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Many Homesteads Are Being Patented

Gabriel P. Woodward and Ed S. Black of Sonoita, accompanied by W. F. Neil and John C. White, as witnesses, were through Patagonia early Monday morning en route to Nogales, where the first two will make final proof on their homesteads. They report good crops and general good conditions and prosperity among the many homesteaders in the northern part of the county this year.

During this year there have been many acres patented in Santa Cruz county, and within the next few years many hundreds of acres more will be added to the assessed valuation of the county. This land is usually assessed at about \$4.00 per acre, when patented, and while exact figures are not available, it is certain that many thousands of dollars have been added to the tax rolls of the county within the past year by farmers proving up their homesteads. With an average of 160 acres of land for each homestead, assessed at \$4.00 per acre, and with a few hundred dollars in improvements, the average assessment for homesteads is near \$1000.

While there have not been many sales of homesteads or relinquishments in Santa Cruz county as yet, in other parts of the state, particularly in the Sulphur Springs valley, some of the homesteads have sold for more than \$25 per acre.

Victor J. Wager, who is out on the Democratic ticket for re-election to the office of county assessor, has the distinction of being the only assessor in the state in whose assessments no changes were made by the State Tax Commission in the year 1915, and in 1916 only a few minor changes were made. At the annual state conference of supervisors and assessors, held at Prescott for the past two years and attended by representatives from Santa Cruz as well as from other counties in the state, the different county assessments are gone over with painstaking detail, and upon the recommendation of this body the State Tax Commission changes the assessments of the counties where they are found to be incorrect, and after the meeting of this state tax conference usually many changes are made in the levies of the different county assessors. But so very fair to all interests were the

assessments of Santa Cruz county that no changes were made. Vic is very thorough in his work, and that the people of Santa Cruz county appreciate him will be shown at the coming election.

Great interest is being manifested in the single and double-jack drilling contests to be held at the Arizona State Fair under the direction of the mineral department. The oldtime miner who labored with hammer and drill is passing before the advance of the mechanical drill, and as many people have never seen this method of drilling employed, the fair commission has offered generous cash prizes for these drilling contests. To make it more interesting a modern, latest pattern machine drill will be shown in actual operation.

Sheriff McKnight was in this end of the county the latter part of last week, subpoenaing jurors for the next term of the Superior court, which convenes in Nogales on the 17th. The case of Jack Fall, former Patagonia blacksmith, who killed Tom Castleberry, his helper, will come up for trial at this term of court, as will also the trial of the deputies sheriffs of Pima county, who shot and killed a woman near Tucson, transferred to this county on change of venue.

The moving picture show next Sunday evening, Oct. 15, offers an exceptionally interesting program, as follows: "A Desperate Leap," in two reels; "The Man From Argentine," in two reels, and a corking good comedy, "She Winked." Show starts promptly at 8.

Ex-governor Kibbey, Republican candidate for U. S. Senator, and a party of Republican candidates for State offices will speak at the Patagonia opera house at 2:30 Monday afternoon, October 16.

Rev. Martin Portela, vicario general de Sonora, accompanied Rev. Fr. Usón to Patagonia this week and held services in the Catholic chapel here Monday and Tuesday. Fr. Portela was sent by the bishop, and officiated at the confirmation ceremonies.

The Board of Supervisors has changed the voting place for Patagonia precinct from the school building to the opera house, for which they are entitled to thanks from those who are not so keen about hill climbing.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL NOTES

O. F. Ashburn returned Tuesday morning from a business trip to Nogales.

The dance last Saturday evening in the opera house in Patagonia was a nice affair, and was enjoyed by a fair-sized crowd.

Nick Quinn, who is working in the Red Rock district in Pima county, visited with homefolks in Patagonia a few days this week.

Tickets for the Sonoita fair are for sale in Patagonia by Miss Tootsie Stone at the S. P. depot.

Herbert Connor, night shift boss at the Three R mine, was down Wednesday to change his registration to the Patagonia precinct.

Lyman Wakefield, the Tucson wheelwright, who has been working on the oil flotation plant at the Three R mine, returned to his home at Tucson this week.

Mr. Goodman, who has freight teams employed on the Duquesne ore haul, went up to his home place at St. David Tuesday to look after his hay crop.

A hunting party composed of James H. Reagan, Lou Stevens, F. E. Duncan and Jewel Trask spent a few days in the Santa Ritas this week and succeeded in killing a couple of fine bucks.

The rumors about the streets this week that typhoid fever cases are in Patagonia was denied by Deputy County Health Officer Dr. Fitts, who states that not a single case of typhoid has been reported to him.

R. N. Keaton, State Fair commissioner from this county, is advertising for products from the farmers for display. It is hoped that exhibitors will also display their products at the county



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fair at Sonoita, as well as at the State Fair in Phoenix.

Tony Valenzuela is enjoying a few days' rest from work at the Trench, and is spending his vacation in Patagonia.

Tom Heady, foreman of the Greene Cattle company, was in town Wednesday, coming in for supplies for the big ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. May and little daughter motored down to the county seat Tuesday morning, returning in the afternoon.

Patagonians are making preparations to attend the county fair at Sonoita next week, Oct. 19, 20 and 21, in great numbers.

Miss Salome Candelaria suffered considerable pain from a felon this week, having the injured finger lanced twice before being relieved.

Miss Nita Holcomb left Wednesday morning for Douglas, where she will make an extended visit to the family of a sister.

L. M. Sprung has bought the relinquishment of Ed Hummel in the Elgin country, and is preparing to build a new house on it.

The Misses Elizabeth and Ollie Stone and Mary Kane, Patagonia girls now in Nogales, were given a pleasant surprise party one evening last week at their apartments, which was said to have been a delightful affair.

Joe McIntyre, Chas. Hardy and Arcus Reddoch, Democratic candidates for county treasurer, county attorney and recorder, respectively, were in town a couple of days this week, talking politics to the voters.

Mrs. J. B. Downey, wife of the shipping clerk and transportation agent of the Duquesne Mining and Reduction Co., with headquarters in Patagonia, this week purchased a new Ford touring car.

C. A. Pierce of Kansas City, but formerly connected with the Ruby Copper company, near Patagonia, arrived in town this week, accompanied by C. L. Beckwith, a well known mining engi-

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neer, said to be associated with one of the biggest copper companies in the State.

Johnny Brickwood, who is doing some work on claims adjoining the Old Soldier, was in town last Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. Ray Ferguson accompanied A. H. de Reimer, the Republican candidate for county attorney, to Nogales Monday, after a little political conference here.

Elder Stuttaman of Elgin was in town Wednesday, and while here visited his friends, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Brown, living in the northwestern suburbs of town. He reports everything prospering in the Elgin district, the farmers having had a good year and crop yields abundant.—Benson Signal.

VAUGHN

Once more we hear the chirp of the crickets in the weeds and grass, which means the approach of winter.

Farmers are very busy harvesting their bountiful crops.

Gus Yeary has been on the sick list for a few days, but is able to be out some the last day or two.

Little Miss Thyra Harrison is staying with her Grandmother Collie and going to school at Elgin. Mrs. Collie is suffering with rheumatism.

Donald Blauser is going to school at Canille.

Mrs. H. Z. Belue has gone to Benson to send her children to school.

Emory Stoddard has his broken arm out of the sling now and is getting along nicely.

