

Volunteer for Duty Now; Avoid Being Drafted for Labor

Registration cards for those who desire to enlist in the reserve force of shipbuilders for the United States government have been received by James Harrison, chairman of the board of supervisors.

In making application it is understood that so immediate call is expected and also that exemption is secured from other branches of the military service.

Mr. Harrison sent out a call on January 8th for the Nogales volunteers, a considerable number of applicants responding at that time.

The D. Moore vulcanizing plant of Nogales soon will have installed a complete automobile tire re-treading outfit. The need for such an institution in this community is apparent to all auto owners.

NEWS OF THE MINES

The Bureau of Mines some time ago appointed Mr. W. F. Christmann as explosives licensing agent for the Sonora district, and those who wish to secure licenses for handling explosives will be compelled to secure them from him.

Charles Jones of Bisbee arrived in Patagonia Tuesday. He is interested in the Sweet Bye-and-Bye mine at Rosemont with Mr. Wm. Powers.

The option taken some time ago on the Henry Ford property in Alum Gulch has been renewed. This is one of the promising prospects of the Patagonia mining district.

The Andes mine, in the Red Mountain, just outside of Patagonia, owned by Col. B. R. Richardson, has struck very fine copper ore.

Mr. A. W. St. Clair, a mine expert of Nogales, will report for his clients on several of Patagonia's mine prospects after looking them over this week.

Fresh Oysters—Peerless Parlors, adv

Paul O'Neil, has been promoted to the rank of sergeant of the 340th Field Artillery, stationed at Camp Funston.

Manager Ben Evans of the Montezuma hotel, is now local representative of the U. S. food administration, and will see to it that all rules and regulations laid down by the administration are complied with.

General Crowder announced February 4th that movement of the last increment of the first draft would begin the 23rd of this month and continue for five days.

Sheriff Earhart has received notice from Phoenix that on and after February 1st all persons appearing in Santa Cruz county with automobiles bearing 1917 licenses or without licenses are to be arrested and prosecuted.

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Nevius-Keaton Case Is Ended

The Nevius-Keaton case was settled by the attorneys for the parties last Friday, when Keaton agreed to pay the costs, amounting to \$800. The case was tried in Nogales last March, and Mrs. Nevius was awarded \$2500 damages for alleged slander.

January 29 of this year an attachment was placed on Keaton's cane seed and while the case was under negotiation the attorneys in the case reached an agreement and effected a complete settlement. All judgments in the case against Keaton have been released.

Nogales News

George T. Coughlin, of the Arizona-European mine, near the 3-R, is among those called for jury duty.

H. T. Wilson of the San Rafael valley was in Nogales this week, having been called for jury duty.

The cattlemen of Arizona will meet in Nogales February 14, 15 and 16. A big time is expected, and you should try to be on hand to help make the gathering a success.

W. H. Florentine enjoyed a visit of several days last week from his son and daughter, who have been living with W. F. Nihil of Canille for several months.

Mrs. James Parker, Sr., and daughter, Mrs. Ruth McIntyre, of Parker Canyon, were Nogales visitors last Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Harold Brown and baby of Nogales are visiting Mrs. Brown's parents at Parker Canyon.

Last Sunday morning Mrs. Grace D. Wright and Mr. Joseph Berk were united in holy wedlock. The event took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Prewett on Wayside drive.

Mrs. C. Page, formerly of the Border Furniture Company of Nogales, will engage in the furniture business in Tucson, being associated with the Page-Mayer Furniture Company.

Bill Bates is no longer connected with the Nogales Overland Company. An AI salesman will soon be with the company to handle the outside sales for this firm, it is announced.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wheeler returned last Saturday from Tucson, and will be "at home" to their friends at 726 Grand avenue, Nogales.

The new home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Bowman, on Cavalry hill, is nearing completion. It will be one of the hand-somest structures in southern Arizona.

H. Gordon Glare, the well-known civil engineer returned recently from the Altar district of Sonora.

Louis Lulley, proprietor of Lulley's buffet, who has been threatened with a nervous breakdown, has not improved, and is said to be in a serious condition at his Nogales home.

Sunday afternoon Nogales conducted funeral services over the body of its first war victim, Raymond Barnes, who died at Camp Lewis last month. The services were conducted along military lines and were unusually impressive.

ELGIN

Henry Pyentt, of Canille, was a Nogales visitor part of last week.

Will Collie, of Elgin, was in Nogales last week on business.

Mark and Mrs. Manning of Sonoita were visitors to Nogales several days last week.

Henry S. Pyentt of Canille is one of the first Arizona drafted men to leave Camp Funston direct for France. He left the Kansas camp February 1st with the Twelfth Engineers.

Mr. Charles Brossart of Sonoita is in Nogales serving on the jury.

Mr. John C. White of Elgin is on the jury this week.

ALASKAN DOGS USED IN VOSGES MOUNTAINS



Alaskan huskies being used to transport ammunition to the first lines in the Vosges mountains. These dogs, many of them from famous teams, were sent to France in the early days of the war.

SALMON THRIVE IN ATLANTIC

Humpbacked Variety From Pacific Coast Retain Their Habits When Placed in Eastern Waters.

Many thousands of humpback salmon, native to the Puget sound, where they were collected by the government two years ago, entered Pembroke, Deunys, Penobscot, St. Croix and other rivers in eastern Maine as part of the fisheries bureau plan of stocking the east with the pride of the Pacific coast catch.

The bureau's investigation shows that the humpback in its new environment retains its Pacific coast habit of proceeding to the ocean shortly after it begins to swim and returning to the rivers to spawn and die when two years old.

The government has made annual shipments of eggs of the humpback salmon across the continent for the last five years, drawing the consignments alternately from Washington and Alaska.

Referred to Boy Scouts.

When war broke out a young man who was every kind of rogue suddenly acquired a brand-new conscience, and worked it overtime, says London Tit-Bits. When he came before the tribunal he had got his conscientious objections all cut and dried.

"Yes," he cried, lifting his eyes to heaven, "in 1905 I was born again!"

"In that case," broke in the chairman, quietly, "have you any objection to joining the boy scouts?"

Lumping Them Off.

A tiny girl had made it her custom to enumerate by name all the members of the family and the close friends, in her evening prayers, but at the close of a strenuous day of play she was tired and after the opening petition she yawned, then added sleepily: "And please just bless the whole bunch."

FACE the FACTS

LET us face the facts. The war situation is critical. Unless the Allies fight as they never yet have fought, defeat threatens. Hungry men cannot fight at their best; nor hungry nations. France, England, and Italy are going hungry unless we feed them.

Wheat Savings—They must have wheat. It is the best food to fight on. It is the easiest to ship. We alone can spare it to them. By saving just a little—less than a quarter of what we ate last year—we can support those who are fighting our battles. And we can do it without stinting ourselves. We have only to substitute another food just as good.

The Corn of Plenty—Corn is that food. There's a surplus of it. Providence has been generous in the hour of our need. It has given us corn in such bounty as was never known before. Tons of corn. Train-loads of corn. Five hundred million bushels over and above our regular needs. All we have to do is to learn to appreciate it. Was ever patriotic duty made so easy? And so clear?

America's Own Food—Corn! It is the true American food. The Indians, hardest of races, lived on it. Our forefathers adopted the diet and conquered a continent. For a great section of our country it has long been the staff of life. How well the South fought on it, history tells. Now it can help America win a world war.

Learn Something—Corn! It isn't one food. It's a dozen. It's a cereal. It's a vegetable. It's a bread. It's a dessert. It's nutritious; more food value in it, dollar for dollar, than meat or eggs or most other vegetables. It's good to eat; how good you don't know until you've had corn-bread properly cooked. Best of all, it's plentiful and it's patriotic.

Corn's Infinite Variety—How much do you know about corn? About how good it is? About the many delicious ways of cooking it? And what you miss by not knowing more about it? Here are a few of its uses:

There are at least fifty ways to use corn meal to make good dishes for dinner, supper, lunch or breakfast. Here are some suggestions:

- HOT BREADS: Boston brown bread, Hoecake, Muffins, Biscuits, Griddle cakes, Waffles.
DESSERTS: Corn-meal molasses cake, Apple corn bread, Dumplings, Gingerbread, Fruit gems.
HEARTY DISHES: Corn-meal croquettes, Corn-meal fish balls, Meat and corn-meal dumplings, Italian polenta, Tamales.
The recipes are in Farmers' Bulletin 565, "Corn Meal as a Food and Ways of Using It," free from the Department of Agriculture.

Ben Powell Loses Two Work Animals

Ben Powell lost by theft his two best horses Monday night. They were taken from the pasture at the Stanford ranch, near Bloxton, where he had been doing some work.

On discovering the theft Mr. Powell took up the trail and followed them on foot to the bridge crossing the Santa Cruz river, near Nogales, where the trail was lost in the traveled road.

Tuesday evening an automobile load of men, including Jess Gattis, Dave Putnam and Nick Farrell, went to the river bridge in hopes of picking up the trail, but the man and horses had too much of a start and no trace of them could be found. The men returned to Patagonia Wednesday morning.

Suspicion points to a man that had been employed by Mr. Powell and had been discharged owing to the unsatisfactory service rendered.

It is evident that the theft was committed by someone knowing the horses and their owner, as they were picked from a lot of several that were in the pasture at the time the Powell horses were taken.

Mr. Powell has been left without a team with which to do his farm work, and puts him in a very tight position unless he can secure animals to replace those taken.

Another piece of devilry perpetrated in the county recently was the poisoning of some stock in the pasture of Mr. V. P. Henson of Elgin.

Recently two of his animals were found dead, and suspicion of foul play caused the animals to be examined to determine the cause of death. Ground glass and salt were found in the stomachs of the animals and upon going into the pasture the same deadly mixture was discovered to have been scattered there.

The person that was responsible for that piece of work, if discovered, should get the full penalty of the law. It is a pretty mean vengeance to destroy cattle and horses to satisfy a grudge against an individual.

New line "King's Chocolates for American Queens," at Peerless Parlors.—Adv.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Patagonia is to have a real live show soon, if the plans of Harry (Irish) Bernard are fulfilled. Mr. Bernard, while passing through Patagonia recently, made inquiry as to the possibilities of getting a paying crowd to witness a high-class performance of real live actors and actresses.

When informed of the large territory from which Patagonia draws its trade and the likelihood that a show would be well patronized, he decided to stop on his way to Nogales when he comes back for a return engagement, and give Patagonia a treat in the way of his company of "Merry Makers."

J. D. Coenan of Tucson is in Patagonia as a permanent resident, being employed as salesman at the Evans Mercantile Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allison of Tucson spent the weekend last week in Patagonia, visiting Mrs. Allison's mother, Mrs. M. A. Fryer, and brother, J. Kent.

Miss Laura Sorrells and Mrs. A. C. Best were Patagonia visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert N. Keaton of the San Rafael valley were business visitors to Patagonia last Saturday.

Mrs. T. E. Hendy and Miss Letha Alford of the San Rafael ranch spent the weekend with Miss Grace Van Ostale at her San Rafael valley home.

H. H. McCutcheon, Kid O'Toole, Ray Blahon and the editor spent last Monday in Nogales on business.

Mr. C. L. Northcraft of the Sonora area, was a business visitor in Tucson last week.

Supervisor Geo. W. Parker passed through Patagonia Tuesday from his Nogales business session of the board of supervisors. He reported that the board had transacted considerable business at its Monday session.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stevens of Patagonia were Nogales visitors the latter part of last week.

Mr. John Lawless of the San Rafael valley was a Nogales visitor early in the week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Parker and baby and Mrs. Parker's brother, Lester, were Patagonia visitors Wednesday in Mr. Parker's new Studebaker.

Farmers' Questions on Income Tax to Be Answered Now

"What deductions are allowed a farmer for 'business expenses,' in making out his income-tax return?"

This is one of the many questions which revenue officers who will visit every county in the United States during the next few days will answer in detail. Briefly, they include the amount expended for labor in the preparation of land for crops and in the cultivation, harvesting and marketing of the crop.

Deductions may be made for the cost of seed and fertilizer, the amount expended for labor in caring for livestock, cost of feed, repairs to farm and other farm buildings, but not the cost of repairs to the dwelling. The cost of repairs to farm fences and machinery is deductible, as well as the cost of small tools and material which is used up in the course of a year or two, such as binding twine, pitchforks, spades, etc.

The cost of machinery, such as tractors and threshing machines, cannot be deducted, but the cost of their operation is a deductible item.

The value of farm products is not considered taxable until reduced to cash or its equivalent. If crops and stocks were produced in 1916 and sold in 1917, the amount received therefor is to be included in the farmer's tax return for the calendar year 1917. Crops produced in 1917 and on hand December 31 need not be considered. Persons in doubt as to any of the provisions of the income-tax section of the war-revenue act are advised by the Bureau of Internal Revenue to see the revenue officer who is to be in Nogales until Feb. 12 and assist taxpayers in making out their returns, which must be filed on or before March 1, 1918.

Letter From French War Front Unique

The following letter was received some time ago by Mr. W. H. Florentine, manager of the Nogales Overland Company, from a cousin who had fought in the trenches of France. It is interesting, because of the fact that it gives first-hand information as to the kind of foe our boys will face when they get to the front. The letter was several months on the way before being delivered to Mr. Florentine. The letter, in part:

"Dear Cousin: I was pleased to hear from you, especially as I just came in from the firing line and your letter was included among a number of others from dear old home. A snap appreciates a few lines when so far from home."

