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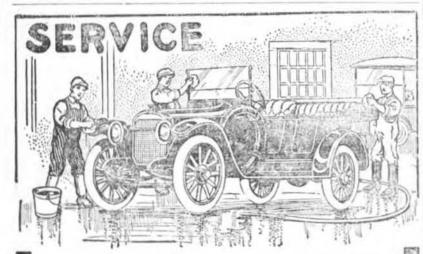
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#### No Further Advance in Fees for Grazing

The secretary of agriculture announced recently that further advance of grazing fees on the national forests will be deferred for the present. He also announced that no change will be made at this time in the existing regulations governing the issuance of grazing permits for more than one year. The reasons for this course have been set forth by Secretary Houston in an identical letter to the secretaries of the American Live Stock Association and the National Woolgrowers' Association. The letter, in part, follows:

"The further study of the value of grazing privileges on lands within the different national forests, referred to in my letter of Feb. 1, 1917, has been made during the past summer and indicates that in general the fees charged this year are still below the real value of the forage. In the meantime, however, many important changes have hes in order to keep up the country's supply of beef, mutton, hides and wool, not only for our own use but also to help meet the needs of the allies.

the national forests for the present, which is now down 70 feet. Whether the postponement will continue until the close of the war, I canof forecasting probable economic deor changes as may seem advisable to entirely satisfactory. adjust and correlate the fees between certain forests or groups of forests."

#### MISS OLLIE STONE WEDS 35TH INFANTRYMAN

December 8th, in Nogales, Miss Ollie Stone, youngest child of S. P. Agent F. A. Stone, became the bride of Chester A. Broyles, a soldier of the 35th infantry, Chaplin Eusey officiating. Many friends of the young couple, and the bride's parents, were in attendance at the ceremony, musicians of the 35th regiment farnishing the music for an impromptu dance which followed. In the absence of an officer's sword, the bride was shown one of the many uses

wedded life follow the newlyweds.

#### NEWS OF THE MINES

Christmas toys, candies; dairy lunch, hot drinks at Peerless Parlors .-- Adv.

Mr. J. V. Burge, of Twin Lakes, Colo., is in Patagonia looking after his mining interests in the Red Rock district. He intends to remain here indef-

Ed. Massey, deputy mine inspector, of Bisbee, was in Patagonia this week. He recently located some mining claims djoining the Henry Ford, in which he is interested.

Mr. J. W. Wilson of Nogales, interested in mining property in the Harshaw district, was out to inspect his claims and arrange for their further development.

Mr. James Rooney of Ft. Stockton' Texas, arrived this week in Patagonia to inspect the group of claims in the Red Rock district recently taken over by Lee Rengan, with whom he is inter-

Lee Reagan has leased the Verde and other claims in the Red Rock mining taken place, due to the present war district belonging to N. Stanley and of a load of hay and was scriously in conditions, and the stockmen have been Theodore Faunce. The property is a jured. He is confined to his bed. called upon to overcome many difficul- very promising one and good ore is in sight in large quantity, it is reported.

A J. Hooks and Dale Goodrich, lesseer of the Sunlight group of claims, in here, the Wrightson district, close to Pata-"In view of this situation, I have de- | gonia, have just returned from Bisbee, cided to defer action in connection with where they pure ased a hoist to be used any further increase in grazing fees on in taking out the ore from the shaft,

Mr. C. A. Pierce, engineer in charge of the Mansfield mine, reports that the not now determine, since I have no way company has set up a new churn drilling outfit and is continuing the work of velopments. For the time being the prospecting to determine the size of grazing fees now in force will be con- the ore bodies started some time ago. tinued, with the exception of such min- Mr. Pierce says the showing so far is

> The Basic group of claims, owned by George Weiland of Harshaw, under lease to the T. E. Mumme kinning Co. of San Antonio, Texas, will begin tonmodiately the shipment of are, There a large body of ore backed out on

> this property which carries more than 7 per cent copper, it is said, Mesers, Joe Miller and H. F. Schoerer,

who recently acquired the Castle Butte mine, are making preparations to commence active operations. Already lumber has been taken to the preserve and the crection of a house has begun. We anticipate that the Castle Sutte will be one of the big producers of this section,

Chas. W. Ciark, owner of the Trench increasing owing to the holiday season, mine at Harshaw, is here inspecting the A farewell dance was Thursday sight bride was shown one of the many uses to which a bayonet can be put in times agement of John Hoy, is developing into one of the best properties currounding Patagonia. Mr. Clark is investing considerable capital in the Trench, and Good wishes for a long and happy it will be returned with interest when ore shipments begin,

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#### LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Nick Farrell of the San Rafael valley spent Tuesday in Nogales.

Dairy lunches, hot drinks, Christmas candies, toys. Peerless Parlors, -Adv. "Kid" O'Toole has taken a position with the Montana mine near Nogales.

W. S. McKnight of Nogales stopped p Patagonia Wednesday on his way to onoita and Elgin.

Mr. E. E. Bethel of the Washington Trading Co. was a business visitor to Nogales last Monday.

Jarvis Reed, nephew of Mrs. E. E. Bethel, is on an extended visit here from his home in Greeley, Colo.

Jim Reagan was in town Tuesday light from Elgin, where he has a well brilling outlit in operation.

B. Lewis of Parker Canyon, accom-panied by Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Young of San Refael, was a Patagonia visitor esterday. Mr. R. E. Kohler of Bisbec, repre

senting a large mine machinery com-pany, was registered at the Commercial Hotel Monday. Mr. A. L. Kinsley of the San Rafael valley last Saturday fell from the top

Bu, J. Whiteside, well-known former

Patagonian, in sending in a request to have his subscription tonewed send kindest regards to his many friends

A marriage license was issued Mon-day by County Clerk Mrs. Lona Mix to Leonard Brooks and Miss Elizabeth Adams, both well-known residents of

Have you seen the life-size Baby Dell at the Washington Trading Co. which will be given away on the evening of December 24th? With a purchase of 25 cents or over a ticket will be given

Mrs. M. A. Fryer and son, Kent, have aken over the Commercial Hotel din-ng room, and in future travelers and ther hungry mortals may secure meals like mother used to" prepare.

has accepted a position as bookkeeper with the Evans Mercantile Company nd has rented the Jule Trask home, in hich he will shortly install his family, who will move here from the coast.

Mr. C. L. Northeraft spent Tuesday in Nogales, and went through the pass-port mall, and after being separated from \$4.50 he was allowed to cross the line into the land of perpetual rev-cution. He reports that business men in Nogales are somewhat handi-capped because their Mexican customers, many of them, cannot or will not secure personness, thereby reducing their volume of business when it should b

A farewell dance was Thursday night iven in benor of Miss Gertrude Parker, who has been spending several weeks visiting her father, Mr. F. B. Parker, The strair was bergely attended, and a pleasant evening was passed. Miss Parker has made many friends here, and it was with regret that she was seen to depart on this morning's train,

in company with her father, for Los Angeles, where her mother resides. week's visit to the coust.

#### MARGARET HOLDEN AND

MARGARET HOLDEN AND
JOE KANE ARE MARRIED
Miss Margaret Holden, nicce of Ben
Powell, and Joe Kane, son of Mr. and
Mrs. James Kane, were married last
Saturday evening by Justice Francis,
The ceremony was performed at the
nome of the brilegroom's parents in
the presence of a small party of relethe presence of a small party of rela-

the presence of a small party of relatives and friends.

The young couple or ried upon their matrimonial c reer followed by the best wishes of a host of friends.

Hot drinks, dairy lunches, Christmas novelties, toys. Peerless Pariors, -Adv.



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#### Patagonian Today Begins Its 6th Year

With this week's issue the Santa Cruz Patagonian starts upon the sixth year of its existance, with every promse of living to a ripe old age.

Five years ago, on the 12th day of December, Messrs. Price & Waddell conceived the idea of establishing a newspaper in this camp, and with many misgivings concerning the success of the venture they bounched the Patagonian upon the journalistic sea. The paper was at that time received and supported with enthusiasm by the businers men, miners and ranchers of the community. But, like all things new, it had to have a thorough trial to prove itself as a permanent and beneficial institution. That it has done so is proved by the fact that it has doubled in size and its circulation reaches from coast to coast and from, and including, Canado to Mexico. Local and foreign advertizers also value it as a medium of publicity for their business establishments, as is shown by the constant and evernereasing amount of space used by them. Like wine, the Patagonian improves with age.

While the opportunity is at hand, the diter wishes to impress upon the mind of the people the fact that a newspaper is not a business, but an institution, and as such should receive the hearty support and co-operation of the community in which it is published. It can not exist without money any more than a school or other public institution, and the subscribers and advertisers are the channels through which the money must come. Those channels have been kept open for this paper to a certain extent, but there will have to be a little dredging comtantly done in the way of increased colaboration on the part of Mr. R. H. Williams of Los Angeles the public if it wishes to increase the effectiveness of its newspaper.

> We take this occasion to thank the patrons of the Patagonian for the support they have given it in the past, and to hope they will continue it in the fu-

Peerless Parlors serves lunches and ot drinks. Christmus toys .-- Adv.

The S. P. paint crew has returned to finish painting the company's buildings here. Station Agent Stone will likely again be driven from home until the atmosphere around the depot becomes uitable for breathing purposes.

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## PRESIDENT TELLS **WORLD AMERICA'S** AIMS IN THE WAR

Declares Prussian Autocracy and Oppression Must Be Done Away With.

#### **DEMANDS FULL REPARATION**

No Desire to Interfere With Internal Affairs of Central Nations, but Peace Cannot Be Made With Germany's Present Rulers-Declaration of War on Austria-Hungary.

Washington, Dec. 4 .- President Wilson in his message to congress today declared emphatically for a peace based on generosity and justice after German autocracy "shall first be shown the utter futility of its claims to power or leadership in the modern world."

The message follows:

"Gentlemen of the Congress-Eight months have elapsed since I last had the honor of addressing you. They have been months crowded with events of lmm use and grave significance for us. I shall undertake to detail or even to summarize these events. The practical particulars of the part we have played in them will be laid before you in the reports of the executive departments. I shall discuss only our present outlook upon these vast affairs, our present duties, and the immediate means of accomplishing the objects we shall hold always in view,

"I shall not go back to debate the causes of the war. The intolerable wrongs done and planned against us by the sinister masters of Germany have long since become too grossly obvious and odious to every true Amer ican to need to be rehearsed. But I shall ask you to consider again and with a very grave scruttny our objectives and the measures by which we mean to attain them; for the purpose of discussion here in this place is action, and our action must move straight towards definite ends.

Must Win the War.

"Our object is, of course, to win the war; and we shall not slacken or suffer ourselves to be diverted until it is won. But it is worth while asking and answering the question: When shall we consider the war won?

"From one point of view it is not necessary to breach this fundamental matter. I do not doubt that the American people know what the war is about and what sort of an outcome they will regard as a realization of their purpose in it. As a nation we are united in spirit and intention. I pay little heed to those who tell me otherwise. I hear the voices of dissent-who does not? I hear the criticism and the clamour of the noisy, thoughtless and troublesome. I also see men here and there fling themselves in Impotent disloyalty against the calm, indomitable power of the na tion. I hear men debate peace who understand neither its nature nor the way in which we obtain it with uplifted eyes and unbroken spirits. But I known that none of these speaks for the nation. They do not touch the heart of anything. They may safely be left to strut their uneasy hour and be forgotten.

#### No Peace by Compromise.

"But from another point of view I believe that it is necessary to say plainly what we here at the seat of action consider the war to be for and what part we mean to play in the settlement of its searching issues.

"We are the spokesmen of the American people, and they have a right to know whether their purpose is ours. They desire peace by the overcoming of evil, by the defent once for all of the sinister forces that interrupt peace and render it impossible, and they wish to know how closely our thought runs with theirs, and what action we propose. They are impatient with those who desire peace by any sort of compromise-deeply and indignantly impatient-but they will be equally impatient with us if we do not make it plain to them what our obfectives are and what we are planning for in seeking to make conquest of peace by arms.

Menace Must Be Crushed.

"I believe that I speak for them when I say two things: First, that this intolerable thing of which the masters of Germany have shown us the ugly face, this menace of combined intrigue and force which we now see so clearly as the German power, a Thing without conscience or honor or capacity for covenanted peace, must be crushed and, if it is not utterly brought to an end, at least shut out from the friendly intercourse of the nations; and, second, when this Thing and its power are indeed defeated and the time comes that we can discuss peace-when the German people have spokesmen whose words we can be-Heve and when those spokesmen are ready in the name of their people to accept the common judgment of the nations as to what shall henceforth be the bases of law and of covenant for the life of the world-we shall be willing and glad to pay the full price for peace, and pay it ungrudgingly. We know what that price | could be more grossly or wantonly

will be. It will be full impartial fustice-justice done at every point and to every nation that the final settlement must affect, our enemies as well as our friends,

Final and Convincing Lesson.

"You catch with me, the voices of humanity that are in the nir. They grow dally more audible, more articuate, more persuasive, and they come from the hearts of men everywhere. They insist that the war shall not end in vindictive action of any kind; that no nation or people shall be robbed or punished because the irresponsible rulers of a single country have themselves done deep and damnable wrong. It is this thought that has been expressed in the formula 'No annexations, no contributions, no punitive indemnities.' Just because this crude formula expresses the instinctive ludgment as to right of plain men every where, it has been made diligent use of by the masters of German Intrigue to lead the people of Russia astrayand the people of every country their agents could reach, in order that a premature peace might be brought about before autocracy has been taught its final and convincing lesson, and the people of the world put in control of their own destinles."

Right as the Arbiter.

"But the fact that a wrong use has been made of a just idea is no reason why a right use should not be made of it. It ought to be brought under the patronage of its real friends. Let it be said again that autocracy must first be shown the utter futility of its claims to power or leadership in the modern world. It is impossible to apply any standard of justice so long as such forces are unchecked and undefeated as the present masters of Germany command. Not until this has been done can Right be set up as arbiter and peacemaker among the nations, But when that has been done-as, God willing, it assuredly will be-we shall at last be free to do an unprecedented thing, and this the time to avow our purpose to do lt. We shall be free to base peace on generosity and Justice, to the exclusion of all selfish claims to advantage even on the part of the vic-

To Win War Our Present Task. "Let there be no misunderstanding. Our present and immediate task is to win the war, and nothing shall turn us aside from it until it is accomplished. Every power and resource we possess, whether of men, of money, or of materials, Is being devoted and will continue to be devoted to that purpose until it is achieved. Those who desire to bring peace about before that purpose is achieved I counsel to carry their advice elsewhere. We will not entertain it. We shall regard the war as won only when the German people sny to us, through properly accredited representatives, that they are ready to agree to a settlement based upon Justice and the reparation of the wrongs their rulers have done. They have done a wrong to Belgium which must be repaired. They have established a power over other lands and people than their own-over the great empire of Austria-Hungary, other hitherto free Balkan states, over Turkey, and within Asia-which must be relinquished.

Must End German Autocracy. "Germany's success by skill, by industry, by knowledge, by enterprise. we did not grudge or oppose, but admired, rather. She had built up for herself a real empire of trade and influence, secured by the peace of the world. We were content to ablde the ivalries of manufacture, science and commerce that were involved for us in her success and stand or fall as we had or did not have the brains and the initiative to surpass her. But at the moment when she had conspicuously won her triumphs of peace she threw them away, to establish in their stead what the world will no longer permit to be established, military and political domination by arms, by which to oust where she could not excel the rivals she most feared and hated. The peace we make must remedy that wrong. It must deliver the once fair lands and happy peoples of Belgium and northern France from the Prusslan conquest and the Prusslau menace, but it must also deliver the peoples of Austria-Hungary, the peoples of the Balkans, and the peoples of Turkey, alike in Europe and in Asia, from the impudent and allen dominion of the Prussian military and commercial autocracy.

To Manage Their Own Affairs. "We owe it, however, to ourselves to sny that we do not wish in any way to Impair or to re-arrange the Austro-Hungarian empire. It is no affair of ours what they do with their own life, either industrially or politically. We do not purpose or desire to dictate to them in any way. We only desire to see that their affairs are left in their own hands, in all matters, great or small. We shall hope to secure for the peoples of the Balkan pentusula and for the people of the Turkish empire the right and opportunity to make their own lives safe; their own fortunes secure against oppression or injustice and free from the dictation of foreign courts or parties.