Jack Knox has taken charge of C. B. Wilson's blacksmith shop and garage in Patagonia and is now prepared to take care of all work in either the blacksmithing or automobile repairing line. A better stock of automobile accessories has been ordered, and it is planned to enlarge the building. Mr. Knox has the reputation of being a first-class mechanic, and will no doubt receive a good patronage.

Whether Douglas was a wet or dry town was hard to figure out yesterday when the city court docket was worked through by Judge R. S. Maclay. Eight men faced the court and were fined for drunkenness, as large a number as the court averaged at any time and more than most of the time while the saloons were in operation.—Douglas Dispatch.

Shipments of cattle from Santa Cruz county will begin this week from the stockyards at Sonoita, for the annual fall delivery. As practically no sales were made in the spring, an unusually large number will be shipped.

Notice to Creditors

In the Superior Court of Santa Cruz county, state of Arizona.
Estate of Harry A. Stevens, deceased.
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, G. L. Stevens, administrator of the estate of Harry A. Stevens, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said Administrator at Patagonia, Ariz., or at the law office of S. F. Noon, at Nogales, Arizona, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in said county of Santa Cruz.
G. L. STEVENS,
Administrator of Harry A. Stevens, deceased.
Dated Nogales, Ariz., this 6th day of Sept., 1916.

Hunters Warned Not To Violate the Law

Among the many out of town visitors to Patagonia last Saturday to attend the dance given here that night were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schofield of Rosemont. Mr. Schofield is forest ranger stationed in the Santa Ritas, and by virtue of this position, is also game warden. He says that hunters as a rule have been very particular so far this season in observing the game laws, but that he has heard rumors of the killing of does. Forest rangers give hunters every courtesy and assistance, and they have a right to expect their co-operation in the preservation of the wild game. Mr. Schofield wishes it understood that anyone caught killing deer out of season, or killing does or fawns at any time, or violating the game laws in any other manner, will be vigorously prosecuted.

Hon. Richard Farrell, member of the lower house of the last legislature, where he made such an enviable record, and candidate this year for the State Senate, was down from his home at Harshaw one day this week. "Uncle Dick" has been busy with work on his ranch, but says he expects to get out among the voters within a few days and make a thorough canvass for election to the office to which he has been nominated by the Democrats. As he is an oldtimer in this county, his political visits will be more in the nature of re-seeing old acquaintances, and his good legislative record will precede him.

An automobile accident last Saturday night, on the dangerous curve at the old linekin, a few miles above Patagonia, came near resulting fatally. The machine skidded on the railroad tracks and went over the embankment. One passenger was very painfully injured, and was taken to the hospital at Nogales, where he is said to be recovering. In the machine were three Bisbee men on their way to Nogales.

E. K. Cumming, the general real estate and insurance broker of Nogales, was in town Tuesday of this week, taking care of the new insurance business resultant from the general prosperity in Patagonia at the present time.

Walter Christmann of Sonoita, who has been quite active in promoting the Santa Cruz county fair this year, is now in Chicago, where he went to have an operation performed for appendicitis. He will be back in the county as soon as he has sufficiently recovered.

Notice for Publication

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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, Sept. 29, 1916.
Notice is hereby given that William H. Davidson, of Sonoita, Arizona, who on May 20, 1912, made Homestead Entry No. 017701, for ne 1/4 nw 1/4, n 1/2 ne 1/4 section 21, and nw 1/4 nw 1/4 section 22, township 20 S., range 17 E., G&SR Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year final proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. A. O'Connor, U. S. Commissioner, at Nogales, Arizona, on the 21st day of November, 1916.
Claimant names as witnesses: Charles E. Davis of Sonoita, Arizona; James White of Sonoita, Ariz.; J. B. Price of Patagonia, Ariz.; W. S. McKnight of Nogales, Arizona.
Thomas F. Weedon, Register.
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"GIBRALTAR OF THE BALTIC"

Powerful Fortress of Sveaborg, Guarding the Gulf of Finland, Has Been Frequently So Called.

After more than 18 months of naval war upon the Baltic sea between the fleets of Germany and Russia, the first successful shot has yet to be fired against the mighty fortress of Sveaborg, which guards the neck of the Gulf of Finland, and the water approaches to the Russian capital, says a bulletin issued by the National Geographic society at Washington. Sveaborg, best known as the "Gibraltar of the Baltic," powerfully secures its holders' control to all the wide basin of the Gulf of Finland, thus giving them a most important base for disrupting the control of the northern inland sea. It was the acquisition of this stronghold that constituted the strongest impelling force in Muscovite politics toward the conquest of Finland from the Swedes.

Across the neck of the gulf from Sveaborg lies Reval, the seat of other powerful shore defenses and of important Russian navy yards. These two points block the way from the Baltic against any naval power almost as securely as the forts Kliff Bahr and Chanak Kalassi blocked the English ships at the Dardanelles. Reval is situated on a sharp bay at the northeastern gulf shore of Estonia. Sveaborg fortress stands just before Helsingfors, the capital of Finland.

There are hundreds of small, thickly wooded islands strewn over the coastal waters around Helsingfors. It is upon a group of seven of such islands, which are larger than their neighbors, that the almost impregnable Sveaborg fortress is built. Moreover, small redoubts and batteries are well concealed in several of the outlying islands which surround, like a thinly-stung skirmish line, the fortress near the coast.

Many a vain seaward attack has shattered against Sveaborg's defenses in bygone days, and in recent years Russia has brought the strength of the place up to Twentieth Century requirements. It is said that more than 1,000 guns are mounted here and several thousand soldiers are quartered in the fortress even in times of peace. During the Crimean war the allies attacked this point violently and without success. The story goes that English guns alone hurled more than a thousand tons of shot and shell into the fortress, almost without apparent effect. It has fallen only once, and then bribery is credited with victory and not the force of arms. It surrendered to the Russians without an effort at defense, surrendering at the same time that its garrison of 6,000 men laid down their arms and turned over their formidable defenses, the whole country of Finland.

TORTOISE OUTLIVES THE HARE

Rabbit May Get to Be Five Years of Age, but the Other May Reach Four Hundred.

The ages of living things vary from a moment to hundreds of years. The tortoise is said to take the prize among all land animals for length of years. This animal lives, under favorable conditions, 300 or 400 years. One died in London in 1906 which was said to be at least 350 years old. The crocodile, too, sometimes lives to be 300.

The tortoise has to give in to the whale, however, for the latter often lives to the age of five hundred. That is probably the oldest age reached by any creature which exists upon the earth today.

The common little English sparrow lives longer than most of us imagine. Scientists tell us that some of them get to be forty years old. This is a ripe old age for so small a bird. The robin, which is much larger, lives only ten or twelve years. The eagle holds the record for age among the birds. It may live to be 100.

The elephant lives, on the average, about as long as the eagle. The oldest age among our common domestic animals is reached by the horse, which often reaches 30 or more. This is practically the same as the age of lions and camels. The cow may live to be 25, the dog 15, the rabbit about five. Most of us know, however, of cases in which common beasts or birds have lived to much greater ages than are allotted them ordinarily.