"Pleased to say so far I have come through without a scratch, although I have been in hot corners already. My uncle visited with me in Australia, and so far we have not been separated. A few nights ago we were in a raid to the German trenches, but got back safe, although we were under a heavy bombardment of shells and machine guns, but not before our boys accounted for all the Germans in the trench. The Germans around this area will not show fight individually when faced by an Australian. Up goes his hands and he cries for mercy."

"This war is a terrible thing. You have no idea what destruction has been done to the country. Hardly a tree stands, let alone any houses. In some places we see the remains of an old village. The German is a mean fighter; will not fight hand-to-hand; up to all the dirty work possible, such as using gas and setting traps—but after all he has no chance."

"There is going to be some terrible fighting before long, when I am sure the Germans will have a had time. Already they are retreating along this front."

"If you happen to get these few lines let me know often, then I can let you know all the news possible."

"Your affectionate cousin, 'BOB FREGON.'"

The tragedy of war is now to be told; since writing the above letter, both the writer and his uncle have been killed in action.

"Pat" Patterson, on petition of the residents of Patagonia, has been appointed deputy sheriff, with headquarters here, at a salary of \$125 per month.

Lawrence E. Niles has been promoted to the rank of corporal at Camp Kerney, California.

Mr. J. Lander Young, of Greaterville, was a guest recently at the Montezuma hotel, Nogales.

E. T. Nance of Parker Canyon was a recent Nogales business visitor.

King of the Khyber Rifles

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A Story That Combines the Thrill of Modern Detective Fiction With the Romance of Arabian Nights Tales

WHEN ISMAIL AND THE OTHERS COMPOSING KING'S GUARD DISCOVER THE CLEVERNESS OF HIS DISGUISE THEY ARE FIRST PUZZLED, THEN DELIGHTED.

Synopsis.—At the beginning of the world war Capt. Athelstan King of the British Indian army and of its secret service, is ordered to Delhi to meet Yasmin, a dancer, and go with her to Khinjan to meet the outlaws there who are said by spies to be preparing for a jihad or holy war. On his way to Delhi King quietly foils a plan to assassinate him and gets evidence that Yasmin is after him. He meets Rewa Gunga, Yasmin's man, who says she has already gone north, and at her town house witnesses queer dances. Ismail, an Afridi, becomes his body servant and protector. He rescues some of Yasmin's hillmen and takes them north with him, tricking the Rangar into going ahead. The Rangar deserts him at a dangerous time. He meets his brother at All Masjid fort.

CHAPTER VIII—Continued.

The packs were laid on the ground, and the mules shook themselves, while the jackals that haunt the Khyber came closer, to sit in a ring and watch. King dug a flashlight out of one of the packs, gave it to Ismail to hold, sat on the other pack and began to write on a memorandum pad. It was a minute before he could persuade Ismail that the flashlight was harmless, and another minute before he could get him to hold it still. Then, however, he wrote swiftly.

In the Khyber, a mile below you. Dear Old Man—I would like to run in and see you, but circumstances don't permit. Several people sent your regards by me. Herewith go two mules and their packs. Make any use of the mules you like, but store the loads where I can draw on them in case of need. I would like to have a talk with you before taking the rather desperate step I intend, but I don't want to be seen entering or leaving All Masjid. Can you come down the pass without making your intention known? It is growing misty now. It ought to be easy. My men will tell you where I am and show you the way. Why not destroy this letter?—Athelstan.

He folded the note and stuck a postage stamp on it in lieu of a seal. Then he examined the packs with the aid of the flashlight, sorted them and ordered two of the mules reloaded.

"You three!" he ordered then. "Take the loaded mules into All Masjid fort. Take this chit, you. Give it to the sahib in command there."

"To hear is to obey!" said the nearest man. They took the mules' leading reins and before they had gone ten paces were swallowed in the mist that had begun to flow southward. The night grew still, except for the whimpering of jackals.

Ismail came nearer and squatted at King's feet. Darya Khan came closer too. King had tied the reins of the two horses and the one remaining mule together in a knot and was sitting on the pack. Solemn, almost motionless, squatted on their hunkers, they looked like two great vultures watching an animal die.

They sat in silence for five minutes. Then suddenly the two hillmen shuddered, although King did not bat an eyelid. Din burst into being. A volley ripped out of the night and thundered down the pass.

"How-utt! Hukkums dar?" came the insolent challenge half a minute after it—the proof positive that All Masjid's guards neither slept nor were afraid.

A weird wail answered the challenge, and there began a tossing and fro of words, that was prelude to a shouted invitation:

"Ud-vance-frrrenen-orss-werrul!" English can be as weirdly distorted as wire, or any other supple medium, and native leaves advance distortion to the point of art; but the language sounds no less good in the chilly gloom of a Khyber night.

Followed another wail, this time of half an hour. Then a man's footsteps—a booted, leather-heeled man, striding carelessly. Not far behind him was the softer noise of sandals. The man began to whistle "Annie Laurie."

"Charles? That you?" called King. "That you, old man?"

A man in khaki stepped into the moonlight. He was so nearly the image of Athelstan King that Ismail and Darya Khan stood up and stared. Athelstan strode to meet him. Their walk was the same. Angle for angle, line for line, they might have been one man and his shadow, except for three-quarters of an inch of stature.

"Glad to see you, old man," said Athelstan.

"Sure, old chap!" said Charles; and they shook hands.

"What's the desperate proposal?" asked the younger.

"I'll tell you when we are alone."

His brother nodded and stood a step aside. The three who had taken the note to the fort came closer—partly to call attention to themselves, partly to claim credit, partly because the outer silence frightened them. They elbowed Ismail and Darya Khan, and one of them received a savage blow in the stomach by way of retort from Ismail. Before that spark could start an explosion Athelstan interfered.

"Ismail! Take two men. Go down the pass out of earshot, and keep watch! Come back when I whistle thus—but no sooner!"

He put fingers between his teeth and blew until the night shivered back at him. Ismail seized the leather bag and started to obey.

"Leave that bag. Leave it, I say!" "But some man may steal it, sahib. How shall a thief know there is no money in it?"

"Leave it and go!"

Ismail departed, grumbling, and King turned on Darya Khan.

"Take the remaining men and go up the pass!" he ordered. "Stand out of earshot and keep watch. Come when I whistle!"

"But this one has a bellyache where Ismail smote him! Can a man with a bellyache stand guard? His moaning will betray both him and me!" objected "Lord of the Rivers."

"Take him and go!" commanded King.

"But—" King was careful now not to show his bracelet. But there was something in his eye and in his attitude—a subtle, suggestive something-or-other about him—that was rather more convincing than a pistol or a stick. Darya Khan thrust his rifle's end into the hurt man's stomach for encouragement and started off in the mist.

"Come and ache out of the sahib's sight!" he snarled.

In a minute King and his brother stood unseen, unheard in the shadow by a patch of silver moonlight. Athelstan sat down on the mule's pack.

"Well?" said the younger. "Tell me. I shall have to hurry. You see I'm in charge back there. They saw me come out, but I hope to teach 'em a lesson going back."

Athelstan nodded. "Good!" he said. "I've a roving commission. I'm ordered to enter Khinjan caves."

His brother whistled. "Tall order! What's your plan?"

"Haven't one—yet. Know more when I'm nearer Khinjan. You can help me end."

"How? Name it!"

"I shall go in disguise. Nobody can put the stain on as well as you. But tell me something first. Any news of a holy war yet?"

His brother nodded. "Plenty of talk about one to come," he said. "We keep hearing of that lasher that we can't locate, under a mullah whose name seems to change with the day of the week. And there are everlasting tales about the 'Heart of the Hills.'"

"No explanation of 'em?" Athelstan asked him.

"None! Not a thing!"

"D'you know of Yasmin?"

"Heard of her, of course," said his brother.

"Has she come up the pass?"

His brother laughed. "No, neither she nor a coach and four."

"I have heard she's up the pass ahead of me," said Athelstan.

"She hasn't passed All Masjid!" said his brother, and Athelstan nodded.

"Are the Turks in the show yet?" asked Charles.

"Not yet. But I know they're expected in."

"You bet they're expected in!" The young man grinned from ear to ear. "They're working both tides under to prepare the tribes for it. They flatter themselves they can set alight a holy war that will put Timour bang to shame. You should hear my jezailchies talk at night when they think I'm not listening!"

"The jezailchies'll stand though," said Athelstan.

"Stake my life on it!" said his brother. "They'll stick to the last man!"

"I can't tell you," said Athelstan, "why we're not attacking brother Turk before he's ready. But my job is to help make the holy war seem unprofitable to the tribes, so that they'll let the Turk down hard when he calls on 'em. Every day that I can point to forts held strongly in the Khyber is a day in my favor. There are sure to be raids. In fact, the more the merrier, provided they're spasmodic. We must keep 'em separated—keep 'em swarming too fast—while I sow other seeds among 'em."

His brother nodded. Sowing seeds was almost that family's hereditary job. Athelstan continued:

"Hang on to All Masjid like a leech, old man! The day one raiding lasher gets command of the Khyber's throat, the others'll all believe they've won the game. Nothing'll stop 'em!

Look out for traps. Smash 'em on sight. But don't follow up too far!"

"Sure," said Charles. "Help me with the stain now, will you?"

With his flashlight burning as if its battery flashed current by the week instead of by the minute, Athelstan dragged open the mule's pack and produced a host of things. He propped a mirror against the pack and squatted in front of it. Then he passed a little bottle to his brother, and Charles attended to the chin-strap mark that would have betrayed him a British officer in any light brighter than dusk. In a few minutes his whole face was darkened to one hue, and Charles stepped back to look at it.

"Won't need to wash yourself for a month!" he said. "The dirt won't show!" He sniffed at the bottle. "But that stain won't come off if you do wash—never worry! You'll do finely."

"Not yet, I won't!" said Athelstan, picking up a little safety razor and beginning on his mustache. In a minute he had his upper lip bare. Then his brother bent over him and rubbed in stain where the scrubby mustache had been.

After that Athelstan unlocked the leather bag that had caused Ismail so much concern and shook out from it a pile of odds and ends at which his brother nodded with perfect understanding. The principal item was a piece of silk—forty or fifty yards of it—that he proceeded to bind into a turban on his head, his brother lending him a guiding, understanding finger at every turn. When that was done, the man who had said he looked in the least like a British officer would have lied.

One after another he drew on native garments, picking them from the pile beside him. So, by rapid stages he developed into a native hakim—by creed a converted Hindu, like Rewa Gunga—one of the men who practice yunani, or modern medicine, without a license and with a very great deal of added superstition, trickery and guesswork.

"I wouldn't trust you with a ha'penny!" announced his brother when he had done. "The part to a T."

"Well—take these into the fort for me, will you?" His brother caught the bundle of discarded European clothes and tucked them under his arm. "Now, remember, old man! We've got to hold the Khyber, and we can't do it by riding pell-mell into the first trap set for us! Be a coward, if that's the name you care to give it. You needn't tell me you've got orders to hunt skirmishers to a standstill, because I know better."

"How d'you know better?"

"Never mind! I've been seconded to your crowd. I'm your senior, and I'm giving you orders. Hit hard when you have to, but for God's sake, old man, ware traps!"

"All right," said his brother.

"Then good-by, old man!"

"Good-by, Athelstan!"

They stood facing and shook hands. Where had been a man and his reflection in the mist, there now seemed to be the same man and a native. Athelstan King had changed his very nature with his clothes. He stood like a native—moved like one; even his voice was changed, as if—like the actor who dyed himself all over to act Othello—he could do nothing by halves.

"By, Charles!"

Officers in that force are not chosen for their clumsiness, or inability to move silently by night. His footsteps died in the mist almost as quickly as his shadow. Before he had been gone a minute the pass was silent as death again, and though Athelstan listened with trained ears, the only sound he could detect was of a jackal cracking a bone fifty or sixty yards away.

CHAPTER IX.

King repacked the loads, putting everything back carefully into the big leather envelopes and locking the empty handbag, after throwing in a few stones for Ismail's benefit. Then he went to sit in the moonlight, with his back to a great rock and waited there cross-legged to give his brother time to make good a retreat through the mist. When there was no more doubt that his own men, at all events, had failed to detect the lieutenant, he put two fingers in his mouth and whistled.

Almost at once he heard sandals come pattering from both directions. As they emerged out of the mist he sat silent and still. It was Darya Khan who came first and stood gazing at him, but Ismail was a very close second, and the other three were only a little behind. For full two minutes after the man with the sore stomach had come they all stood holding one another's arms, astonished. Then—

"Our sahib—King sahib—where is he?" asked Ismail.

"Gone!"

Even King's voice was so completely changed that men who had been reared amid mutual suspicion could not recognize it.

"But there are his loads! There is his mule!"

"Here is his bag!" said Ismail, pouncing on it, picking it up and shak-

ing it. "It rattles not as formerly! There is more in it than there was!"

"His two horses and the mule are here," said Darya Khan.

