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STEVENS WILL ENFORCE LAW

Secretary of Livestock Board Says Many Hides Get By Inspectors Illegally

Secretary Edward Stevens of the state livestock sanitary board, announces that henceforth he will enforce rigidly the law that makes it a misdemeanor for any middleman to have an untagged hide in his possession.

Too many hides from stolen stock are being worked out through the county just because boards wished to be courteous all around, Stevens said.

The imposition, he continues, arises in the place of middlemen bringing hides into counties where the brands are unknown and getting the inspectors to stamp them approved. The middlemen usually say that such hides were old stock bought from some small farmer whose name they have forgotten. In many cases the brands are mutilated or cut away.

The law requires, according to the secretary, that no farmer shall sell a hide without first having it stamped by an inspector and that any dealer possessing an unstamped hide shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Bisbee Stage Driver Killed

At a late hour Wednesday night near the Mariposa ranch, on the state highway, an automobile conveying Mr. Hansen, Bisbee-Nogales stage driver, and Mr. Wood, the latter a vulcanizer in business on Arroyo Boulevard Nogales, was overturned, and Mr. Hansen was killed instantly, while Mr. Wood escaped with slight injuries.

The remains of Mr. Hansen were taken to the Marsh undertaking establishment, while Mr. Wood was taken to the hospital. No further particulars were obtainable.

Chamber of Commerce Trade Trip

The Nogales Chamber of Commerce, united with the Nogales, Son., Camara de Comercio, will leave Wednesday, February 4, for a trip along the West Coast of Mexico. The primary object of the excursion is to afford the members an opportunity to visit the various cities along the West Coast in order to renew old acquaintances and form new ones, increase of trade and strengthening of friendly relations being among its objectives.

Stockholders' Meeting

The First State Bank of Patagonia held its annual stockholders' meeting Tuesday of this week, and elected the following board of directors: W. P. Capehart, D. B. Pierce, C. B. Wilson E. F. Bohlinger, and Ray Ferguson. W. P. Capehart was elected president, C. B. Wilson, vice president, and D. B Pierce, cashier. The bank has had a very prosperous year under efficient handling by W. P. Capehart, and Patagonia is justly proud of the institution. A statement of the bank's financial condition will be found in another column.

Masons Install Officers

At the installation of officers of the Nogales Lodge, No. 11, F. & A. M., held January 3, the following were installed: Frank D. Wilkey, W. M.; J. E. Stelzer, S. W.; G. R. Buchanan, J. W.; A. H. Noon, Treasurer; C. E. Wheeler, Secretary; I. Burgoon, Marshal; E. E. Noon, S. D.; W. W. Coons, J. D.; Clay Mundy, and J. W. Edwards, Stewards; A. S Noon, Tyler.

S. J. Pressler Writes

In a letter just received from S J. Pressler, formerly a resident of the San Rafael valley, the information is given that he has sold his ranch and crop interest to Charles Curtis and will become a permanent resident of Los Angles. Mr. Pressler is a printer and is empployed on the Los Angeles Examiner. He asks to be remembered to all old friends.

Local Agent's Books Audited

Southern Pacific auditors have been busy auditing the books of the local agent, F. A. Stone. It is hardly necessary to say that the accounts were correct and the books in excellent shape Mr. Stone is an efficient official and courteous and accommodating to the company's patrons.

Peculiar Accident

Dr. Redden is attending Antonio Preciado of Greaterville, who is suffering from a broken leg, sustained when a team drawing a wagon on which he was riding ran away throwing him under the wheel.

There's no place in the vocabulary of the young man of today for words, "It can't be done." The wise man simply goes right ahead and does things.

CATTLEMEN TO MEET JAN. 22

Farmers' and Housekeepers' Week Begins at University of Arizona Next Monday

The program for the Eighth Annual Farmers' and Housekeepers' week, at the University of Arizona, Tucson, January 19 to 24, will be divided into five sections so that those who are interested in certain special topics may select the instruction they desire, and general sessions will also be held when all will meet together. The separate sections are general agriculture and horticulture, general livestock, poultry, dairying, special program for women.

January 22 the Southwestern Cattle Growers' Association will hold a conference. January 23 will be the date of the Arizona Annual State Farm Bureau meeting.

Farmers Should Patronize Printer

Farmers of Arizona are urged to adopt methods of business and publicity which will help them to advertise their product. The posting of a neat sign board with the name and owner of the farm has been urged by the Agriculural Extension service and some farmers have adopted the plan to advantage.

It is equally important that farmers who have products to sell can do effective advertising by having attractive letterheads printed for their business letters.

A letterhead, well printed and worked out in an attractvie way, gives the famer an identity which will bring him business.

The local printer can usually get up something appropriate and attractive if the farmer will furnish some good clear photographs from which engravings can be made.

Farmers of Arizona are being urged to act upon this suggestion by extension workers.

Too Much Rain—in Arizona?

The weather has been "somethin' fierce" here for several days. Snow and rain have fallen to such an extent that the ground is "plumb" soaked. Fine for next summer's grass and the 1920 harvest—but last year's harvest isn't all in yet, and that's about ruined.

Rinehart-Wilson

Sherman Rinehart of Duquesne and Mrs. Gertrude Wilson, Milwaukee, formerly of the San Rafael valley and Douglas, Ariz., secured a marriage license this week in Tucson. Both are well known locally and have the best wishes of theiir many friends.

Good for Soap After Life of Usefulness

Forty-one old saddle horses from the Empire Ranch with the BH brand were sent to the soap factory at Nogales this week. They passed through Patagonia Wednesday. An inglorious finish.