"And our attitude and purpose with regard to Germany herself are of a like kind. We intend no wrong against the German empire; no interference with her internal affairs. We should deem either the one or the other absolutely unjustifiable, absolutely contrary to the principles we have professed to live by and to hold most sacred throughout our life as a na-

tion. German People Deceived.

"The people of Germany are being told by the men whom they now permit to deceive them and to act as their masters that they are fighting for the very life and existence of their empire; a war of desperate self-defense against deliberate aggression. Nothing

false, and we must seek by the ntmost openness and candor as to our real aims to convince them of its falseness. We are in fact fighting for their emancipation from fear, along with our own-from the fear as well as from the fact of unjust attack by neighbors or rivals or schemers after world empire. No one is threatening the existence of or the independence or the peaceful enterprise of th German empire.

Not Again to Be Trusted.

"The worst that can happen to the German people is this, that if they should still, after the war is over continue to be obligated to live under ambitious and intriguing masters interested to disturb the peace of the world, men or classes of men whom the other peoples of the world could not trust, it might be impossible to admit them to the partnership of nations which must benceforth guarantee the world's peace. That partnership must ie a partnership of peoples, not a mere partnership of governments. It might be impossible, also, in such untoward circumstances, to admit Germany to the free economic intercourse which must inevitably spring out of the other partnerships of a real peace. But there would be no aggression in that; and such a situation, inevitable because of distrust, would in the very nature of things sooner or later cure itself, by processes which would as suredly set in.

Wrongs Must Be Righted.

"The wrongs, the very deep wrongs ommitted in this war will have to be righted. That of course. But they annot and must not be righted by the ommission of similar wrongs against Germany and her allies.

"The world will not permit the com mission of similar wrongs as a means of reparation and settlement. Statesmen must by this time have learned that the opinion of the world is everywhere wide awake and fully comprehends the issues involved. No representative of any self-governed nation will dare disregard it by attempting any such covenants of selfishness and compromise as were entered into at the congress of Vienna. The thought of the plain people here and everywhere throughout the world, the people wh enjoy no privilege and have very simde and unsophisticated standards of right and wrong, is the air all governments must benceforth breathe if they would live. It is in the full disclosing light of that thought that all pollcies must be conceived and executed in this mid-day hour of the world's life,

People Have No Say.

"German rulers have been able to upet the pence of the world only because he German people were not suffered under their tutelage to share the comradeship of the other peoples of the world either in thought or in purpose They were allowed to have no opinion of their own which might be set up as rule of conduct for those who exerised authority over them. But the congress that concludes this war will feel the full strength of the tides that run now in the hearts and consciences of freedom everywhere. Its concluions will run with these tides.

"All these things have been true from the very beginning of this stupendous war; and I cannot help think ing that if they had been made plain at the very outset the sympathy and enthusiasm of the Russian people might have been once for all enlisted on the side of the allies, suspicion and distrust swept away, and a real and lasting union of purpose effected. Had they believed these things at the very moment of their revolution and had they been confirmed in that belief since, the sad reverses which have recently marked the progress of their offairs towards an ordered and stable government of freemen might have een avolded.

"The Russian people have been polsoned by the very same falsehoods that have kept the German people in the dark, and the poison has been administered by the very same hands. The only possible antidote is the truth. It cannot be uttered too plainly or too

Freedom of the Seas, "From every point of view, therefore, it has seemed to be my duty to speak these declarations of purpose, to dd these specific interpretations to what I took the liberty of saying to the conate in January. Our entrance into the war has not altered our attitude towards the settlement that must come when it is over. When I said in January that the nations of the world were entitled not only to free pathways upon the sea but also to assured and unmolested access to those pathways I was thinking, and I am thinking now, not of the smaller and weaker nations alone, which need our countenance and support, but also of the great and poworful nations, and of our present enemies as well as our present associates in the war. I was thinking, and am thinking now, of Austria berself, among the rest, as well as of Serbia and of Holand. Justice and equality of rights can be had only at a great price. We are seeking permanent, not temporary, foundations for the peace of the world and must seek this candidly and fearlessly. As always, the right will prove to be expedient.

Declare War on Austria.

"What shall we do, then, to push this great war of freedom and just to its righteous conclusion? We must clear away with a thorough hand all impediments to success and we must make every adjustment of law that will facilitate the full and free use of ur whole capacity and force as a

fighting unit. "One very embarrassing obstacle that stands in our way is that we are at war with Germany but not with her allies. I, therefore, very earnestly recommend that the congress immediately declare the United States in a state of

eem strange to you that this should be the conclusion of the argument I have just addressed to you? It is not, It is in fact the inevitable logic of what I have said. Austria-Hungary Is for the time being not her own mistress, but simply the vascal of the German government. We must face the facts as they are and act upon them without sentiment in this stern business. The government of Austria-Hungary is not acting upon its own initiative or in response to the wishes and feelings of its own peoples, but as the Instrument of another nation. We must meet its force with our own and regard the central powers as but one. The war can be successfully conducted In no other way.

As to Turkey and Bulgaria. "The same logic would lead also to declaration of war against Turkey and Bulgaria. They also are the tools of Germany. But they are mere tools and do not yet stand in the direct path of our necessary action. We shall go wherever the necessities of this war carry us, but it seems to me that we should go only where immediate and practical considerations land us and not heed any others.

"The financial and military measures which must be adopted will suggest themselves as the war and its undertakings develop, but I will take the liberty of proposing to you certain other acts of legislation which seem to me to be needed for the support of the war and for the release of our whole force and energy.

"It will be necessary to extend in certain particulars the legislation of the last session with regard to allen enemies; and also necessary, I believe, to create a very definite and particular control over the entrance and departure of all persons into and from the United States.

"Legislation should be enneted defining as a criminal offense every willful violation of the presidential proclamations relating to alien enemies promulgated under section 4067 of the Revised Statutes and providing appropriate punishments; and women as well as men, should be included under the terms of the acts placing restraints upon allen enemies. It is likely that as time goes on many alien enemies will be willing to be fed and housed at the expense of the government in the detention camps, and it would be the purpose of legislation I have suggested to confine offenders among them in penitentiaries and other simflar Institutions where they could be made to work as other criminals do.

Go Further in Fixing Prices. "Recent experience has convinced me that the congress must go further in authorizing the government to set limits to prices. The law of supply and demand, I am sorry to say, has been replaced by the law of unrestrained selfishness. While we have eliminated profiteering in several branches of industry, it still runs impudently rampant in others. The farmers, for example, complain with a great deal of justice, that while the regulation of food prices restricts their incomes, no restraints are placed upon the prices of most of the things they must themselves purchase, and similar iniquities obtain on all sides.

"It is imperatively necessary that the consideration of the full use of the water power of the country and also the consideration of the systematic and yet economical development of such of the natural resources of the country as are still under the control of the federal government should be and constructively dealt with at the earliest possible moment. The press ing need of such legislation is daily becoming more obvious,

A Word to the Lawmakers,

"The legislation proposed at the last session with regard to regulated combinations among our exporters, in order to provide for our foreign trade a more effective organization and method of co-operation, ought by all means to be completed at this session.

"And I beg that the members of the house of representatives will permit me to express the opinion that it will he impossible to deal in any but a very wasteful and extravagant fashlon with the enormous appropriations of the public moneys which must continue to be made, if the war is to be properly sustained, unless the house will consent to return to its former practice of initiating and preparing all approprintion bills through a single committee, in order that responsibility may be centered, expenditures standardized and made uniform and waste and du-

plication as much as possible avoided. "Additional legislation may also become necessary before the present congress again adjourns in order to effect the most efficient co-ordination and operation of the rallway and other transportation systems of the country; but to that I shall, if circumstances should demand, call the attention of the congress upon another occasion.

Concentrate on Winning War.

"If I have overlooked anything that ought to be done for the more effective conduct of the war, your own counsels will supply the omission. What I am perfectly clear about is that in the present session of the congress our whole attention and energy should be and successful presecution of the great task of winning the war.

"We can do this with all the greater zeal and enthusiasm because we know that for us this as a war of high principle, debased by no selfish ambition of conquest or spollation; because we know, and all the world knows, that we have been forced into it to save the corruption and destruction. The purposes of the central powers strike straight at the very heart of everything we believe in; their methods of warfare outrage every principle of hu- chance,-Christian Science Monitor.

war with Austria-Hungary. Does it | manity and of knightly honor; their intrigue has corrupted the very thought and spirit of many of our people; their sinister and secret diplomacy has sought to take our very territory away from us and disrupt the union of the states. Our safety would be at an end, our honor forever sullied and brought into contempt were we to permit their triumph. They are striking at the very existence of democracy and liberty.

Cause is Just and Holy.

"It is because it is for us a war of high, disinterested purpose, in which all the free peoples of the world are bunded together for the vindication of right, a war for the preservation of our nation, and of all that it has held dear of principle and of purpose, that we felt ourselves doubly constrained to purpose for its outcome only that which is righteous and of irreproachable intention, for our foes as well as for our friends. The cause being just and holy, the settlement must be of like motive and quality. For this we can fight, but for nothing less noble or less worthy of our traditions. For this cause we entered the war and for this cause will we buttle until the last gun Is fired.

"I have spoken plainly, because this seems to me the time when it is most necessary to speak plainly, in order that all the world may know that even in the heat and arder of the struggle and when our whole thought is of carrying the war through to its end we have not forgotten any ideal or principle for which the name of America has been beld in honor among the nations and for which it has been our glory to contend in the great generations that went before us. A supreme moment of history has come. The eyes of the people have been opened. and they see, The hand of God is laid. upon the nations. He will show them favor, I devoutly believe, only if they rise to the clear heights of his own justice and mercy,"

#### PARSIMONY IS NOT ECONOMY

Many People Able to Buy What They Want Use Situation as Excuse for Going Without.

It is a curious and mortifying condition of the prevailing "economy" that many people shundantly able to buy what they want use the situation as an excuse for going without. What does this profit them? It merely makes them richer at a time when the talk is of being poorer, says the Hartford Courant.

Food is one thing and clothes and other articles that shoppers buy are in a distinctly other class. When Smith cut down the sugar, there is more sugar for Jones, when Mrs. Smith goes without a cloak for which she can easily pay and which she expected to buy this season, she is not helping Mrs. Jones to get it; she is simply misering along in her simony.

The Mystery Explained.

Clifton Hess, an employee of the Pennsylvania railroad at Sheibyville, Ind., relates the Indianapolis News, looked out the window of the freight depot the other day and noticed a woman. A half hour later he looked ngalu and still saw the woman. She had changed her position only slightly, moving down the railroad track a few feet. She seemed to be strolling leisurely along, covering about a foot a minute.

Curious to determine the reason for her actions, Hess walked outside to get a better view. Then it was all = explained. The woman had a big Rhode Island Red rooster with a string tied to his leg. There had evidently been a leaky car of wheat along the railroad, and the roaster, oblivious to all else, was calmly filling his craw while the woman kept up with the procession.

Later on during the day the good news must have spread, for there appeared on the scene several other chickens with owners attached to them by strings. As the ground became clean the procession slowly moved from view,

Cantonment.

It is said that the reason why several high officials of the United States government continue to pronounce it "cantone-ment" is because they got started that way and are now unable to stop. The president, however, says "can-t'n-m'nt," with the accent on the first syllable. It is worthy of mention that Professor Hunt of Princeton puts it "con-tonn-ment." with the acconcentrated on the vigorous, rapid cent on the second syllable, thus disagreeing with a former head of that institution, and that while the president has the latest revisions of the Century, Webster's, Worcester's, and the Standard dictionaries on his side, Doctor Hunt is backed by Sir James A. M. Murray's new English and Stormonth's dictionaries. It is estimated that 50 per cent of the United States very institutions we live under from army and government officials insist on "can-tone-ment." The other 50 per cent, it may be presumed, follow President Wilson or Doctor Hunt, or give all the pronunciations an equal



It isn't so much a matter of time as it is of disposition that so many things we could do are left undone.

Some men seem to have the horseess brand of horse sense.

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When your back aches, and your blad-der and kidneys seem to be disordered, go to your nearest drug store and get a bottle of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root. It is a physician's prescription for ailments of the kidneys and bladder.

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#### HELPED ITALY INTO WAR

D'Annunzio, Poet-Aviator, Alleged to Have Inflamed Minds of People, Declaration Following,

Perhaps more than any one individual. D'Annunzio, the poet-aviataor, and the supply of sugar is limited. But helped to bring Italy into the war. This is an aspect of his career not by any means generally understood, says the New York Evening Post. In the spring of 1915 Italy was still

uncertain as to her final decision. Gloown way, and to her small ability driv- littl, advocate of peace, while no longer ing poor people out of work and dis- in control of the government, still recouraging merchants whose capital is tained enormous political power. The invested. This isn't economy, it is par- netion of the country was as yet doubtful, when this maker of over-If everybody should quit making wrought, sensuous poetry and prose, purchases, what would become of this writer who had been termed the manufacturers or dealers and of the last word in decadent and hothouse larger number of workers? It is a literature, landed on his native soll good time to keep a level head. Many after a five years' absence, and comwho watch the tendency of business menced his crusade. The ostensible say frankly that people of limited reason for his visit was an address he means are less saving than those who had to make at Quarto, where 55 years can well afford to get what they before Garibaldi had embarked with his valuant "thousand;" the real object his desire to drive Italy into the war. From Quarto his trip to Rome was a triumphal progress, punctuated with impassioned oratory. He arrived in Rome just in time to forestall Glolitti, who had forced the Salandra cabinet to announce its resignation.

> One hundred and fifty thousand people welcomed D'Annunzio in the Pinzza delle Terme. In the chamber of deputies he was inited as the country's savior, and the Italian parliament answered his appeal with a declaration of war. Surely a strange Tyrineus, but one not afcald to sacrifice his life on behalf of his country.



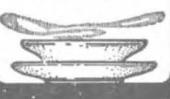
Here's a new one-a most delicious desert that can be made in a hurry.

To one and one-half cups of milk add one cup of

Grape-Nuts

and one level tablespoonful of sugar, boil six minutes, cool and serve with milk or cream. Add raisins if desired.

Get a package of Grape-Nuts from your grocer and try this pleasing recipe.



Why That Lame Back?

Morning lameness, sharp twinger when bending, or an all-day backache; each is cause enough to sus-pect kidney trouble. Get after the cause. Help the kidneys, We Americans go it too hard. We overdo, overeat and neglect our sleep and exercise and so we are fast becoming a nation of kidney sufferers. 72% more deaths than in 1890 is the 1910 census story. Use Donn's Kidney Pills. Thousands recommend them.

A Wyoming Case

Ed Miller, painter and carpenter, Cody, Wyo., says: 'I suffered severely from backs ache and I think it was caused by a cold settling on my kidneys, also from straining and bending at my work. My back got so bad that I couldn't bend without sharp pains catching me. Doan's Kidney Pills reliseed me of this trouble and whenever taken them since, they have

them since, they have brought

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Status of Arab Nation.

The Arab nation is without money for natural resources, Its territory contains neither mineral nor external agricultural wealth-but the redemption of Mesopotamia will afford the Arab of the future opportunity for aggrandizement. There, under semi-independence, after barrages on the Tigris and Euphrates have been built by British energy and cash, Bagdad may rise to a higher scale of learning, splendor and wealth than under the callphat of Haroun al Raschid.

Of the entire outcome from the war, therefore, notes a correspondent, the troubles. It gives the patient a good Arab renaissance is assuredly not the least momentous. Historically, it will mark the advent of a new era; ethnologically it becomes a charming study of futurists of literature.

Collecting Military Stamps.

Collectors in the United States are now gathering postmarks of letters sent from the American camps in France, which are stamped "U. S. Army Postal Service," They figure that If anything definite results from the peace talk, the expeditionary force's postmark will be valuable becaus of its comparative rarity, as they believe that most of the letters coming to the United States from the soldiers abroad are sent to close friends and relatives who, for sentimental reasons, will have the missives, envelopes

Most every man is lazy, but he doesn't like to admit it.

Flattery is always dished out to other people-never to us.