"Did I say he took them with him?" asked the hakim, who sat still with his back to a rock. "He went because I came! He left me here in charge! Should he not leave the wherewithal to make one comfortable, since I must do his work? Bah! What do I see? A man bent nearly double? That means a bellyache! Who should have a bellyache when I have potions, lotions, balms to heal all ills, magic charms and talismans, big and little pills—and at such a little price! So small a price! Show me the belly and pay your money! Forget not the money, for nothing is free except air, water and the Word of God! I have paid money for water before now, and where is the mullah who will not take a fee? Nay, only air costs nothing! For a rupee, then—for one rupee I will heal the sore belly and forget to be ashamed for taking such a little fee!"

"Whither went the sahib? Nay—show us proof!" objected Darya Khan; and Ismail stood back a pace to scratch his flowing beard and think.

"The sahib left this with me!" said King, and held up his wrist. The gold bracelet Rewa Gunga had given him gleamed in the pale moonlight.

"May God be with thee!" boomed all five men together.

King jumped to his feet so suddenly that all five gave way in front of him, and Darya Khan brought his rifle to the port.

"Hast thou never seen me before?" he demanded, seizing Ismail by the shoulders and staring straight into his eyes.

"Nay, I never saw thee!"

"Look again!"

He turned his head, to show his face in profile.

"Nay, I never saw thee!"

"Thou, then! Thou with the belly! Thou! Thou!"

They all denied ever having seen him.

So he stepped back until the moon shone full in his face and pulled off his turban, changing his expression at the same time.

"Now look!"

"Ma'zillah! (May God protect us!)"

"Now ye know me?"

"Hee-ye-ye!" yelled Ismail, hugging himself by the elbows and beginning to dance from side to side. "Hee-ye-ye! What said I? Said I not so? Said I not this is a different man? Said I not this is a good one—a man of unexpected things? Said I not there was magic in the leather bag? I shook it often and the magic grew! Hee-ye-ye! Look at him! See such cunning! Feel him! Smell of him! He is a good one—good!"

Three of the others stood and grinned, now that their first shock of surprise had died away. The fourth man poked among the packs. There was little to see except gleaming teeth and the white of eyes, set in hairy faces in the mist. But Ismail danced all by himself among the stones of Khyber road and he looked like a bearded ghoul out for an airing.

"Hee-ye-ye! She smelt out a good one! Hee-ye-ye! This is a man of unexpected things!"

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of it!" said King. "What shall my new name be? Give ye me a name! Khan is a title of respect. Since I wish for respect, I will call myself Khan. Name me a village the first name you can think of—quick!"

"Kurram," said Ismail, at a hazard.

"Kurram is good. Kurram I am! Kurram Khan is my name henceforward! Kurram Khan the dakitar!"

"But where is the sahib who came from the fort to talk?" asked the man whose stomach ached yet from Ismail and Darya Khan's attentions to it.

"Gone!" announced King. "He went with the other one!"

"Went whither? Did any see him go?"

"Is that thy affair?" asked King, and the man collapsed. It is not considered wise to the north of Jamrud to argue with a wizard, or even with a man who only claims to be one. This was a man who had changed his very nature almost under their eyes.

"Even his other clothes have gone!" murmured one man, who had poked about among the packs.

"And now, Ismail, Darya Khan, ye two dunderheads!—ye bellies without brains!—when was there ever a dakitar—a hakim, who had not two assistants—at the least? Have ye never seen ye blinder-than-bats—how one man holds a patient while his boils are lanced, and yet another makes the hot iron ready?"

"Aye! Aye!"

They had both seen that often.

"Then, what are ye?"

They gaped at him. Were they to work wonders too? Were they to be part and parcel of the miracle? Watching them, King saw understanding dawn behind Ismail's eyes and knew he was winning more than a mere admirer. He knew it might be days yet, but it seemed to him that Ismail was at heart his friend. And there are no friendships stronger than those formed in the Khyber and beyond—no more loyal partnerships. The 'Hills' are the home of contrasts, of blood-feuds that last until the last-but-one man dies, and of friendships that no crime or need or slander can efface. If the feuds are to be avoided like the devil, the friendships are worth having.

"There is another thing ye might do," he suggested, "if ye two grown men are afraid to see a boli slit open. Always there are timid patients who hang back and refuse to drink the medicines. There should be one or two among the crowd who will come forward and swallow the draughts eagerly, in proof that no harm results. Be ye two they!"

Ismail spat savagely.

"Nay! Bismillah! Nay, nay! I will hold them who have boils, sitting firmly on their bellies—so—or between their shoulders—thus—when the boils are behind! Nay, I will drink no draughts! I am a man, not a cess-pool!"

"And I will study how to heat hot irons!" said Darya Khan, with grim conviction. "It is likely that, having worked for a blacksmith once, I may learn quickly! Phauhgghh! I have tasted medicine! I have drunk Apsia nastes (Epsom salts)."

He spat, too, in a very fury of reminiscence.

"Good!" said King. "Henceforward, then, I am Kurram Khan, the dakitar, and ye two are my assistants, Ismail to hold the men with boils, and Darya Khan to heat the irons—both of ye to be my men and support me with words when need be!"

"Aye!" said Ismail, quick to think of details, "and these others shall be the tasters!"

"We will not drink the medicines!" announced the man who had a stomach ache. "Nay, nay!"

But Ismail hit him with the back of his hand in the stomach again and danced away, hugging himself and shouting "Hee-ye-ye!" until the jackals joined him in discontented chorus and the Khyber pass became full of weird howling. Then suddenly the old Afridi thought of something else and came back to thrust his face close to King's.

"Why be a Rangar? Why be a Rajput, sahib? She loves us hillmen better!"

"Do I look like a hillman of the 'Hills'?" asked King.

"Nay, not now. But he who can work one miracle can work another. Change thy skin once more and be a true hillman!"

"Aye!" King laughed. "And fall heir to a blood-feud with every second man I chance upon! Better be a converted Hindu and be despised by some than have cousins in the 'Hills'! Is that clear, thou art?"

"Aye! Thou art more cunning than any man I ever met!"

The great Afridi began to rub the tips of his fingers through his straggly beard in a way that might mean anything, and King seemed to draw considerable satisfaction from it, as if it were a sign language that just then he needed a friend, and he certainly did not propose to refuse such a useful one.

"And," he added, as if it were an

afterthought, instead of his chief reason, "if her special man Rewa Gunga is a Rangar, and is known as a Rangar throughout the 'Hills,' shall I not the more likely win favor by being a Rangar too? If I wear her bracelet and at the same time am a Rangar, who will not trust me?"

"True!" agreed Ismail. "Trus! Thou art a magician!"

But the moon was getting low and Khyber would be dark again in half an hour, for the great crags in the dis-



"Kurram Kahn is My Name Henceforward! Kurram Khan the Dakitar!"

tance to either hand shut off more light than do the Khyber walls. The mist, too, was growing thicker. It was time to make a move.

King rose. "Pack the mule and bring my horse!" he ordered and they hurried to obey with alacrity born of new respect, Darya Khan attending to the trimming of the mule's load in person instead of snarling at another man. It was a very different little escort from the one that had come thus far. Like King himself, it had changed its very nature in fifteen minutes!

They brought the horse and King laughed at them, calling them idiots—men without eyes.

"I am Kurram Khan, the dakitar, but who is the 'Hills' would believe it! Look now—look ye and tell me what it is wrong?"

He pointed to the horse, and they stood in a row and stared.

"The saddle!" Ismail suggested. "It is a government officer's saddle."

"Stolen!" said King, and they nodded. "Stolen along with the horse!"

"Aye!"

"Shorten those stirrups, then, six holes at the least! Men will laugh at me if I ride like a British officer!"

"Aye!" said Ismail, hurrying to obey.

"Now," he said, gathering the reins and swinging into the saddle, "who knows the way to Khinjan?"

"Which of us does not?"

"Ye all know it? Then ye all are, border thieves and worse! No honest man knows that road! Lead on, Darya Khan, thou Lord of Rivers! Forward march!"

So Darya Khan led the way with his rifle, and King's face glowed in cigarette light not very far behind him as he legged his horse up the narrow track that led northward out of the Khyber bed. It would be a long time before he would dare smoke a cigar again, and his supply of cigarettes was destined to dwindle down to nothing before that day. But he did not seem to mind.

FOOD CONTROLLER OF CANADA GIVES WARNING

Food Production Should Be Increased at All Cost.

In his letter to the public on the 1st of January, Hon. W. J. Hanna, Canada's Food Controller, says:— "Authoritative information has reached me that food shortage in Europe is terribly real, and only the sternest resolve on the part of the producers, and equally stern economies on the part of all as consumers, can possibly save the situation.

"France last year had a crop between one-third and one-half that of a normal year. Women did the work of draught animals in a determined effort to make the impoverished soil of France produce every possible ounce of food. They now look to us to make up their deficiency of essential supplies.

"The harvest in Italy was far below normal and will require much larger supplies to feed her people until next harvest. "It is impossible for the allies to spare many cargo carriers to transport foodstuff from India, Australia, New Zealand and even the Argentine Republic. This means that the allied nations are practically dependent upon North America to supply them with the food which must be forthcoming if terrible suffering is to be avoided and the fighting efficiency of the armies maintained.

"On December 1, the United States had not a single bushel of wheat for export, after allowance was made for domestic requirements on the basis of normal consumption, and the United States Food Administration is endeavoring to bring about a reduction of 20 per cent in home consumption of wheat and flour. This would release 100,000,000 bushels for export, but the Allies will require nearly five times that amount before the 1918 harvest.

Canada is the only country in the world, practically accessible to the Allies under present conditions of shipping shortage, which has an actual exportable surplus of wheat after allowance for normal home requirements. The surplus today is not more than 110,000,000 bushels. A reduction of 20 per cent in our normal consumption would save an additional 10,000,000 bushels for export. The outlook for production of food stuffs in Europe next year is distinctly unfavorable.

"Such is the situation—grave beyond anything that we thought possible a few months ago. Unless our people are aroused to a realization of what the world shortage means to us, to our soldiers and to our Allies, and of the terrible possibilities which it entails, disaster is inevitable.

"Production, too, must be increased to the greatest possible extent. Present war conditions demand extraordinary efforts, and every man, woman, boy or girl who can produce food has a national duty to do so. "I am confident that when the people of this country realize that the food situation is of utmost gravity they will willingly adjust themselves to the necessities of the case and make whatever sacrifices may be required. The call which is made upon them is in the name of the Canadian soldiers at the front, the allied armies, and the civilian populations of the allied nations who have already made food sacrifices to an extent little realized by the people of this country."

Here is an appeal made by a man, upon whom rests the great responsibility of assisting in providing food for the allies and the soldiers at the front, who are fighting the battles in mud and blood. It cannot be ignored. At home we are living in luxury and extravagance inclined to idleness and forgetfulness. This must cease. We must save and produce. Our lands must be tilled no matter where it may be, in Canada or the United States. It is our duty to cultivate. Splendid opportunities in the United States are open for further cultivation of lands. Western Canada also offers opportunities in high producing lands at low prices. Decide for yourself where you can do the most good, on land in the United States or in Canada, and get to work quickly.—Advertisement.

Fluid Fuel. "I want to see alcohol abolished from the face of the earth," remarked the dyspeptic citizen. "Of course, you mean alcoholic drinks?" "No, I don't draw the line. If the health of the nation is to be preserved we've got to shut down on the chafing dish as well as the flowing bowl."—Exchange.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets are best for liver, bowels and stomach. One little Pellet for a laxative, three for a cathartic. Ad.

True Blue. Cornelius Vanderbilt, at a luncheon at Piping Rock, praised an old New Yorker. "He is a true-blue American for fair," Mr. Vanderbilt said. "His ancestors came over on the Mayflower and his descendants are going back on army transports."

Colds Cause Headache and Grip. LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." R. W. GILVER'S signature on box. Ad.

But Are These Legal Tenders? "Buy your food with thought," says a Hoover bulletin. "Pay your taxes with a smile," runs a revenue slogan.—Boston Transcript.

The savage worships a demigod, not a demigod.

MEMORIES



But along with the years that have passed since then, And the varying fortunes and failures of life, Comes the proof that the future is not as we plan, But with manifold changes is rife.

For we drew apart—though I loved her the while— And she married a man more worthy of her, Who had wealth and refinement and learning profound And all that a queen might prefer.

Yet I am not bitter, and envy not him, The wine of true happiness once "to be mine,"— But out of my solitude rises to God A prayer for that old Valentine.

As I ransacked old chests and quaint traveling trunks, And rummaged rare keepsakes of ancient design, With a mingling of feelings of pleasure and pain, I chanced on an old Valentine. And I see the gentle upturned face, With its frank blue eyes and its smile divine, As she blushing curled her sweet lips and said She would be "my true Valen-

TIME'S CHANGE



save his quiver and a bath towel. But what used to be called modesty is now listed as prudishness. The average maid of today doesn't blink at a flock of Cupids, Psyches, Venuses or Dianas. She can mingle on equal terms with the undressed parade at the seaside and she has her picture in the pink pages showing nothing much but her legs and teeth. She gossips about eugenics and birth control much as the girl of old did about Little Goldenlocks and the three bears. If a sweetheart should send her a little box-catch effect made of lace paper, hearts and pink roses she would yawn him off the premises.