The Border Vidette's New Home

The Border Vidette, editor Emery D. Miller, is now located in its new brick building, at 117 Nelson avenue, Nogales. Good luck, Emery. We wish you a prosperous New Year.

Geo. H. Francis Improves

Postmaster Geo. H. Francis is slightly improved in health, according to a letter received by Mrs. Francis this week. He is located at Coronado, Cal. His sister is with him.

Cotton Seed Cake for Big Ranch

A carload of cotton seed cake arrived this week for the Green Cattle Company's San Rafael valley ranch, where the "blue blood" Herefords are bred.

Jurors Chosen for 1920

Tuesday the Grand and Trial jurors for 1920 were drawn. The same men will do duty on both juries, as provided in the new law.

Press Association Meeting Postponed

The meeting of the Arizona State Press Association scheduled to be held in Nogales on January 19 has been postponed until Monday, January 26th.

Mayor Powers Says:

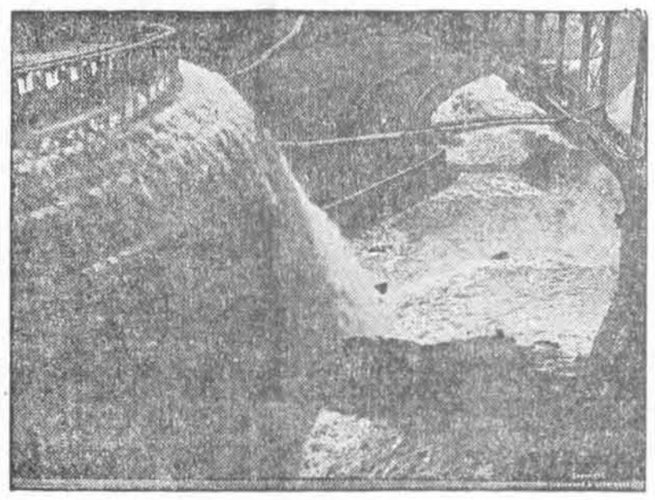
"Speaking about 'sociability,' there is more sociability in a bottle of whisky than there is in a barrel of coffee." Isn't that the truth?

Bob Bergier After Water

J. J. Adams is drilling a well on the ranch of Robert Bergier in Squaw Gulch.

The Gardner theater gave its last "movie" performance Sunday night until the weather settles, it is reported. Don Crow will take charge of the theater when the pictures are again offered.

NEW YORK'S WATER GOING TO WASTE



For the first time in 14 years, or since the dam was completed, water is flowing over the spillway of the huge Cornell dam, Croton, N. Y., which forms Croton lake, a part of the New York water supply system. With five inches of water going over the spillway, it is estimated that the city is losing about 2,000,000,000 gallons of water every 24 hours, or enough to supply Manhattan and the Bronx for a week.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL NOTES

T. B. Bird, manager of the J. Knox Corbett Lumber Company, of Tucson, spent a few days early in January taking inventory of the Patagonia Lumber Company's stock. The local lumber company is a subsididary of the Tucson concern, J. W. Miller being the manager.

Justin's cowboy boots can't be beat for men. Washington Trading Co.—Adv.

"Shorty" Wyatt and Glen Perry of the Pennsylvania ranch, near here, left Tuesday for Texas for a vacation.

Miss Julia Farrison, sister-in-law of Mrs. Jack Parker of Parker Canyon, arrived Saturday from Clovis, New Mexico. She expects her father to arrive soon and go into the cattle business in this county.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Patterson returned Thursday of last week from a trip by auto through Texas, going as far as San Antonio. They report having had a fine trip and were fortunate in missing most of the bad weather, both going and coming.

A tired man is usually a hungry one as well. Try Mrs. Bennett's short order meal service; it's fine.—Adv.

Carl Scofield, forest ranger, was in Patagonia several days last week issuing grazing permits.

Mrs. M. A. Fryer had a fall Sunday morning, which resulted in the dislocation of a kneecap. She is around again and the knee is almost normal.

James Parker and wife of Cauille were in Patagonia Monday.

Stop scrubbing; use linoleum. See our selection. Washington Trading Co. —Adv.

George Galer, ranger, is taking the census on the forest reserve in this district.

Otho and Irmin Kinsley of the San Rafael valley were business visitors to Patagonia Monday.

Mrs. Amelia Isinhood has installed a new mangle in her laundry.

Jim and Will Hathaway, cattlemen whose range lies between Patagonia and Nogales, were business visitors to Patagonia Wednesday morning. They were accompanied by James Kane.

Bear Brand hosiery for boys and girls. Washington Trading Co.—Adv.

Hugh Young, mail carrier on the rural route, was delayed early in the week by a break-down at Duquesne. He failed to make the round trip Monday. The bad roads are responsible for Mr. Young's mishap.

J. P. B. Schultz and wife left Thursday morning for Phoenix, where Mr. Schultz will transact business for the Gates Rubber Co., of Denver, with which firm he has been identified for the last two years.

Clean, comfortable rooms at Mrs Isinhood's new rooming house in the Amado building. Hot and cold baths for guests and the general public. Everything new and clean.

Mrs. B. Lewis and children, of Parker Canyon spent several days recently in Nogales.

Mrs. A. L. Bennett has just received a stock of stationery.:—Adv.

Jim Reagan left Tuesday for Winkleman, where he will be engaged on highway construction work.

Judge William Heady of Duquesne was a business visitor to Nogales the latter part of last week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Pierce, Thursday morning, January 15, a 7½-pound boy. Mother and babe doing fine.

C. L. Northcraft and wife left on Wednesday morning's train for Los Angeles, where they will visit relatives and friends for several days.