Lazy, That's All

New York women are lazy housekeepers. All experiments with public markets, co-operative food stores and direct-from-farm-to-kitchen projects come sooner or later bang up against the fact that housewives hereabouts will not take the thriftiest means of getting food supplies. Every now and then municipal markets start off with a flourish. But in a short time it is found that they are doing mainly a wholesale business. The housewives they are supposed to benefit are buying their food from the corner store and paying the same old prices, however high they go. New York women are too proud to take their baskets and go to market as do the women of Pittsburgh. Women in this city talk "high cost of living." It is the fashion to groan about it. But it is not the fashion to fall to and help reduce it.—New York Times.

ONE OF BEST DISINFECTANTS

Whitewash is Recommended as First Step for Healthfulness—Thoroughness is Important.

Whitewash is one of the best disinfectants for damp, dark places. The best way to apply whitewash is, first, to have it perfectly free from lumps, and then use a spray pump. Thoroughness is important in all kinds of disinfecting work. It is of no use to disinfect the walls of a barn unless you also disinfect the floors and mangers.

One good point about whitewash is that its color tells you when you have thoroughly covered a surface.

Some of the coal-tar disinfectants not only destroy germs but also kill lice, fleas, parasites and, in addition, heal cuts and wounds.

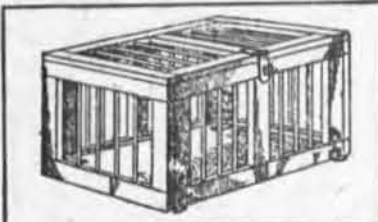
The best ways to disinfect yards, such as after a hog-cholera epidemic, are: First rake up all the trash and burn it. Then cover the yard three inches deep with straw and burn that. If you are not able to secure straw, sprinkling the ground with lime is a second choice. To disinfect posts and fences, whitewash or paint them.

Disease germs shorten the average span of life by about two years. About 90 per cent of the common diseases are infectious, or "catching." Disinfection after disease is the first step for healthfulness, both for persons and live stock.—Farm and Fireside.

FOLDING CRATE IS INVENTED

Hinges So Arranged That Frame Collapses Little Room When Necessary to Ship or Store.

The idea here is to provide a crate which can be folded for transportation or storage. The hinges are so



Folding Crate.

arranged that the ends fold down on the bottom, and the top and sides fold under the bottom.—Wisconsin Agriculturist.

PREVENT SOURING OF CREAM

Acid Developed Through Process is Injurious to Infants—Keep Dirt and Bacteria Out.

Extra precautions should now be taken, on account of the warm weather, to keep milk and cream sweet. The acid developed through souring is very injurious to infants, and while it may not be so to older persons, it is very distasteful to them. Bacteria will not sour milk unless permitted to grow in it, therefore every precautionary measure should be taken to prevent them from doing so, by cooling the milk as soon as it is produced and keeping it cool from then until it is delivered. Housewives and dairymen should remember that cleanliness and low temperature (50 degrees F.) will prevent loss from this source.

As dirt is filled with bacteria, both dirt and bacteria should be kept out of the milk by using small-top milk-pails and by thoroughly washing and airing all dairy utensils. Another important factor is to keep the barnyard clean, use plenty of bedding, and brush the cows daily, thus preventing them from becoming dirty.

GENERAL FARM NOTES

Sow good seed and reap good crops.

The seed drill soon pays for itself.

Regularity of feeding and work make long-lived horses.

Standing in wet manure tends to make the feet of the horses tender.

In swine breeding we must consider the shape of hog the nearest market demands.

Prevent waste and make every pound of feed bring the best results possible.

The cow is a living machine; kindly treatment entails less labor and insures more milk.

Good pastures, good milk checks, good prospects for good prices—save all you can this year.

Safety first—a cow and some pigs and chickens when getting a home established on a farm.

Sweet clover, when grown on run-down soils, is very beneficial in preventing erosion and washing.

Give the dairy cows the usual feeding of hay and grain night and morning until the pastures are luxuriant.

The millets make good catch crops, but the seed should not be allowed to get too ripe if the hay is to be fed to horses or coits.

The production of milk-producing feed on the farm at the least cost is an important factor in years of great profit from dairying.

The Remaking of Mindanao



MORO DATTO AND RETAINERS

THERE was one rich and unruly realm the Spaniards were glad to rid themselves of following the battle of Manila bay. The huge island of Mindanao, pronounced as though spelled Mindanow, known in the Philippines as Moroland, had the reputation of being largely unconquered, as much by the military as by the missionaries. The Moros clung to their religious beliefs as tenaciously as they opposed Spanish domination in government, writes Monroe Woolley in the Utica Saturday Globe.

But the Moro archipelago today is not what it was when we first took up stewardship there. This means that it is not the unconquerable empire it was when the Spanish essayed to rule and run it. For a long time we sought to make the Moros obedient by whipping them—by killing them off. Hundreds, thousands of them, were slain in periodic campaigns, yet the fiery Mohammedans lost no opportunity to treacherously murder our troops and officials at times when pacification seemed apparent.

Military operations failing to a considerable degree, and mindful of the hopeless task of the Spaniards, another method was devised to win the people to new government and to new ways of living. At first the Philippine government smoked a peace pipe with the sultans and dattos, chiefs of community factions, seeking in this manner to make itself popular with the masses. As much good will as possible was thus literally bought. Costly gifts and junketing trips were bestowed on the tribal chiefs, and they were fawned upon as loyal subjects were wont to do with royalty. Later, brute force was wholly abolished. Kindness and diplomacy were finally substituted therefor, and with this enlightened new system we are gradually and thoroughly remaking Mohammedan Mindanao.

Known to and thoroughly explored by white men for centuries past, Mindanao is today just beginning to be lifted from a savage past into the limelight of civilization. The rich realm has never been exploited because the inhabitants were always hostile to any outside interference. Min-

Mindanao has a larger colony of American planters, engaged mostly in hemp cultivation, than any other spot in the islands, notwithstanding that the people there have always been hostile to trespassers. Many of these have been wantonly murdered, but the fatality list is growing less right along, an evidence that the people are being converted to a new order of things. Many of these brave Americans started business on what they saved from a soldier's wage, and today not a few of them are Oriental nabobs.

Responding to Education. For centuries the Moro thought the only kind of effective government was that having force behind it. To be kind to him, in his opinion, meant that you feared him. But to be kind, with a means of making kindness acceptable through a standing military force, has completely wrought a change in the warlike people. Under good leaders the Moros are good people; under bad ones they, too, are bad.

The Mohammedan religion teaches that to slay a white man, or a Christian, is a sure way to get to heaven. Therefore, in Spanish times, and during our early occupation, fanatical Moros used to run amuck, chopping down as many foreigners as they could with their wicked knives. Often it has taken a dozen bullets, well aimed from a high-power army rifle, to kill the crazed followers of the Koran. All Moros hate pork as a bull does a red flag, and the military officer who placed the dead body of a fanatic inside a pork carcass and strung the two up in the plaza for the inspection of others effectually kept "running amuck" within bounds in his territory.

But today the Moros are laying aside their war knives and spears, are discarding their tight-fitting, gaily colored costumes for modern dress, similar to the Filipinos, and are sending their children for the first time to public schools. A decade hence there may be Moro professional men, such as lawyers, doctors and scientists.

A committee of Moro chieftains who went to Manila recently to meet Resident Commissioner Manuel Quezon of Washington, himself a Filipino, told the commissioner that schools were



NATIVE BASEBALL TEAM

danao, with the Sulu archipelago—the Mohammedan empire—is well worth reconstruction, and it is perhaps this fact which has made us so persistent.