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Best Soldier a Middleweight, It isn't the big 170-pounders that

the examining boards who have been choosing recruits for the new National army greet with enthusiasm, says Milestones. It's the lithe chap who weighs about 140 and basn't a pound to spare that is the real prize for military serv-

Tests made at Princeton and in the training camps go to show that, weight for weight, a man of this build handles himself more effectively. He scores relatively low in strength tests, but remarkably high in endurance. He is adaptable when it comes to the modifications of diet that life in camp makes necessary and he can stand inspection with full equipment on a hot day and smile, while the big fellow wilts and falls out.

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worth having, peace consistent with

honor.—Governor Morris,

Thoroughness, "Charley, dear," said young Mrs. Torkins, "I have decided to keep a goat."

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What Convinced Him.

Defendant's Lawyer-You say my clients called you names! How did you know for sure that they were talking to you and not to somebody

Plaintiff-Well, maybe I was mistaken, but when they accompanied their conversation with biffs on my jaw and swats on my ribs I naturally couldn't be blamed for thinking they were addressing their remarks to me,-Judge.

The Pollu Magnificent,

After one of the battles near Verdun a Polly who had distinguished himself for conspicuous gallantry was called over by an officer. "Of what religion are you?" he asked. The sailor snluted and respectfully replied: "I am they were unrecognizable. of that religion that looks God In the eyes," He is the "Pollu magnificent," -Capt. Gustav P. Capart in the New York Herald.

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The Singer and the Song. Bliggins says his objection to our national anthem is that he can't sing

possibly postpone this war until some. vived amidst the wreckage left by the body digs out a tune that Bliggins can explosion and fire. sing."

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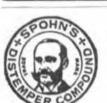
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## THOUSANDS DIE IN EXPLOSION

FRENCH MUNITIONS SHIP BLOWN UP AFTER COLLISION WITH RELIEF STEAMER AT HALIFAX.

### SCORES PERISH IN FIRE

THOUSANDS INJURED AND BUILD INGS TORN TO BITS AS PARTS OF TOWNS ARE RAZED.

Western Newspaper Union News Service,

STRIKING FEATURES OF HALL-FAX BLAST.

Number of dead may pass 5,000. Many thousands injured.
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weather bittery com an enable and of homeless people suffer.
Numerous yessels turned over on their sides and sunk.
Every telephone and telegraph wire within thirty miles of Hahlax The shock rattled houses thirty

The shock rattled houses thirty and forty miles away and was heard more than a hundred miles. Thirty-three men in the crew of forty-two of one steamship killed. More than a hundred persons buried when the train shed of the Canadian Pacific railway station collapsed.

The area of devastation is two and one-half square miles.

Washington, Dec. 7 .- More than 000 are believed to have been killed in the explosion in Halifax harbor and the fire which swept North Halifax and Dartmouth, N. S., according to advices from a naval commander reaching the Navy Department. The navy dispatch said these figures had not

been verified, however,

Halifax, N. S., Dec. 7 .- With the toll of dead steadily mounting, it was believed early this morning that more than 2,000 persons perished in the explosion and fire which followed the collision in Hallfax harbor between a munitions-laded French ship, the Mont | ter the war. Blanc, and the Imo, another vessel loaded with supplies for the Belgian Relief Commission.

The disaster which has plunged the dominion into mourning probably will rank as the most fearful that ever occurred on the American continent. Residents of Halifax and thousands of volunteer relief workers who have come into the city have been almost dazed at the extent of the horror,

Temporary morgues have been established in many buildings, to which a steady procession of vehicles of all kinds have been carrying for hours the bodies of men, women and children. Most of them were so charred that

Virtually every building in the city which could be converted into a hospital is filled with wounded, many of them so desperately injured that there is no hope of their recovery. Scores already have died in these temporary hospitals. An ever-increasing number is being taken from the completely devastated Richmond district to the relief station. An army of rescue workers is searching among the ruins "He's telling the truth. But we can't for bodies and for those who have sur-

The city was in darkness Thursday night except for the flames from the Brooklyn, N. Y., finds many men fires still burning in the wrecked buildmore than fifty years old unable to get ings in the North End. The electric light and gas plants have been virtually destroyed and the only lights available are kerosene lamps. They furnished the illumination by means of which surgeons and doctors toiled beroically throughout the night caring for the injured.

Soldiers, sailors and police patrolled the streets and upon them fell the major portion of the burden of searching among the rulus for the dead and wounded. The Canadians were assisted in this work by sailors from an American warship in the harbor,

The flame-swept area covers approximately two and one-half square miles. It begins at what is known as the North street bridge, extending north to pler eight on the Richmond waterfront and back to a point running parallel with Gottingen street. Nothing has been left standing in this section of the city. Only a pile of smouldering ruins marks the spot where the great building of the American Sugar Refining Company stood. The drydock and all the buildings which surrounded it were destroyed. The Richmond school that housed hundreds of children was demolished and it is reported only three

Ten-Day Armistice on Russian Fronts. Berlin, Dec. 7.-Suspension of hostilities over the whole Russian front for ten days beginning at noon today has been arranged, the war office announced.

Denver Druggist Slain by Bandit.

Denver. - After holding up and shooting at J. W. Clark, proprietor of a jewelry store at 705 Eighteenth street, and two minutes later shoot ing and killing Dr. Henry Mogensen 40 years old, owner of a drug store next door, at the northeast corner o Eighteenth and California streets, as the latter tried to hold him as he was running across California street to ar automobile, the bandit made his es cape in an auto.



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Optical Illusion,

"I think I ought to speak to the police. I saw Willie Okersmeer grab an ax and try to assassinate his mother." "Don't let It worry you. Willie's father is an artist. The boy was probably posing for his next comical kid

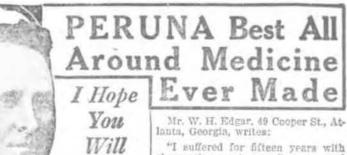
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Spartanburg, S.C .- "For nine years I sufleried from backstone, weathers, and fregularities so I could hardly do my work. I tried many remedies but found no permanent relief. After taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I felt a great change for the better and am now well and strong so I have no trouble in doing my work.

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"A:w, yes! But that was almost a year ago."-Kansas City Star,

He Is Mistaken.

After a man has been married eight or nine years and his wife goes away for a visit the first thing he discovers is that those nights down town aren't half the fun he thought they were going to be,

Woman's Viewpoint.

A woman's idea of a good husband is one who is ilberal with his money, and always leaves the bathroom as tidy as he found it.

Use for Molehills.

Molehills are foundations upon which real estate dealers have been known to build mountains.

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Bible given by Queen Alexandra to the ship's library (provided by the British and Foreign Sailors' society) and been carried with the party. In leaving other things behind it was decided with reluctance that this also must be abandoned. As the Bible contained on its flyleaf

a message written by Queen Alexandra, the flyleaf was cut out, also the pages containing the Twenty-third psalm and the chapter in the Book of Job which speaks of the sea being frozen. These three pages were carried to the end of the Journey and brought back to this country. Sir Ernest has promised to present

the three pages to the society to be sold on behalf of its funds.

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#### FROM ALL SOURCES

SAYINGS, DOINGS, ACHIEVE. MENTS, SUFFERINGS, HOPES AND FEARS OF MANKIND.

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

#### ABOUT THE WAR

Seven persons killed by German air raid on England.

Twelve American engineers injured in battle before Cambral.

Gen. Byng's plans to withdraw lines at Cambrai and readjust lines have

been carried out in perfect order. Congress by a virtually unanimous vote declared war on Austria-Hungary and President Wilson signed the

declaration. Suspension of hostilities over the whole Russian front for ten days beginning at noon Dec. 7 were arranged, the Berlin war office announced.

The Berlin war office announcement asserts that 4,000 additional men have been made prisoners on the Italian front, bringing the total since the new offens e began up to 15,000.

The British shipping report shows sixteen ships of more than 1,600 tons were sunk by divers or mines during last week, as compared with fourteen such vessels the previous week.

Losses of Italian shipping from sub marine activity during the week ending Dec, 2 were one steamer of more than 1,500 tons, one under that tonnage and three small sailing vessels.

The Norweglan legation reports that thirteen Norweglan steamers of a gross tonnage of 19,092 were lost in November by causes arising from the war. Forty-one Norwegian lives were lost.

Licutenant Ancillotto of the Italian aviation corps has executed one of the most daring exploits of the war, telescoping an Austrian balloon which was observing Venice from the Piave line and passing through the gas bag.

The British steamer Apapa has been torpedoed and sunk, according to London advices. Eighty passengers and the crew of the vessel perished. About 120 passengers were saved. It is reported that the submarine fired on women and children in open boats.

That the Italians are being hard pressed by the enemy in greatly superior numbers and in gun power is indicated by Friday's official communication. Additional gains have been made by the invaders in the Asiago plateau region but again a heavy price in men in killed or wounded was paid by the attacking forces. At last accounts the Italian line still was in-

The cessation of hostilities along the eastern front has now extended to that part of the line held by the tion from Jassy says that as a result of the Russians having proposed an gridiron. armistice to the enemy it had been decided that the Rumanians should ceased.

#### WESTERN

Only one person was injured when three Burlington trains collided near Villisca, Ia. Seventeen cars-freight and passenger-rolled down an embankment and burned.

Three Americans and one German were captured near Esperanza, seventy miles south of Guaymas, Sonora, by Yaqui Indians who raided that town, according to passengers arriving at Nogales, Ariz, on a train from Guaymas,

An unsuccessful attempt to destroy the family of R. L. Scimia in Warrior cañon near Globe, Ariz., was made when a black powder time bomb. planted beneath the room in which a

seriously burt. The grand champion fat steer of the Chicago live stock show was Merry Monarch, a two-year-old pure bred Shorthorn, fed and shown by Purdue University of Lafayette, Ind. The steer was sold in the auction ring at \$2.05 per pound, weighing 1,610 pounds. He brought the record price of \$3,300.50, the highest price on record for a fat

#### steer. WASHINGTON

people of Halifax was introduced by Representative Tague of Massachusetts.

The annual report of the postmaster general for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1917, announces an audited surplus for the year of \$9,836,211,50. the largest in the history of the postal service. This is the fourth surplus produced in the past five years and added to surpluses of \$3,800,000 for 1918, \$3,500,000 for 1914 and \$5,-200,000 for 1916, makes a total of \$22,-336,211.90.

Regular army recruiting was again at flood tide Dec. 1, with 2,825 men since the outbreak of the war.

#### FOREIGN

Russians get evasive replies from German delegates.

The establishment of a Tartar republic in the Crimea is announced. Thousands of persons dying of starvation in Russia since fall of Premier

Kerensky. The Dublin Evening Mail says the police have seized a large quantity of high explosives which were brought to Ireland from Scotland.

Twenty-five corpses of railway employes were found between Deepwater and Richmond following the explosion of an American munitions ship in Halifax, N. S. harbor.

Outside the toll of life claimed on land and sea by the great war, the catastrophe at Halifax, if reports of 2,000 dead are borne out, is by far the greatest disaster in many years.

Thousands of persons were killed and injured and half of the city of Halifax is in rulns as the result of the explosion of a French munition ship in the harbor at Hallfax, N. S.

Viscount Drumlanrig, son and heir of the marquis of Queensberry, was married in London to Miss Irene Richards a musical comedy actress. He is 21 years old and is a lieutenant in the Black Watch regiment.

Germany made a formal effort to obtain peace last August through Spain, according to resolutions in the latest chapter of the "secret diplomatic archives," made public by Bolsheviki Foreign Minister Trotzky.

Maximilian Harden, editor of the Amsterdam Die Zukunft, declared in be crushed or our enemies defeated, ness. There is no alternative."

3,000. The property loss was intimated Company at Superior. at between \$25,000,000 and \$30,000,-000 and the number of destitute at the citizen's finance committee,

A dispatch received at Amsterdam from Vienna quotes Emperor Charles that the dual monarchy is ready at any time to conclude peace that would guarantee the integrity of the monarchy. He added, however, that his country would not cease fighting until its enemies renounced their intentions of dismembering it.

Dr. Christopher Addison, minister of reconstruction, according to the London Dally Express, has been appointed minister of public health, and ment before Christmas, forming a new ministry to operate a scheme of "revolutionary character." This scheme is said to aim at the national the work in that county in the state ization of the medical profession, in to sell war savings certificates and volving free medical attendance for stamps, the thrift campaign is on in everyone without any element of Arizona, charge.

#### SPORTING NEWS

The football players of the University of Colorado at Boulder, selected George Costello of Denver for the captain of the 1918 eleven.

Members of the University of New Mexico's football squad refused the from national headquarters as depart-Rumanians. An official communica- athletic council's award of letters in recognition of their services on the

H. G. Bedwell, formerly connected with a string of horses in Denver, has associate themselves with the Rus- purchased The Cudgel, regarded as sians and that therefore fighting has one of the greatest 3-year-old perform ers in the country and a leading money winner of the year. The price of the horse was \$30,000, and it was formerly owned by J. W. Schorr of Memphis, Tenn.

GENERAL Minimum price of silver probably

will be fixed at 87 cents,

The principal grades of crude oil were advanced by the purchasing agencies at Pittsburgh, Pa.

German has been dropped from the course of study in thirty high schools of California because pupils have discontinued studying the language, it

was announced by school authorities American farmers are planning next spring to plant only a small per cent of their usual acreage, as a result of 4-year-old girl slept, exploded. The the labor shortage, Tom Clark, head child was hurled from her bed into of the cattle department of the Inter Thomas E. Campbell in a communica-

> Potatoes grown in the infield at historic Churchill Downs race track at as E. Campbell from Miles Merrill of Louisville, Ky., were sold at auction Bisbee, president of the Loyalty for a total of \$1,270, which was do League of America, asks that the govnated to the Christmas cheer fund for ernor and defense councils be advised the soldiers of the new national army that the Loyalty leagues of this and 2; Camp Zachary Taylor.

A joint resolution to appropriate be sent to France as part of the des character of strangers applying for \$5,000,000 for the relief of the stricken sert for the Christmas dinner to be employment under existing conditions served by the Y. M. C. A. to American in the important war industry repre-Paris.

An official of the Norton & Lily

The steamer Norwalk, owned by the Norwalk Steamship Company at Wil-United States on Nov. 27.

### ARIZONA STATE NEWS

Western Newspaper Union News Service. Tucson has completed an extension

of its sewer system. The campaign for the sale of Red

Cross Christmas seals is under way in Arizona. Clarkdale has been included in the

gambling inquiry commenced at Prescott by the county grand jury. The farmers of the Gila valley in Graham county are devoting a good

deal of their attention to raising hogs. Edward L. Shaw of Phoenix has been appointed inspector under the federal explosives law.

Charged with stealing \$285 from the trunk of a woman in the Jerome redilight district, Edgar Spencer was arrested at Cottonwood,

Work has begun on a home in Ajo for Father Gheldorf. It is expected that a Catholic church will be built there to cost \$10,000.

Added to the already long list of murders since the first of the year is that of an unknown Mexican-Indian found dead near Wickenburg.

John J. Connor, a railroad switchman in Tucson, was arrested on a charge of deserting his family and taken back to the state of New York. One of the oldest mining engineers an article recently published in his of the Southwest passed away, when newspaper; "Only a miracle can Otto Mechke, 71 years old died at his bring peace. Either Germany must home in Tucson, following a long ill-

On a three-shift basis, with nineteen The dead in the Halifax explosion, men constantly employed, progress is caused by the collision of two ships, being made in development work on is placed at 2,000, and the wounded at the estate of the Queen Creek Copper

Men from the mine department of the Old Dominion Copper Company at upward of 20,000 in a statement is Globe worked one shift for the Y. M. sued by Justice Harris, chairman of C. A. war fund, thereby raising nearly \$1,900 for the cause.

In the nine months ended Sept, 30th last the Consolidated Arizona Smeltof Austria-Hungary as saying in an adding Company produced 13,930,000 drss to an Austro-German delegation pounds of copper, of which 7,900,700 pounds were custom ore.

> Major Neustatter of Tucson has received his commission as scout master from President Wilson, through the channels of the National Boy Scout headquarters at Washington.

A. S. Embree, alleged leader of the I. W. W. organization among the strikers at Bisbee last July, was acquitted of the charge of rioting by hopes to carry a bill through Parlia a jury in the Superior Court at Tucson.

> With the appointment of a chairman in every county of Arizona to direct

> James R. Welker, who has acted as Bishop of Layton Ward in Graham county for nearly 20 years was honorably released from his position and Joseph W. Greenhalgh was ordained as his successor.