Navajo saddle blankets, sold by the pound, cut any desired length. Washington Trading Co.—Adv.

Geo. N. Curtis of San Rafael valley is in town doing some cement work.

Mrs. R. Y. Shock and Mrs. Elmer King of Elgin were guests of Mrs. Ern. Johnson of Nogales last week.

Mrs. Bennett's lunch room will serve appetizing meals at all hours. Try them. —Adv.

VAUGHN

Mr. H. Z. Belue is expecting to return to Patagonia in a few days after spending Yuletide with his family at his Vaughn ranch.

James Fraizer expects to start his thresher the first of the week.

Mrs. Bob McGreggor is improving from the accident sustained when her horse fell some time ago, facturing her hip.

Charles Everhardt is contemplating the purchase of a herd of fine dairy cows.

Henry Braton, who has rented the Jones place, has purchased a separator and expects to start shipping cream.

Mrs. H. Z. Belue is making regular shipments of cream to the El Paso creamery and reports very satisfactory results.

Henry Wood has rented the James Cunningham place for the coming year.

Vaughn district has the promise of becoming quite a dairy center in the near future, as a good many people are talking of dairying.

The farmers of Vaughn are all wearing a smile as the prospects for a crop for this year were never better, as there has been much snow this season.

The Bite That Failed.

As a rule the relations between Russians and Japanese soldiers in Siberia have been friendly enough. But at a town on the Transiberian railway, which had just been freed from the foul tyranny of bolshevist rule, a Japanese soldier hailed a big, staring moujik into the presence of his commanding officer. "What has he been doing?" asked the colonel. "I gave him a cigarette," said the soldier, "and then he tried to bite me!" Kissing, even between members of the opposite sexes, is not a Japanese custom.

IMPROVEMENT IN RED METAL

Domestic Consumers Contract for Copper Far Into Future; Foreign Demand Great

In marked contrast to 1918, the copper market in New York closed strong in 1919 with foreign and domestic sales increasing in volume. England and France have increased buying materially and Japanese takings continue strong. Germany has bought several million pounds through Scandinavian countries. Export copper is selling for first quarter at 19 3-4 cents a pound. On metal for domestic consumption the price is 19 cents a pound.

Domestic copper consumers are actively and urgently in the market. They have purchased copper as far ahead as next June, and would make commitments even for July and August if producers were willing to accept such contracts.

The west can be truly thankful if the corner has been finally turned in the copper situation, as it means additional employment and prosperity in many sections.

W. A. Moeur May Resign

An item from Phoenix says that it is understood at the capital that W. A. Moeur, commissioner of the state land department who has held this position five or six years, contemplated resigning in the near future. The same item says that there is an opinion in Phoenix that Ben Clark, assistant to Mr. Moeur, may be named to succeed Mr. Moeur.

The commissioner is named by the state land commission which is composed of five state officers, including the governor.

Mr. Moeur has made an excellent official and under his administration the public lands of the state have had good care and much of it has been sold and leased, thus adding materially to the tax resources of the state. Mr. Moeur's policy has been one of getting as much of the public lands of the state in the hands of those who would pay something for use and in addition pay taxes to the state, and in this he has been sustained by the public.

Improvement at Courthouse

At its last meeting the board of supervisors awarded the contract for remodeling the front of the court house, to Lown & Woods, of Nogales, contractors, whose bid in the sum of $4,128.80, was the lowest. The contract calls for terracing the hill in front of the main entrance to the court house, with flights of concrete steps from terrace to terrace, and concrete walks across the terraces.

This improvement, long contemplated, will add greatly to the appearance of Santa Cruz county's handsome court house, and the expenditure of money for the purpose will meet the approval of the taxpayers.

Sunday School January 18

All parents are requested to come to Sunday school, at the school house, at 10' o'clock a. m., Sunday, January 18, and bring their children, to plan for a children's entertainment. Sunday, 11 o'clock, sermon; subject, "Sowing the Tares." You are cordially invited to attend.

Hardshell Shaft Down 412 Feet

The Hardshell shaft is down 412 feet, and Manager H. K. Welsh expects soon to cut the vein. Water is falling in the old workings at the rate of about 10 feet daily, being pumped out by several small pumps. The company is still looking for a large pump to handle the water. The Bender claims, belonging to the Hardshell are being prospected with satisfactory showings. Some ore has been encountered, but not enough work has been done to ascertain the quantity or quality. Mr. Welsh expresses himself as well pleased with the indications. The ore is silver.

Arizona-European to Resume

Manager James Ritchie informs us that active operations will begin immediately at the Arizona-European mine, a copper property near the 3-R. The property has not been active lately owing to the unsettled condition of the metal market.

E. G. G. Davidson Back

E. G. G. Davidson returned Tuesday from Los Angeles, where he had been on business for the San Pedro Oil and Gas Co., in which a number of local people are interested.

H. A. Corpe's proposition to issue a directory of the city of Nogales has been indorsed by the line city's chamber of commerce.

FLUX PLANNING BIG THINGS

Manager Kollberg Expects to Have Machine Drills Operating Within Thirty Days

As briefly stated in last week's issue of the Patagonian, the Flux mine has opened up a new ore body that promises to enhance the value of the property to a great extent.

Theh Flux mine was formerly known as the Goshen mine, and is located about 4 miles south of Patagonia and 2 1-2 miles from the railroad. It is an old Mexican mine and was located, according to available data, in the early 50's Col. R. R. Richardson acquired the property in 1897 and named it The Flux. The property has, in the past, shipped many carloads of high-grade ore and is developed by several thousands of feet of work, consisting mainly of tunnels, shafts, drifts, crosscuts and stopes.

