement of assets and liabilities of said bank filed by said Receiver.

If any claimant is dissatisfied with my decision with respect to his claim, he may present his petition to the Court, setting forth his claim, and asking for the relief to which he deems himself entitled.

C. H. Patterson, Receiver,
Capitan, New Mexico.
A. H. Hudspeth,
Attorney for Receiver,
Carrizozo, New Mexico.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office
Roswell, New Mexico,
June 16, 1924

Notice is hereby given that Tomislado Montoya, of San Patricio, N. M., who, on April 15, 1919, made homestead entry, No. 045246, for lots 2 and 3, SW¼ NE¼, SE¼NW¼, Section 4, Township 11 S, Range 16 E, N M P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before E. H. Goodall, U. S. Commissioner, at Capitan, N. M., on the 29 day of July, 1924.

Claimant names as witnesses: Lorenzo Mendoza, Clement Hightower, Felipe Salazar, and Teodoro Montoya, all of San Patricio, N. M.

JAFFA MILLER,
Register.

Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior.
U. S. Land Office
Roswell, New Mexico
June 24, 1924.

Notice is hereby given that Carl O. Hightower, of Capitan, N. M., who, on May 10th, 1923, made Original Homestead Entry No. 031471, for all of Section 33, Township 8-S, Range 16-E, N M. P. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final 3 Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before E. H. Goodall, U. S. Commissioner, at Capitan, N. M., on the 6th day of August 1924.

Claimant names as witnesses: Charlie Dale, William S. Jackson, Charlie Thompson and C. L. Richards, all of Capitan, N. M.

JAFFA MILLER,
Register.

HEADACHES GONE TIRED NO MORE

Gives Credit to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Hopes Other Women Will Benefit by Her Experience

Skowhegan, Me.—"I was sick most of the time and could not get around to do my work without being all tired out so I would have to lie down. One day when I was reading the paper I saw the Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound advertisement and saw what it did for other women, so I thought I would try it. I have taken three bottles, and cannot begin to tell you what it has already done for me. I do all my work now and keep up the whole day long without lying down. I have no more headaches nor tired feelings. I hope every woman who takes the Vegetable Compound will get as much benefit out of it as I have."—Mrs. Percy W. Richardson, R.F.D. No. 2, Skowhegan, Maine.

You have just read how Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound helped Mrs. Richardson. She gave it a trial after she saw what it had done for other women. For nearly fifty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been thus praised by women. For sale by druggists everywhere.

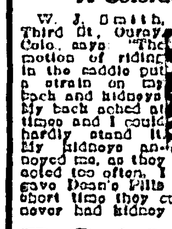
Big Family Tree

In the black oak family are the black, red, pin and scarlet oak, Spanish, water, willow and laurel oaks, says the American Tree association of Washington, D. C., which for a 2-cent stamp will send you a tree-planting bulletin. Every tree planter is made a member of the association for there are no dues. Instead of the rounded lobes of the leaves of the other group, all of these have leaves with lobes that are sharply pointed or the leaves are tipped with bristles.

The Same Old Backache!

Does every day bring the same old backache? Do you drag along with your back a dull, unceasing ache? Evening find you "all played out"? Don't be discouraged! Realize it is merely a sign you haven't taken good care of yourself. This has probably strained your kidneys. Take things easier for a while and help your kidneys with *Doan's Pills* a stimulant diuretic to the kidneys. *Doan's* have helped thousands and should help you. *Ask your neighbor!*

A Colorado Case



W. J. Smith, Third St., Ouray, Colo., says: "The motion of riding in the saddle put a strain on my back and kidneys. My back ached all times and I could hardly stand it. My kidneys annoyed me, as they acted too often. I gave Doan's Pills a trial and in a short time they cured me. I have never had kidney trouble since."

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"Craters of the Moon" Is Unique

New National Monument Destined to Draw Tourists.

Washington.—"Craters of the Moon" is the United States' youngest national monument.

On May 2 President Coolidge signed the order setting aside a little-known district in Idaho. It is a wild, colorful region containing one of the most unusual volcanic fields in America. From the twisted brilliant contours of frozen lava fields and crimson cones and the absence of verdure, it takes its official name, "Craters of the Moon National Monument."

Of "Craters of the Moon," lying along the Lincoln highway between Carey and Arco, Idaho, R. W. Limbert writes in a communication to the National Geographic society:

Destined to Draw Tourists.