So it is that the old-style valentine is pretty much numbered with the slain. The very young, the very old, the very modest and the quality romantic, may indulge, but not your latter day lovers. The day of St. Valentine may be remembered by gifts to sweethearts, but they are more apt to be silver cigarette cases or cocktail sets rather than the filmy Cupids of other days.—Los Angeles Times.

THE VALENTINE habit is growing a bit cobwebby. In these feverish times of efficiency and speed if Romeo loves a maid he grabs her by the shoulder, throws her into a deep-breathing buzz-wagon and breaks the road limit to the local Gretna Green. He doesn't sit in a little back room and blush to himself as he puts her address to an envelope containing a dainty lace-curtained portrayal of Cupid shooting an arrow into a little pink heart. The blush was over his own effrontery and also over the fact that Cupid had very little on

FROM "TOM"



to Miss Mary Jones. Any name will do. From the appearance of the wrapper it had been all over the city.

Gazing at the wrapper, the nameless man visualized innumerable impatient postmen going from door to door with the little package, only to scrawl "Not at above address" or "Wrong address, Try," etc., or "House vacant," or something of that kind, until the wandering message found peace at length in the repositories of the dead-letter office.

He opened the valentine. This was what he read: I have wandered far 'neath the tropic's glare, And north where the ice is blue, And yet 'tis as though I had never been there, For my heart stays home with you.

Conventional enough, but there are infinite possibilities of speculation in the message which was never delivered. It might have been the agonized cry of a young man who had left the city to take a position as stenographer in a manufacturing concern. It might have been a word from the dead. One word was signed—"Tom."

Valentines, valentines, valentines! Some with a message behind their banal verse; some used for insult; some—

HAVE a little story that a man once told me," stated the poet. "It might be called 'The Tale of the Lost Message.'" Whereupon he recounted the story which the nameless man had recited to him. It seems that one day the nameless man had dropped into a sale of articles which had been deposited in the dead-letter office. Among the things which were offered was a small package containing a single, rather expensive valentine. The nameless man was not wealthy. Neither had he an obsession to become the possessor of a number of amorous verses. Yet the valentine interested him. He couldn't shake off the curiosity which urged him to find out what expression of adoration some girl had missed. So the nameless man bought the valentine. It was addressed to—well, say

FIRST LOVE



The object of my affection was a girl of my own age who lived at the other end of our block. She had fiery red hair and the sides of her nose were dotted with freckles, but she was beautiful to me and she was mighty popular with the boys. Nowdays she would be called a good sport but a wild flirt. But she was always cheerful and she was the only girl who had not made fun of my buck tooth and so I loved her to distraction.

So also did others. When I saw her after the great day I found that practically every boy in the neighborhood had sent her a valentine breathing undying affection and that while mine was as beautiful as any, she seemed to cherish some of the others more.

That valentine day made our block an armed camp of jealous lovers. Half I participated, and in both of which a dozen fights resulted, in two of which I got licked.

CHILDHOOD valentines used to be a very innocent sport, but the day was one of fiery interest to the youthful heart. The first valentine—given or sent—is a real milestone on the royal road to romance. I never had the courage to seriously send forth one of these messengers of budding affection until I had reached the discreet and advanced age of twelve summers. That valentine cost me 30 cents, which was about what I looked like in those days.

JUST WHY IS A GUINEA HEN?

Question Is Asked by Writer Who Evidently Has No Great Liking for the Breed.

Whoever designed the guinea hen and composed the music for her vocal organs must have used a rasp for a tuning fork. Guinea hens and their husbands are alike in appearance; when you've seen one you've seen the other. Their plumage is of one and the same piece of goods, like the Quakers'. If ever you have indulged in filing the teeth of a cross-cut saw, you've heard the synonym of her melody.

Nature did herself a dreadful injustice when she produced this variety of fowl and the farmer who gives her board and lodging is no good Christian. I say this because any man who sells you a guinea hen as youthful and tender has designed to sell you. I have a dim recollection of toasting one many years ago, and I will say this—the gravy was quite tender.

A group of guineas running to keep out of harm's way resembles a streak of 10-cent called of sander hue with polka-dots. The guinea hen lays a very small egg with spots on it similar to those we see in cheap grocery stores in fly time. The eggs have no rating in the commercial world. They are used exclusively for hatching more trouble.—Cartoons Magazine.

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and 1/2 oz. of glycerine. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. Full directions for making and use come in each box of Barbo Compound. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off. Adv.

Wouldn't Keep Sugar He Found.

Washington has another honest man. He's Edward B. Maddox, who, after suffering for the last two months from the sugar famine, turned 340 pounds of the "precious stuff" over to the Washington police. He had found a barrel of granulated sugar near the substation of the Potomac Electric company. Evidently the barrel had been dropped by a truck. Maddox had been able to get less than two pounds of brown sugar a week, he said. The amount of sugar he found, on the war basis, would have lasted him four years. He was not regretful, however, that he had turned the sugar over to the police to find its rightful owner.—Washington Times.

Watch Your Skin Improve.

On rising and retiring gently smear the face with Cuticura Ointment. Wash off Ointment in five minutes with Cuticura Soap and hot water. For free sample address "Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston." At druggists and by mail. Soap 25, Ointment 25 and 50.—Adv.

The Era of Censorship.

"A little knowledge is a dangerous thing," exclaimed the man who quotes. "Possibly," replied Senator Sorghum. "A great deal just now depends on how you got your information and what you intend to do with it."

Ice in a Mine.

Ice that formed in the winters of the sixties and seventies, is being uncovered by coal companies at Hazleton, Pa., in running the culm banks of the region through the breakers to meet the demand for anthracite created by the war.—Boston Globe.

Important to Mothers.

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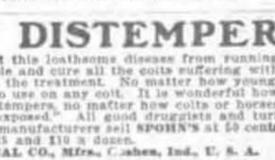
The foolish little moth looks on the bright side of things—and you have doubtless observed his flash.

Britain is developing a new system of school hygiene.

Nervous Headaches Four Bottles of Peruna Made Me Well

Mrs. Effie Hill, Blanchester, Ohio, writes as follows: "I cannot tell how much I suffered in the past twelve years. I have been treated by physicians and no relief only for a short time. I was in such a condition from nervous headaches, such heavy feeling as if my brain was pressing down, and so nervous I could not get my rest at night. Would have sinking spells and then so weak that I could not do my work. I began to take Peruna. Have taken four bottles of Peruna and have gained in strength and flesh, and can say I am a well

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War and the "Weather Man."

In this war the "weather man," the meteorologist, has come into his own. No one laughs at him now. His information is desired by the artillery officer who has to know the temperature of the air and its moisture content, the strength of the wind at different levels, and the like, in order that he may aim his gun. When the temperature is hovering about the freezing point, the staff wish to know if the improvised roads will be frozen sufficiently to permit the movement of guns or motortrucks. The captains of the air squadrons must know the condition of the atmosphere up to heights of 20,000 feet. The importance of the information may be judged from the fact that we were asked repeatedly if there was not some way by which the American weather reports could be kept from reaching Germany. Our reply had to be that, with Mexico where it was, nothing could be done.—Joseph S. Ames, in the Atlantic.

Positive Proof.

"Is that a real diamond pin you have on?" "I should say so. My brother did five years for gettin' it."

A FIGHT FOR LIFE

It has been fight or die for many of us in the past and the lucky people are those who have suffered, but who are now well because they heeded nature's warning signal in time to correct their trouble with that wonderful new discovery of Dr. Pierce's called "An-uric." You should promptly heed these warnings, some of which are dizzy spells, backache, irregularity of the urine or the painful twinges of rheumatism, scalds of tongue. To delay may make possible the dangerous forms of kidney disease, such as Bright's disease, diabetes or stone in the bladder.

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The Line Drawn.

Put was celebrating and he had imbibed too freely. He punched another man in the face and got haled up before the court. The judge told him he was charged with striking a man. "Shure, yer honor, can't a man have a bit of fun?" asked Pat.

"Yes," said the judge, "but your right to have fun is ended where this man's nose began."—Boston Transcript.

Keep Busy.

Flintsh—'I'm afraid I'll get stale on my garden work during the winter. Bensonhurst—'For why? Haven't you got a snow shovel?'—Yonkers Statesman.

Quite So.

"These are the bridal apartments." "Oh, what a suite thing!"—Baltimore American.

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Comparative Good Fortune.

"Of course," said Junak, when he found himself in the whale; "I'm a little nervous."

"Cheer up," said the whale. "You ought to be glad I'm an innocent, in offensive whale. A few thousand years later you might have been sighted by a ruthless submarine."

Inadvertent Boasting.

"Do you believe in heredity?" "Of course, I do," replied the gentle egotist. "Why, I've got one of the brightest boys you ever saw."

His Choice.

"Is he making any special claim for exemption?" "No," says he'd rather die in battle than live the rest of his life as a liar."

Woe in the politician whose nerve has become affected.

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Sugar is selling today throughout America at from 8 1/2 to 9 cents a pound to the consumer, even though there is a world shortage which has reduced this nation's sugar allotment to 70 per cent. of normal.

Through the efforts of the United States food administration the sugar market has been regulated as far as the producer, refiner and wholesaler is concerned. The food administration has no power to regulate retail prices except by public opinion. Even though more than 85,000 tons of sugar have been shipped to France in the last four months the retail grocer's sugar price is around 8 to 8 1/2 cents. He should sell this sugar at 8 1/2 to 9 cents, the food administration believes, and asks the American housewife to pay no more than this amount.

Last August when the food administration was organized the price of sugar rose suddenly to 11 cents a pound. During the Civil War sugar cost the consumer 35 cents a pound. By regulation of the sugar market and reducing the price to 8 1/2 and 9 cents and keeping it from advancing to 20 cents the food administration has saved the American public at least \$180,000,000 in four months, according to a statement made by Herbert Hoover the other day.

"It is our stern duty to feed the allies, to maintain their health and strength at any cost to ourselves," Mr. Hoover declared. "There has not been, nor will be as we see it, enough sugar for even their present meagre and depressing ration unless they send ships to remote markets for it. If we in our greed and gluttony force them either to further reduce their ration or to send these ships we will have done damage to our abilities to win this war."

"If we send the ships to Java for 250,000 tons of sugar next year we will have necessitated the employment of eleven extra ships for one year. These ships—if used in transporting troops—would take 150,000 to 200,000 men to France."

Reason for World Shortage.
As Mr. Hoover pointed out, the United States, Canada and England were sugar importing countries before the war, while France and Italy were very nearly self supporting. The main sources of the world's sugar supply was Germany and neighboring powers, the West Indies and the East Indies.

German sugar is no longer available, as it is used entirely in Germany, which also absorbs sugar of surrounding countries.

England can no longer buy 1,400,000 long tons of sugar each year from Germany. The French sugar production has dropped from 750,000 to 210,000 tons. The Italian production has fallen from 210,000 tons to 75,000 tons. Thus three countries were thrown upon East and West Indian sources for 1,925,000 tons annually to maintain their normal consumption.

Because of the world's shipping shortage the allied nations started drawing on the West Indies for sugar; East Indian sugar took three times the number of ships, since the distance was three times as great. Suddenly the west was called on to furnish and did furnish 1,420,000 tons of sugar to Europe when 300,000 tons a year was the pre-war demand. The allies had drawn from Java 400,000 tons before the shipping situation became acute.

"In spite of these shipments," Mr. Hoover stated the other day, "the English government in August reduced the household sugar ration to a basis of 24 pounds per annum per capita. And in September the French government reduced their household ration to 13 2/10 pounds a year, or a bit over 1 pound of sugar a month. Even this meagre ration could not be filled by the French government it was found early in the fall. America was then asked for 100,000 tons of sugar and succeeded in sending 85,000 tons by December 1. The French request was granted because the American household consumption was then at least 55 pounds per person, and it was considered the duty of maintaining the French morale made our course clear."

Today the sugar situation may be summarized by stating that if America will reduce its sugar consumption 10 to 15 per cent. this nation will be able to send 200,000 more soldiers to France.

Sugar today sells at seaboard refineries at \$7.25 a hundred pounds. The wholesale grocer has agreed to limit his profit to 25 cents a hundred plus freight, and the retail grocer is supposed to take no more than 50 cents a hundred pounds profit. This regulation was made by the food administration, which now asks the housewife to reduce sugar consumption as much as possible, using other sweeteners, and also reminds her that she should pay no more than 9 cents a pound for sugar.

Control of Cane Refiners' Profits.
"Immediately upon the establishment of the food administration," Mr.

Hoover said, "an examination was made of the costs and profits of refining and it was finally determined that the spread between the cost of raw and the sale of refined cane sugar should be limited to \$1.30 per hundred pounds. The pre-war differential had averaged about 85 cents and increased costs were found to have been imposed by the war in increased cost of refining, losses, cost of bags, labor, insurance, interest and other things, rather more than cover the difference. After prolonged negotiations the refiners were placed under agreement establishing these limits on October 1, and anything over this amount to be agreed extortionate under the law."

"In the course of these investigations it was found by canvass of the Cuban producers that their sugar had, during the first nine months of the past year, sold for an average of about \$4.24 per hundred f. o. b. Cuba, to which duty and freight added to the refiners' cost amount to about \$5.00 per hundred. The average sale price of granulated by various refineries, according to our investigation, was about \$7.50 per hundred, or a differential of \$1.84.