Largest of Philippine Islands. Mindanao itself is the largest island by far in the entire Philippine archipelago. It is about the size of our own state of Mississippi, and is bigger than Indiana or Ohio. It would make seven states like New Jersey, and is by far much larger than several of our Atlantic coast states combined. To be precise, it has an area of 46,721 square miles.

In ancient times the Moros had little, if any, business sense. They had a woeful lack of the appreciation of money. To overcome their antiquated ideas of trade we have established markets for them in the leading towns where they meet to buy and sell. Some day Mindanao will be one of the leading countries of the world for the production of rubber. The rubber tree grows wild there in great profusion. Although the industry is as yet undomesticated, exports from a single locality have reached nearly 1,000,000 pounds in a year. The island also produces much hemp, as well as taploca, coconuts and other tropical fruits.

We have been successful in giving railroads to that part of the Philippine archipelago occupied by the Filipino, even though foreign capital had to furnish the money, but we have yet to lay the first steel rail in Mindanao, the greatest and richest of the islands of our insular frontier. Borneo, distant only a stone's throw from Zamboanga, Mindanao's metropolis, is far ahead of Moroland in everything save natural wealth.

Intensely popular, and asked him to say to congress that as long as that body was disposed to furnish school books that the Moros themselves would furnish the schools and the scholars. Datto Piang, one of the powerful chieftains, has himself erected two costly schoolhouses in Mindanao solely at his own expense. A Moro doing anything of this sort in olden times would have been hanged by his own people.

Baseball Has Helped.

Baseball has helped wonderfully with the Moros, as it did with the Filipinos, to cement affections for the Americans. It is claimed by a learned Filipino who recently toured Mindanao that in two decades the visitor in Moroland will not be able, so far as dress and manners are concerned, to distinguish a Moro from a Filipino. No American baseball fan really knows what fun is until he is privileged to see a hotly contested game of ball between Filipinos and Moros and gives an attentive ear to the game vernacular as it is spoken by our wards in the excitement of the sport.

With the awakening to civilization the Moro is acquiring some chivalry. One of the sultans thought he had reached the acme of politeness when he asked the popular daughter of one of our ex-presidents, at the time visiting his palace, to become No. 1 in his harem. Of course, there was a blushing declination, at which the dusky ruler was probably chagrined. But the incident goes to illustrate that the American, as well as the Christian Filipino, is for the first time making himself and his institutions acceptable to the remade Mohammedans of our farthest-flung frontier.

TASTE OF "HOME COOKING"

Woman Who Lives in Apartment Can Have it if She Will Do a Little Planning.

Many a woman living in a two-room and-bath apartment and taking her meals in an adjoining public dining room years at times for something "homemade" and delicious; chocolate layer cake, for instance; or scalloped oysters, or old-fashioned molasses cake, or soda biscuit, tender and piping hot, and made rich with a little shortening. One woman condemned—as she expresses it—to live in a luxurious hotel apartment most of the year, satisfies her housewifely instincts by getting Sunday-night tea in her own apartment by aid of a chafing dish, a coffee percolator and a one-burner gas stove with a little oven about as big as a baby's hatbox.

It is surprising how many delectable things can be baked in this absurd little oven. Out of it come small layer cakes, pans of light biscuit, toothsome little drop cakes, small pans of piping-hot Sally Lunn and rich gingerbread for the Sunday night supper. The little oven bakes only a small quantity—enough biscuit for four persons, twice around, and layer cake which makes six good-sized slices; but the Sunday night opportunities to have a taste of real home cooking are much appreciated by privileged guests who also dwell in boarding places.

No woman with fastidious taste—and thought for her neighbors—would venture to cook steak or fry potatoes in an apartment house, where odors of cooking are not supposed to permeate; but creamed entrees, salads, baking of the sort referred to and various appetizing scalloped entrees may be prepared by aid of chafing dish and a little oven of the sort. The small ovens may be used on electric grills also, and rare is the woman who does not enjoy an occasional "cooking fest" to keep her hand in at housekeeping.—Pittsburgh Dispatch.

CARE IN TABLE DECORATION

People as a Rule Don't Like to Play Peek-a-Boo at Dinner, Says Miss Holman.

A few flowers are in good taste and add charm to the dining table but the whole greenhouse or garden should not be used. They shouldn't fairly scream out for attention, asserts Miss Araminta Holman, instructor in home art.

"Decorations should always add beauty to the article which they decorate," says Miss Holman. "The flowers that are dainty, delicate and sparingly used are attractive on the table in the dining room. A small fern is appropriate. The flowers are of less importance than the food, the dishes and the silver. One or two flowers are usually enough, properly arranged."

"Their tops should not be higher than the tallest dish on the table. Persons seated for the dinner should not have to play peek-a-boo around a tall vase of flowers."

Furnishing Small Rooms.

In furnishing a small room two necessary points must be considered: First, that space is gained by making things as flat as possible against the wall; and, second, that stiffness is prevented then by introducing a plant or two, if the room is a living room or a dining room, and breaking the lines of the furniture by pulling out a table a little or turning a chair.

A low seat 16 inches in height, running around a corner and along one side of the room to some break of door or window, saves space and furniture, and adds a charming effect. It should be upholstered, and have only an occasional rather small and carefully selected pillow. Low book shelves, too, built against the wall, furnish without furniture, but care must be taken that they are not extended in too continuous a straight line. A carpet or rug of a solid color also increases the effect of space.

Lemon Custard.

Beat four eggs until light and then add the juice and grated rind of a lemon, two cupsful of milk, half a cupful of granulated sugar and a tablespoonful of flour, rubbed smooth with a little of the milk. Put in a buttered baking dish and bake until solid in a pan of water. Have ready a meringue made of the whites of the eggs, beaten stiff, sweetened with sugar. Pile this in a heap on a board and brown in a slow oven. Then slide it gently on the custard. Chill and serve cold.

"Frenched" Strawberries.

Wash and hull large strawberries, allowing six or eight to a person; cut fresh ripe pineapple in strips about one-quarter inch thick and one inch long, and insert in the berries to replace the hulls. Arrange individually and garnish with whipped cream, which has been sweetened to taste with powdered sugar. It may be tinted pale pink with vegetable coloring if desired.—Good Housekeeping.

Toasted Corn.

An improvement over boiled corn is toasted corn, which has a much more delicious flavor. After boiling the ears six minutes, so as to cook them partially, remove to a breadtoaster and place over hot coals, turning until they are browned evenly.

New Tomato Recipe.

When broiling or frying tomatoes sprinkle them generously with grated cheese just before serving and top each portion with a little whipped cream.

HONEY'S MANY USES

ARTICLE REALLY IS NOT PROPERLY APPRECIATED.

Healthy and Economical Food Should Be Far More Widely Used Than It Is—Some Ways to Employ It.

Honey is one of the healthiest and most economical foods, and it is not only delicious, but has invaluable medicinal qualities. It cannot, of course, take the place of sugar, as sugar is more convenient, for one thing, but it is better adapted to certain cooking than sugar and its flavor is an aid in securing that variety which all cooks are seeking.

For instance, cream cheese and honey, either liquid or in the comb, makes a delicious and healthful combination.