"Although almost totally unknown at present, this section is destined some day to attract tourists from all America, for its lava flows are as interesting as those of Vesuvius, Mauna Loa or Kilauea.

"The district consists of some 60 volcanic craters, lava and cinder cones, all at present extinct or dormant. The largest and most conspicuous is 600 feet high, rising in the midst of a belt of craters two or three miles wide and 30 miles long."

The major flows, the Blue Dragon Flow and the Pahoehoe Flow roughly parallel the Lincoln highway and are but two to five miles from it. A wagon trail from the national road goes into the rocky volcanic desert a short way.

"Stretching to the southwest for about eleven miles, we saw perhaps one of the most remarkable lava flows in the world," continues R. W. Limbert, describing the Blue Dragon Flow. "Its color is a deep cobalt blue with generally a high gloss, as if the flow had been given a coat of blue varnish. The surface is netted and veined with small cracks, having the appearance of the scales of some prehistoric reptile. It merits the name Blue Dragon, as in many places it has burst through the crevasses of an older flow, and the ropy twists of blue lava spreading out in branches, together with its scaled surface, need but little stretch of imagination to suggest the claws and legs of a dragon.

"In appearance the 'Craters of the Moon' flows seem as if they had happened only yesterday, but in reality the latest probably occurred about 150 or possibly 200 years ago.

"The total area of the six young lava flows is about 600 square miles, while that extending above and below this point along the Snake river plains reaches the astounding total of approximately 27,000 square miles."

Of the 600 square miles of lava desert, some forty square miles have been set aside by President Coolidge "Craters of the Moon National Monument" in about 150 miles southwest of Yellowstone National park.

"Picture yourself standing in some vast amphitheater whose towering walls are a riot of yellow, green, orange, brown and black, with brick red and vermilion predominating," Mr. Limbert writes in describing the district. "Imagine, too, an awesome, enveloping silence. I noticed that at places we had nothing to say.

An Amphitheater Cave.

"Just of the Bridge of Tears we came to the entrance of what we afterwards decided to call Amphitheater cave. Climbing down, we found ourselves on the east side of a room some 40 feet wide and 60 feet long, with a domed ceiling 20 feet high. As we sat on the north side, we beheld to the south a perfect stage. The floor was double, the lower section being about eight feet lower than the top of the floor above, which was 15 feet wide. It was almost an exact model of a modern theater. At the top of the dome the roof had caved in, leaving a circular skylight six inches in diameter.

"By lining flights of doves, five water holes were located in old volcanic blowholes or fumaroles. Dipping up a cupful of water we were astonished to find it icy cold, so cold in fact, that it hurt our teeth, and so put the cup down on the hot rocks to warm. This phenomenon can only be accounted for by the supposition that it was the seepage water from one of the ice caves, of which we found a number. One water hole was covered with an inch coat of drowned hornets that had been chilled and had fallen in. The water underneath was pure and sweet.

Hens Know Mess Call; Cause Thief's Arrest

Chanute, Kan.—Hens that had been trained to answer the whistled "mess call" led to the arrest of a man here, who was charged with raiding chicken roosts. Investigations first led to Iola, and four Chanute men went there in an attempt to identify their chickens. W. L. Markham offered to submit his whistle test and the poultry house owner agreed.

Markham went into the pen where several hundred chickens were at large and began whistling. Twenty-four hens ran eagerly to him. The poultry dealer remembered the motor license number of the man who sold the chickens to him and his arrest followed. He pleaded not guilty and was bound over to the District court for trial.

REMARKABLE WOMAN

The president of three corporations engaged in manufacturing and marketing the children of her fertile brain, the inventor of more than two score unique devices, 83 of which have been patented, Miss Beulah Louise Henry, formerly of Memphis, Tenn., but now a resident of New York, finds time to make her own hats, sew, embroider and to make a happy home of the apartment in which she lives with her mother, who is a daughter of the late Governor Holden of North Carolina. "The Lady Edison," as her friends call her, is possessed, in the words of Garrett P. Serviss, the scientist, of "a rare gift in being able to translate vibratory impressions from one form to another."

Gun Believed Carried by Crusoe Auctioned for £250

London.—Robinson Crusoe's old flintlock musket, believed to be the authentic weapon carried by Alexander Selkirk during his four years' exile on Juan Fernandez island, which inspired Defoe's celebrated story, was sold at auction for £250.

Monument to Mark Valor on the Sea

Shrine on Potomac for Navy and Merchant Sailors.