"In reducing the differential to \$1.30 there was a saving to the public of 54 cents per hundred. Had such a differential been in use from the 1st of January, 1917, the public would have saved in the first nine months of the year about \$24,800,000."

Next Year.

With a view to more efficient organization of the trade in imported sugars next year two committees have been formed by the food administration:

1. A committee comprising representatives of all of the elements of American cane refining groups. The principal duty of this committee is to divide the sugar importation pro rata to their various capacities and see that absolute justice is done to every refiner.

2. A committee comprising three representatives of the English, French and Italian governments; two representatives of the American refiners, with a member of the food administration. Only two of the committee have arrived from Europe, but they represent the allied governments. The duties of this committee are to determine the most economical sources from a transport point of view of all the allies to arrange transport at uniform rates, to distribute the foreign sugar between the United States and allies, subject to the approval of the American, English, French and Italian governments.

This committee, while holding strong views as to the price to be paid for Cuban sugar, has not had the final voice. This voice has rested in the governments concerned, together with the Cuban government, and I wish to state emphatically that all of the gentlemen concerned as good commercial men have endeavored with the utmost patience and skill to secure a lower price, and their persistence has reduced Cuban demands by 15 cents per hundred. The price agreed upon is about \$4.00 per hundred pounds, f. o. b. Cuba, or equal to about 86 duty paid New York.

"This price should eventuate," Mr. Hoover said, "to about \$7.30 per hundred for refined sugar from the refiners at seaboard points or should place sugar in the hands of the consumer at from 8 1/2 to 9 cents per pound, depending upon locality and conditions of trade, or at from 1 to 2 cents below the prices of August last and from one-half to a cent per pound cheaper than today."

"There is now an elimination of speculation, extortionate profits, and in the refining alone the American people will save over \$25,000,000 of the refining charges last year. A part of these savings goes to the Cuban, Hawaiian, Porto Rican and Louisiana producer and part to the consumer."

"Appeals to prejudice against the food administration have been made because the Cuban price is 34 cents above that of 1917. It is said in effect that the Cubans are at our mercy; that we could get sugar a cent lower. We made exhaustive study of the cost of producing sugar in Cuba last year through our own agents in Cuba, and we find it averages \$3.30, while many producers are at a higher level. We found that an average profit of at least a cent per pound was necessary in order to maintain and stimulate production or that a minimum price of \$4.37 was necessary, and even this would stifle some producers."

"The price ultimately agreed was 23 cents above these figures, or about one-fifth of a cent per pound to the American consumer, and more than this amount has been saved by our reduction in refiners' profits. If we wish to stifle production in Cuba we could take that course just at the time of all times in our history when we want production for ourselves and the allies. Further than that, the state department will assure you that such a course would produce disturbances in Cuba and destroy even our present supplies, but beyond all these material reasons is one of human justice. This great country has no right by the might of its position to strangle Cuba."

"Therefore there is no imposition upon the American public. Charges have been made before this committee that Mr. Rolph endeavored to benefit the California refinery of which he was manager by this 34 cent increase in Cuban price. Mr. Rolph did not fix the price. It does raise the price to the Hawaiian farmer about that amount. It does not raise the profit of the California refinery, because their charge for refining is, like all other refiners, limited to \$1.30 per hundred pounds, plus the freight differential on the established custom of the trade."

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Trelleborg and Sassnitz to Be the Termini of the Proposed Line Connecting With Germany.

The following bulletin on Trelleborg and Sassnitz, the termini of the proposed Swedish-German airplane route, which assumes special significance in the light of recent developments in the diplomatic relations between Germany and Sweden, has been issued by National Geographic society.

Between Trelleborg, the most southerly town in the Kingdom of Sweden, and Sassnitz, a summer resort on the northeastern shore of the German island of Rugen, express steamers in times of peace make regular trips across this arm of the Baltic in four hours. This is the chief water link in the 24-hour express service between Stockholm and Berlin. Neither town would be of any importance were it not for the fact that they are the termini of this steamer service.

Trelleborg is a quaint old town of some 10,000 inhabitants, lying 20 miles southeast of Malmo, capital of Skane, the most populous province in all Sweden. It is only 16 miles from Malmo to the Danish capital, Copenhagen.

Sassnitz is one of several popular seaside resorts on the island of Rugen, the largest insular possession of Germany, having an area about equal to that of Cape Cod. Only about 2,500 people make Sassnitz their permanent home, but during the bathing season in times of peace the village is visited annually by more than 20,000 pleasure seekers.

The water trip from Trelleborg to Sassnitz is 60 miles. Thus the rail-and-steam distance between Stockholm and Berlin is 415 miles.

DELICIOUS CORN MUFFINS.



Here's an old fashioned recipe for corn muffins that has recently been revived and used with unusual success in several of the larger New York hotels: To make three and a half dozen muffins take one quart milk, six ounces butter substitute, twelve ounces of light syrup or honey, four eggs, pinch of salt, two ounces baking powder, one and a half pounds cornmeal and one and a half pounds rye flour. The butter and syrup should be thoroughly mixed; then add the eggs gradually. Pour in the milk and add the rye flour mixed with cornmeal and baking powder.

Joke Books for Soldiers.

Making joke books for soldiers is the latest form of patriotic industry on the part of those who stay at home. It is said that the plan originated with Rudyard Kipling.

A blank book, preferably with large pages, is first obtained. Upon the pages are pasted the funniest pictures and anecdotes found in current newspapers and magazines. Some bright, short stories are also included.

The books are then sent to army hospitals, where they afford great entertainment to convalescent soldiers. Day after day the books are in steady use until they are worn out.

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Telephone operators need a sense of humor to make the petty annoyances of their occupation bearable. If they have that, they can find endless matter for amusement in the freakishness of the human nature that exhibits itself at the other end of the wire.

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MAINSTAY IN NATION'S CRISIS.

Surplus Wheat of the United States Has Been Sent to Famine Threatened Europe.

America's great corn crop, exceeding 3,000,000,000 bushels, will save the world's food situation, officials of the United States food administration believe.

Corn is the nation's best food cereal. Housewives are beginning to realize. It contains all the elements needed to keep the body in a state of health and when used according to the scores of tried recipes, especially when combined with an added portion of oil or fat, will sustain life indefinitely. Indian warriors in colonial days lived on parched corn alone for many days at a time, and at Valley Forge parched corn was at times the sole ration of the Continental soldiers.

Owing to transportation difficulties caused by the war the corn crop moved more slowly to market this year than ever before. Now, however, the cereal is reaching the millers and consumers. In the meantime the nation's surplus wheat has been sent to Europe.

Today there are approximately 39 bushels of corn for every American. This quantity is greater by five bushels than in former years.

Corn has become the nation's mainstay in the crisis of war.

Just as this cereal saved the first American colonists from famine on many occasions, just as it served as a staple food during the War of the Revolution and during the Civil War, King Corn has again come to the front in the nation's battle with autocracy.

Corn meal is finding greatly increased use in the making of ordinary white bread. Hundreds of housewives and many of the larger bakers are mixing 20 per cent corn meal with wheat flour to make leavened bread. This kind of a mixture is worked and baked in the same recipes and with the same methods that apply to straight wheat bread.

Corn bread—using corn meal entirely—is gaining a greater popularity than ever before. Housewives are coming to realize that every pound of wheat saved in America means a pound of wheat released for shipment to the nations with which America is associated in the war.

There are a score of corn products that today possess unusual importance for Americans. Corn syrup for sweetening corn cakes and buckwheat cakes and for use in the kitchen instead of granulated sugar is one of the leading products made from corn.

Corn oil, excellent for frying and for every other purpose filled by salad oils, is appearing on the market in large quantities. It comes from the germ of the corn.

MADE-IN-GERMANY LIES CIRCULATED IN CANADA

Canada is also having trouble with Made-in-Germany lies circulated to hinder Canadian food conservation according to an official statement received from the Canadian food controller by the United States food administration.

The stories bothering Canada are of the same general character as those the United States food administrator recently denounced in this country, such as the ridiculous salt and bluing famine fakes and the report that the government would seize housewives' stocks of home canned goods.

The Canadian food controller estimates that when the people listen to and pass on such stories, each one has the power of destruction that lies in a battalion of soldiers.

"Stories without even a vestige of foundation have been scattered broadcast," said the Canadian statement. "Nor have they come to life casually. They have started simultaneously in different parts of the country and in each instance have been calculated to arouse public indignation."

"They are insidious, subtle, persistent. Hit by hit they dissipate public trust, the great essential in the work of food control."

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ABOUT THE WAR

Sixteen classes of Greek reservists have been called to the colors, a Reuter dispatch from Athens says.

Forty-five persons were killed and 207 injured in the German air raid Jan. 28, according to the latest revised figures.

Drastic measures have been taken at Berlin to suppress the peace strike, and port cities were placed under martial law.

French troops penetrated the German lines in upper Alsace, destroyed defense works and brought back prisoners, the Paris war office announced.

Nine large British ships were sunk by U-boats in last week's raids. Six smaller vessels were lost. An Argentine steamer has been sunk in the Mediterranean.

German forces attacked an American post on the French front, killing two men and wounding two. One man was captured. It is believed the German casualties were greater.

In France and Belgium the fighting continues to be carried out by the artillery wings of the belligerents. Paris reports the capture of a few prisoners in a minor raid near the Meuse.

British casualties reported during the month of January totaled 73,017. More than 2,600 prisoners have been taken by the Italians in their successful attacks upon the Austrian lines on the Asiago plateau, the war office announced at Rome. Six guns and 100 machine guns also have been captured.

Austrians endeavored to evict the Italians from new positions on Monte di Val Bella, in the Asiago plateau sector, but were repulsed before they could reach the line of the defenders. Previously the Italians by a quick stroke, masterfully carried out, had pushed further forward their line in this region to the head of the Telogo valley. The Austrian losses in the past few days' fighting, not including the men made prisoners, are estimated at between 5,000 and 6,000.

The warning proclamation issued by the Berlin military superior in command follows: "Having now introduced a more drastic state of siege, I shall not have a population in doubt that I intend to suppress every attempt to disturb peace and order with all means at my disposal. I, therefore, warn every orderly citizen not to take part in any way in public meetings. Everyone must quietly carry out his duties and keep away from crowds. If arms have to be used, no distinction can be made between disturbers of order and those who are not taking part in such disturbances."

WESTERN

John Wilkinson, 70 years old, an old Indian fighter, was shot and killed while seeking to mediate between his sons, George and James, at Annabella, Utah.

In a stirring address before an audience of soldiers at Camp Jackson, Columbia, S. C., former President Taft declared the United States ought to raise an army of 5,000,000 men.

One thousand families of Newport, Ky., a suburb of Cincinnati, are homeless as a result of floods which have driven them from their homes. About thirty-five square miles, or one-third of Cincinnati, is inundated by water. Ice, freezing on the water, is hampering relief. It is almost impossible to maneuver boats.

The war conference of farmers closed its convention at Champaign, Ill., after outlining a plan for increased production during the coming year and urging its adoption by the farmers of the nation as their response to President Wilson's message calling attention to the country's need of their assistance in winning the war.

WASHINGTON

Livestock in the United States on Jan. 1 was valued at \$8,263,524,000, the Department of Agriculture announced. That was an increase of \$1,527,912,000 over a year ago.

Virtual reorganization of the Department of Labor has been decided on by Secretary Wilson as the first move in a plan to establish a war labor administration which will formulate a broad national labor party for the duration of the war.

Germany's war chiefs are using strong means to quell the unrest in her great manufacturing centers and prevent its development in the army. Evidences of unrest in the desertion to the allies of Alsatians in the Fifty-fourth reserve infantry regiment of the Eightieth reserve division in the last few days resulted in an order to put all Alsace-Lorrainers to hard labor Jan. 25.

The new Victory bread prescribed by the food administration must be sold at the prices that now obtain for its equivalent of white bread.

FOREIGN

Yochow, the strategic key to the upper Yang Tse lang, has been captured by the southern revolutionists, according to a report from Hankow.

Another unsuccessful attempt on the life of Premier Lenin was made, according to the Petrograd correspondent of the London Daily News.

The Finnish revolutionists have formed a government under the presidency of Kullerwo Manner, according to a telegram from Helsingfors.

Cossack regiments which revolted against General Kaledine, hetman of the Don Cossacks, have declared a civil war, according to advices received at Petrograd.

Forty lives were lost through the sinking of the French freight transport Drome and the trawler Kerbihan, which struck mines Jan. 23 within sight of Marseilles.

An official statement issued by the Bolshevik government says that "the new Workmen's and Peasants' Red army will serve to support the coming social revolution in Europe."

Dr. Alexander Wekerle, Hungarian premier, in addressing the Diet, declared: "Our readiness for peace is sincere and earnest. We never strove nor do we strive for conquests."

Three severe shocks of earthquake were felt at Guatemala City. Many buildings damaged in the recent disturbances were completely razed. One person was killed and several injured.

The Bolsheviks have split on the question of peace, a majority being against the conclusion of peace on the German terms and in favor of a holy war, a dispatch from Petrograd says.

A dispatch to the London Exchange Telegraph from Petrograd says: "Bolshevik forces entered Kiev. They have occupied the arsenal. The town surrendered after four shots had been fired."