Two ounces of honey and six ounces of strawberries, with three ounces of cottage cheese, two ounces of bread and two-thirds of an ounce of butter, the latter either spread on the bread or mixed with the cheese, makes a very well-balanced meal.

As a filling for sandwiches, honey may be used with chopped nuts, or the nuts may be added to cheese and honey for the same purpose.

Honey can be used instead of sirup or jam with cereals and pancakes, and if a little hot water is added to it it will be easier to pour. It is more convenient than sugar for sweetening lemonade or other fruit drinks, as it does not have to be dissolved. With charged water it has less of a tendency to expel the gas. Solid honey makes a delicious filling for cakes.

It may be substituted for molasses in all forms of bread and cake cookery, and gives a more delicate flavor. It contains less acid than molasses, and so requires less soda in recipes which form when poured into cold water. Beat the white of the egg until stiff, and when the sirup has cooled slightly pour over the egg, beating the mixture constantly until it will hold its shape. This frosting is suitable for use between layers of cakes, but is rather too soft for the top.

Cakes made with honey will keep fresh much longer than when sugar is used. Indeed, if butter is omitted they will keep for months, and even improve in flavor.

Honey can be used in a variety of ways for preserving. A good jelly may be made by combining a cupful of apple juice with a cupful of honey and proceeding as in ordinary jelly making. Other combinations of the sort could probably be worked out.

Cranberries cooked in honey and water are delicious. Take equal weights of each of the ingredients, and after pricking each berry several times to prevent bursting and permit the sirup to penetrate to the interior, cook them slowly until they are soft and boil down the sirup until it just covers them. Pour into glasses and cover like jelly. A good method is to place all the ingredients in a double boiler and heat them very slowly. If this method is followed the boiling down of the sirup is even more necessary than when the berries are cooked more rapidly. Honey is good to use with sugar for candies, because it causes it to remain soft.

To Mend the Screens.

The broken door or window screen is an eyesore all summer if it is left unattended, and the repairing is done clumsily. The neatest way to mend the screen is to cut a piece of wire netting about three inches larger than the hole. Remove the wires around the edge of the patch for half an inch or more, like drawing away the threads from a piece of linen. Bend the resulting prongs at right angles and fit the patch in place with the wire ends sticking through the screen. Press the patch flat against the larger surface, then on the other side press the ends back to their original position. This secures the patch.

Small Baked Mackerel.

After splitting and cleaning fish place in a buttered dripping pan. Sprinkle with salt and pepper and cover with one-half cupful of this cream. In place of the cream two-thirds of a cupful of milk and a little butter may be used. Bake in a hot oven for 20 minutes.

Asparagus on Toast.

Wash asparagus, cut off the bottom of stalks. Then cut off the rest of the hard part and put these to boil in salted water and boil till tender. Then put in-tops and boil till done. Toast bread, butter, and heat milk, put asparagus on toast, pour the milk over, add pepper and salt to taste.

Apple Sauce.

Roast goose, duck or pork should have apple sauce. First pare, core and quarter a pound of apples. Boil them till soft in a saucepan, with half a cupful of water. Add an ounce of sugar and half an ounce of butter and beat them up.

Light and Fluffy Potatoes.

After the potatoes have been mashed and the milk added, add a pinch of baking powder and beat it with an egg-beater. You will find that this will make them light and fluffy.

To Keep Brooms.

Soaking a broom in hot water before using for the first time will make the bristles stronger and add many months to their life.

WHAT IS URIC ACID?

Does Uric Acid Cause Backache, Rheumatism and Kidney Trouble?

Dear Dr. Pierce:—What is Uric Acid? Does it cause kidney trouble? Not long ago I was examined for insurance and an analysis of the kidney secretions showed an excess of Uric Acid.

I suffer from backache, and rheumatism in my limbs, but never before suspected my kidneys. I recognize you as an authority on these subjects, and wish you would give me this information.

Lewis R.

Answering your letter, Uric Acid indicates poisoning of the system; it is also associated with several other poisons and forms painful irritants in the cells of the joints, nerves and muscles. Everyone has Uric Acid in the system, but naturally in small quantities. Excessive amount is caused by eating too much meat and foods that ferment in stomach. The kidneys being the filters of the blood are supposed to separate and throw the poisons out of the system. Weak, tired and overworked kidneys fail to do this, hence the poisonous Uric Acid and its associated poisons contaminate the blood, causing backache, lumbago, rheumatism, dropsy, drowsy and tired, worn-out feeling, short breath and many other symptoms.

To overcome the trouble is only a matter of toning up the kidneys, and this is best done by a treatment with "An-Uric" with proper diet and exercise. This prescription has been thoroughly tested and used by specialists at my institution, in Buffalo, N. Y., with satisfactory results, and astonishing relief.

I recently put "An-Uric" before the American people and it may now be obtained from almost any one of the leading druggists in town, simply by asking for Dr. Pierce's "An-Uric," in tablet form.

Take good medical advice, and do not let deadly Bright's Disease or Diabetes develop from neglected kidneys.

(Signed) V. M. PIERCE, M. D.

"What crop do you make the most money out of here?" asked the city girl on her vacation. "Summer boarders," was the thoughtful reply of the farmer.—Yonkers Statesman.

"Money Back" Medicine. Our readers never risk a cent when they buy Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh because every dealer in this line is authorized to refund the money if the Balsam is not satisfactory. Adv.

"You don't come in as frequently as you used to, Mr. Jiggs," remarked the barber. "No," retorted his victim. "It seems that it takes my face longer to heal nowadays."—Buffalo Express.

You Can Get Allen's Foot-Ease FREE. Write Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y., for a free sample of Allen's Foot-Ease. It cures sweating, hot, swollen, aching feet. It makes new or tight shoes easy. A certain cure for corns, ingrowing nails and bunions. All druggists sell it. 25c. Don't accept any substitute. (adv)

He—The town you live in is rather arid socially, isn't it? She—Arid? Well, I should say so. Why, the soil there is so arid socially that you can't even raise your eyebrows.—Vanity Fair.

Cottonseed Flour.

It has recently been discovered that flour made from cottonseed is a valuable food for general consumption, and an inexpensive substitute for meat. It is remarkably high in protein, which is the nutrient, or flesh-producing, substance in meat, and is readily digested by the gastric juices. It is also said to be quite palatable and satisfying.

Cottonseed flour is made from the kernel of the seed after the oil has been pressed from it. It is a highly concentrated food and is in no way intended to replace wheat flour or other cereals, and cannot safely be so used, because an excess of protein is probably as damaging to the human system as a lack of it. It is supposed to be mixed with three or four parts of wheat flour and made into bread.

HOW MRS. BEAN MET THE CRISIS

Carried Safely Through Change of Life by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Nashville, Tenn.—"When I was going through the Change of Life I had a tumor as large as a child's head. The doctor said it was three years coming and gave me medicine for it until I was called away from the city for some time. Of course I could not go to him then, so my sister-in-law told me that she thought



Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound would cure it. It helped both the Change of Life and the tumor and when I got home I did not need the doctor. I took the Pinkham remedies until the tumor was gone, the doctor said, and I have not felt it since. I tell every one how I was cured. This letter will help others you are welcome to use it."—Mrs. E. H. BEAN, 123 Joseph Avenue, Nashville, Tenn.