Washington.—A new shrine to American valor at sea is to take its place soon among the monuments and memorials here to the nation's capital to the great dead of America. Wrought in bronze, it will stand on the brink of the peaceful Potomac, that the river may bear with it to the sea a message of remembrance to those who have gone down in ships for the flag, whether in men-of-war or plodding merchantmen.

Across the wide river, high among the rolling Virginia hills, are the glittering shafts of Arlington National cemetery, where many who died heroic deaths rest amid their military honors.

The monument will be built by popular subscription. It will cost $500,000 or more. The site has been set aside by law and the form of the memorial itself has been decided upon by the members of the committees who are, for the most part, men who have served America on the sea.

No Such Monument.

Rear Admiral Bradley A. Fiske (retired), chairman of the committee in charge, said:

"There is no such monument anywhere in the world. There is no monument that attests any appreciation by men and women of the dangers which the men of the sea have braved or the conquest of these dangers which they have achieved. There is no visible reminder of our debt to the men of the sea which has welded widely separated countries into a coherent world.

"Though monuments to military commanders adorn selected spots in all the civilized countries of the earth, only a few monuments to naval men exist, and virtually all of these commemorate war achievements only. The long and hazardous voyages of merchant seamen who made the ocean safe for commerce and spread civilization over the earth, though told in song and story, have never received the recognition which all men know to be the highest—that of an enduring monument, erected on some exalted spot, where it can be seen of men.

"Such a tribute it is the intent of the Navy and Marine Memorial association to render the men of the sea; but it will memorialize, as well, those from whom the supreme sacrifice was not required, but who braved the same dangers as those from whom it was required, and stood equally ready to make it. It says to the countless millions who have profited by their work that they must not forget that work or neglect the men who did it.

"So, while this monument symbolizes the grandeur of the sea, it powerfully suggests the grandeur of the seaman's art, which has made a conquest of the sea and marked a myriad of paths across its forbidding waters. And it calls upon every one to visualize what seamen have done for him, and to pay a rightful tribute to those who, through all the dim centuries of the distant past, have 'gone down to the sea in ships,' and have done their business in great waters."

Associated with Admiral Fiske on the executive committee are Walter F. Firth, treasurer; William Fellowes Morgan, Jr., secretary; Anna M. Graham, Col. Robert M. Thompson, Col. Edward A. Simpson, Ray C. Shepherd and Herbert N. Davison, headquarters of the committee being New York city.

The honorary national committee is headed by Secretary Wilbur of the navy as chairman, and includes Assistant Secretary Theodore Roosevelt, Admiral Leigh C. Palmer, president of the Emergency Fleet corporation; Maj. Gen. John A. Lejeune, commandant of the Marine corps, and Rear Admiral William S. Benson, U. S. N., retired, of the shipping board.

Ready for Unveiling on July 4

Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney's statue of "Buffalo Bill" Cody is completed and will be unveiled July 4 at the Cody entrance to Yellowstone National park. The Buffalo Bill American association will conduct the dedication ceremonies. The illustration shows the statue and Miss Jane Cody Garlow, granddaughter of Colonel Cody, who will unveil the figure.

Deer Increasing

San Francisco.—California has a population of 500,000 to 600,000 deer, according to estimates of the California fish and game commission and the United States forest service. In the national forest alone, chiefly in northern and central California, the deer are estimated to number 100,000. The deer are increasing despite the act that hunters each year kill 30,000 deer and mountain lions kill at least 15,000.

Los Angeles Policeman Heir to $500,000 Estate

Los Angeles, Cal.—Receiving a message inquiring as to the whereabouts of Herbert H. Reynolds, described as beneficiary of a $500,000 estate in Philadelphia, police officials here discovered the man sought in a member of their force and called him off a beat he was traveling in Hollywood. Reynolds heard the news without enthusiasm and declined to tell reporters how it feels to be rich. He said the estate was that of his father-in-law, the late Mangus H. Brown.

She Has Had 19 Babies

Oconto, Wis.—The stork brought the nineteenth baby to the home of Peter Shallow, prosperous farmer of Little River, just north of this city. Of the nineteen children born to the Shallow family, thirteen are living. The family has had four sets of twins.