The marquis of Lansdowne in an address in London said that he concurred entirely with the recent speeches of David Lloyd George, the British prime minister, and President Wilson on peace aims.

A revolution of the proletariat has been proclaimed in Finland and the social democratic committee has published a manifesto announcing that the authority belongs solely to the working classes and the organs representing them.

The workmen's and soldiers' government at Petrograd has appointed John Reed, an American newspaper man and socialist, as consul of the workmen's and soldiers' republic in New York, in succession to the consul appointed by the old regime.

SPORT

The University of Nebraska defeated Camp Dodge, 19 to 16, in basketball at Lincoln, Neb.

Conscrip, owned by F. T. Bedford of New York, won first place in the stud dog stake at Calhoun, Ala., in the final event of the National Field Trials Association.

John Moore of Chicago defeated Alfredo de Oro, world's three-cushion billiard champion, in the ambulance fund, 50 to 49, in the closest and most exciting game of the tournament at Chicago.

Bandsman Blake lost the middle-weight boxing championship of Great Britain at the National Sporting Club in London when he was defeated by Sergt. Pat O'Keefe, former welterweight champion of Ireland. O'Keefe's victory came in the second round.

GENERAL

The lone American soldier that the Germans took prisoner in the trench raid Jan. 28, against the American lines was Private John Jill, according to his comrades.

The five remaining Americans in Belgium have been denied the right to enter Holland since Jan. 16, the Spanish minister at Brussels has informed the minister at the Hague, State Department dispatches said.

More than 15,000 tons of bituminous coal were seized by State Fuel Administrator Potter at Philadelphia and evenly distributed among retailers for domestic use and forty-five manufacturing establishments working on war orders.

National registration of women available for work on farms is planned by the department of labor as one of the advance steps in a campaign to secure a sufficiency of farm labor for every section of the country during the coming season.

Driving squarely into a school bus loaded with twenty-five children returning from school near Barum, Minn., a southbound Northern Pacific passenger train crashed through the bus, killing seven of the occupants and injuring all the others, including the driver.

With the assertion that 3,000 cars of potatoes must be moved from Idaho Falls, Idaho, within the next 60 days to prevent loss to the shippers, the Bonneville County Potato Growers' association passed resolutions remonstrating against a recent railroad order which sent empty potato cars to the Pacific coast.

The Moscow council of workmen's and soldiers' deputies has declared the German peace proposals unacceptable, and has suggested that the council of national commissioners organize a Socialist army to fight against German imperialism.

Early measures looking to government control of the production and distribution of oil were forecast after a visit to the White House of Fuel Administrator Garfield. Complete plans for instituting a licensing system, it was said, were presented by the fuel administrator.

LATE MARKET QUOTATIONS

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

DENVER MARKETS.

Table with columns for Cattle, Hogs, Sheep, and various grades of livestock with prices.

MAY AND GRAIN MARKET.

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

Table with columns for Hay, Grain, and various types of feed with prices.

Table with columns for Eggs, various grades, and prices.

Table with columns for Butter, various grades, and prices.

Table with columns for Lard, various grades, and prices.

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PEACE ONLY HOPE IS CRY IN BERLIN

SOCIALISTS SAY WHOLE COUNTRY, MAYBE ALL HUMANITY, DEPENDS ON ENDING WAR.

ASK NO INDEMNITIES

SOCIALIST PRESS GAGGED AND LEADERS JAILED IN FIGHT TO END STRIKE.

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

Copenhagen, Feb. 4.—A copy of a pamphlet issued by the Independent Socialists, which reached Copenhagen, shows that the strike in Germany was prepared by them. The pamphlet points out that the Pan-Germans have brought the peace negotiations and the future of Germany into great danger.

Admiral von Tirpitz, leader of the Fatherland party, after an interview with the imperial chancellor, declared that he was satisfied with the government's plans concerning the east. Such a declaration, says the pamphlet, proves that the government is in collusion with the advocates of violence, and just at this moment the Reichstag, the only place where the annexationist policy could be attacked, is closed and other means of criticism made impossible by the government.

"Our press is gagged, our comrades are imprisoned, and the factories to a still greater extent are materialized," continues the pamphlet.

"Men and women of the working classes, there is no time to lose! After the horrors and horrible suffering we have undergone, a new and frightful disaster threatens our people—yes, even the whole of humanity.

"Only a peace without indemnities can save us, and the hour has come when you must raise your voice for such a peace."

Amsterdam.—The Rheinische Westfalsche Zeitung publishes a Munster dispatch dated Feb. 1, reproducing a proclamation issued by the deputy commanding general, in which he says:

"Germany is face to face with her hour of destiny. Her enemies have abandoned hope of victory by arms and are now trying to sow dissension in our ranks.

"I raise my warning voice and ask you to consider what will happen if our front begins to totter. Political resistance must and will, in all circumstances, be smashed. Germany must not experience such conditions as the Russian revolution produced."

The worst disturbances were in the Moabit Hill, where crowds of strikers attempted to overturn street cars. The police intervened and were resisted by the strikers, collisions occurring. There were stormy scenes also in North Berlin, and in East Berlin youths and girls crowded the streets, climbed on street cars and wrestled the controllers from the motormen or overturned the cars.

London.—The Supreme War Council, which met at Versailles, finds no approximation in the German chancellor's and Austro-Hungarian foreign minister's speeches to the terms of the entente allies, and has decided to continue the vigorous prosecution of the war until peace can be obtained "based on the principles of freedom, justice and respect for international law." This official announcement was made here Saturday night.

GERMANS BOMBARD AMERICANS. Two Killed and Nine Wounded in Battle as U. S. Guns Reply, Shell for Shell.

With the American Army in France, Feb. 4.—A German barrage fire at sundown Saturday night opened the heaviest bombardment of many days along the American sector, the American artillery replying shell for shell as the firing of heavy guns spread along several kilometers of front. Two Americans were killed and nine wounded during the bombardment, and one suffered from shell shock.

Italian forces have repulsed with heavy losses a violent attack of the Austro-Germans launched in an effort to regain ground lost on the Brenta River front. The Twenty-first Rifle division had 5,000 men put of action, while Austrian divisions had casualties amounting approximately to 50 per cent. The heaviest loss was reported by the One Hundred and Sixtieth landsturm, which, of several thousand men, has only a few hundred left.

French forces brought back prisoners in a raid north of Mortier wood.

U-Boat Sinks British Ship, 224 Lost. London.—The British armed boarding steamer Louvain, Lieut. Com. M. G. Easton commanding, was torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine in the eastern Mediterranean on Jan. 21. Seven officers and 217 men were lost.

John L. Sullivan, 59, Is Dead. Abington, Mass.—John L. Sullivan, holder of the heavyweight championship of the world for over ten years, died here. He was 59 years old, being born Oct. 13, 1862.

ARIZONA STATE NEWS

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

Fire destroyed eight residences in Miami.

The home of George Madrid, at Sanford, was destroyed by fire. Governor Hunt appointed G. P. Henderson as disbursing officer for Arizona.

An Odd Fellows lodge will be organized at Casa Grande with fifty charter members.

A total of \$100,000 is to be allowed for good roads work in Maricopa county during 1918.

General Pershing reported the death of Private Samuel C. Havia of Cochise, of pneumonia.

The costs in the Hunt-Campbell contest case for the governorship amounted to over \$4,000.

Phoenix expended approximately \$750,000 for new buildings in 1917, as against \$250,000 in 1916.

The Knights of Columbus of Bisbee have raised more than the \$5,000 quota in the Warren district.

Reports from northern Arizona say that the snows and rains have helped the cattle business wonderfully.

Governor Hunt has appointed Paul C. Thorne of Oatman judge of the Superior Court of Mohave county.

The dividends for eleven months of 1917 from Arizona copper properties amounted to more than \$41,000,000.

Phoenix is in the midst of an annual campaign to secure members of the Red Cross chapter of that city.

The annual convention of the Arizona Cattle Growers' Association will be held at Nogales, Feb. 14, 15 and 16.

A patriotic Navajo squaw at Blue Cañon has gained local fame by wearing a blanket with the American flag as its design.

Active work of installing another unit of the government pumping plant at Parker has been begun by the Indian irrigation service.

Henry Murphy, formerly a swimmer in the Bowie yards, is now a first lieutenant in the army, stationed at Jacksonville, Fla.

Taxpayers of Globe will vote on the question of a bond issue of \$440,000 for a sewer system and improvement of the municipal water system at a special election, March 2.

A solid block of copper weighing 200 pounds and assaying 65 per cent, was taken from Stope No. 12 at the Narragansett company mine, at Rosemont, Pima county, according to reports to the office in Tucson.

Joe Davis who was sent from Tucson to McNeal's Island for robbery of the Golden State Limited at Apache seventeen months ago, and who was later transferred to Leavenworth penitentiary, wants to go to war.

When Calumet and Hecla sets before its stockholders its record of 1917 it will be found that the item of costs has jumped skyward, due, of course, to the tremendous increase in payments for wages, coal, powder, steel, lumber, etc.

The first Tucson woman to pack her grip for France to join other American women gathering there, to be back of the spring drive of the allies when the American troops go into the fight, is Mrs. Harry Parker, wife of Fire Chief Parker.

Under orders of the director general of railroads, working through the sub-committee of railway car service, a system of zone embargoes became effective. Tucson is placed in the Denver zone, and J. M. Brown, receiver of the Denver & Rio Grande, is made chairman.

A daily mail service is to be established between Nogales and Ruby.

Arizona maintained her position in 1917 as the leading copper mining state, with a mine output of about 658,000,000 pounds, which is more than twice as much copper as her nearest competitor, Montana, produced, according to Victor C. Heikes, of the United States Geological Survey.

As the result of an automobile accident which occurred on the Globe-Miami highway at the intersection of the highway with the road which leads to the International smelter, Thomas Davies, master mechanic of the Inspiration mine, was killed, and B. M. Cushman, mechanical draftsman of the same mine, was seriously injured.

Refining of the price of copper at 23 1/2 cents for another four-month period, or until June 1, the wage scale at the same time being ordered kept at the present figure, has stabilized the situation insofar as determining for employers and employees the conditions they have to meet until the middle of the year, says a Globe report.

Seventeen feet of molybdenite ore, averaging two per cent, has been cut on the thirty-foot level at the property of the United Arizona Copper Mining and Smelting Company, about thirty miles south of Jerome and ten miles southwest of the Verde Squaw. Twelve inches of the ore, on the footwall side, is thirty per cent molybdenite.

Margaret Pease is the first girl Western Union messenger in the Southwest. She is the daughter of Justice O. L. Pease, of Tucson.

DOCTOR URGED AN OPERATION

Instead I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Was Cured.

Baltimore, Md.—"Nearly four years I suffered from organic troubles, nervousness and head-aches and every month would have to stay in bed most of the time. Treatments would relieve me for a time but my doctor was always urging me to have an operation. My sister asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound before consenting to a operation. I took five bottles of it and it has completely cured me and my work is a pleasure. I tell all my friends who have any trouble of this kind what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me."—NELLES B. BRITTINGHAM, 609 Calverton Rd., Baltimore, Md.

It is only natural for any woman to dread the thought of an operation. So many women have been restored to health by this famous remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, after an operation has been advised that it will pay any woman who suffers from such ailments to consider trying it before submitting to such a trying ordeal.

GARGLE or CAKED UNDER the COWS can be overcome by rinsing the mouth with the blood and purifying it.

Dr. David Roberts' BADGER BALM is a soothing and healing ointment. Excellent for sore throat and inflamed tissues. Read the Practical Home Veterinarian. Send for free booklet on ANTHRAX in COWS. It is slower in your town, write Dr. Sam Roberts' Tel. Co., 102 West Street, Waukegan, Wis.

dentist's IDEA OF HUMOR

Seems Mean to Invite a Man to Lunch and Then Fix Him So He Can't Eat.

It was soon when we dropped into the dentist's office. The doctor greeted us cordially as we fell into his chair and prepared to submit ourselves to torture.

There was the usual clatter of instruments on the white tray as we opened our jaws and the dentist peered into them. This time his object of attention was the cavity from which he had recently extracted a tooth.

"What are you going to do after I get through?" said the doctor mildly.

Between his fist and his mirror we blurted out something about lunch.

"Go to lunch with me, will you?" We nodded our assent and then it happened. Something that felt as big as a crowbar is and was as sharp as a new safety razor blade is supposed to be went up into the roof of our mouth.

When we landed down again on the chair and the pain had eased off a trifle we started to laugh.

"You're good," we exclaimed. "Invite a man to lunch, and then fix him so he can't eat."—Detroit Free Press.

Physicians' Deaths.

As an example of how malicious and seemingly innocent is German propaganda in the United States may be cited the rumors and the actual facts about mortality among the allied physicians at the western front.

Recently the actual statistics were produced, which showed that the battle risks of a physician are scarcely more than those of a civil life. Between the beginning of the war and June 25, 1917, only 195 French and English doctors have been killed, 707 wounded and 62 cut down by disease.

A Kitchen Paradox.

"Your cook is certainly a rare one." "Yet everything she does is well done."

UNLIKE other cereals Grape-Nuts requires only about half the ordinary quantity of milk or cream. Likewise because of its natural sweetness it requires no sugar. Grape-Nuts the ready cooked food, is an all-round saver.