Having received a reappointment ment commander of the United States Spanish War Veterans, Col. James I. McClintock will soon tour the state to visit all the camps.

Production figures of the Ray Consolidated Copper Company for the third quarter of 1917 shows an output of 21,656,342 pounds of concentrates as compared with 22,255,598 pounds in the preceding quarter.

During the month of November there were shipped from Mexico to the United States through the Douglas port of entry 354 cars of ore, totaling 13,959 tons, with a value in American gold of \$2,873,600.

Potatoes are quoted at \$2.50 per hundredweight at Flagstaff.

The cost of raising Arizona's first quota of soldiers for the national army from the time the first move was made until they were turned over to the rallroads for transportation to the training camps was \$26,158.04.

Work on the highways and bridges of Arizona should not be discontinued during the war, but should be actively prosecuted, according to Governor the room of her parents, but was not national Livestock Show declared in tion to Thomas Maddock, state en-

A message addressed to Gov. Thomother mining states do not oppose A Christmas fruitcake four feet in the employment of any Americans exdiameter, one foot high and weighing cept those who have been guilty of and mine are working to capacity, 360 pounds was completed in the treasonable acts and maintain the pokitchen of a New York hotel and will sition that inquiry to determine the soldiers and sailors in and about sented by copper is essential to the nation's best interests.

Estimating Arizona copper produc-Company said in New York that the tion for the year at around 750,000,000 relief ship which collided with the pounds, or nearly 100,000,000 pounds Mont Blane was the Norwegian in excess of the 1916 production and freighter Imo of Christiania which loft showing around 565,000,000 pounds New York with a cargo of 8,000 tons produced during the first nine months of grain for Rotterdam and was sched- of the year, with attendant disburseuled to call at Halifax for examina, ment of more than \$100,000,000 in the production of the metal, an advanced copy of the annual report of Secretary Joseph E. Curry of the Arizona Chapmington, Del., was wrecked during a ter of the American Mining Congress storm in the Yucatan channel, while is found to set forth a great deal of accepted, making a total of 279,709 en route from Belize, Honduras, to the general interest about Arizona's greatest industry.

#### WESTERN MINING AND OIL **NEWS**

Western Newspaper Union News Service

Colorado Metal Prices. Bar silver-85%c.

Copper-\$23.171/2. Lead-6.25.

Spelter-\$7.71.

ores, 60 per cent, \$20.00@25.00: 25 per cent, \$12.00@12.50; 10 per cent, \$9.40 Good hogs ...... @12.20 per unit.

Nov. Cripple Creek Output \$1,044,697. Cripple Creek .- The total output of the Cripple Creek district for November was 95,358 tons, with an average value of \$10.95 per ton, or a gross bul-

lion value of \$1,044,697. The figures Tons, Gross Val. Golden Cycle, Colo. Springs ...... 9,758 200,039 neiters, Denver and Portland, Indepen-dence 137,500 

#### Arizona,

The Warren district, Arizona's largest single copper producing division, is back to a normal output of ore.

Diamond drilling operations have begun at the property of the Magma Chief Copper Company at Superior, Word comes to Bisbee from Dos Cabezas that a large gold and silver ledge has been opened at the Gold Ridge Mining Company's property.

The Midway Oil Company, at its annual stockholders' meeting recently held at Phoenix, elected Mrs. L. V. Engman of Denver, Paul B. Gaylord of Denver, Arnold Nydegger of Colorado Springs and Floyd J. Wilson of Denver as directors for the ensuing year. The directors, in turn, elected the following officers: Mrs. L. V. Engman, president; Paul B. Gaylord, vice president; Arnold Nydegger, secretary, and D. H. Staley, assistant secretary.

#### Colorado.

Work on the Griffith well east of Colorado Springs is progressing,

The Annex mine in Lake gulch, Gilpin county, an old discovery that has tain idle for years, is being reopened

In Boulder county the Up-to-Date mines are outputting a high grade product from the big ore shoot recently reopened at depth from the tunnel

United Gold Mines Company of Cripple Creek has declared a Christmas dividend of 1 cent a share, representing the payment of \$40,000 to its stockholders.

A thorough exploration of the old Matchless mine on Fryer hill, Leadville, now owned by the widow of the late Senator H. A. W. Tabor, is expected to develop a large body of ore yielding 600 ounces in silver to the Flint ton.

#### Montana.

The principal grades of crude off were advanced by the purchasing agencies in Pittsburg.

During November 1,186 wells were completed in the fields covered by the oil City Derricks' monthly report. Secretary Lane issued regulations under which permits may be obtained to prospect for potash on public lands.

From twenty of its mines, the Anaconda Copper Company hoisted 12,200 tons of ore, which is only 3,300 tons below its output under normal conditions.

#### New Mexico.

Incorporation papers were filed by the Alhambia Silver Mining Company of Silver City, capitalized at \$1,500,-

Articles of incorporation were filed in the State Corporation Commission's office by the Encino Basin Oil & Refining Co., with office in Encino.

The Dored Mining Company of Derry, Sierra county, filed articles of incorporation. The company is capitalized for \$500,000.

The firm of Cleveland & Weatherhead, owners of the Deadwood Sunburst Mines and Mill at Mogollon, have merged their partnership into the Deadwood Mining Company. About thirty 100-lb, bars are now

being shipped per month by the Mogollon Mine Co. besides several tons of high grade concentrates. Both mill The four Jackling copper properties,

Chino, Utah Copper, Ray Consolidated and Nevada Consolidated, have in the first ten months of this year, produced 384,979,000 pounds of copper, as against 367,697,000 pounds during the same period of 1916.

#### Wyoming.

Casper Embar well No. 1, drilling on Sec. 6, Hidden Dome Held, is down over 300 heef

Two experienced oil men have leased a ranch of 417 acres at Pilot and are preparing for drilling and for the development of the property.

John H. Nolan of the California Midway Oil Company of Los Angeles has leased 1,200 acres of the Hale claims, twelve miles east of Thermopolis.

## LATE

#### MARKET QUOTATIONS

#### Western Newspaper Union News Service. DENVER MARKETS. Cattle. Grass steers, good to ch....11.05 # 12.40 Grass steers, fair to good.. 9.50 # 10.50 Heifers, prime Cows, grassers, good to ch. Cows, grassers, fair to good Cows, camers and cutters... Veal calves

Veal calves Bulls Tungsten concentrates, per unit—
\$26.00.

Boulder.—Tungsten concentrates, 60
per cent. \$20.00@22.50 per unit; crude

Bulla
Feeders, good to choice
Feeders, common to fair
Stockers, good to choice
Stockers, good to choice
Stockers, good to choice Hogs. .... 17.00 @ 47.b6 Sheep. .16,00@16,78 .15,75@16.75 .10.00@11.00 Lambs Feeder lambs M ......

Ewes Feeder ewes ...... Wethers HAY AND GRAIN MARKET.

(F. O. B. Denver, Carload Price.) Hay.

Buying Prices—per Ton.

Colo. upland, per ton ... 22.00@22.00

Nebr. upland, per ton ... 20.00@22.00

Prairie hay (new crop), ... 20.00@22.00

Timothy, per ton ... 20.00@22.00 Grain.

Onts, Nebr., 100 lbs., buying ... 2.15
Colo. oats, bulk, buying ... 2.15
Corn chop, sack, seiling ... 3.70
Corn in sack, seiling ... 2.67
Bran Colo. 100 lbs., 170 Bran, Colo., per 100 lbs., selling .. 1.70 Plour. 

DRESSED POULTRY. Less 10 per cent commission. 

Live Ponitry.
(Prices net F.O.B. Denver.) EGGS. 

Butter. Creameries, ex. 1st grd., 1b., 46 @47 Creameries, 2nd grade, 1b.... 42 

Fruit. 

Vegerables. 

HIDES AND PELTS. 

Green Salted Cured Hides, etc. 

Part cured, 1c less. Green 2c less than cured, Calf and Kip, Green Salted. 

Green Salted Pelts. Lamb and sheep .....\$1,000 2.00

Dry Plint Pelts. Wool pells
Short wool pells
Butcher shearlings, No. 1
No. 2 murtan shearlings Bucks, saddles and pieces at value,

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

Prices for Metals.

Bar Silver—85% c. Copper—\$23.17% Lead—\$6.25. Spelter—\$7.71. Tungsten concentrates, per unit,

Boutder.—Tungsten concentrates, 60 per cent, \$20.000/22.50 per unit. Crudu ores, 60 per cent, \$20.000/22.50; 25 per cent, \$12.000/12.50; 10 per cent, \$9.40@

Hoston Wool Prices.

California - Northern, \$1.70@1.75; middle county, \$1.55@1.50; southern, \$1.45@1.50.

Chicago Live Stock Quotations. Chicago, Hors Bulk, \$18,95 0 17,40; ht. \$16,550 17,30; mixed, \$18,75 % 40; heavy, \$16,89 0 17,45; rough, 1,80 % 16,95; pigs, \$18,00 0 16,35. 17.40; heavy, \$16.80@17.45; rough, \$18.80@16.25; pigs, \$12.00@16.25.
Cattle—Native Steady, \$7.30@16.25; Western Steats, \$6.20@16.25; stockers and feeders, \$6.20@16.00; cows and helices, \$5.20@11.50; calves, \$7.75@14.75.
Noon, Western

Linseed, Duluth. Minn.—Linseed.—On track, \$3,23\in 0.33\in \in \text{arrive}, \$3,23\in \in \text{bid.} prion a cember, \$3,23\in \text{asked}; May, \$3,23\in \text{bid.} pnions. New York Cotton Prices, New York — Cotton — December, 29.10; January, 28.60; March, 28.42; May, 28.40; July, 27.84.

It lan't the knocker that gains ad-

Large troubles serve the good purittle ones are.

#### VENISON DAYS.

This delicious game is once more to be enjoyed. The steaks brolled and served with gravy made from any sweet fat can-

not be improved upon. Ragout of Venison .-Any portion of the venison may be used, but steaks from the upper round are the choicest. Cut the steak in serving sized pieces, roll in flour and brown in hot fat. Add broth made from

the trimmings and bones of the venison and let simmer about an hour until tender. For each pint of liquid allow a fourth of a cupful of flour, half a tenspoonful of sait, one fourth of a teaspoonful of paprika, all stirred in cold broth to a smooth paste, then added to the meat; stir until boiling, cover and let simmer ten minutes. Have ready baked or bolled sweet potatoes; press them through a ricer, salt and butter and a little hot milk is added, then beat thoroughly over the fire. Pipe the potato around the meat on a platter and garnish with stewed prunes in groups of three. Spiced grape jelly is especially delicious to serve with venison.

Breaded Venison,-Cut slices half an inch thick from a round of venison that has hung at least a week. Cut the pieces in serving sized pieces, dip in crumbs, then in beaten egg diluted with milk and again in crumbs. Set to cook in hot fut and when well browned turn and brown on the other side. Let cook slowly for a while to be sure the meat is well done.

Venison may be wrapped in bits of bacon, well sensoned and browned, then cooked in a casserole with various vegetables, adding broth or boiling water and cooking under cover for two hours in a slow oven. Serve from the casserole. Wild rice when obtainable is an ideal vegetable to serve with venison or wild duck. Its characteristic flavor is especially well liked by venison lovers. Venison is delicious served as a

an Iron kettle, then simmer with a fittle broth seasoned with a few finely chopped vegetable like carrot, turnip and onion. Salad for Game.-There is no salad (which never outwerrs its welcome) like head lettuce with a snappy, wellsensoned French dressing. Good oil

brown stew. Brown it in hot fat in

salad a creation. Some people don't believe in putting off till temorrow the trouble they can

make today.

and good vinegar and a fine sense of

taste in seasoning will make such a

Stience has this advantage over speech-that you never have to take it

#### CHRISTMAS SWEETS.

This year the candy-making will no oubt be much restricted in the home yet this happy time must not be



then rub them through a sleve. To one pound of this puree add one and a half cupfuls of sugar and bring slowly to "the boiling point, stirring all the time. Continue to stir until a drop on a cold plate will set. Let it cool, then add a teaspoonful of almond extract and drop on waxed paper. When quite cold, remove the paper and stick two of the drops to-

ed fondant or in chocolate. Date Balls .- Stone and chop three cupfuls of dates; add one cupful of chopped black walnut meats, one tenspoonful of ginger strup, and a table spoonful of preserved ginger; then run through a chopper. Make in balls and roll in coconut. Put in paper cases.

gether. Roll in colored sugar or melt-

Preserved Ginger .- A delightful substitute for preserved ginger may be made using white carrots or the yellow if the white are not obtainable, they will taste as good but not look as much like the real ginger. Bott the carrots for ten minutes, then scrape off the outside layer and puar-Boston.—Wool.—Scoured basis: Texas —Fine 12 months, \$1.93\(\pma\)1.72; fine 8 ter them lengthwise, cut in quarter-months, \$1.55\(\pma\)1.50. inch lengths, discarding the points and core. Boil until tender, changing the water several times to remove the car-\$1.45@1.50.
Oregon—Eastern, No. I staple, \$1.80;
eastern clothing, \$1.50@1.60; valley,
No. I, \$1.60@1.65.
Territory—Fine staple, \$1.80@1.85;
half-blood combing, \$1.75@1.80; threeelghtis-blood combing, \$1.45@1.50; fine
clothing, \$1.60@1.65; fine medium
clothing, \$1.60@1.65; fine medium
clothing, \$1.50@1.65; AA, \$1.70
@1.80, A supers, \$1.60@1.65. rot flavor. To one pound of carrots is thick. Dry ginger may be used if the green is unobtainable, this must be put into a long flue enough to keep the grains from escaping. This may be left as preserved ginger in the strup or dried and rolled in sugar as a con-

feetion. Rice, potatoes or spaghetti should Sheep-Wethers, 48.80@12.90; awes, not be served in the same meal, as \$7.75@11.50; lambs, \$12.50@17.00. they are too similar foods. When two vegetables are served, one should be green and one like potatoes, beets or





CHAPTER XV-Continued.

"It's wonderful!" Sophy declared. "Try and bear the thread of it all in your mind. For two acts you have that you think it was wonderful!" been asked to focus your attention upon the increasing brutality of the marquis. Remember that, won't you?"

"Not likely to forget it," John replied. "How well they all act!"

There was a quarter of an hour's Rumors concerning the last act had been floating about for weeks, and the house was almost tense with excitescene was the country chateau of the "Marquia de Guy," who brought a noisy crowd of companions from Paris without any warning. His wife showed signs of dismay at his coming. He she declined to receive.

The great scene between her husband and herself took place in the square hall of the chateau, on the first | I'll come. There can't be any harm in floor. Louise reaffirms her intention of leaving the house. Her husband laughs at her. Her position is hope-

"What can you do?" he mocks,

She shrugs her shoulders and passes into her room. The marquis sinks upon a settee, and presently is joined by one of the ladies who have traveled with him from Paris. He talks to her of the pictures upon the wall. She is Impatient to meet the Marquise de Guy.

The marquis knocks at his wife's door. Her voice is heard clearly, after moment's pause.

'In a few minutes!" she replies. The marquis resumes his flirtation. His companion becomes impatientthe marquis has pledged his word that she should be received by his wife. An ancient enmity against the Marquise de Guy prompts her to insist.

The marquis shrugs his shoulders and knocks more loudly than ever at his wife's door. She comes out dressed for travel and is met by Faraday, who suddenly appears,

"You asked me what I could do," she says, pointing to her lover. "You see now!"

There was a moment's breathless silence 4 rough the house. The scene in itself was a little beyond anything that the audience had expected. Sophy, who had been leaning over the edge of the box, turned around in no little anxiety. She heard the door slam. John had disappeared!

He left the theater with only his hat to his hand, turning up his coat by instinct as he passed through the driving rain. All his senses seemed tingling with some nameless horror. The brilliance of the language, the subtlety of the situation, seemed like some evil trail drawn across that one horrible climax. It was Louise who had come from that room and pointed to Fara-

He reached his rooms--he scarcely knew how-and walked upstairs. There he threw off some of his dripping garments, opened the window wide, and stood there.