FARM STOCK

ASK HELP ON BEST FEEDING OF SWINE

In response to requests of farmers for information on rations for hogs, the specialist in swine at the New York college of agriculture at Ithaca has prepared the following suggestions:

For brood sows, he recommends one part of hominy, cornmeal or ground barley, one part of ground oats, one part of bran, 5 per cent of chopped alfalfa and 5 per cent of fish meal or tankage. For the fish meal or tankage, skimmilk may be substituted at the rate of two pounds for each pound of grain.

For growing pigs, this formula has been found good: One part of hominy, cornmeal or ground barley, one part of finely ground oats, one part of middlings, 5 per cent of chopped alfalfa, 10 per cent of fish meal or tankage; for the latter may be substituted three pounds of skimmilk to each pound of grain.

For feeding pigs on dry lot after they reach around 120 pounds in weight, two pounds of hominy, one part of middlings, 5 per cent of chopped alfalfa, 10 per cent of fish meal or tankage may be used. For the fish meal or tankage, three pounds of skimmilk to each pound of grain may be substituted.

In all the above rations, good pasturage in season may replace the alfalfa.

Some farmers fail to realize that minerals are important in swine feeding. A good combination is 10 pounds of ground limestone, 10 pounds of salt, 20 pounds of charcoal and 10 pounds of bonemeal. These may be kept before the pigs at all times.

Fall wheat, dwarf-essex rape, red and sweet clovers, and alfalfa all make excellent pastures. About an acre of pasture will be required for every 12 to 18 pigs.

Tuberculosis Is Serious Menace to Farm Animals

Tuberculosis is one of the most important contagious diseases of cattle, swine and poultry.

The germs of the disease are passed out of the cow's body from the mouth and nose, in the manure, and in the milk.

The germs are taken into the body of healthy animals through the nose in breathing and through the mouth in food or water.

Tuberculosis is introduced into the herds and flocks by purchase of diseased animals, or by feeding mixed raw skimmilk or whey. Bad sanitary conditions favor the spread of the disease in the herd.

The use of milk from tuberculous cattle causes a portion of tuberculosis in man.

The introduction of the disease into the herd may be prevented by making sure that the skimmilk and whey fed has been properly pasteurized, and by adding only tuberculin tested cows to the herd.

Tuberculosis can be detected with a high degree of accuracy by the use of the tuberculin test, and can be controlled if the animals found by the use of the tuberculin test are taken from the herd and the barn and premises properly cleansed and disinfected.

The state and federal governments are expending large sums in helping farmers rid their herds of this disease. Any veterinarian or county agent can give more information about the work, say the animal husbandry men at the state college at Ithaca.

Mineral Supplements of Big Importance to Hogs

Studies made by the Ohio station show that all grain rations for growing swine require mineral supplements. The breaking down of swine, and the development of rickety symptoms, lameness and paralysis have been found to result from insufficient mineral nutriment. Rations containing sufficient milk or tankage or leguminous roughage, however, do not require mineral supplements. When swine are fed on cereal rations there is urgent need for the element calcium, and possible need for phosphorus, in addition. These may be efficiently supplied by a half and half mixture of precipitated calcium carbonate and precipitated bone flour. Other less efficient carbonates and phosphates are available.

Mixing the mineral nutrients with the ration and allowing free access to mineral supplements as well, will tend to increase the development of the skeleton with swine intended for breeding purposes. When swine are self-fed there is a tendency to put on more flesh than skeleton to correspond, unless mineral supplements are fed mixed with the grain.

Provide Shade for Sheep

Breeding ewes and lambs kept to replenish the farm flock need plenty of shade if they are to come through the hot summer months in the best shape. Every sheep should go into the summer months with a light covering of wool. June shearing of ewe lambs that are to be kept for breeding purposes is advisable. Fields where sheep are kept should have shade, either artificial or natural. Artificial is preferable as portable shelters can be made at low cost.

Fall Colts Preferred

There are many advantages in raising fall colts if good barns and plenty of good feed are available, says A. S. Caine of Iowa. The fall colts can be weaned in the spring and put on pasture, at which time they are old enough to make good use of grass and gain satisfactorily. When mares are bred between the dates of October 15 and November 30, the colts are born late enough to escape the flies and there is nothing to keep them from gaining steadily.

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Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It

Applicants for Insurance Should Use Swamp-Root

Judging from reports from druggists who are constantly in direct touch with the public, there is one preparation that has been very successful in overcoming these conditions. The mild and healing influence of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its remarkable record of success.