Recent development work has uncovered a new ore body on the 260-foot level, which was cut in the west contact 300 feet south of where the main Glory Hole ore body is expected to be cut on this level.

The new ore body assays about $30 per ton in silver and copper and is believed to be about 30 feet in thickness.

Development work will be continued northward for 300 feet and the company expects to have machine drills installed in about thirty days

The development plans call for approximately 1000 feet of work on the 260-foot level—drifting and crosscutting—and when the main ore body is encountered a tunnel cutting the ore body 300 feet below the 260-foot level is contemplated.

Mr. Fred B Kollberg, manager of the mine has been untiring in his efforts to put the mine on a paying basis, and it bids fair to fulfill his expectations and reward the stockholders for their faith in the manager.

Mr. Kollberg is reputed to be one of the best mill men in the mining game and has given his best efforts toward the successful development of the Flux mine. After many discouragements the property is about to reward him for his faith and energy.

The Flux mine is ideally located to give Patagonia and the mining district generally an impetus much needed at this time, when prices for metals are gradually going up. Especially is the advancing price true of silver, of which metal there is an untold quantity in the neighborhood of Patagonia. There are numbers of silver-producing properties now in operation and many old mines that have produced fortunes in the white metal in by-gone days, and we look for renewed interest in all silver properties in the immediate future.

MINES AND MINERS.

W. S. Smith of Paris, Texas, who is interested with F. T. and F. S. McGinley in the old Bland mine at Salero, arrived to Patagonia Thursday. The mine shows promise of becoming a producer on a large scale, according to F. S. McGinley, who was a Patagonia visitor Wednesday. Extensive development work is being pushed forward and the operators are crosscutting to strike the ore body at a depth of 200 feet. Already the mine is showing a streak of high-grade silver. We may hear at any time that the Bland is one of the best mines in the district.

Frank N. Cox, the successful mine operator, who is working a lease from the Duquesne Mining Company in the Patagonia mountains, returned last week from St. Louis, where he spent the holidays with relatives whom he had not seen for many years.

J. F. Johnston, who has a lease on the Blue Lead is still freighting, by burro train, to the Patagonia shipping platforms lead-silver ore. The property is owned by the Washington Trading Company.

Mr. W. C. Browning, general manager of the Magma Copper Company is on his way to inspect the Three-R mine, and arrange for future development.

The Three-R mine is making preparations to start the Trench compressor which was purchased and installed recently. Diamond drills have been shipped, and will arrive shortly, for prospecting work. Mr. A. A. Wren, in charge of the property for the Magma Copper Company is making arrangements to push the work rapidly when things are in readiness.

Neil McDonald and "Brock" Shannon returned Monday from Florence, where they had gone on business.

Ed Sheehy was in from Tubac this week, where the Sheehy brothers are taking out some nice lead-silver ore from their Glove mine, preparatory to beginning shipment to the smelter.

PIECES of EIGHT

BEING THE AUTHENTIC NARRATIVE OF A TREASURE DISCOVERED IN THE BAHAMA ISLANDS IN THE YEAR 1903 — NOW FIRST GIVEN TO THE PUBLIC.

By Richard Le Gallienne

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DEAD MEN'S SHOES.

Synopsis—The man who tells this story—call him the hero, for short—is visiting his friend John Saunders, British official in Nassau, Bahama Islands. Charlie Webster, a local merchant, completes the trio of friends. Conversation turning upon buried pirate treasure, Saunders produces a written document purporting to be the death-bed statement of Henry P. Tobias, a successful pirate, made by him in 1859. It gives two spots where two millions and a half of treasure were buried by him and his companions. The conversation of the three friends is overheard by a stranger, whose face is deeply pitted by small pox. The document disappears. Saunders, however, has a copy of it. The hero determines to go in search of the pirate treasure and charters the Maggie Darling, a trim two-masted schooner. The pock-marked man is taken on board as a passenger, bound for Spanish Wells. Old Tom catches a "sucking fish," of great virtue as a mascot in connection with the seeking of buried pirate treasure.

CHAPTER V.

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In Which We Begin to Understand Our Unwelcome Passenger.

As I yawned and looked out of my cabin soon after dawn, about 4:30 next morning, there was no wind at all, and no hope of wind.

As I stood out of the cabin hatch, however, there was enough breeze to flutter a piece of paper that had been caught in the mainsail halyard; it fluttered there lonely in the morning. Nothing else was astir but it and I, and I took it up in my hand idly. As I did so George reared his head for'ard.

"'Morning, George," I said; "I guess we've got to run on gasoline today."

"There ain't no gasoline, sir. It's run out in the night."

"The tanks were filled when we started, weren't they?" I asked.

"Yes, sir."

"We can't have used them up so soon . . ."

"No, sir—but someone has turned the cocks . . ."

I stood dazed for a moment, wondering how this could have happened—then a thought slowly dawned upon me.

"Who has charge of them?" I said.

George looked a little stupid, then defiant.

"I see," I said; and, suddenly, without remembering Charlie Webster's advice not to lose your temper with a negro—I realized that this was no accident, but a deliberate trick, something indeed in the nature of a miniature mutiny. That fluttering paper I had picked from the halyard lay near my breakfast table. I had only half read it. Now its import came to me with full force. I had no firearms with me. Having a quick temper, I have made it a habit all my life never to carry a gun—because they go off so easily. But one most essential part of a gentleman's education had been mine, so I applied it instantly on George, with the result that a well-directed blow under the peak of the jaw sent him sprawling, and for awhile speechless, in the cockpit.

"No gasoline?" I said.

And then my passenger—I must give him credit for the courage—put up his head for'ard, and called out:

"I protest against that; it's a cowardly outrage. You wouldn't dare to do it to a white man."