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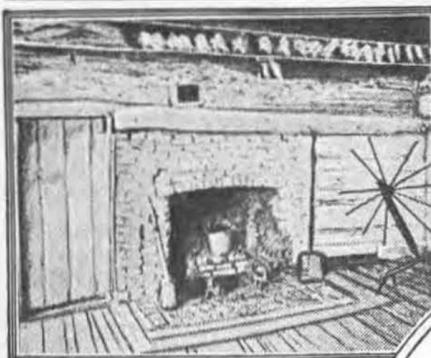
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INTERIOR OF LINCOLN'S BOYHOOD HOME

LINCOLN BIG-HEARTED AS A BOY



EARLIEST PORTRAIT OF LINCOLN

ABRAHAM LINCOLN. In childhood, as in manhood, possessed a great heart of love. I have been told by those who knew him as a child in LaRue county, Kentucky, where he was born, that he never threw stones at songbirds, or at birds of pretty plumage, and that he never failed to intercede in behalf of the dog that was being kicked by its master, says Rogers Gore, picturing the life of the martyred president as a boy. "Little Abe," as he was known by his limited number of neighbors and acquaintances, was fond of dogs. Austin Gollaher, Lincoln's playmate, who died at Hodgenville in LaRue county, told me the Lincoln family had more dogs than they could support, and that most of the dogs had followed "Little Abe" home at various times. Lincoln's favorite dog was one he found upon the roadside with a broken leg. He carried the dog home in his arms and set the broken limb, "and that dog," said Mr. Gollaher, "was the best rabbit dog Abe ever had."

While trapping in those days was a necessity, young Lincoln disliked it because it caused suffering to God's creatures. I learn this story from the traditions in LaRue county. Tom Lincoln, Abraham Lincoln's father, was fond of trapping. Besides finding much sport in the vocation he provided meat and furs for his family. His traps were scattered along the south fork of Nolynn river, and, of course, his son Abraham knew just where each trap was located. "Little Abe" believed it an unpardonable sin to catch too much game, and he frequently visited the traps and liberated some of the game before his father could make the rounds.

Austin Gollaher related a story to me about a visit he and Abe once made to Tom Lincoln's traps, when they were caught in the act of liberating a red fox from one of the snares. Tom Lincoln came up, Mr. Gollaher said, just as Abraham was about to cut the cord which was looped under the forefeet of the fox. To avoid the whipping Abe knew was forthcoming, he and young Gollaher made for tall timber. Mr. Gollaher said that "Little Abe" never was whipped when Mrs. Lincoln was present to make intercessions. "And for that reason," said Mr. Gollaher, "we endeavored to reach the Lincoln cabin in advance of Tom Lincoln for the ordeal."

Undaunted When Lad in Woods. In taking an indirect route the boys were lost in the woods. "We spent the entire day," said Mr. Gollaher, "in trying to find the trail, but to no avail. I gave up in despair, but Abe neither showed fear nor discouragement, and was persistent in his endeavors to find a way out of our troubles. Evening was advancing too rapidly to suit me, and I was becoming thoroughly panic-stricken, but the strong heart of Abraham was apparently undaunted. Abe rebuked me for my faint-heartedness, and said: 'Why, we'll sharpen a pole and climb a tree, and the wolves cannot get us; we can punch their eyes out when they rear up on the trunk of the tree!' But just as the last streak of daylight was going out I heard a voice, and with all my might I yelled: 'Here we are!' 'Shut your mouth,' said Abe, 'that's no, and he'll whip me.' Sure enough, it was Tom Lincoln, but Mrs. Lincoln was with him, and Abe did not get the whipping."

Lincoln's wit developed early in life. I have been told that when he was a mere child his retorts blazed from his droll tongue in a manner that always made the offender wince. A man by the name of Woodson once kicked "Little Abe's" lame dog; the dog retaliated by biting the fellow on the leg. Woodson then decided that the dog should be killed, and in the presence of "Little Abe" made known his decree. "My leg is already swelling," said Woodson, "and I am afraid it will have to be cut off." "If that's so," retorted "Little Abe," "I'm sorry my dog did not bite you on the head."

Austin Gollaher rescued Lincoln from Knob creek, a small river in the vicinity of the Gollaher home. Upon this day Mrs. Lincoln had paid a visit to Mrs. Gollaher, and while the mothers were at their knitting the little sons went fishing. In attempting to cross a footing "Little Abe" fell into

a deep hole of water. "I just poked him my pole," related Mr. Gollaher, "and pulled him to the bank. That was one time 'Little Abe' was scared," continued Mr. Gollaher, "but he was not too badly frightened to grin and say: 'I hope I can do that much for you some day, Austin.' He really wanted something to happen to me that he might be placed in an attitude of having saved my life. 'Little Abe' was full of gratitude and spent a lot of his time trying to find some way to help those who had been good to him. He often said to me that if he ever found a gold mine there were just three people he would take into his confidence; one was myself, and the other two were his mother and Mr. Hodggen, the miller. I asked him whether or not he would tell his father, and he said, 'No, it would worry pa, because he wouldn't want to dig.'"

Preacher Kept His Cap. An old woman gave Lincoln a cap which she had made out of fox fur. "It was his Sunday cap," said Mr. Gollaher, "and Abraham was proud of it. A journeyman preacher passed through the country one day and stopped at the Lincoln cabin. He decided to hold a meeting in the neighborhood. During the series of revivals the preacher lost his hat, and Mrs. Lincoln loaned 'Little Abe's' cap to the minister. It was never returned. Abraham asked me what I thought of the preacher, and I told him that I thought that the fellow was a rascal. 'Well, Austin,' said Abraham, 'you know mother has been telling us about the thief on the cross; I wish the Jews would catch this thief.' 'Little Abe' said that he would always be good, but that he would never join a church. He never forgot the preacher who stole the cap, and he frequently said to me that he never wanted another Sunday cap—one at a time was enough."

Tom Lincoln was of a roving disposition. He was frequently away from home for days at a time. During Tom Lincoln's visits into the wilderness "Little Abe" was his mother's only protection. He never left his mother while Tom Lincoln was away, except to visit his traps, and Mrs. Lincoln often accompanied him on these errands. Austin Gollaher told me, a short time before he died, that Tom Lincoln owned two flintlock rifles; one of these guns he carried with him and the other he left at home. "During Tom Lincoln's absence on one occasion," said Mr. Gollaher, "the leader in the larder in the Lincoln home became bare. There was a deep snow upon the ground, and, since the nearest neighbor of the Lincoln's lived several miles away, it was apparent to Mrs. Lincoln that she and 'Little Abe' must find some game close to the Lincoln cabin or perish of hunger. Mrs. Lincoln was a courageous woman; she faced a conflict with as much determination as any woman in the world. Early one morning she told 'Little Abe' of the true condition of the cabin home, and said to him, 'We must go out today and try to find some game.' Abraham insisted upon an early start and he begged that he be permitted to carry the rifle. Mrs. Lincoln consented, and the two started out in the forest in quest of food. They had proceeded but a short distance when Abe

heard the brush breaking ahead of him. With a wave of his hand he warned his mother; in a moment a fawn attempted to pass within a few feet of Abe and Mrs. Lincoln. Abe fired and the fawn fell dead in its tracks, a bullet in its heart. The Lincolns had enough meat to last them through the remainder of the winter. "Little Abe" did not feel proud of having killed the young deer. He said to me the next time I saw him: "Austin, I killed a little deer; it was a pretty thing, and I hated to kill it, but we needed meat. Mother said it was all right and I guess she knows. I didn't take aim and I know it was an accident."

Lincoln's Adventurous Spirit. A quarter of a mile west of Hodgenville there is a cave with an entrance in a cliff overlooking Nolynn river. There are few boys who ever lived in Hodgenville any length of time who have not explored this cave. Abraham Lincoln was no exception. A number of years ago an old man by the name of Brownfield told me that Lincoln, when a small child was lost in this particular cavern, and that he spent the entire night in the cave. "He was tired," said Mr. Brownfield, "by his faithful dog the next morning." From notes which I made at the time I am enabled to relate the narrative in Mr. Brownfield's own language, or practically in his own language: "While Lincoln did not possess an adventurous nature as some boys," said Mr. Brownfield, "he had just enough of the boyish curiosity in him to cause him to attempt the hazardous task of finding 'hidden gold' in caves. It was late in the evening of early spring (I cannot recall the year) that the neighbors were notified that little Abe Lincoln was lost; that he had left home in the afternoon to go to Hodggen's mill, but that late in the evening he had not returned. Tom Lincoln spread the news, telling all the neighbors that 'Little Abe's' mamma was beside herself, she being afraid that the Indians had carried her boy away.' The neighbors gathered at the home of Tom Lincoln, bringing with them torches of pine knots. The woods were scoured, and the hallooing kept up till daylight, but no trace of 'Little Abe' was found. Again the searchers gathered at the Lincoln cabin to consult with each other as to the best course to pursue, but before any plan of search was agreed upon 'Little Abe' and his rabbit dog came moseying up."

Young Lincoln had left his sack of corn at the mill, and while waiting his turn decided to stroll down the river just to see how the "land lay" beyond the confines of Hodggen's mill. He found the cave, hurriedly dreamed a dream of hidden treasures, and in he went, implicitly believing that he would come forth with an abundance of gold. He could neither find gold or the exit of the cave. Early in the morning of the next day his faithful dog, following the trail of "Little Abe's" footsteps, "treed him," and led the way out of the hole in the ground that Abe had pulled in after him. Tom Lincoln plied the hickory, but the good mother took "Little Abe" to her bosom, hugged him tightly, and then gave freely to him of her cornbread and bacon."

OLD PRESCRIPTION FOR WEAK KIDNEYS

Have you ever stopped to reason why it is that so many products that are extensively advertised, all at once drop out of sight and are soon forgotten? The reason is plain—the article did not fulfill the promises of the manufacturer. This applies more particularly to a medicine. A medicinal preparation that has real curative value almost sells itself, as like an endless chain system the remedy is recommended by those who have been benefited, to those who are in need of it.

A prominent druggist says, "Take for example Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, a preparation I have sold for many years and never hesitate to recommend, for in almost every case it shows excellent results, as many of my customers testify. No other kidney remedy that I know of has so large a sale."

According to sworn statements and verified testimony of thousands who have used the preparation, the success of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is due to the fact that, so many people claim, it fulfills almost every wish in overcoming kidney, liver and bladder ailments, corrects urinary troubles and neutralizes the uric acid which causes rheumatism.

You may receive a sample bottle of Swamp-Root by Parcel Post. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., and enclose ten cents; also mention this paper. Large and medium size bottles for sale at all drug stores.—Adv.

One Sorrow.

John Mitchell, chairman of the food commission of New York, told a reporter a Christmas story.

"I visited a hall in Pittsburgh one Christmas," he said, "where 200 children from the poorest quarter were fed on turkey, cranberry sauce and mince pie.

"Two scrawny little girls attracted my attention, and I halted near them to hear how they were enjoying themselves. This is the dialogue I heard: "Say, Mame, ain't this grand?" "You bet it is! Only I'm sorry for one thing, Lizzie."

"What are you sorry for, Mame?" "I'm sorry I went and got me coverts mended."

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Deregulate relief money if PAZO GOVERNMENT fails to cure itching, blind, bleeding or protruding piles. First application gives relief. 50c.

No Dead Line for This Minister.

Who said there was such a thing as a dead line for the ministry? Rev. S. Swann, an English clergyman, has just beaten the athletic record of Lieutenant Miller, a Dane. He did six successive half miles, cycling, walking, running, paddling, sculling, and swimming, in 23 minutes, 30 2-5 seconds, exceeding the Dane's record by three minutes, lacking one second. The winner is fifty-five years old! If he can preach as well—and as quickly—as he can go through these successive locomotive stunts he is some preacher!

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Chivalrous Youngsters.

Henry has a large Newfoundland dog named Rex. While at play a frozen and hungry little dog approached. Rex growled and Harry said: "Be a gentleman, Rex. Don't hurt the little dog; he got no home or friends."

The Softest.

"Why is it," queried the fair widow, "that they always say a man 'pines' for a woman?" "I suppose," growled the fussy bachelor, "it's because pine is about the softest wood there is."

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Will quiet your cough, soothe the inflammation of a sore throat and lungs, stop irritation in the bronchial tubes, insure a good night's rest, free from coughing and with easy expectation in the morning. Made and sold in America for fifty-two years. A wonderful prescription, assisting Nature in building up your general health and throwing off the disease. Especially useful in lung trouble, asthma, croup, bronchitis, etc. For sale in all civilized countries.—Adv.

Obviously.

"Come on," said the first flea as he hopped from the brown bear's forehead; "come over and join me at a short game of golf." "Golf," exclaimed the second flea, hastily taking a bite of hyena; "where in the realm of Barum are we going to play golf?" "Why," said the first flea, "over on the lynx, of course."—Jack o' Lantern.

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St. Louis, Mo.—Spelter—\$7.63.
Houder.—Tungsten concentrates, 60 per cent, \$20.00@22.50 per unit.
Crude ore, 60 per cent, \$22.00@25.00; 25 per cent, \$12.00@12.50; 10 per cent, \$9.40@12.20 per unit.

Arizona.

Arizona produced in 1917 about 655,000,000 pounds of copper—twice as much as any other state.