He looked out over the Thames, and there was a red flare before his eyes, Stephen was right, he told himself. There was nothing but evil to be found here, nothing but bitter disappointment, nothing but the pain which deepens into anguish. Better to remain like Stephen, unloving and unloved, to draw nearer to the mountains, to find joy in the crops and the rain and the synshine, to listen stonily to the cry of human beings as if to some voice from an unknown world.

He leaned a little further from the window, and gazed into the court at a dizzy depth below. He had cut himself adrift from the peace which might have been his. He would never know again the joys of his earlier life. It was for this that he had fought so many batties, clung so tightly to one ideal-for Louise, who could show herself to anyone who cared to pay his shilling or his half-guinea, glorying in her dishonor; worse than glorying in it-find-Ing some subtle humor in the little gesture with which she had pointed, unashamed, to her lover.

John bent a little lower from the window. A sudden dizziness seemed to have come over him. Then he was forced to turn around. His door had been quickly opened and shut. It was Sophy who was crossing toward him, the rain streaming from her ruined opera cloak.

"John!" she cried. "Oh, John!" She led him back to his chair and look at things squarely together, even aneit by his side. She held his hands tightly.

"You mustn't feel like this," she sobbed; "you mustn't, John, really! You don't understand. It's all a play. Louise wouldn't really do anything like

shivered. Nevertheless, clutched her bands and drew her closer to him.

"Do, please, listen to me," she begged. "It's all over. Louise is herself again-Louise Maurel. The Marquise de Guy never lived except upon creation. Any one of the great ac- Gerard." tresses would play that part and glory

so hard to make you understand! Louise is waiting for you. They are all waiting at the supper party. You are expected. You must go and tell her

He rose slowly to his feet and caught at her hands roughly.

"Supposing I won't go?" he whispered hoarsely. "Supposing-I keep you here instead, Sophy?"

She swayed for a moment. Some interval before the curtain rose again. thing flashed into her face and passed she dared to suggest?" away. She was paler than ever.

"Dear John," she begged, "pull yourself together! Remember that Louise ment as the curtain went up. The is waiting for you. It's Louise you want-not me. Nothing that she has done tonight should make her any the less worthy of you and your love."

He strode away into the farther had brought with him women whom two, his hair smoothly brushed, his tie newly arranged.

"I'll come, little girl," he promised. "I don't know what I'll say to her, but that!"

"Of course not," she answered cheerfully. "You're the most terrible goose, John," she added, as they walked down the corridor, "Do, please, lose your is already done." tragical air. The whole world is at Louise's feet tonight. You mustn't let her know how absurdly you have been feeling. Tomorrow you will find that every paper in London will be acclaiming her genius."

John squared his shoulders, "All the same," he declared grimly,

"if I could burn the theater and the play, and lock up Graillot for a month, tonight, I'd do it!"

#### CHAPTER XVI.

The days and weeks drifted into months, and John remained in London. His circle of friends and his interests had widened. It was only his relations with Louise which remained still unchanged. Always charming to him, giving him much of her time, favoring him, beyond a doubt, more than any of her admirers, there was yet about her something elusive, something which seemed intended to keep him so far as possible at arm's length.

There was nothing tangible of which he could complain, and this probationary period was of his own suggestion. He bore it grimly, holding his place, whenever it was possible, by her side with dogged persistence. Then one evening there was a knock at his door, and Stephen Strangewey walked in.

Stephen, although he seemed a little taller and gaunter than ever, though he seemed to bring into the perhaps overwarmed atmosphere of John's little sitting room something of the cold faces, seemed suddenly insignificant, austerity of his own domain, had evi- and the women like dolls. dently come in no unfriendly spirit. He took both his brother's hands in his and gripped them warmly. "I can't tell you how glad I am to

see you. Stephen!" John declared.

"It has been an effort to me to come," Stephen admitted, "I am one of the old-fashloned Strangeweys. What I feel is pretty well locked up inside. The last time you and I met perhaps I spoke too much; so here I am !"

"It's fine of you," John declared. "I remember nothing of that day. We will



"It's Louise You Want-Not Me."

where we differ. I'm-

He broke off in the middle of his senopened, and Sophy Gerard made a somewhat impetuous entrance.

"I'm absolutely sick of ringing, John," she exclaimed. "Oh, I beg your pardon! I hadn't the least idea you had hayone with you."

hastened forward and welcomed her. "It's all right, Sophy," he declared.

"How nice of you to come and see We have done our best to spoll him, sometimes. I hope you've come to stay a long time and to learn all about London, as John is doing. If you are half as nice as he is, we'll give you such a good time!"

From his great height, Stephen looked down upon the girl's upturned face a little austerely. She chattered away, entirely unabashed.

"I do hope you're not shocked at my live only just across the way. We are much less formal up here, you know, than you are in the country. John, I've brought you a message from Louise,"

"About tonight?" She nodded.

"Louise is most frightfully sorry," she explained, "but she has to go down o Streatham to open a bazaar, and she can't possibly be back in time to dine before the theater. Can you guess what

"I think I can," John replied, smiling. "Say you will, there's a dear," she begged. "I am not playing tonight. May Enser is going on in my place. We arranged it a week ago. I had two fines to pay on Saturday, and I haven't had a decent meal this week. But I had forgotten," she broke off, with a room. He reappeared in a moment or sudden note of disappointment in her tone. "There's your brother. I musn't take you away from him."

"We'll all have dinner together," John suggested. "You'll come, of course. Stephen?

Stephen shook his head.

"Thank you," he said, "I am due at my hotel. I'm going back to Cumberand tomorrow morning, and my errand

"You will do nothing of the sort!" John declared.

"Please be amiable," Sophy begged. 'If you won't come with us, I shall simply run away and leave you with John. You needn't look at your clothes," she went on. "We can go to a grillroom. John sha'n't dress, either. want you to tell me all about Cumberland, where this brother of yours lives. He doesn't tell us half enough!" John passed his arm through his

prother's and led him away. "Come and have a wash, old chap,"

he said. They dined together at Lulgi's, a curiously assorted trio-Sophy, between the two men, supplying a distinctly allen note. She was always gay, always amusing, but although she addressed most of her remarks to Stephen, he never once unbent. He ate and drank simply, seldom speaking of himself or his plans, and firmly negativing all their suggestions for the renainder of the evening. Occasionally he glanced at the clock. John became conscious of a certain feeling of curisity, which in a sense Sophy shared.

"Your brother seems to me like a nan with a purpose," she said, as they stood in the entrance hall on their way out of the restaurant. "Like a prophet with a mission, perhaps I should say." John nodded. In the little passage

where they stood, he and Stephen seemed to dwarf the passers-by. The men, in their evening clothes and pallid

said, "won't you come to a music hall with us?"

"For the last time, Ste

"I have made my plans for the evening, thank you," Stephen replied, holding out his hand. "Good night!" He left them standing there and walked off down the Strand. John, looking after him, frowned. He was conscious of a certain foreboding.

"I suppose," Sophy sighed, as they waited for a taxicab, "we shall spend the remainder of the evening in the usual fashion!"

"Do you mind?" John asked.

"No," she assented resignedly. "That play will end by making a driving idlot of me. If Louise is tired tonight, though, I warn you that I shall insist upon supper."

"It's a bargain," John promised. We'll drive Louise home, and then I'll take you back to Luigi's. We haven't been out together for some time, have

She looked up at him with a little grimace and patted his hand.

"You have neglected me," she said. I think all these fine ladies have turned your head."

She drew a little closer to him and passed her arm through his, John made no responsive movement. He was filled with resentment at the sensation of pleasure that her affectionate gesture gave him.

The curtain was up and the play in progress when they reached the box that John had taken for the season.

The spell of it all, against which he had so often fought, came over John anew. He set his chair back against the wall and watched and listened, a veritable sense of hypnotism creeping over his senses. Presently the same upulse which had come to him so many times before induced him to turn his head, to read in the faces of the audience the reflection of her genius. He tence. The door had been suddenly had aften watched those long lines of faces changing, each in its own way, under the magic of her art. Tonight Stephen he looked beyond. He knew very well brother." that his search had a special object. chair. In the front row of the pit, sit- awake now, She stood still in surprise, a little ting head and shoulders taller than the apologetic smile upon her lips. John men and women who lounged over the ready, madame," Aline continued. "I Stephen. More than ever, among these "Let me introduce my brother, may I? unappropriate surroundings, he seemed those boards. It is simply a wonderful My brother Stephen-Miss Sophy to represent something almost patriarchal, a forbidding and disapproving Stephen rose slowly from his place, spirit sitting in judgment upon some him in half an hour, and get my batts in it-the very greatest, John. Oh, it's laid down his pipe, and bowed stiffly to modern and unworthy wantonness, His ready at once."

Sophy. She held out her hand, how- face, stern and grave, showed little ever, and smiled up at him delightfully. sign of approval or disapproval, but to John's apprehending eyes the critical your poor, lonely brother!" she said. sense was there, the verdict foredoomed. He understood as in a flash but I'm afraid he is very homesick that Stephen had come there to judge once more the woman whom his brother desired.

The curtain went up again and the play moved on, with subtle yet inevitable dramatic power, toward the hated and dreaded crisis.

The play came to an end presently, amid a storm of applause. The grim figure in the front of the pit remained drew him away.

"We had better hurry round," she said. "Louise is always very quick getting ready."

They found her, as a matter of fact, n the act of leaving. She welcomed them naturally enough, but John funcied that her greeting showed some dgns of embarrassment,

"You knew that I was going out to supper tonight?" she asked, "Oh didn't I tell you? The prince has asked the



"My Preference Is to Remain Standing."

French people from His Majesty's to meet M. Graillot at supper. I am hurrying home to dress,"

John handed her into her waiting automobile in silence. She glanced into his face.

"Is anything the matter?" she asked, "Nothing!"

"The prince would have asked you, vithout a doubt," Louise continued, but he knows that you are not really interested in the stage, and this party is entirely French-they do not speak a word of English. Au revoir! Sophy, take care of him, and mind you behave yourselves!"

She waved her hand to them both and threw herself back among the cushlons as the car glided off. John walked to the corner of the street in gloomy stience. Then he remembered his companion. He stopped short,

"Sophy," he begged, "don't hold me to my promise. I don't want to take the humor for it."

"Don't be foolish!" she replied. "If you stay alone, you will only imagine Saw you act." things and be miserable. We needn't have any supper, unless you like. Let me come and sit in your rooms with

"No!" he decided, almost roughly. "I am losing myself, Sophy. I am losing something of my strength every day. Louise doesn't help as she might. Don't stay with me, please. I am beginning to have moods, and when they come on I want to be alone,"

She drew a little closer to him. "Let me come, please!" she begged, with a pathetic, almost childlike quiver at the corner of her lips.

He looked down at her. A sudden wave of tenderness swept every other thought from his mind. His mental balance seemed suddenly restored. He hailed a passing taxi and handed Sophy "What a selfish pig I am!" he ex-

claimed, "Anyhow, it's all over now. We'll go back to Luigi's to supper, by all means. I am going to make you tell me all about that young man from Bath!"

#### CHAPTER XVII.

Louise glanced at her watch, sat up in bed, and turned reproachfully toward Aline.

"Aline, do you know it Is only eleven o'clock?" she exclaimed,

"I am very sorry, madame," the intter hastened to explain, "but there is a gentleman downstnirs who wishes to see you. He says he will wait until you can receive him. I thought you would like to know." "A gentleman at this hour of the

morning?" Louise yawned. "How absurd! Anyhow, you ought to know better than to wake me up before the proper time,"

"I am very sorry, madame," Aline reolied. "I hesitated for some time, but I thought you would like to know that the gentleman was here. It is Mr. Strangewey-Mr. John's

Louise clasped her knees with her Suddenly be gripped the arms of his fingers and sat thinking. She was wide "He has been here some time al-

wooden rest in front of them, was did not wish to disturb you, but I myself as to the truth of that report. thought perhaps it was better for you to know that he was here." "Quite right, Aline," Louise decided.

Louise aressed herseif simply but carefully. She could conceive of but one reason for Stephen's presence in her house, and it rather amused her. It was, of course, no friendly visit. He had come either to threaten or to had she to fear? She went over the incrushed and subdued by her superior subtlety and finesse,

With a little smile of coming triumph upon her lips she descended the stairs failed to provide for you?" and swept into her pleasantly warmed and perfumed little drawing-room, She motionless and silent. He was one of even held out her hand cordially to the this! We really are great pals, and I retreating figure with a sigh. Sophy the dainty white wall seemed so inappropriate.

"This is very nice of you indeed, Mr. Strangewey," she began, "I had no idea that you had followed your brother's example and come to town."

She told herself once more that her slight instinct of uneasiness had been absurd. Stephen's bow, although a little formal and austere, was still an acknowledgment of her welcome. The shadows of the room, perhaps, had prevented him from seeing her outstretched hand.

"Mine is a very short visit, Miss Maurel," he said. "I had no other reason for coming but to see John and to pay this call upon you."

"I am greatly flattered," she told make yourself comfortable while we talk. See, this is my favorite place," she added, dropping into a corner of her lounge. "Will you sit beside me? Or, if you prefer, draw up that chair."

emain standing." She raised her eyebrows. Her tone

"It must be as you wish, of course," she continued; "only I have such pleas-Peak Hall that I should like, if there return it-"

"Madam," he interrupted, "you must admit that the hospitality of Peak Hall for the force of dircumstances, you would never have crossed our thresh-

She shrugged her shoulders. She was adapting her tone and manner to the beligerency of his attitude. "Well?"

"You want to know why I have found my way to London?" he went on. "I came to find out a little more about you."

"About me?"

"To discover if there was anything about you," he proceeded deliberately, 'concerning which report had lied. I that you might have been an honest will notwoman. That is why I came to London, and why I went to see your play last night."

She was speechless. It was as if he were speaking to her in some foreign

tongue.

"I have struggled," he continued, "to adopt a charitable view of your profession. I know that the world changes quickly, while we, who prefer to remain outside its orbit, of necessity lose touch with its new ideas and new

"Well?" she asked almost defiantly. He looked down at her. All splendid self-assurance seemed ebbing away. She felt a sudden depression of spirit, a sudden strange sense of insignifi-

"I have come," he said, "If I can, to buy my brother's freedom,"

"To buy your brother's freedom?" she repeated, in a dazed tone,

"My brother is infatuated with you," Stephen declared. "I wish to save

The woman's courage began to asert itself. She raised her eyes to his. "Exactly what do you mean?" she asked calmly. "In what way is any man to be saved from me? If your brother should care for me, and I, by any chance, should happen to care for him, in what respect would that be a state from which he would require salvation?"

"You make my task more difficult," he observed deliberately. "Does it amuse you to practice your profession before one so Ignorant and so unappreclative as myself? If my brother should ever marry, It is my firm intention that he shall marry an honest woman."

Louise sat quite still for a moment. I flash of lightning had glittered before her eyes, and in her ears was the crash of thunder. Her face was suddealy strained. She saw nothing but the stern, forbidding expression of the man who looked down at her.

"You dare to say this to me, here in

my own house?" "Dare? Why not? Don't people tell you the truth here in London, then?" She rose a little unsteadily to her feet, motioning him toward the door, and moving toward the bell. Suddenly "Take Him With You!" She Broke in she sank back into her former place.

breathless and helpless. "Why do you waste your breath?" he asked calmly. "We are alone here, you and I-we know the truth !"

She sat quite still, shivering a little. am curious-tell me why you are so

sure of what you say." you are the mistress of the prince of face downward upon the couch. Seyre. I came to London to satisfy

Do you believe that any man living. "Go down and tell him that I will see clever actress, madam-and believe ink-stained fingers and a serious exthat you were a woman who was living pression. an Lonest life?"

"That seems impossible to you?" she demanded.

"Utterly impossible !"

"And to John?" "I am speaking for myself and not for my brother," Stephen replied, "Men cajole. Yet what could he do? What like him, who are assailed by a certain madness, are best left alone with it. terview in her mind, imagining him That is why I came to you to bargain, if I could. Is there anything that you lack-anything which your own success and your lover, or lovers, have

It was useless to try to rise; ahs was powerless in all her limbs. Side by side with the anger and horror that bursting in upon your brother like the last to leave, and John watched his dark, grim figure whose outline against his words aroused was a sense of something almost grotesque, something which seemed to force an unnatural laugh from her lips,

"So you want to buy me off?"