"Oh, I see," I rejoined. "So you are the author of this precious paper here, are you? Come over here and talk it over, if you've the courage."

"I've got the courage," he answered, in a shaking voice.

"All right," I said; "you're safe for the present—and, George, who is so fond of sleep, will take quite a nap for a while, I think."

"You English brute!" he said.

"You English brute!" he had said; and the words had impelled me to invite him aft; for I cannot deny a certain admiration for him that had mysteriously grown up in me.

"Come here!" I said, "for your life is safe for the' time being. I would like to discuss this paper with you."

He came and we read it together, fluttering as I had seen it flutter in his fingers as he read it for'ard to the engineer and to the deckhand. It began:

"Think how many we are! Think what we could do! It isn't either that we haven't intelligence—if only we were to use it. We don't lack leaders—we don't lack courage—we don't lack martyrs; all are ready—"

I stopped reading.

"Why don't you start then?" I asked.

"We're waiting for Jamaica," he answered; "she's almost ready."

"It sounds a pretty good idea to me," I remarked, "from your point of view. 'From your point of view,' remember, I said; but you mustn't think that yours is mine—not for one moment—O dear no! On the contrary, my point of view is that of the governor of Nassau, or his representative, quite nearby, at Harbour Island, isn't it?"

My pock-marked friend grew a trifle green as I said this.

"We have sails still, remember," I resumed. "George and the lost gasoline are not everything. Five hours, with anything of a wind, would bring us to Harbour Island, and—with this paper in my hand it would be—what do you think yourself? The gallows?"

My friend grew grave at that, and seemed to be thinking hard inside, making resolutions the full force of which I didn't understand till later, but the immediate result of which was a graciousness of manner which did not entirely deceive me.

"Oh," he said, "I don't think you quite mean that. You're impulsive—as when you hit that poor boy down there—"

"Well," I observed, "I'm willing to treat you better than you deserve. "So, I'll say nothing about this, if you like" (pointing to the manuscript), "and if the wind holds, put you ashore tomorrow at Spanish Wells. I like you in spite of myself. Is it a bargain?"

On this we parted, and, as I thought, with a certain friendliness on both sides..

There was no sailing wind, so there was nothing to do but stay where we were all day. I spent most of the time in my cabin, reading a novel, and, soon after nine, I fell asleep in a frame of mind unaccountably trustful.

I suppose that I had been asleep about three hours when I was disturbed by a tremendous roar. It was Sailor (who always slept near me) out on the cockpit with a man under his paws—his jaws at the man's throat. I called him off, and saw that it was my pock-marked friend, with his right hand extended in the cockpit and a revolver a few inches away from it. So far as I knew it was the only firearm on the ship. "Let's get hold of that first, Sailor," I said, and I slipped it into my hip pocket.

"Wake up, Tom," I called, and, "wake up, captain!" Meanwhile, I took out the revolver from my hip pocket, and

It Was Sailor—His Jaws at a Man's Throat.

held it over the man I seemed to grow more and more sorry for.

"We've not only got a mutiny aboard," I told the captain, "but we've got treason to the British government. Do you want to stand for that? Or shall I put you ashore with the rest?"

Unruffled as usual, he had nothing to say beyond:

"Ay, ay, sir!"

"Take this cord, then," I ordered him and Tom, "and bind the hands and feet of this pock-marked gentleman here; also of George, engineer; and also of Theodore, the deckhand. Bind them well. And throw them into the dingy, with a bottle of water apiece, and a loaf of bread. By noon, we'll have some wind, and can make our way to Harbour Island, and there I'll have a little talk with the commandant."

And as I ordered, all was done. Tom and I rowed the dingy ashore, with our three captives bound like three silly fowls, and presently threw them ashore with precious little ceremony. Then we got back to the Maggie Darling, with imprecations in our ears, and particularly the promises of the pock-marked rebel, who announced the certainty of our meeting again.

Of course we laughed at such threats, but I confess that, as I went down to my cabin and picked up the "manifesto," which had been forgotten in all the turmoil, I could not escape a certain thrill as I read the signature—for it was: "Henry P. Tobias, Jr."

That night we made Harbour Island, and met that welcome that can only be met at the lonely ends of the earth.

The commandant and the clergyman took me under their wings on the spot, and, though there was a good hotel, the commandant didn't consider it good enough for me.

I liked the attitude they took toward my adventure. Their comments on "Henry P. Tobias, Jr." and the paper I had with me, were specially enlightening.

"The black men themselves," they both agreed, "are all right, except, of course, here and there. It's fellows like this precious Tobias, real white trash—the negroes' name for them is apt enough—that are the danger for the friendship of both races. And it's the vein of a sort of a literary idealism in a fellow like Tobias that makes him the more dangerous. He's not all to the bad—"

"I couldn't help thinking that too," I interrupted.

"Oh, no," they said, "but he's a bit mad, too. That's his trouble. He's got a personal, as well as an abstract, grudge against the British government."

"Treasure?" I laughed.

"How did you know?" they asked.

"Never mind; I somehow got the idea."

"Take a word of advice. Have a few guns with you, for you're liable to need them."

"I agree," I remarked. "I'll take the guns all right, but I'm afraid I'll need some more crew. I mean I'll want an engineer, and another deckhand."

And, just as I said this, there came up some one post-haste from the village; some one, too, that wanted the clergyman, as well as me, for my captain was ill, and at the point of death.

"What on earth can be the trouble?" I said, but, the three of us, including the commandant went.

We found the captain lying in his berth, writhing with cramps.

"What on earth have you been doing with yourself, Cap?" I asked.