Articles of incorporation of an oil company to develop the Holbrook oil fields have been filed with the corporation commission in Phoenix.

A decided improvement in the quality of the ore in the shaft of the Porphyry Copper Company was noted at Globe, the percentage of native copper showing a large increase.

Although the copper production of Arizona mines decreased 34,000,000 pounds last year, the value of the output increased from \$177,570,960 in 1916 to over \$200,000,000 in 1917.

A strike of 368.4 ounces of silver and 23.87 per cent of gray copper, checked up on the Alpha Copper Mining Copper Company in the San Xavier district at the 200-foot level, has been announced.

The action of Greene Cananea Copper Company directors in continuing the quarterly dividend of \$2 a share indicates the prosperous condition of the company, despite the serious labor troubles last year and a resultant curtailed production.

Colorado.

Oil well recently struck near Delta continues to flow like volcano.

Well No. 1 of the Flagler Oil & Gas Company was recently spudded in. Drilling will be prosecuted vigorously.

The Portland Gold Mining Company of Victor distributed a dividend amounting to \$90,000, or approximately three cents per share.

Returns from a car of ore recently shipped from the New Dominion mines at Ophir, in the Telluride district, gave values of around \$300 a ton.

The Michigan Mining and Milling Company, operating in the old camp of Kokomo, near Leadville, during 1917, shipped a total of 10,163 tons of ore.

A three-foot vein of molybdenum, cut at a depth of 150 feet, has been exposed in the Morning Glory group of claims near Pitkin in Gunnison county.

The output for the mines of Cripple Creek for January has a total of 92,373 tons, with an average value of \$10.61 and gross billion of \$925,420. Dividends paid during the same period total \$275,500 and were paid by the following companies: Creason Consolidated G. M. & M. Co., \$122,000 monthly; Golden Cycle, M. and R. Co., \$45,000, monthly; Portland G. & M. Co., \$90,000, quarterly; Granite Gold Mining Company, \$16,500, monthly.

The current price of potash is \$300 to \$375 per ton of 2,000 pounds. It is alleged by chemists and metallurgists who have tested the Cripple Creek ores that the phosphates of such mine as the Portland, Vindicator, Ajax and Granite yield an average of 6 per cent potash, or 120 pounds to the ton. With a process that will save the potash, this means 15 to 18.7 cents per pound for potash, or from \$18 to \$22.44 for the potash in a ton of Cripple Creek material. In mines like the properties named this might easily balance the overhead charges.

Montana.

Montana was second in Copper production in 1917.

Anaconda Copper Company now is hoisting 15,000 tons of ore daily from twenty-three producing mines, and the total number of employes exceeds 11,500.

A New York dispatch reads: "After a prolonged conference between government authorities and spelter producers an agreement has been reached whereby 12 cents has been fixed as the official price for grade A spelter."

New Mexico.

Peterson and associates are developing the Iron Bar Group at Mogollon. A cross cut tunnel has been run in over 500 feet.

The Oaks Company continue daily shipments from the various holdings. The ore recently cut in the Deep Down mine in Mogollon district, was opened in the level below.

An order has been placed by the Socorro Mining and Milling Co. for a new double drum electric hoist, with a capacity of 2,200 feet in depth.

Wyoming.

Tom Nestor has closed a deal for a 70-acre tract on the Derby dome and will place a rig to start drilling by May 1.

Ground is being graded just outside the city limits of Glenrock for the building of the Texas Oil Company's camp and tank farm.

In a report from the officials of the Carmanita Company announcement is made that well No. 1, in the Lander-Punkett field, is down 400 feet.

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The most wonderful feat on record has recently been accomplished by William Frederick, a New York salesman.

He has learned the entire Bible off by heart, and can repeat any passage in it from Genesis to Revelations and state where it may be found. It has taken him 18 years.

A similar task was once undertaken by an eighteenth-century strolling player, about whom Sir William Robertson Nicoll has written. But he gave in after 11 years, by which time he had succeeded in memorizing about two-thirds of the Old Testament.

Red Cross Bag Blue makes the laundry happy, makes clothes whiter than snow. All good grocers. Adv.

Edited.
The romantic maiden made the following estate entry in her diary: "Although he has known me only two days, he loves me!"

Nothing could exceed her anger and mortification when she discovered, much later, that her kid brother had been reading her sacred little book. She knew it, because he had scratched out the word "although" and substituted "because."

Many widows are said to be garrulous. Possibly that's why they are widows.

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Old British Mints. Wales once had its own mint, more than one in fact—at Aberystwyth and elsewhere. The Isle of Man also minted its own coinage, especially copper coins, which were circulated in large numbers in the early part of the eighteenth century.

Cultivate the Best. Cultivate the habit of always seeing the best in people, and more than that, of drawing forth whatever is best in them.

GATHERED FACTS

Asphalt varnish is in demand in Lincoln, Ga.

Seaweed, chemically treated and fire-proofed and made into pads, is used as a sound-killing lining for walls.

A market exists in Orlando, Fla., for machinery to clean the inner fur of Spanish moss.

An Indian firm at Karachi is in the market for machinery to make woolen goods, buttons, collars, studs, links and brushes.

Is That the Reason?

Mrs. Flatbush—What in the world do you suppose makes eggs so high?
Mr. Flatbush—Oh, I don't know; perhaps somebody's discovered radium in 'em.

Art Note.

Personally we don't claim to know much about art, but we do believe that when an artist paints a picture of Beauty at the Bath, Beauty ought to be in the water up to her neck.—Galveston News.

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Supervisors Meet and Let Contracts

Monday the board of supervisors met in regular session at the county courthouse in Nogales, and, in addition to routine business, awarded contracts for the year's printing, and other regular work required by the county.

Harry Patterson was appointed deputy sheriff for the Patagonia district at a salary of \$125 per month. The county health department was discussed, but the board's decision as to a change of officials was not made public.

The road bond election was taken up and the road work discussed. The session adjourned until February 11, when the road question will be taken up and thoroughly gone into.

LEGAL ADVERTISING.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, February 2, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Charles F. Davis, of Canille, Arizona, who, on June 30, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 011070, for a tract of land described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at Corner No. 1 identical with the East 1/4 corner of Section 3, Township 22 S., Range 18 E., G. & S. R. B. & Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five-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 February, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ydaleio Solano, V. P. Hanson, Nathaniel Houston, all three of Elgin, Arizona; Manuel Ruiz, of Canille, Arizona. J. L. IRVIN, Register. 1st pub. Jan. 25—5th pub. Feb. 22

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, February 2, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Jesse F. Little, of Sonoita, Arizona, who, on February 16th, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 016735, for 3/4 SW 1/4 Section 21 and W 1/2 NW 1/4 Section 28, and on June 11, 1914, made additional Homestead Entry, No. 025290, for E 1/2 SE 1/4 Section 29 and W 1/2 SW 1/4 Section 28, Township 20 S., Range 17 E., G. & S. R. B. & Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. F. Christmann, U. S. Commissioner, at Sonoita, Arizona, on the 16th day of March, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: Jerry Hetler, Charles F. Davis, both of Elgin, Arizona; George J. White, Richard T. Fossett, both of Sonoita, Arizona. J. L. IRVIN, Register. 1st pub. Feb. 8—5th pub. March 8

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, February 2, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that John R. Wyatt, of Elgin, Arizona, who, on December 4, 1914, made Homestead Entry, No. 026254, for SW 1/4 Section 28, NW 1/4 Section 29, Township 19 S., Range 18 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 15th day of March, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: Albert C. Johnson, of Elgin, Arizona; Jesse Little, of Sonoita, Arizona; George J. White, of Sonoita, Arizona; Clarence L. Reay, of Elgin, Arizona. J. L. IRVIN, Register. 1st pub. Feb. 8—5th pub. March 8

W. A. Wyatt, a well-known Santa Cruz county boy, has returned to his home as a result of failure to pass the physical examination. He recently recovered from an attack of pneumonia and his physical condition since has not been up to the standard required by the examining physicians for the army.

LEGAL ADVERTISING

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, January 19, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Charles L. Everhart, of Elgin, Arizona, who, on May 7, 1913, made Homestead Entry, No. 022318, for a tract of land described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at corner No. 1 identical with quarter corner between Sections 28 and 33, Township 21 S., Range 17 E., G. & S. R. B. & Meridian, thence S. 89° 59' W. 6.08 chains to cor. No. 2; thence N. 1° 43' W. 19.05 chains to cor. No. 3; thence N. 77° 25' E. 47.85 chains to cor. No. 4; thence N. 77° 25' E. 32.40 chains to cor. No. 5; thence S. 1° 49' E. 19.94 chains to cor. No. 6; thence S. 76° 29' W. 33.22 chains to cor. No. 7; thence S. 77° 35' W. 40.98 chains to cor. No. 1, the place of beginning, containing 158.82 acres in Sections 27 and 28 (unsurveyed) T. 21 S., R. 17 E., G. & S. R. B. & M., Arizona, Coronado National Forest, 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 February, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: John A. McCarty, Robert R. McGregor, Thomas Yearly, Henry E. Parker, all of Elgin, Arizona. J. L. IRVIN, Register. 1st pub. Jan. 25—5th pub. Feb. 22

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, January 19, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Juan Telles, of Elgin, Arizona, who, on October 2, 1915, made Homestead Entry, No. 028485, for Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, S 1/2 N 1/2, Section 15, Township 21 S., Range 18 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 28th day of February, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: Ydaleio Solano, V. P. Hanson, Nathaniel Houston, all three of Elgin, Arizona; Manuel Ruiz, of Canille, Arizona. J. L. IRVIN, Register. 1st pub. Jan. 25—5th pub. Feb. 22

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, January 19, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Charles O. Putnam, of Elgin, Arizona, who, on May 20, 1912, made Homestead Entry, No. 017760, for S 1/2 SW 1/4, Section 33, Township 19 S., Range 17 E., and Lots 3 and 4, Section 4, Township 20 S., Range 17 E., G. & S. R. B. & Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make five-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 February, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: John S. Carver, H. S. Sprung, Frank T. Berry, Cornelius Ferris, all of Sonoita, Arizona. J. L. IRVIN, Register. 1st pub. Jan. 25—5th pub. Feb. 22

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, Jan. 5, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Frank Tischler, of Sonoita, Arizona, who, on September 2, 1913, made Homestead Entry, No. 023250, for N 1/2 NE 1/4, SW 1/4 NE 1/4, NW 1/4 SE 1/4, Section 20, Township 20 S., Range 17 E., G. & S. R. B. & M., 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 12th day of February, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: George J. White, John Colyer, George W. Crayne, John Thigpin, all of Sonoita, Arizona. J. L. IRVIN, Register. 1st pub. Jan. 11—5th pub. Feb. 8 '18

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, January 12, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Melvin W. Jones, of Elgin, Arizona, who, on October 1, 1915, made Homestead Entry, No. 028440, for S 1/2 NE 1/4, SE 1/4 Section 13, Township 21 S., Range 17 E., Lot 4, SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Section 18, Township 21 S., Range 18 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 20th day of February, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: Mrs. James E. Cunningham, Frank Jolly, both of Elgin, Arizona; Arcus Reddock, Allen T. Bird, both of Nogales, Arizona. J. L. IRVIN, Register. 1st pub. Jan. 18, 5th Feb. 15

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, January 12, 1918.

Notice is hereby given that Carrie R. Swigart Frazer, of Elgin, Arizona, who on October 9, 1915, made Homestead Entry, No. 028545, for NW 1/4, SW 1/4 NE 1/4, Section 15, and Lots 3 and 4, Section 10, Township 21 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 above described, before W. F. Christmann, U. S. Commissioner, at Sonoita, Arizona, on the 20th day of February, 1918.

Claimant names as witnesses: John A. McCarty, Charles T. Fraizer, O. J. Rothrock, A. C. Dalton, all of Elgin, Arizona. J. L. IRVIN, Register. 1st pub. Jan. 18, 5th Feb. 15

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SUMMONS

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

Frank J. Lown, plaintiff, vs. Alberta Clair Lown, defendant.

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

In the name of the State of Arizona to Alberta Clair Lown, defendant, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED and required to appear in an action brought against you by the above-named plaintiff in the Superior Court of Santa Cruz County, State of Arizona, and answer the Complaint therein filed with the Clerk of this said Court, at Nogales, in said County, within twenty days after the service upon you of this Summons, if served in this said County, or in all other cases within thirty days thereafter, the times above mentioned being exclusive of the day of service, or judgment by default will be taken against you.

Given under my hand and seal of the Superior Court of Santa Cruz County, State of Arizona, this 16th day of January, 1918.

EDW. L. MIX, Clerk of said Superior Court. By LONA C. MIX, Deputy Clerk.

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Sheriff Raymond Earhart served a warrant last Sunday night on Raymond Smith, on the charge of being a bootlegger and resisting an officer. The alleged offense is said to have been committed about a year ago. Smith was taken before Justice Wilkey and released on \$1000 bail.

Patagonia's share of the school apportionment for the year 1918 will be \$4483; Hahshaw will get \$300, Lockiel \$200, Canille \$200, Perker Canyon \$300, Washington Camp \$400, Mowry \$300, Elgin \$400, Red Hook (San Rafael) \$400 and Ilin Valley and Vaughn \$300 each. Nogales' share of the money is \$7000.

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