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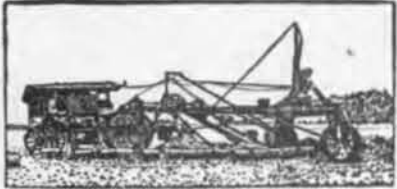
TRENCHES FOR DRAINS

Ditching Plows Will Prove of Material Assistance.

Apparatus for Digging Ditches for Tile Drainage Systems May Be Obtained at Prices Ranging From \$18 to \$6,000.

(From the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Some form of trenching machinery will prove a profitable investment, according to engineers in the United States department of agriculture, if the landowner has more than 100 rods of tile drain to lay in soil that will require picking but which is free from rock. Ditching plows that can be purchased for \$18 to \$20 will prove of material assistance in such work. If as much as 1,500 rods of tile drain are



Endless Chain Machine.

to be laid the landowner will be justified in purchasing a horse-drawn plow at \$250 to \$300, provided the soil is free from rock and large roots. The installation of 5,000 rods of drain tile will justify the purchase of a power-driven trenching machine for \$1,500, provided the machine can subsequently be sold for one-half its original cost.

The various types of trenching machines are divided, in Farmers' Bulletin 698, a new publication of the department, into four classes: (1) Plows and scoops, (2) wheel excavators, (3) endless-chain excavators, (4) scraper excavators. The plows and scoops range in price from \$18 for a simple ditching plow to loosen the dirt and make hand shoveling easier, to plows costing \$300 and fitted with devices for lifting out the dirt and trimming the trenches. The other three classes are usually elaborate machines costing \$1,200 to \$6,000, which may not be profitable investments for the average farmer who has only a small amount of draining to do. However, where there is much drainage to be done it will be well for the landowner to investigate the advisability of purchasing some trencher which has a detachable tractor. When not needed for trenching, the tractor may be easily separated from the digging apparatus and used in all the ways in which a farm tractor is ordinarily employed. Another method of securing the services of a power machine is for several landowners to combine in purchasing and using it.

Three things are required of a good trenching machine, namely: (1) It must operate efficiently through various kinds of soil; (2) it must be capable of cutting true to grade; (3) it must work for long periods without breaking or otherwise getting out of order. Probably none of the plows or scoops cuts accurately to grade, and some hand work is necessary to make the trench smooth for laying the tile properly. However, their low cost makes it profitable to employ them on work that would not justify the use of more expensive machinery.

The cost of trenching by machinery must include, besides the expense for operation and repairs, interest on the investment and proper charges for depreciation of the machine. The interest and depreciation charges are continuous; whether the machine is working or idle. The real difference in cost of trenching by machinery and by



Ditching Plow.

hand is not so great as it is often supposed to be, but many times there are advantages in having the work done quickly or in employing only a few men instead of a large number. The more expensive machines will be profitable if the owners can keep them busy a large part of the time.

PLOWING UNDER GREEN CROP

Greatest Benefits Derived by Applying Light Top Dressing of Yard or Stable Manure.

If you would gain the greatest benefit from plowing under a green crop give it a light top-dressing of yard or stable manure before plowing. So little as five spreader loads per acre will return a handsome dividend. Decaying manure contains great numbers of bacteria which the Missouri station finds beneficial in helping the green crop to decay and become available for the crop which is planted.

KEEP HENS FREE FROM LICE

Vermin Steal Vitality That Food Gives Little Chicks If Mother Hen Is Infested.

Hens brooding chicks must be kept free from vermin of all kinds or a part of the food fed to the youngsters will be thrown away because the lice will take the vitality that the food gives the youngsters.

Restless Rich Women Could Find Contentment in Helping Others

By LAURA JEAN LIBBEY

There's never a heart, however downcast. However dreary and lone, But hath some memory of the past To love and call its own.

Not to know contentment is one of the saddest plights a woman can be placed in. To have so much money that her every wish may be gratified is a doubtful blessing to many a woman. Many a wife of wealth does not know what a happy home life means.

The majority of rich women spend their time as they like and make no complaint if their husbands do likewise. If he is satisfied to spend three or four evenings a week at his different clubs, entertaining his coterie of congenial friends on his yacht or motoring trips for weeks at a time, she makes no demur. They are both in the mad pursuit of pleasure, if it takes them by different routes.

Whose fault is it? Even children do not bind them to the four walls of home. The boys are sent at an early age to preparatory schools and then to college, and girls likewise. Even their vacations they elect to spend with their girl or boy chums, explaining: "Why should we go home—father or mother is never there. One is in the mountains for the summer,

Greatest Telescope in World, Now Building, to Weigh Above 500 Tons

Several years ago the Canadian government decided that it wanted the largest telescope in the world, to be set up in the clear air of Vancouver for photographing thousands of stars that had never been photographed before—stars almost inconceivably distant. Light travels at the rate of about 186,000 miles a second; yet some of the starlight to be snared by the Vancouver instrument has been speeding through space for perhaps a million years since it left home, says a writer in the American Magazine.

Of course the job was given to Brashear. A gigantic parabolic mirror—the largest ever made in one piece—was cast in France. It weighed in the rough 4,968 pounds and was 73 inches in diameter. Nearly 400 pounds of glass had been taken from that lens when I saw it in Doctor Brashear's shop, where it is kept in an underground chamber, protected from all air currents. When it is completed and mounted, the telescope will weigh more than 500 tons.

An Individual Lifeboat.

"Carry your own lifeboat," is the motto of an Italian inventor, G. Piperno, who has visited England with what is probably the most ambitious lifesaving appliance on record.

When not in use the apparatus is packed into what looks like a man's suitcase, measuring 24 inches by 16 inches by 8 inches, and weighing 20 pounds. When disaster is imminent the passenger brings the suitcase on deck, breaks the seal, and the apparatus opens out and becomes a small boat.

If it is necessary to abandon the ship, the passenger steps into his private boat, closes the outer cover, and launches his craft by hurling himself overboard. Then, according to Mr. Piperno, the apparatus rights itself in the water, the top cover is thrown open, and the occupant finds himself sitting in an absolutely unsinkable ship.

For Outdoor Wear.

Washable satin skirts are prettily finished by belts and folds of colored corduroy. Some of the quiet, prim-looking little dress bodices are almost childlike in simplicity. Among leather handbags favored colors are brown, blue, green, amethyst, gray and purple.

A well-cut, very simple suit of navy serge is given undeniable smartness by white braid bindings. The military belt is fashionably made of suede, with strapings of black patent leather and a small buckle.

Some of the prettiest sports suits have coats of gray silk stockinet, trimmed with the same material as the skirt—striped Japanese crepe, heavy weight.

Get Rid of the Flies.

Flies are a menace to health as well as an extreme annoyance. They thrive and propagate themselves in filth. Therefore, clean up every place about the premises, especially manure piles, that might furnish a breeding spot.

the other, who cannot endure mountain scenery, is at the seashore."

Few of the restless rich women get any tasks for themselves. Once in a while one hears of an Anne Morgan who is an exception to the rule, who sees to it that many a struggling working girl, too poor to afford a vacation, gets a few weeks' outing at her expense before planning where she will go herself. It was she who started the cult among the rich of making the lives of the working class happier, more worth the living. Some few followed in Anne Morgan's footsteps. The majority, soon wearied of making personal efforts to bring joy into lonely lives, contenting themselves by sending a check when it was impossible to evade it, to be used or not used for the purpose designated, it did not matter much to them. It was therefore left with the few to carry on the good work.