"I did nothing, sir, but eat my dinner, and drink that claret you were kind enough to give me."

"The half-bottle of claret?"

"Yes, sir, the very same."

"Well, there was nothing to hurt you in that," I said. "Did you take it half and half with water, as I told you?"

"I did indeed, sir."

"It's very funny," I said. And then as he began to writhe and stiffen, I called out to Tom: "Get some rum, Tom, and make it boiling hot, quick—quick! We must get him into a sweat."

Very soon we did. Then I said to Tom:

"What do you make out of this smell that's coming from him, Tom?"

"Kerosene, sar," said Tom.

"I thought the very same," I said.

Tom beckoned me to go with him to the galley, and showed me several quart bottles of water standing on a shelf.

"Two of these were kerosene," he said "and I suppose Cap made a mistake;" for one looked as clear as the other.

Then I took one of them back to the captain.

"Was it a bottle like this you mixed with the claret?" I asked.

"Sure it was, sir," he answered, writhing hard with the cramps.

"But man!" I said. "Couldn't you tell the difference between that and water?"

"I thought it tasted funny, boss, but I wasn't used to claret."

And then we had to laugh again, and I thought old Tom would die.

"A nigger's stomach and his head," said the commandant, "are about the same. I really don't know which is the stronger."

The captain didn't die, though he came pretty near to it. In fact, he took so long getting on his feet, that we couldn't wait for him; so we had practically to look out for a new crew, with the exception of Tom, and Sailor. The commandant proved a good friend to us in this, choosing three somewhat characterless men, with good "characters."

As we said goodby, with a spanking southwest breeze blowing, I could see that he was a little anxious about me.

"Take care of yourself," he said, "for you must remember none of us can take care of you. There's no settlement where you're going—no telegraph or wireless; you could be murdered, and none of us hear of it for a month, or forever. And the fellows you're after are a dangerous lot, take my word for it. Keep a good watch on your guns, and we'll be on the lookout for the first news of you, and anything we can do we'll be there, you bet."

CHAPTER VI.

In Which the Sucking Fish Has a Chance to Show Its Virtue.

The breeze was so strong that we didn't use our engine that day. Besides, I wanted to take a little time thinking over my plans. I spent most of the time studying the charts and pondering John P. Tobias' narrative, which threw very little light on the situation. There was little definite to go by but his mark of the compass engraven on a certain rock in a wilderness of rocks; and such rocks as they were at that.

I looked well to my guns. The commandant had made me accept the loan of a particularly expert revolver that was, I could see, as the apple of his eye. He must have cared for me a great deal to have lent it me, and it was right as the things we love.

Then I called Tom to me: "How about that sucking fish, Tom?" I asked.

"It's just cured, sar," he said. "I was going to offer it to you this lunch time. It's dried out fine; couldn't be better. I'll bring it to you this minute." And he went and was back again in a moment. "You must wear it right over your heart," he said, "and you'll see there's not a bullet can get near it. It's never been known for a bullet to go through a sucking fish. It's God's truth."

"But, Tom," I said, "how about you?"

"I've worn one here, sar, for twenty years, and you can see for yourself"—and he bared the brown chest beneath which beat the heart that like nothing else in the world has made me believe in God."

We awoke to a dawn that was a rose planted in the sky by the mysterious hand that seems to love to give the fairest thing the loneliest setting.

But there was no wind, so that day we ran on gasoline. We had some fifty miles to go to where the narra-

"Give Me Dat!" He Said.

tive pointed, a smaller cay, the cay known in old days as "Dead Men's Shoes"—but since known by another name which, for various reasons, I do not deem it polite to divulge—near the end of the long cay down which we were running.

About twilight we dropped anchor in another quiet bay, so much like that of the night before, as all the bays and cays are along that coast, that you need to have sailed them from boyhood to know one from another.

The cove we were looking for, known by the cheery name of Dead Men's Shoes, proved farther off than we expected, so that we didn't come to it till toward the middle of the next afternoon, an afternoon of the most innocent gold that has ever thrown its soft radiance over an earth inhabited for the most part by ruffians and scoundrels. We soon found that we were not alone in the cave.

"She's changed her paint," said Tom, at my elbow. And, looking round, I saw that our rakish schooner with the black hull was now white as a dove; and, in that soft golden water, hardly a foot and a half deep, five shadowy young sharks floated, with outstretched fins like huge bats. Our engineer, who was already wading fearlessly in the water, beautifully naked, "shooed" them off like chickens. But it was soon to be evident that more dangerous foes waited for us on the shore.

Yet there was seemingly nothing there but a pile of sponges, and a few black men. The Susan B. had changed her color, it was true, but she was a well-known sponger, and I noticed no one that I recognized.

There was one foolish fellow that reminded me of my shackly deckhand, whom I had always thought out of his mind, standing there on his head on the rocks, and waving his legs to attract attention.

"Why! There's Silly Theodore," called out the captain.

"I'm going ashore," I said.

"I'm going with you too," said the captain. "But look after your guns. There's going to be something doing—quiet as it looks."

So we rowed ashore, and there was Theodore capering in front of a pile of sponges, but no other face that I knew. But there were seven or eight negroes whose looks I took no great liking to.

"Like some fancy sponges to send home?" said one of these, coming up to me. "Cost you five times as much in Nassau."

"Certainly I'd like a few sponges," I said.

And then Theodore came up to me, looking as though he had lost his mind over the rather fancy silk tie I happened to be wearing.

"Give me dat!" he said, touching it, like a crazy man.

> Events prove that the sucking fish is quite necessary, as mascots are in great demand

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Daily Thought.