"I should be glad to believe that it was within my power to do so. I have not John's great fortune, but I have money, the accumulated savings of a lifetime, for which I have no better purpose. There is one more thing, too, to be said."

"Another charge?"

"Not that," he told her; "only it is better for you to understand that if you turn me from your house this morning, I shall still feel the necessity of saving my brother from you."

"Saving him from me?" she exclaimed, rising suddenly and throwing him. "You must please sit down and out her arms, "Do you know what you are talking about? Do you know that if I consented to think of your brother as my husband, there is not a man in London who would not envy him? Look at me! I am beautiful, am "My preference," he replied, "Is to I not? I am a great artist. I am Louise Maurel, and I have made myself famous by my own work and my own genius. What has your brother dons in life to render him worthy of the sacrifice I should make if I chose to ant recollections of your hospitality at give him my hand? You had better go back to Cumberland, Mr. Strangewas any possible way in which I could wey. You do not see life as we see it up here!"

"And what about John?" he asked, without moving. "You tempted him was not willingly offered to you. Save away. Was it from wantonness, or do you love him?"

"Love him?" she laughed. "I hate ou both! You are boors-you are ignorant people. I hate the moment I ever saw either of you. Take John back with you. Take him out of my life, There is no place there for him !"

Stephen picked up his hat from the sofa where it lay, Louise remained perfectly still, her breath coming quickly, her eyes lit with passion.

"Madam," he said, "I am sorry to have distressed you, but the truth sometimes hurts the most callous of You have heard the truth from us. do not place my faith in newspapers me. I will take John back to Cumberand gossip. There was always a chance | land with me, if he will come. If he "Take him with you!" she broke in

flercely. "He will do as I bld him-do you hear? If I lift my little finger, he will stay. It will be I who decide,

"But you will not lift your little finger," he interrupted grimly.

"Why shouldn't I, just to punish you?" she demanded. "There are scores of men who fancy themselves in love with me. If I choose, I can keep them all their lives hanging to the fashions. So I said to myself that hem of my skirt, praying for a word, a you out to supper tonight. I am not in there should be no mistake. For that touch. I can make them furious one reason I sat in a theater last night al- day and penitent the next-wretched most for the first time in my life. I always, perhaps, but I can keep them Why should I not

brother in the same way?" He seemed suddenly to dilate. She was overcome with a sense of some latent power in the man, some commanding influence.

"Because," he declared, "I am the guardian of my brother's happiness. Whoever trifles with it shall in the future reckon with me!"

His eyes were fixed upon her soft, white throat. His long, lean fingers seemed suddenly to be drawing near to her. She watched him, fascinated. She was trying to scream. Even after



Fiercely.

he had turned away and left her, after she had heard his measured tramp descending the stairs, her fingers flew to her throat. She held herself tightly, "Do we? Tell me, then, because I standing there with benting heart and throbbing pulses. It was not until the front door had closed that she bud "The world has it," he replied, "that the strength to move, to throw herself

Louise are a very small luncheon, but-an unusual thing for her-she among that audience last night, could drank two glasses of wine. Just as watch the play-although you are a she had finished. Sophy came in, with

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(TO BE CONTINUED)

AFTER DRAWING BY ARTHUR WILL IN THE RED CHOSS PRAGAZINE

By WILLOUGHBY LEE.

HE heart of America at this

Christmas time is yearning

toward the lills and val-

leys and mud flats of

France, for thousands and

tens of thousands and, for

all we know, hundreds of

thousands of our finest boys

are over there with Persh-

ing. And by another

Christmas there may be 2,-

000,000 of them, and two

years from now, so far as anyone can

see, it may be nearer 5,000,000. For

America has taken outh that not until

kalserism has been blotted from the

Those boys of ours who are over

there, and the others who are going,

need all the help and encouragement

and aid the folks at home can possi-

bly give them. That is why the Red

Cross, instead of confining itself to giv-

ing them hospital treatment after they

have been hurt or are sick, is giving

them Christmas trees and comfort kits

and doing everything possible to make

Christmas enjoyable for them. Not a

man in all "Black Jack" Pershing's

army, will be without some reminder

of the people at home for whom he is

fighting. Not a man in any one of all

the army and navy cantonments scat-

tered all over the United States will

be without a genuine Christmas-even

to a Christmas tree. The Red Cross

has gone into the Santa Claus business

It undertakes.

in the world.

properly.

great battle.

wholesale, as it goes into everything

And that is why every man, every

woman, every child, owes it to him-

self and to the soldiers and sallers to

become a member of the Red Cross. A

campaign is being carried on to enlist

10,000,000 new members of the Amer-

ican Red Cross, which will make it five

times as large and ten times as rich

and powerful as any other Red Cross

It is because of the millions and mil-

over to France that the whole Amer-

Cross in helping cure for them. A few

hundred thousand can be looked after

by the present membership; but multi-

ply them by ten or twenty or twenty-

five, and it takes a nation to back them

fix up the Christmas packets, and write

earth will the war end.

#### GUN THAT RIPS BARBED WIRE DEFENSES



This French gun throws an anchorlike projectile lato the barbed wire defenses of the enemy. The missile is attached to a cable and is bauled back to be fired again and again.

## **RAW U.S. RECRUITS MADE GUN EXPERTS**

Americans in France Know Every Part of Weapons Except Secret of "75."

#### TRAINING IS MOST THOROUGH

No Stint of Ammunition for Practice Work-Target Shooting in the Morning, Machine-Shop Instruction in the Afternoon, Is the Program.

An American Artillery Camp in France.-Firing stops at eleven o'clock ment. every morning. By that time every gun captain has finished his allotment of shells for the day. It does happen sometimes that a gun breaks down, and in that case its shells are distributed among its neighbors. There is no record of a battery commander who has been kept on a bound boy allowance of ammunition by his own government failing to take advantage of the prodigal son privileges which war has given him. He is right, of course. The more shells he shoots the sooner his battery will be fit for action, writes Herbert Corey in the Chicago News,

The better part of an hour is used in getting into camp for luncheon. The menl Itself is over at one o'clock. Then business starts again. The afternoon program never includes firing, but deals with the fundamentals of learning how to fire. The men take the guns apart and put them together again. They know just what part each bit of metal plays, so that when it ceases to function the gunners will know what is wrong. The officers are at work at other things. Some are taking a course of map making, some are at wireless telegraphy and others are scattered about the other schools.

"Let us have a look at the threeinch school," said the colonel.

A machine shop had been turned the French "solxante-quinze" field artillerists of the French army.

#### Secret of Efficiency.

One part only of the seventy-five is not taken down-the recoil mechanism, in which lies the secret of the wonderful efficiency of the piece. Before the war it was a secret in reality.

Nowadays, of course, the secret is a secret no longer. The Germans have captured hundreds of seventy-fives, and know it inside and out. But the recoil is taken off the gun and sent to the \$2,000,000 on waste materials, nearest factory for readjustment. In the next shop, where the 6-inch guns 10 to 15 soldiers, it is estimated, will are being elucidated to the new-born soldiers, everything is shown.

at home that the artillery, along with ment experts have determined. The every other branch of the army here, is making wonderful progress toward fitness, but it must also be understood This means an increase of 1,460,000 horses, 850, \$21,250.

COAL GAS FOR AUTOS

European organization I have seen. and I have seen them all except the Roumanians.

But the artillery organizations are suffering from the handleap of a lack of previous experience in bulk. The artiflerist must be a highly skilled specialist. The greater part of the officers at this camp are either new to the nemy or new to the service with the guns. The work of development is further checked by the shoringe of officers previously referred to-a shortage which is added to by the new demands made by modern war.

More officers must be detached as observers than had previously been the case. The training of these officers necessarily removes them from immediate contact with their units, where they are sadly needed. They are being taught aerial observation in balloon and airplane at a time when under the previous scheme of organization they should be serving with their men. This is not sounding a note of pesshuism. The progress made is magdifferent. It is obvious that a more rapld progress would be made if the regimental quota of officers were filled.

#### NO AGE LIMIT FOR WOMEN IN WAR WORK

There is no age limit for the service of women in war work. This fact has been demonstrated to the woman's committee of the council of national defense, Of the thousands of letters that have come in recently from all parts of the country, begging for some work which will be of renl worth to the government. one was from an elderly lady ninety-six years of age, and one from a little girl nine years old. The old lady writes that she would like to have some definite war work to do, since her son is too old to be a sol-The little girl wants to go to France as a messenger in the Red Cross service, In France, at the beginning of the war, the age limit for governmental service was placed at forty years. All the women in France are now working for their country.

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Hazleton, Pn.-Col, James D. Harris

seventy-eight years old, a Civil was veteran of Washington, D. C., surprised his son, George H. Harris, here On the credit side of the account it the other day when he walked in after may be stated that the men are of an a march from Washington. He sale extraordinarily fine type. As a body he took the 400-mile jaunt for exerthey are superior in the raw to any cise.

## Saves Army Waste at Camps

Uncle Sam Makes Money of Refuse From Camps.

that these men are not to be burried

into the trenches for permanent occu-

pancy. They are physically fit as prize

fighters, but they are still short of the

In normal times, the artillery has

been the corps d'elite of the American

army, but today it is suffering from the

same lack of preparation which char-

acterizes every other branch of the

service-a lack of preparation which

must not be charged against the army

Each regiment is short thirty officers

Not more than 5 per cent of the

Not more than 20 per cent of the

The vast majority of the men were

men have served as much as one year.

absolutely new to the army. A com-

parative few have been in service as

Superior as a Body.

men have served more than one enlist-

heads. In the artillery units here-

of its quota.

much as six months.

full knowledge required of them.

War Department Has Saved Upwards of \$2,000,000 on Waste Materials

Washington,-Waste material is be-

of All Kinds.

At every National army and National Guard camp special officers have been detailed to have an eye over to the use of the specialists in to the penny to be saved through rags have a ready market, and the careful conservation of waste matepiece. The French officer who acted rials. Refuse from the mess halls are as instructor here is one of the finest being placed in separate receptacles, fertilizer from the stables is to be sold to farmers living in the territory of the camps to save freight rates. and garbage likewise is to be disposed of to the highest bidder among stock

men raising hogs. Lieut. Col. J. Austin Ellison has been placed in charge of the division of conservation. He has the distinction of having called the attention of the war department to the vast saving mechanism is so delicately adjusted that would result if care were exerthat no attempt is ever made to repair cised in disposal of refuse. Thus far it in the field. If it breaks down, it the department has saved upwards of diate expenditure of \$100,000 of fed-

The garbage from the mess of from feed one hog a day. Hogs will gain on an average of one pound a day on this It should be thoroughly understood ration for the first 150 days, governrefuse from each cantonment will be sufficient to feed 4,000 hogs a day,

pounds of pork for the country each

Colonel Ellison has injected into camp life a certain class distinction in the disposal of garbage. At the camps the care of the garbage is a regular ceremonial. Waste material is divided into classes, and a special receptacle is provided for each class. There is a can for bones, one for rope and twine, another for rags, one for paper, one for fats and tallow, one and money is being made out of it. for sweeping and pieces of tohacco, and still another for garbage.

Practically all of the refusal is sold. Cans, bottles, bones, fats, paper and garbage proper is carted away for a hog's banquet. The worthless refuse is burned in order to adhere to the strict sanitary regulations of the camps.

#### ANIMALS KILL 24.350 CATTLE

Preying of Wild Beasts in West Causes Appeal to Secretary of Agriculture.

the New Mexico Cattle and Horse Growers' association have appealed to the secretary of agriculture for immeeral funds in the state, in an effort to combat the ravages upon stock by predatory animals,

Estimated based upon the tax rolls place the number of head of live stock destroyed by mountain flons, welves and coyotes as follows, during the last year: Cattle, 24,350, valued at \$1,-374,000; sheep, 165,000, \$1,320,000;

#### ALBANIAN PRINCE AT WORK

William zu Wied Asks Ald of German Federal Powers to Keep Country Independent.

Rotterdam, Netherlands, - Prince William zu Wied, the former prince of Albania, has by no means given up hopes of regulning the realm which he ruled over for so short and troubled a period immediately prior to the great European conflagration. His latest step has been to send a memowherein he deals at length with the development of Albanian affairs and protests against the protectorate of Albag is filled. The operation requires bania proclaimed by Italy. He argues that an independent Albania offers the securest basis for a lasting peace in gine propelled by coal gas develops the Balkans, and that it is therefore sary, to drive at a high speed to get his own rights to the throne of Alvalids need.

THE RED CROSS NEEDS TEN MILLION NEW

EMBERS TO HELP

are daily performing miracles is defending. in saving lives and restoring once.

single day without all of these things suffices to keep his membership alive they need. The French have been, In the early days of the war-and it has been said in some later days-word went out that the French surgeons were operating without anesthetics because they had none. It is bad enough to lose an arm or a leg, but no one likes to think of being tied fast to a table and the leg or arm cut off with no chloroform or other to give the suf- n wenlth of pictures of Red Cross ferer unconsciousness while the knife is wielded.

Also, within the last year, word has come from the battlefields of France that the little Pollus had to use old newspapers to stanch the blood from their wounds. That was because their supply of gauze had run out and no more was to be had. It meant infected wounds, gaugrene, lockjaw, and the loss of legs and arms and lives that might lave been saved.

All America will agree that none of these things must imppen to Pershing's boys. But it will happen unless the American people get right behind the Red Cross, and make and ship those hospital supplies in a never-ending stream. The surgeons at the French hospitals say that sometimes it takes whole box of surgical dressings-7,000 of them—for a single wounded man. They have been so short at the French hospitals that instead of throwing the dressings away after using, they have been driven to try to clean them and use them over and over.

That is what Maj. Grayson M. P. Murphy had in mind a few weeks ago when he cabled to the Red Cross that nothing on earth is now of equal importance to getting a big supply of with you if you possibly can. Help the surgical supplies into France. Unless we do, he said, disaster and disgrace for your name and your dollar or two are ahead for America-and the Red dollars. Remember, it is not, in the Cross and the American people cannot that analysis, the Red Cross you are afford to incur that. No American soi- helping at all-it is the boys who are eye, or give his life, when it can be concerned with the Red Cross ever Ican people has got to join the Red saved by anything the American people can do. Major Murphy is the Red relief, or from any garment made and Cross commissioner for France, and knows perhaps better than any other man in the world exactly what needs to be done for the army in a medical Red Cross is trying to keep alive. and surgical way. When he speaks It has been great sport this year to America will do well to listen.