An examining physician for one of the prominent Life Insurance Companies, in an interview of the subject, made the astonishing statement that one reason why so many applicants for insurance are rejected is because kidney trouble is so common to the American people, and the large majority of those whose applications are declined do not even suspect that they have the disease. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is on sale at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes, medium and large.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation, send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing, be sure and mention this paper.—Advertisement.

No Need to Bother With the Middleman

A farmer of German descent entered the drug store of a small Ohio town, as the story was told at the Salesmanship luncheon recently by Martin L. Pierce of Canton, Ohio, expert in industrial relations.

nounced to the druggist, who, as it happened, was president of the local Salesmanship club.

"Why, who's dead?" the druggist inquired sympathetically.

"Nobody's dead, but my wife's sick, so I want an undertaker," the former repeated.

"You don't mean an undertaker, you want a doctor; I'll get you one," the druggist replied reaching for the phone.

"Oh, no, I don't; I want an undertaker," the man insisted. "Ain't we been hearing at every meeting of the Salesmanship club how we should eliminate the middleman?"—Houston Post.

Corrected

A zealous but untrained reformer had obtained permission to speak at the county jail.

"Brothers," he pleaded with them, "lose no time in turning to the pathway of righteousness. Remember we are here today and gone tomorrow."

Gloomy voice from the rear: "I've got eighteen years here yet."

If a woman desires an early reply to a letter she should never give it to her husband to mail.

Who Plants a Tree

The really important bit of news that there were as many as 70,000 enrolled tree planters in the United States last year reminds us afresh of the good work of the American Tree association. The only duty for membership in that far-ranging fraternity is that one shall set out a tree—a service to which every citizen and particularly every homemaker should turn with delight.

Cuticura for Pimply Faces.

To remove pimples and blackheads smear them with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Once clear keep your skin clear by using them for daily toilet purposes. Don't fail to include Cuticura Talcum. Advertisement.

Doing Away With Tedium of Travel

The phrase "the tedium of travel" will speedily become meaningless, so far as long-distance railway journeys are concerned, if other companies follow the lead of the London & Northeastern and run "cinema coaches," says London Tit-Bits.

Experiments recently carried out on long-distance trains proved conclusively that even on trains traveling at express speed films can be shown with results as good as in a first-class picture theater. True, a few difficulties from oscillation and so on had to be overcome, but these have now been dealt with successfully.

The coach used as railway film-theater by the London & Northeastern was not specially constructed for that purpose. A coach in storage was taken out, dismantled, refitted, shuttered and equipped with operator's room and screen. Power was supplied by the train's electric-lighting system and the auditorium was seated for 90 people.

All cinema-theater regulations have been strictly observed in the construction of this railway picture house.

Had Gay Funeral

By her own request, the funeral of the mother of Gen. Sir W. H. Congreve, noted British soldier, which took place in England, had as many of the features of a wedding ceremony as possible. The church was decorated with flowers, the service was fully choral, the clergy wore white stoles, the church bells rang a wedding peal and all the flags in the village were flown from the top of the staff.

Easy to Answer

Owner—What will it cost me to have my car fixed?

Garageman—What's the matter with it?

Owner—I don't know.

Garageman—Forty-eight dollars and fifty cents.—Arkansas Utility News.

Gave Himself Away

Agent—Is the head of the house in? Man—Just a moment. (Calling loudly): Sophie! (No answer.) Yes, what was it you wanted with me?—London Answers.

Life gives you just 13 years of real health—and happiness

Average Health Span extends only from age 18 to age 31, according to United States Life Tables, 1920

Assuming that you are the average person, you will enjoy health—physical freedom and full vigor—only from age 18 to 31. This astounding fact is shown by the United States Life Tables, 1920.

Your earning power will decrease rapidly after 40. That period commonly called "the prime of life" will actually be an age of decay.

This sounds sensational. It is sensational. But it is true—and it is something to which the wise man or woman will give serious thought.

Of course, it is not natural, or right. It is the direct result of an artificial mode of life—of careless eating, sleeplessness, and stimulated nerves. Nature provides a danger signal—fatigue—to warn when the body needs rest. The person who regularly deadens the fatigue signal by the use of a drug is overriding the warning of nature.

That is what coffee does. The average cup of coffee contains 1½ to 3 grains of the drug caffein—classified as a poison. This is a dose of caffein of the size often administered by physicians in cases of heart failure. It is a powerful stimulant. It appears to give new strength by deadening the fatigue signal. Actually, this new strength is robbed from the body's own reserve.

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