Reason is upright stature in the soul.—Young.

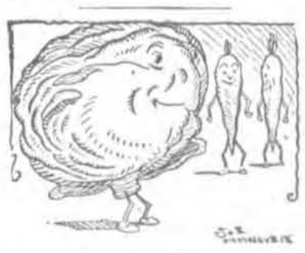
CAP and BELLS

NO SPHINXES FOR HIM.

"I want to keep talking," said Senator Sorghum, "at least enough to prevent any general reference to me as a sphinx."

"But such references imply a certain degree of compliment."

"I don't think so. The sphinx is made up of such contradictory elements that he can't be classified, and the only remark I ever heard attributed to one was largely in the nature of a joke."



A GREAT HEAD.

1st Carrot—Bright chap, isn't he?
2nd Carrot—Yes, that's Mr. Cabbage. He has a great head on him.

Unkind Suggestion.

The swan sings but one song—or so
On good authority we've heard.
Oh, now we wish some folks we know
Would imitate that gentle bird.

Candidly Defined.

"What is your idea of a free government?"

"A free government," said the bolshevist, "is one that offers no opposition to our efforts to kick it to pieces and start something under our exclusive control."

Explained.

"What do you mean by saying that the prisoner struck you amidships?"

"Well, you see, judge, I had just had one schooner and was reaching for another when he hit me."

Real Joy.

"Was Maude honestly glad to see you when you came home?"

"Glad? Why, when she came rushing in to greet me I saw at once she'd forgotten to powder her nose."

Suitable One.

"What is the reigning style of floral decoration for brides just now?"

"I don't know, but it ought to be a shower bouquet."

Their Advantage.

"Good typewriters are always in demand."

"No wonder; they have their business at their fingers' ends."

Naturally.

"What do you think of the record flyer's remarkable feat?"

"That with his remarkable feat he marks a long step forward."

Something Learned.

"Has the government taught you anything about railroading?"

"Yes," replied the old-time railroad manager. "It has taught us that the traveling public can be made more docile and forbearing than we had imagined in our fondest hopes."

PRETTY.

"Is she very pretty?"

"Very. She keeps her father broke buying gowns to equal her face."

Agitations.

Through centuries the world has faced,
Philosophers assert,
It has been very often scared,
But seldom badly hurt.

Arbitrary Assertion.

"How can you assume to speak with authority on this subject, which you have not studied thoroughly?"

"That, sir," replied the uncompromising citizen, "is the very method by which I show my authority."

Wrong Emotion.

Doctor—Madam, I am sorry to have to tell you that we are despairing of your husband's recovery.

Prospective Rich Widow—I don't see why you are despairing about it. I'm not.

Backache and Kidneys

Backache of any kind is often caused by kidney disorder, which means that the kidneys are not working properly. Poisonous matter and uric acid accumulate within the body in great abundance, overworking the sick kidneys, hence the congestion of blood causes backache in the same manner as a similar congestion in the head causes headache.

You become nervous, despondent, sick, feverish, irritable, have spots appearing before the eyes, bags under the lids, and lack ambition to do things.

The latest and most effective means of overcoming this trouble, is to eat sparingly of meat, drink plenty of water between meals and take a single Anuric tablet before each meal for a while.

Simply ask your druggist for Anuric (anti-uric-acid) if you aren't feeling up to the standard. If you have lumbago, rheumatism, dropsy, begin immediately this treatment with Anuric.

The physicians and specialists at Dr. Pierce's Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., have thoroughly tested this prescription and have been with one accord successful in eradicating these troubles.

Patients having once used Anuric at the institution have repeatedly sent back for more. Such a demand has been created that Doctor Pierce decided to put Anuric in the drug stores of this country, in a ready-to-use form.

Omaha, Nebr.:—"I ached all over and felt so badly that I could not sleep at night, my bladder seemed weak, gave me considerable trouble, and caused stinging sensations. I read an advertisement of Dr. Pierce's Anuric (anti-uric-acid) and purchased a bottle. It was only a few days before I felt wonderfully relieved, and all the soreness left me. I am glad to endorse such a worthy medicine and always shall recommend it."—MRS. W. C. ZESCHMAN, 1832 N. 17th St.

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Chinese More Than Match for Locusts

A swarm of small green locusts appeared at the village of Paitial, two and one-half miles south of Tientsin, the afternoon of September 9, settling on the grain fields between there and the race course. The peasants made great efforts to beat them off and save their crops, at the same time gathering basketfuls and sending them into the native city for sale. By evening they were being hawked all over the Chinese districts.—North China Herald.

ARMISTICE!

Constipation, Headache, Colds, Biliousness, Surrender to "Cascarets"

Bring back peace! Enjoy life! Your system is filled with liver and bowel poison which keeps your skin sallow, your stomach upset, your head dull and aching. Your meals are turning into poison gases and acids. You can not feel right. Don't stay bilious or constipated. Feel splendid always by taking Cascarets occasionally. They act without griping or inconvenience. They never sicken you like Calomel, Salts, Oil or nasty, harsh Pills. They cost so little too—Cascarets work while you sleep.—Adv.

Seems So.

"Things you worry about never happen."

"Then it must pay to worry—a cheap way of staving off trouble."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

SHE THOUGHT DRESS WOULD LOOK DYED

But "Diamond Dyes" Turned Her Faded, Old, Shabby Apparel Into New.

Don't worry about perfect results. Use "Diamond Dyes," guaranteed to give a new, rich, fadeless color to any fabric, whether it be wool, silk, linen, cotton or mixed goods,—dresses, blouses, stockings, skirts, children's coats, feathers, draperies, coverings—everything!