Money is not all the Red Cross must the little personal note that goes with have for this work-money is not even each one, and picture to one's self the the most important thing, though it pleasure with which the unknown sol- will take millions of dollars. What it dier in France will hall the gift from needs most of all is an immense numthe home land. For there has been no ber of members, and their personal real fighting—only a trench raid or so, service. It needs, and has to have, the In which only a few lives were lost- whole American people, fathers and Albuquerque, N. M.-Members of fewer, in all likelihood, than would mothers, sisters and daughters, and have occurred in the natural course of the children, to back up the governevents if they had remained in civit ment and the Red Cross in this work. life. So, while there was sorrow for Take, for example, the recent call of the brave fellows who went down fight. Major Murphy for 6,000,000 warm kniting, and for those others who were ted articles for the soldiers and for slain in the submarine brushes with the destitute of France. If the money the Germans, there was not the over- had been at hand to buy the lot, there whelming grief that comes after every were not that many knifted things in the whole world of the kind wanted. Next year it will be different-so But the Red Cross appealed to its different. In the spring-and earlier members, and asked each chapter for If the French line should break at any lits quota, and the socks and sweaters point—Pershing will hurl his boys into and mufflers and wristlets rolled in by the gap, and everybody knows what carloads, and are still coming. The that means. There will be fighting mothers and sisters and daughters and of the kind that made a whole world wives went to kultting, and that anadmire the men of Bull Run, and An- swered the call in an amazingly short tlefam, and Chancellorsville, and time Chickamauga, and Gettysburg, and

The situation will be the same when wherever Americans have fought, the boys begin to need bandages and They will be pitted against a fee who, gauze dressings and hospital garments whatever we may say of his acrogance in great numbers. Not all the stores and cruelty, his disregard of the laws in all the land will have enough such of humanity and the ordinary decen- things to fill the demand. But the cles of civilized life, is a hard fighter. American people are being enrolled as That means that the hospital will be Red Cross members, and they are full of American boys whose lives de- learning by tens of thousands how to pend on the work the Red Cross must make and pack and ship these things, do-for there is no other agency that and wimtever the demand, they will to take care of Pershing's boys. Help

literally by the million for . That is why the Red Cross wants their wounds. It means 15,000,000 members. It is not so much splints and wound pads and the \$2 or the \$10 or the \$25 or the pillows and all number of \$100 or the \$1 fee that membership surgical dressings without costs, though that has its importance. stint. It means pajamas and it would be even more necessary if bed shirts and surgical shirts membership did not cost a cent. But -the kind that surgeons can in this case the fee is a small considopen and reach wounds with- eration. What is needed is an army out handling lautous. It of 15,000,000 true-hearted Americans means bed socks and bath who will stand back of the army and robes and convalescent robes may, and supply them with everything and all the things that in- they need to keep them well and cheery, and to give them every chance It means drugs and medi- for life if they get sick or are hurr, cines and operating instru- Confidence in his backing is a mighty ments and all the appliances factor in a fellow's spank when he is with which modern surgeons lighting 3,500 miles from the home he

Now a word about the different to usefulness legs and arms kinds of membership: A patron memwhich under other methods her pays \$100 in one sum, and the inwould have been cut off at terest on that money accrues to the Red Cross every year. A life member American soldlers must not be for a pays \$25 in one sum, and the Interest so long as he lives. But the most stress is not to be laid on these forms in this campaign because, as I have said, money is not the chief object. Everyone who can possibly afford it ought to be what is called a "Magazine Member." It costs \$2, each year, but it brings with it the Red Cross Magazine, published every month with work, and inspiring articles telling what the Red Cross is doing all around

the world. For those who cannot spare \$2, the annual membership costs but \$1, and one who has this membership is just as much a Red Cross member as anyone, the only difference being that he does not get the magazine. The great effort will be to enroll the \$1 and \$2 people, for it is numbers and not money at this time that the Red Cross

When the membership has climbed to the 15,000,000 mark, then will come the call for members to help turn out supplies. There is no compulsionnobody has to pledge himself to give any money except his dues, nor to give service nor anything. But of course you will want to help, and you will have a world of opportunity. Whether you can knit, or sew, or roll bandages, or run errands for those who can do those things, or give moncy to help them buy supplies of yarn and mustin and gauze, you can help, It will be your part to do the biggest thing you can to back up the fighting boys over there,

The first thing is to become a Red Cross member. Take somebody in membership team that comes to you gets a penny out of anything given for entrusted to it. Every penny and every stitch goes to some American soldler or some destitute one whom the

You will hear-if you have not already heard-a dozen stories about graft in the Red Cross. They are lies, everyone of them. They were started unificiously, and have been peddled ever since by gossins, some malicious, some merely chatterers with no sense of responsibility, who would in the same spirit repeat a slander about a good woman.

You have heard, or will hear, that the high officers of the Red Cross get most of the money given it for relief. Exactly the reverse is true. Every member of the war council, every head of every Red Cross bureau in Washington, every head of every bureau in everyone of the thirteen divisions of the Red Cross in the United States, is giving his time free, and is spending money of his own while he does the

In a recent public speech on this subject, Henry P. Davison, chairman of the Red Cross war council, declared that of every dollar given the Red Cross for relief, about \$1.02 is spent for relief. Not only are the expenses met from funds provided for that purpose, but the money contributed draws interest while in bank, and the interest also is applied to relief work.

The Red Cross is led by the biggest and brainlest and most unselfish men the nation could find. Trust them.

They are doing the very best that brains and money and determination can do to prevent human suffering, and them. Your own may be there soon.

from overhead wires and run on raits liked it replied; "Just fine! Will you riage ceremony. Because of the influtheir journeys over ordinary roads, us- We're big enters," ing storage batteries for power

An individual life raft invented in Germany is provided with a compass in front and an intermittent light, op-

#### Looking Ahead.

Junior, with his playmate, had been given some candy by an old gentle- Christian Chinese of Borneo to go to menting with cars that take current man, and on being asked how they the Methodist chapel for their maras far as they are laid, then complete get us some more when this is done? ence of the mission, idolatry among

#### Injuries and Insults.

Injuries may be stoned for and forgiven; but insults a limit of no compenerated by a motor, which, like the light, sation. They degrade the mind in its that rocks slightly, affording uniform is supplied by a storage battery, in the own esteem and force it to recover its clasticity and a more perfect alignlevel by revenge .- Junius,

#### Idolatry on the Decline.

It is becoming a custom among nonthem has practically censed,

#### Concrete Railroad Tie.

Italian steam and street railroads are experimenting with a concrete fie ment of track than wooden ties.

May Be Used as a Substitute for Gasoline.

idea Originated Abroad Where It Has Been Used With Complete Success.

greatly interested in a new plan for conserving gasoline by substituting coal gas for propelling automobiles and other engines requiring gasoline.

The idea originated abroad, where such conservation is vital. Details of the formula for the substitution have been sent to this country and the iden promises a speedy development. Besides, the high cost of gasoline, many factors make a substitute desirable.

So successful has the substitute proved in England, for example, that charging stations may be found about

country. In view of this success much | ever, is the mixing in of a regulated attention is now being devoted to the supply of acetylene gas, which supplies development of the plan here and the necessary kick. abroad.

About 250 cubic feet of coal gas is required to equal a gallon of gasoline. For this reason suitable containers have not been found. The best arrangement now consists of a gas bag made of balloon fabric, fastened to a light wooden rack on top of the car. From this a supply pipe runs down the edge of the wind shield on the carbu-Washington,-Officials here are retor side of the engine and discharges the gas either directly into the carburetor or into the intake near the carburetor. A check valve obviates the danger of a backfire, and a cut-off enables the driver to use gasoline while | rial to the German federal princes, carrying gas, or vice versa. In the same pipe is a connection for the gas supply main to be used when the gas

A difficulty, however, is that an enonly 90 per cent of the power that is in the interests of Germany and Ausobtoined from gasoline. It is neces- trin, Further, Prince William asserts every five miles in some parts of the the best results. One remedy, how- bania.

about ten minutes.

can walt on them. It means bandages meet it in full.

TOLD IN A PARAGRAPH An English street railway is experi-

## **AMERICAN SPIRIT ON FRENCH FRON**

Yankee Push Shown by Signboards Bearing Legends of Various Nature.

#### "ABODE OF LOVE" ON HUN HUT

"Keep Off the Grass," Is American Engineer's Warning to Avoid Unexploded German Shell-France's Tribute to Fallen Allies.

spirit newly at work, writes George T.

The first of these I came across was at a railroad siding that formerly had been part of the depot yards of a hustling little town, C---, now thorobliterated. gineers were operating and maintaining this division of the military railway, and at the siding a lean-to lunchroom has been propped up-the only structure to mark the former site of This lunchroom, supplied by British commissariat, had a capacity of four customers, two standing and two seated on boxes. The agony of desolation of the prostrate town was cheerfully answered by a bold sign nailed to the side of the lunchroom:

BOOST FOR C-! WATCH IT GROW!

Not so far from this evidence of pulsating Yankee push we passed a German internment camp, a collection of black huts surrounded by several

#### RISK LIVES AT FRONT



When the shortage of men became acute in England thousands of British women volunteered to drive ambulances on the western front to permitthe men in the service to join the fighting forces. They have risked their lives daily in this dangerous work of succoring the wounded within the range of the German guns. Many have been killed by bursting shells, and many more have been decorated fore it becomes mutual and the United for bravery under fire. They have very often gone to the extreme front time. battle lines to remove badly wounded Tommles. American women are now nobly offering themselves for this humane but very dangerous work, Following the example of their British sisters, several are already driving ambulances on various battle fronts.

Americans Build Town All for

Themselves.

It Will Be the Main Base for Our

Army and Will Cost Millions

Washington.-An American city is

rearing itself on French soil. It will

he populated entirely by Americans-

a city of men. Everything about it

will be American. It will be a little

bit of New York or Kankakee or

Whoozis transported across the Atlan-

It will be the main base of the Amer-

ican army and will cost millions. There

central hospitals, the entire heart of

the American organization.

an allied soil.

of Dollars.

United States City in France

tie and set up on an alien, though understood that it will be located in

will be housed the great depots, the can stevedore gangs, recruited from

barbed wire fences, the center one probably charged with electricity. This is the second stage of internment for Hun prisoners, the first being in wire cages at the trenches. More Americans were close by.

On the front of one of these huts a hasty arm had chalked in white let-

#### ABODE OF LOVE

"Abode of Love" must have been the work of a Chicagoan. When I Paris.—Among all the legends that | lived in Chicago several years ago cerappear on signboards at and near the tain celebrated affinities were spendfront three plainly show the American ing "sweet seasons" in a little cottage on southern Lake Michigan, which they called "Abode of Love."

Along still another division of the military railway in American hands (I spent two days visiting our engineers at the front) we found a Missouri hu-American en- morist making a sign for a little fenced-off square already marked "Danger," Within was a huge unexploded German shell that had descendburied Itself. Such shells and hundreds moved bombs are found on the battle-

ploded them, and most of them are fenced in, as I have described, and signed "Danger" or "Do Not Touch." What our American engineer letterd on his cardboard for the big shell's little park was:

#### KEEP OFF THE GRASS.

Will our boys still consider it pleasant pastime to devise wayside dgns after they have lettered a few thousand of another sort . For exam-"To the Memory of of the Best Defenders of His Country and a Regular Man?" or "To Unknown. He Lost Life and Identification Tag at the Same Time, Yet His Comrades Know Him as Hero,'

These epitaphs are British. Our troop trains in France pass ignboards familiar to every American, among them the insistent reminder of "57 Varieties" and the three malted milk cows.

The biggest war sign is at the Butte de Warlencourt, on the Bapaume-Albert road. It has the dimensions of an American bill board and reads: "To Do not Disturb." The butte, 1916. The big signboard is a moving fields near the front, where the labor testimonial of the appreciation of the

## SAYS GERMANY MUST QUIT BY SPRING

Collapse Is Predicted by American Who Recently Escaped From Country.

#### PEOPLE SUFFERING ACUTELY

Internal Conditions Far Worse Than Pictured-Some War Loans to Be Repudiated-Austria Is Unable to Break Away.

Zurich.-An American citizen has arrived here with an amazing story of internal conditions in Germany,

Since war was declared this man, whose identity is kept secret at his own request, has lived in Germany. He has worked with Germans, dwelt with them, been one of them, and has acquired an intimate knowledge of conditions existing in Germany.

In his opinion Germany is suffering acutely now, and dissatisfaction and worse reign in certain strata of her army and navy. Recent mutinous uprisings have had to be sternly repressed and the mutineers shot.

Thoughtful Germany, he thinks comprising men of the Bailin type, is desperately eager for peace, and secretly eager to end the war before America has been utterly alienated.

Feared Army Service.

This man left Germany early in October, because he had reason to fear that he was to be impressed for military service.

"The economic situation in Germany," he says, "is far worse than any one on the outside realizes, is so critical that I for one look for a break, a collapse, next spring or late in the winter. Nor are the good crops that one hears boasts about every once in so often going to change the situation materially.

"Throughout the German people there is what amounts to a hatred of America, and this hatred has been carefully concentrated on President Wilson, because it is easier to hate man than a nation-especially a nation that is the home of pretty nearly every one's relative.

#### Do Not Hate America.

"But the big men of Germany, the men who have to look ahead and suide the empire after the war, do not hate America. They feel too keenly that they need America, and they would like to stem the tide of hate be-States is allenated, perhaps for all

"They know that after the war there is only one country in the world where they can get the money they will need, America, and they are worrying a-plenty nowadays.

"They, and all Germany, want Increasingly a peace that shall specify,

dicate that plans are well under way.

This great city will be well removed

from the front, in a locality already

selected. It is all mapped out what

is to be done. The location is a mid-

tary secret, so are the plans. All that

German prisoners now in France

probably will be employed in the la-

bor of building. American architects

The place will be as typically Amer-

ican as if it were in Illinois or New

Hampshire. Out of it will run an

American rallway - American built,

equipped and manned, direct to the

American section of the front. It is

regard to harbor facilities so that

American ships can come in to the

the wharves of United States scaports

Reports to the war department in- will wear the American uniform and ish military authorities.

docks, there to be unloaded by Ameri-

and engineers will direct the work,

may be told is what will be there.

among other things, the right to purchase raw as well as finished materials anywhere in the world on the same terms as any other nation.

"Every indication points to probable confiscation of property and repudiation of perhaps half the war loans after the war. Even the percentage of property to be confiscated is being talked of, and it seems probable that the government will take 20 per cent of everything.

#### To Nullify War Loans.

"On the other hand, it seems probof all outstanding war loans will be nullified. Fifty per cent will be repaid, and the other 50 per cent will either be canceled or will merely continue to pay interest-will be a sort of perpetual investment, the capital for which cannot be realized.

""As surely as anything can be predicted there will be in the central powers a series of laws forbidding emigration, and in anticipation of them countless Germans today are talking about ways and means of getting away after the war. The first German ship that lands in America after hostilities will leave 70 per cent of its crew be-

"It is becoming clearer and clearer to Germans every day that all the talk that has gone the rounds about a 'Central Europe' after the model of of the superintendent of morgues, Professor Naumanu and others will be whose duty it is to assemble and exout of the question.

"Contrary to the belief that seems to be almost universal outside of Germany, I really believe that pan-Germanism is on the decrease among the masses of the people, and this despite the increased noise about it everywhere in Germany and the intensive way in which it is being encouraged. The renson for this is that more and more the German people are coming to realize what a catastrophe it will be for them after the war is over if they are hated in all the world. Pan-Germanism, they are coming to feel, is likely to intensify the feeling against them, and thereby make their economic struggle in the future more diffi-

#### FEW WOMEN CAN CAN AS MRS. BRUN CAN CAN

Hutchinson, Kan,-Mrs. Jack Brun of this city lays claim to being a strong ally of Herbert C. Hoover. She has put up 321 quarts of all kinds of fruits and vegetables. There is scarcely a vegetable or fruit she does not have in her stock. Besides, she has jellies and spices of all kinds, and relishes and butters. All this work she has done in addition to her housework in caring for a family of four.

the war. It might be a combined scaport-railrond-town-mining-camp-post - frontier- been halted all along the line, settlement, from all reports that are spread here.

If It is "over there,"

#### Butterflies Rob Bees.

honey bees have gone on strike, according to C. R. Snyder, bee inspector been robbing the bees of the nectar in flowers, and finally the honey makers became sort of discouraged, and recently the bees have virtually been doing no work at all, Inspector Snyder says there has been but little feed because of the lack of spring rains,

British Decorations for Nurses London.-A ribbon decoration for nurses and woman hospital workers for that especial purpose. These men is to be awarded shortly by the Brit-

JACOB JONES TORPEDOED AND ESTIMATES SUBMITTED TO CON-SUNK BY SUBMARINE 400 MILES OFF COAST.

### SIXTY-FOUR MEN LOST 11 BILLIONS FOR WAR

COMMANDER OF WARSHIP DAN- TAXES TO PAY PART AND ISSUE IELS' BROTHER-IN-LAW AND 42 OTHERS RESCUED.

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

Washington, Dec. 10.-Lieutenant Commander David Worth Bagley and Lieut. Norman Scott were among the survivors rescued after the sinking of the American destroyer Jacob Jones by a German submarine in the war Be Kept Intact by the French Govern- zone Dec. 6. The Navy Department | Were submitted to Congress by the was so advised by Vice Admiral Sims. a rocky cone hillock, is surmounted by These two officers, two warrant offifive crosses erected to the memory of cers and two enlisted men were named ed on too great a slant and had not British troops who lost their lives by in the admiral's dispatch as survivors the thousands in storming the butte in addition to the thirty-seven previof just-waiting-to-be-slightly in October, November and December, ously reported saved. It is now established that the five line officers on the destroyer were rescued. Gunner battalions have not yet removed or ex- French for their loyal ally's sacrifices. Harry R. Hood and sixty-three men

> The other four survivors reported besides Commander Bagley and Lieutenant Scott were: Chief Boatswain's Mate Clarence McBride, Syracuse, N. Y.; Coxswain Ben Nunnery, Edgemoor, S. C.; Chief Electrician Lawrence G. Kelly, address not given; Fireman Joseph Korzeniecky, Suvive, Russia.