There would be less restlessness among rich women and more contented hearts if each one would set an allotted task for herself of bringing joy to at least one poor, deserving household, finding employment for a brave lad who could not find employment because of lack of influence, or keeping a sick mother whose starving brood, clung to her skirts, to tide over the cruel weeks of illness in her own home without having to break it up, her children placed in institutions to be gathered together again about her knee; perhaps never.

Restlessness would soon vanish if women would but make themselves as useful as ornamental in this great busy workaday world. To each one is given an allotted task. Those who shirk will be held accountable later on.

A Few Smiles.

The Exception.

"Ability to make friends easily is a great help to a man who is running for office."

"That depends on the office he's after."

"Yes?"

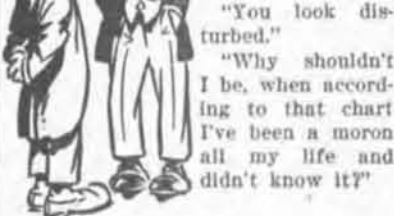
"The presidential nomination seems to fight shy of a man who's a good mixer."

Painful Discovery.

"I've just been studying one of those tests to prove whether or not a person is feeble-minded."

"You look disturbed."

"Why shouldn't I be, when according to that chart I've been a moron all my life and didn't know it?"



Roughing It.

"Those young women are evidently taking their military training seriously."

"No doubt of that."

"Yes?"

"Why, there isn't a hair-dressing parlor in thirty miles of their camp."

His Opinion.

"Do you think the average girl will accept a man as soon as he proposes?"

"As soon as he proposes? Great Scott, man, she'll accept him as soon as he begins to propose."

Brilliant Success.

"Was the charity ball a success?"

"I should say so. The debutantes had about ten thousand dollars worth of fun and two hundred dollars was raised for the poor."

Appropriate.

"What is the name of your dog?"

"Macbeth."

"That's a curious name for a dog."

"He howls a great deal at night. I got the idea from that quotation 'Macbeth does murder sleep.'"



A Real Friend.

"Dodge volunteered to lend me some money."

"Did you take it?"

"No. That sort of friendship is too good to lose."

A Flight Every Day.

"Do you think Patrice will marry that young aviator?"

"Can't say. However, she seems much taken up with him."

Use for Old Magazines.

Magazines are often thrown away because of the rapidity with which they accumulate. Since most readers care to save only certain articles, a good plan is to tear the magazines apart, removing the desired articles and binding them in a separate volume. If this is carefully and systematically done, and an index prepared, the volume will be of value and interest.

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Wald Big Price for Ram.

The price of mutton has gone up in Australia. When the Red Cross fund was being raised one wealthy sheepowner presented a ram to be sold by auction and the proceeds devoted to the fund. The ram was sold in Sydney. The auctioneer who wielded the hammer made an eloquent appeal to the pastoralists and others present to see to it that the ram brought a sum worthy of the object, and one that would live for ever in the history of these sales. The ram, which was appropriately named "Australia Day," was sold and resold 22 times, mostly in straightout bids, and when 2,000 guineas had been realized he was put up for final sale and knocked down at 200 guineas (\$1,020)

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His Unsatisfied Yearn.

"I have long desired to be a sheriff and capture a blonde wood nymph who in form and trimmings resembled the Venus de Milo," confessed J. Fuller Gleam. "Two obstacles have prevented. I couldn't be elected sheriff if there was no other candidate in the race against me, and there are no blonde wood nymphs running loose anywhere except in the imaginations of the correspondents."—Kansas City Star

To quickly cool burns and take the fire out use Hanford's Balsam. Adv.

Storage in Cato's Day.

Storage of crops against a favorable time for selling appears to be no new idea. We find a grain of sound advice in Cato's writings 2,000 years ago:

"Let your buildings be proportioned to your estate. It is fitting that the farm buildings should be well constructed, that you should have ample of cellars and wine vats, and a good supply of casks, so that you can wait for high prices, something that will redound to your honor, your profit and your self-respect."

Evidently the problem of getting the best prices was then, as now, a question of providing storage facilities, either on the individual farm or for a group of farms, such as were included in most Roman estates.—Country Gentleman.

One remedy with many uses—Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh. Adv.

All Are on Time at Sydney.

At Sydney, Australia, any telephone subscriber can now obtain correct standard time by calling up the Sydney observatory, says the Scientific American. If he wishes merely to check his watch or clock, he asks for "Time," and is connected with an operator who reads off the correct time to the nearest half minute from a clock controlled by the standard clock of the observatory. If more accurate information is required, he asks for "Exact time," and is connected with a high frequency buzzer which transmits the actual beats of the observatory clock.

Ambition is good sauce, but poor food.

Nothing More Lacking.

"Young man," said the elderly millionaire, "my daughter has had every luxury."

"Every luxury but one, perhaps, and that one I am in a position to supply, sir."

"What do you mean?"

"A husband."

Sore Eyes

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I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Supervisor, from the Third Supervisorial district (San Rafael, Sonoita, Elgin, Canille, etc.) of Santa Cruz county, subject to the action of the voters at the election Nov. 7, 1916.
GEO. W. PARKER.
Regular Democratic nominee.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Supervisor from the first district (Nogales), subject to the will of the voters at the election, Nov. 7, 1916.
JAMES A. HARRISON.
Regular Democratic nominee.

County Superintendent of Schools
I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of County Superintendent of Schools of Santa Cruz county, subject to the action of the voters at the election Nov. 7, 1916.
JOSEPHINE A. SAXON.
Regular Democratic nominee.

County Recorder
I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the above office and respectfully ask the voters of Santa Cruz County for their support.
ARCUS REDDOCH.
Regular Democratic Nominee. "One Good Term Deserves Another."

Representative
I hereby respectfully solicit the support of the electors of Santa Cruz Co. for the office of Representative in the lower house of the State Legislature.
THEODORA MARSH.
Regular Democratic nominee.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Representative in the lower house of the State Legislature from this county, subject to the action of the voters at the election Nov. 7, 1916.
J. R. COLLIE.
Republican nominee. Patagonia, Ariz.

CHARLES L. HARDY
-for-
County Attorney
Regular Democratic nominee.

VICTOR J. WAGER
-for-
County Assessor
Regular Democratic nominee.

ARTHUR H. DE RIEMER
of Nogales
Republican Candidate for Office
-of-
COUNTY ATTORNEY

Senator
I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of State Senator from Santa Cruz County and most respectfully solicit the votes of the electorate upon my past record.
RICHARD FARRELL.
Regular Democratic Nominee.