Vice Admiral Sims, up to a late hour Saturday, had been able to supply only meagre details in reply to urgent messages from Secretary Daniels, whose brother-in-law, Lieut, Commander David W. Bagley, commanded the lost vessel.

Three officers and thirty-four men were picked up by other vessels from life rafts to which they clung. The able from all I hear that an even half names of only ten of these had been transmitted to Washington.

The Jacob Jones, one of the largest and newest American submarine chasers of her type operating in the Atlantic, was the first American warship to fall a victim to a German submarine but was the second American destroy er to be lost in foreign waters. The Chauncey sank with her commander, Lieut, Com, Walter E. Reno, two other officers and eighteen enlisted men, after being cut in two by the transport Rose on the morning of Nov. 20.

4,000 DEAD AT HALIFAX.

Officials Believe That Hundreds Were Consumed by Flames,

Halifax, N. S., Dec. 10 .- Four thousand dead. This is the new estimate pose for identification, if possible, the bodies of those who perished by shock or fire when the ammunition ship Mont Blane blew up in the harbor Dec. 6. His estimate, that startled even who Saturday reported a total of on a certain number for a prescribed

way of determining the loss. Hundreds, perhaps thousands, of bodies have been consumed by the flames, and in scores of cases not only whole families but whole neighborhoods have been wiped out.

area. There appears to be no other

All the survivors of the Norwegian steamer Imo, which collided with the French munition ship Mont Blanc, were made prisoners by the British naval authorities.

#### COSSACKS TO OUST BOLSHEVIKI. Kaledines and Korniloff, Backed by Millions, to Wage War,

London, Dec. 10 .- Cossaek forces have revolted under the leadership of 000; aviation, \$94,000,000; improving Gens. Korniloff and Kaledines and an and equipping navy yards for coneffort is being made to drive the Bol- struction of ships, \$4,000,000; pay, sheviki out of power in Russia. The provisions and clothing for the marine movement is backed by the imperialists and constitutional democrats and vast amounts of money have been pledged for the fight,

checking the Teuton advance on the Asiago plateau and are preparing for a recruits, \$2,600,000; ordnance strictly counter thrust, according to Rome adwill be enlisted for the duration of vices. The late reports from the Ital- 200; new batteries of guns for ships, ian captal are optimistic over the outlook, and declare the invaders have glone, \$32,000,000; torpedoes and tor-

the Cambrai or Verdan : dricts Sun- ton, \$2,500,000; reserve supplies of It's company street probably will be day. At Cambrai the artillery duels 'Main street" or "Broadway" and ey- are continuing, and the British are proving grounds, \$1,000,000; for exerything about it will be U. S. A., even spending the time improving their periments, \$385,000; maintenance of

A telegram from Oporto says that the revolution in Portugal has ended Fresno. Cal.—Butterflies have he with the success of the revolutionists come so greedy in Fresno county that and that the government has resigned.

Propose Six Months' Armistice.

Petrograd.—The Russian delegation of this district. The butterflies have from the front which took part in the armistice negotiations has reported to the central executive committee and items stated in simple millions are: the Sobliers' and Workmen's Council. The Russians proposed, according to a member of the delegation, that the alry, etc., \$28,000,000; barracks and duration of the aradstice be six quarters, \$26,000,000; construction and months, with three days' notice of the repair of hospitals, \$25,000,000; manuresumption of hostilities; the armis facture of arms, \$50,000,000; small tice to embrace all fronts in all count arms target practice, \$75,000,000; ci. tries; no troops to be transferred; Moon sound and Moon island to be evacuated by the Germans.

# BOAT SINKS \$13,500,000,000 U.S. DESTROYER BUDGET FOR 1919

GRESS GREATEST IN NA-TION'S HISTORY.

OF LIBERTY BONDS TO COVER PORTION.

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

Washington. - Estimates of more than \$13,500,000,000—the greatest in bine size, substance, style, step and the nation's history-for the conduct of the government and prosecution of the war during the fiscal year 1919 Treasury Department.

000,000,000 of that vast sum is for the war alone. Only part of it will be reallzed from taxation; the remainder will come from issues of Liberty bonds.

Deducting an item of \$153,000,000, intended as an annual appropriation toward a sinking fund for the discharge of the old public debt, and some \$330,000,000 which will be turned back to the treasury from postal revenues, the estimated sum for which Congress actually is expected to appropriate is \$13,018,725,595. No previous estimate ever has exceeded

two billions.	
Here follows a genera	al statement
of the estimates by gener	ral headings:
Legislative	×8,026,325
Executive	65,329,369
Judicial	1,396,190
Agriculture	26,458,551
Foreign intercourse	6,535,072
Military (army)	6,615,936,554
Navy	1,014,077,503
Indian	12,255,210
Pensions	157,000,000
Panama canal	23,171,624
Public works (practi-	
cally all fortifications)	3,504,018,055
Postal service	331,818,345

propriations ..... 711,166,825 Total (cents omitted here and above)...\$13,504,357,940 Deduct sinking fund postal returns ...... 485,632,345

Miscellaneous ...... 1,026,208,317

Permanent annual ap-

Total .....\$13,018,725,595 Greatest Sums for Army and Navy. The greatest sums, of course, are estimated for the army and navy. Estimates previously submitted in terms of thousands and occasionally millions

are now stated in terms of millions

and billions. For the signal service, which includes the great army for the air, \$1,-138,240,315 is estimated. This sum includes the \$640,000,000 previously appropriated for the great air fleet.

#### \$390,000,000 for Big Shells.

A billion dollars is asked for pay and miscellaneous expenses of the those who had lived through three army; more than two billion dollars days of the horror here, was based on for the quartermaster corps; \$157,000, ufflicted with lice. Lice are bloodthe records of his district assistants, 960 for hospital and medicines; \$135,bodies recovered. They have figured troops and \$892,000,000 for the expenses of their operations in the field.

Ammunition for the great guns to h'ast a way through the German fronts is estimated to cost \$390,000,000. For machine guns, the deadliest weapons of the war, more than \$237,000,000 is asked. For armored motor cars more than \$75,000,000 is estimated.

No estimate appears for the committee on public information, the expenses of which are being paid out of the President's \$100,000,000 war emergency fund.

#### Navy's Estimates.

The navy's total of a little more than \$1,000,000,000 is distributed principally in this way:

Pay of officers and men, \$426,000, corps, \$61,000,000; recruiting, transportation and outfitting recruits, \$15, 000,000; arming and equipping naval militia \$1.500,000, organizing naval re-Gen. Dlaz's troops have succeeded in gerve force, \$200,000; schools and camps of instruction for naval reserve in the Bureau of Ordnance, \$26,500, \$38,000,000; ammunition for ships pedo appliances, \$1,000,000; extension There was little news reported from of the naval gun factory at Washingordnance, \$33,000,000; for a new naval yards and docks and contingent expenses, \$12,000,000; for medicine and surgery, \$6,500,000; care of hospital patients alone \$4,000,000; provisions for blue nekets, ast,000.000; transportation charges \$4,000,000. Compared with these estimates in

billions and hundreds of calillons, some of the comparatively minur For the extension of the military

academy, \$4.000,000; horses for cavvilian military training camps, \$6, 000,000; rifle ranges for the instruction of civilians, \$1,700,300; equip ment of home guards \$4,500,000



#### HIGH-CLASS HORSES WANTED

Animal That Performs Work Most Efficiently and Sells at Profit Is Most Desirable.

The most desirable horse is the one that performs the work required most efficiently and economically, and sells at the greatest profit. Under average conditions this horse will comquality. Nothing adds more to the value of a big horse than style, action and quality.

A big horse without these three things is a very undesirable, unsatis-In round figures, more than \$11, factory and expensive form of motive power, either on the farm or in the city. Each year sees less demand for inferior horses, both large and small, and a corresponding increase in the value of high-class horses of



Style, Action and Finish.

three kinds-wagon horses, chunks and drafters. All of these horses are derived from draft breeds.

Wagon horses weigh from 1,250 to 1,500 pounds, and show style, action, finish and substance to a marked degree, Chunks weigh from 1,350 to 1,600 pounds and are compactly built, about two inches less in height than wagon horses of equal weight. They must show quality, action and especially substance, to sell well. Drafters weigh from 1,600 pounds up. The bigger the better if they show the other qualities and are snappy movers.

#### KEEP CLOSE TRACK OF HOGS

Make Sure That Animals Are Not Afflicted With Lice-Oilers Are Quite Common.

It is well to keep close track of the hogs and make sure that they are not sucking parasites. They lower the viblood but by continual irritation which gives the hog no rest. When hogs have many lice they will not do well and will lose flesh, becoming much weakened in condition and thus more susceptible to disease,

There are various methods of getting rid of lice. Hog ollers are quite common, though the crude oil which is used in them may be applied to the hog directly with a brush. The hogs may be dipped two or three times at intervals of about ten days, using some reliable coal-tar dip or disinfectant. This gives good results.

#### GRAIN RATION FOR LAMBS

Young Animal Just Beginning to Eat Should Be Given Corn, Oats, Oil Meal and Bran.

A good grain ration for lambs just beginning to ent is ground corn, 1 part; crushed oats, 1 part; linseed oll meal, 1 part; and wheat bran, 2 parts. Wheat bran is very essential in this ration, and the shepherd should niways see that it is present. A grain ration consisting of 2 pounds of wheat bran. I pound of outs terushed outs being preferred). 1 pound of finely ground cornmeal, and one-half pound of oil ment has proved to be an excellent grain ration for young lambs. It has also been found that a grain mixture of oil meal and cornmeal has given better results than a mixture of cottonseed meal and cornmeal,

#### ROUGHAGE FOR IDLE HORSES

Expert of North Dakota Station Makes Suggestions on Feeding During Winter Season,

Mr. Peters of the North Dakota experiment station makes the following auggestions on wintering the horse, The work horse that has been properly enred for and fed in the summer can be wintered, when not at work, on such roughage as oars straw, good hay and corn fodder. In addition to the above it may be necessary to give four to five pounds of grain daily per anttast in order to unintain them in good thish. Idle horses should be turned out for exercise every day in winter except on the few stormy winter days that occur during this season.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. (023489)

Department of the Interior, U.S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, Nov. 27, Notice is hereby given that Charles Albert Miller, of Mowry, Ariman, who, on May 20, 1913, made Homestead Entry, No. 022489, for NW 1/4, NW 1/4, W 1/2 NE 1/4 NW 1/4, NW 1/4 SW 1/4 NW 1/4, NE 1/4 NW 1/4, Sec. 19, T. 23 S., R. 17 E.; and also a tract of land described by metes and bounds as follows, to wit: Beginning at Cor. No. 1 from which the northwest corner of Sec. 19, T. 23 S., R. 17 E. bears N. 7' W. 40.28 c a'ns; thence S. 88° 16' W. 10.51 chai s to Cor. No. 2; thence S. 54' W. 9.35 chains to Cor. No. 3; thence W. 9.42 chains to Cor. No. 4; thence N. 39.92 chains to Cor. No. 5; thence S. 89° 53' E. 20.00 chains to Cor. No. 6; thence S. 7' E. 30.21 chains to Cor. No. 1, the place of beginning, in (unsurveyed) Section 24, T. 23 S., R. 15 E., G. & S. R. B. & M., has filed notice of intention to make has filed notice of intention to make three-year proof, to establish claim to the la d above described, before W. A. O'Connor, U. S. Commissioner, at Nogales, Arizona, on the 15th day of Jan-

uary, 1915. Claimant names as witnesses: Perry Wilson, George Parker, Duke Parker, Arthur Wilson, all of San Rafael, Ari-

J. L. IRVIN, Register. 1st pub. Dec 7 '17 Jan 4 '18

#### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

(020473)
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land
Office at Phoenix, Arizona, Nov. 17,

Notice is hereby given that Elmore J. Lowe, of Sonoita, Arizona, who, on December 18, 1912, made homestead entry, No. 020479, for NW4, Section 25, Township 19 S., Range 16 E., G. & S. R. B. & Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, be-fore W. F. Christmann, U. S. Commissioner, at Sonoita, Arizona, on the 25th day of December, 1917, Claimant names as witnesses; Alonzo

T. Lowe, Irvin Douglas, Leonard Wood, George Crayne, all of Sonoita, Arizons. J. L. IRVIN, Register. 1st pub. Nov. 23—Dec. 21

#### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

(020311) Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, Nov. 17,

Notice is hereby given that Alonzo T. Lowe, of Sonoita, Arizona, who, on De-cember 16, 1912, made homestead entry, No. 020311, for SW<sup>1</sup>4, Section 25, Town-ship 19 S., Range 16 E., G. & S. R. B. & Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. F. Christmann, U. S. Commissioner, at Sonoita, Arizona, on the 26th day of December, 1917.

day of December, 1911.
Claimant names as witnesses: E. J.
Lowe, Irvin Douglas, Leonard Wood,
George Crayne, all of Sonoita, Arizona.
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#### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

(028440) Department of the Interior, U.S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, Nov. 17.

Notice is hereby given that Melvin WANTED—About 50 cows to pasture
W. Jones, of Elgin, Arizona, who. on
Oct. 1, 1915, made homestead ontry, No.
028440, for Stane 17 F.; and Lot 4,
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Range 18 E., G. & S. R. B. & Meridian,
has filed notice of intention to make
has filed notice of intention to make three-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. F. Christmann, U. S. Commissioner, at Sonoita, Arizona, on the 27th day of De-

Claimant names as witnesses: Mrs James F. Cunningham, Frank Jolly, both of Elgin, Arizona: Arcus Reddoch, Allen T. Bird, both of Nogales, Arizona. J. L. IRVIN, Register.

#### 1st pub. Nov. 23 →Dec. 21 NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

(024891)
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land
Office at Phoenix, Arizona, Nov. 17,

Notice is hereby given that George Notice is hereby given that George W. Crayne, of Sonoita, Arizona, who, on April 16, 1914, made homestead entry, No. 024891. for W.5 NW.4, NW.4 SW.4. Section 21; and SE 4 NE 1, E. SE 4, SW 1-4 SE 1 4, Section 20, Township 20 S., Range 17 E., G. & S. R. B. & Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year Proof, to establish claim to the land shove described, here claim to the land above described, be-fore W. A. O'Com or, U. S. Commis-sioner, at Nogales, Arizona, on the 28th day of December, 1917.

Claimant names as witnesses: John Colyer, Frank Fischler, Alonzo Lowe, George White, all of Sonoita, Arizona, J. L. IRVIN, Register. 1st pub, Nov. 23—Dec. 21.

#### SUMMONS

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF SANTA CRUZ COUNTY, STATE OF ARIZONA.

Mariana V. Stokoe, Plaintiff, vs. Harry Stokoe, Defendant.

Action brought in the Superior Court of Santa Cruz County, State of Arizona, and the complaint filed in said County

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Senator Ray Ferguson of Duquesne was in Nogales Tuesday on business. Candies, toys, hot drinks, lunches, at

the Peerless Parlors,--Adv.

Mrs. T. E. Heady entertained Mrs. Augusta Merril of Kansas City at dinner Thursday of last week.

#### NOTICE TO DRAFTED MEN

Under date of Nov. 30, the following communication has been sent to all local exemption boards:

"All Boards-Please note the following tastructions of provost marshal gen-

"Please cause the broadcast and most extensive and continuous publicity to be given through the adjutant general, lo-cal and district boards, the newspapers and by all possible means of warning to all registrants who may have changed their place of abode and postolice ad-dress to communicate immediately with their local board where they are regis-tered and furnish their present address so that questionaires which will begin to be mailed December 15th will reach such registrants without delay. Registrants are bound by law to keep them-selves advised of all proceedings in respect to them, and fallure to do so may result in their losing right to claim exemption or discharge.

"Please request newspapers to give this warning broad and continuous pub-lication from this time until the process of mailing questionaires has been accomplished.

(Signed) "CROWDER."

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Mr. C. A. Pierce is surveying the new cemetery plot so that in future some system may be followed in making in-terrments. Roads, walks and burial plots are being staked out, and Pata-gonia will soon have a cemetery that can be pointed to with pride.

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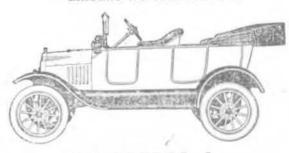
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