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The Curse of War

(By W. G. SHEPHERD, War Correspondent, in The Cleveland Press.)
I have been on every front in Europe and in every capital except Petrograd. On the fronts I have seen the horrors of war. And in the capitals I have seen the efforts of the various fighting nations to draw the United States into war.
In war thinking men become unthinking beasts. Men of business, science and achievement stop their work and become mere physical units in an army. Youths drop their life dreams and their futures. Ambitions crumble. Home and family plans are swept aside.
The blight of hate reaches into the innermost corner of every city, of every home, of every heart. Worse things than death fall to the lot of millions of human beings in war, including mental and moral decay.
Into the situation which would produce these terrible changes I have seen all the nations of Europe endeavor to drag the United States. From those capitals I have watched Washington get the United States out of one plot after another.
Sometimes we in Europe, who were seeing the European side of the picture—the efforts of the allies to draw us into war with Germany; the efforts of the Germans to draw us into war with the allies—held our breaths. There were times when it seemed that war would be the only way out.
I have seen Germans rejoicing at the prospect of having the United States quarrel with the allies; I have seen the allies wild with delight over the chance that the United States would go to war with Germany over the Lusitania or some other incident.
But always, sane, sound, steady, the United States came through. It was a magnificent thing to see from our point of vantage in Europe. It made one thrill to realize that the United States was his own country.
Now, when I return home, I find an election campaign under way. I hear men say that we have peace without honor. We, in the European capitals, who saw our government escape the war traps, felt no loss of honor. We were always able to look the other fellow in the eye and be proud. No one over there ever seriously charged us with loss of honor. We were proud of American sanity and of American statesmanship, and that cool, calm reckoning of the American people which prevented them from being stampeded.
It was a fine, thrilling thing to be an American in European capitals and to know that in our own capital at Washington there were men as shrewd and as far-sighted as any of the statesmen of Europe; to know, also, that the statesmen in Washington were steadier, saner, less influenced by hate and bitterness and better able to judge right and wrong, than the wisest statesman in Europe.
And to come home now to the United States and witness the attempts to thrust from the guidance of American affairs the government which has led the United States through this maze of diplomacy and machinations, is to one who has witnessed affairs from the European end, little short of terrifying. It is like playing with dynamite.
There is no politics in European nations today. Governments are being held in their places by coalitions. Among the neutrals this also is true. Holland has no politics, and it is safe; Switzerland has no politics, and it is safe. Greece did have politics, and behold Greece today. To come home and to behold the working of politics in this world crisis is, I repeat, little short of terrifying.
With all the European peoples doing all they can, even to abandoning elections, in order to keep their governments intact, there are persons in the United States who, out of sheer politics, seek to overthrow the government.
Do you know why Zeppelins fly over London? It is not to destroy arsenals or kill soldiers. It is to disgust the British people with their government and to provoke them to upset it on the ground that it is not protecting them. In the United States some of us are trying to upset our own government at a time when the war crisis demands stability and continuance of the government.
Most nations, in this crisis, have abolished elections. This was not necessary in the United States, nor would it have been possible. But this coming election ought to be a mere formality. The vote ought to mean in so many words:
"You have done well, Mr. President; carry on."

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PUBLIC AUCTION SALE
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STATE LAND DEPARTMENT
Phoenix, Arizona, Aug. 28, 1916.
In conformity with the provisions of the Public Land Code of the State of Arizona, approved June 26, 1915, notice is hereby given that the state of Arizona will on Thursday, November 9, 1916, at 10 a. m., at the county court house, Tucson, Arizona, sell at public auction the following school lands in Pima county, Arizona, and also certain improvements thereon, which have been officially appraised, viz:
All Sec. 36, T. 19 S., R. 18 E., 640 acres more or less, appraised at \$1920.00. Improvements, claimed by William Banning Vail, at \$181.00.
No bid for less than the appraised valuations will be considered. Rental arrears, if any, together with such interest as may be due thereon, must be liquidated in accordance with the requirements of the Public Land Code. Full information concerning the land, improvements, and sale conditions may be obtained from the State Land Department, Phoenix, Arizona.
STATE LAND DEPARTMENT.
By W. A. MOEUR, Commissioner.
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Notice for Publication
018824-024474
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, September 6, 1916.
Notice is hereby given that William J. Fling of Elgin, Arizona, who on Aug. 21, 1912, made Homestead Entry No. 018824, for E½ SE¼ and E½ NE¼ 1-4, section 17; and on March 2, 1914, made additional Hd. Entry No. 024474, for the W 1-2 SE 1-4 and SE 1-4 SE 1-4, section 8, and SW 1-4 SW 1-4, section 9, all in township 20 S., range 18 E., G&SR Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. A. O'Connor, U. S. Commissioner, at Nogales, Arizona, on the 23rd day of October, 1916.
Claimant names as witnesses: William S. McKnight, Emmon D. Johnson, Thomas P. Thompson (3) of Nogales, Arizona, and Michael T. Lavelle of Elgin, Arizona.
Thomas F. Weedin, Register.
First publication Sept. 15-10-13-16

Notice for Publication
016727
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, Sept. 28, 1916.
Notice is hereby given that Demetrio Amado of Amadoville, Arizona, who on Feb. 16, 1912, made Desert Land Entry No. 016727 for Lots 3 and 4, section 13, and lots 1 and 2, section 21, township 20 S., range 12 E., G&SR Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final proof to establish claim to the land above described, before W. A. O'Connor, U. S. Commissioner, at Nogales, Arizona, on the 20th day of November, 1916.
Claimant names as witnesses: Carl W. White, Francisco M. Gallego, Frank Valenzuela, Gabino Grijalva, all of Amadoville, Arizona.
Thomas F. Weedin, Register.
First publication 10-6-11-3-16

Notice for Publication
020804
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, Sept. 28, 1916.
Notice is hereby given that Francisco Pons of San Rafael, Arizona, who on Feb. 1, 1913, made Homestead Entry No. 020804 for ne¼ section 13, and on Sept. 7, 1916, made Additional Hd. Entry No. 030944, for Lots 1, 2 and 3, section 13, all in township 23 S., range 17 E., G&SR Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year final proof to establish claim to the land above described, before W. A. O'Connor, U. S. Commissioner, at Nogales, Arizona, on the 20th day of November, 1916.
Claimant names as witnesses: Geo. W. Parker, Wm. D. Parker of San Rafael, Arizona; Victor J. Wager, Raymond R. Earhart, of Nogales, Ariz.
Thomas F. Weedin, Register.
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Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, Sept. 13, 1916.
Notice is hereby given that Albert Ashberry Gatlin of Patagonia, Arizona, who on April 17, 1913, made Homestead Entry No. 021496 for Lot 1, sw¼ sec¼ and n¼ sec¼, section 11, township 22 S., range 15 E., G&SR Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year final proof to establish claim to the land above described before W. A. O'Connor, U. S. Commissioner, at Nogales, Arizona, on the 31st day of October, 1916.
Claimant names as witnesses: Lawrence E. Sipe, Clarence J. Trask, George L. Stevens and Jesse L. Gatlin, all of Patagonia, Arizona.
Thomas F. Weedin, Register.
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Notice for Publication
016046
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, August 30, 1916.
Notice is hereby given that John C. White of Elgin, Arizona, who on November 16, 1911, made Homestead Entry No. 016046, for NE¼ section 20, township 20 S., range 18 E., G&SR Meridian, and on April 17, 1914, made Additional Homestead Entry No. 024813 for W½ SE¼ and W½ NE¼ section 17, township 20 S., range 18 E., G&SR Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three year final proof to establish claim to the land above described before W. A. O'Connor, U. S. Commissioner, at Nogales, Arizona, on the 23rd day of October, 1916.
Claimant names as witnesses: William J. Fling of Elgin, Ariz., Michael T. Lavelle of Elgin, Ariz., Emmon D. Johnson of Nogales, Ariz., Thomas P. Thompson of Nogales, Ariz.
Thomas F. Weedin, Register.
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