The Direction Book with each package tells how to diamond dye over any color.

To match any material, have dealer show you "Diamond Dye" Color Card.—Adv.

A man should have plenty of backbone for himself—and plenty of hambone for the rest of the family.

Mary had a little lamb; she chopped it up for meat. Too bad she had to kill her pet—but then, she had to eat.

Some men are satisfied with empty hours, but the toper prefers his full.

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Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It

Applicants for Insurance Often Rejected.

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

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

Their Opinion.

"My friend," began the party with the overhanging brow, "how do the farmers of your region feel toward the proletariat?"

"Well," frankly replied the gent from Jimpson Junction, "such of 'em as have took it, that I've heerd express themselves, admit that it hain't no better for the rheumatiz than a buckeye in the britches pocket."—Kansas City Star.

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Her Delicate Sensibilities.

"Why have you broken your engagement with Billy Sands?"

"Oh, I couldn't stand for his slang. I tried to put him wise that father was sore on the phony talk, but he couldn't seem to get hep, so I gave him the razz-dazz."—Boston Transcript.

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Showing Them Off.

A considerable amount of golf is played principally for the reason that some women think their husbands look well in knickerbockers.—Washington Star.

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Flattery Explained.

Edith—How absurd of you to tell that awkward cousin of mine that she dances like an angel. I don't believe angels can dance, anyway.

Jack—Neither do I.—Boston Transcript.

"Cold In the Head"

is an acute attack of Nasal Catarrh. Persons who are subject to frequent "colds in the head" will find that the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will build up the System, cleanse the Blood and render them less liable to colds. Repeated attacks of Acute Catarrh may lead to Chronic Catarrh.

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Changed.

"Times have changed."

"They surely have. You used to show your gentlemen friends your art treasures in the den upstairs; now the first thing you show them the stock you have in the cellar."

The Main Point.

"He can express himself in seven different languages."

"And can't make a living in one."

EX-KINGS EYE DANUBE STATES

Federation Is Formed on Paper by Plotters in Switzerland.

DETAILS ARE NOT COMPLETE

Exiled Rulers, Seeing the Hopelessness of Their Cause, Now Center All Their Plotting on One Great Scheme.

Berne, Switzerland.—From "the playground of Europe" of before the war, Switzerland has become "the plotting ground of Europe" of after the war.

And all of this plotting may now be summarized in one general end of "the constitution of a Danubian confederation."

To the credit of the Swiss it must be said they resent in the extreme degree the abuse that is now being made of their country and their hospitality by the exiled rulers and statesmen of erstwhile empires and states, but they are as helpless in the matter as they are innocent.

Keeps Everybody Busy.

While they cannot keep their little country from being converted into an incubator, however, they can at least try to keep the plots being brooded therein from actually hatching, and the Swiss secret service, together with its gendarmes, its policemen, its detectives and its public officials generally, are putting in quite a few sleepless nights to this end.

Now that the gradual readjustment of Europe has left no doubts in the minds of certain exiled rulers, like ex-King Constantine of Greece and some of the former rulers of German states, of the hopelessness of their cause, all of the plotting in Switzerland has come slowly to center on one great scheme, a scheme that is not only considered possible, but that is considered by many of the great minds and authorities of Europe as being absolutely imperative and inevitable.

This is the constitution of a Danubian federation to replace the old dual monarchy, and which, according to its backers, is the only thing that can insure the life of the half-dozen or more states into which the old Austrian-Hungarian monarchy has been divided.

Vital and Imperative.

Whether this Danubian federation has its center north of the Danube with what is left of Hungary and Austria as a basis or whether it has its center south of the Danube with Serbia and Roumania playing the leading role; whether it be monarchical or republican in form, together with half a dozen other possibilities or ramifications, are generally considered unimportant. All that is regarded as vital and imperative is that such a confederation be constituted and that it be organized in full harmony with and support of the allies.

Hungary and German Austria, as they will exist when the peace conference finishes its work, will be dead states—their own people and statesmen admit that. Poland and Czecho-Slovakia are merely gambling bets. But Serbia and Roumania are considered as the two big future bets of south central Europe.

On the other hand, there are just as many supporters and just as many plotters in Switzerland who would like to see Vienna regain some of its past glory as the center of the new Danubian confederacy; Budapest is equally well represented, while there are plenty of others who can demonstrate from a dozen standpoints, why Warsaw is inevitably destined as the future great center of middle European life.

Coal Car Rams Into Man as He Is Bathing

Bay City, Mich.—Telford E. Hill, manager of the Mueller Chicory company's plant, was taking a bath in his home adjoining the plant when a freight car crashed through the house and against the wall of the bathroom. The wall fell, and a coal car came in view.

There had been two cars standing on the short switch. When the train crew attempted to place more cars there they evidently forgot about them, and the cars were sent through the bumper right into Mr. Hill's bathroom.

UNIQUE CEMETERY TEACHES LESSON

Exhibit at Montana State Fair Sent People Away Thinking.

EPITAPHS DRIVE HOME TRUTH

Greater Convenience and a Larger Measure of Comfort in the Farm Home the Big Lesson Conveyed by Miniature Graveyard.

Washington.—It was a neat little country cemetery, much like most little country cemeteries, yet there was something queer about it. There was the arched gateway and the customary weeping willows by it. The clipped hedge was like most cemetery hedges. The tombstones were about the average run of tombstones. But, withal, there was something queer—even shocking. Then you discovered what it was. These were truthful tombstones. Consoling platitudes—"Too pure for earth," and that like—found no place. Instead, there were such epitaphs as these: "Mother—walked to death in her kitchen;" "Sacred to the memory of Jane—she scrubbed herself into eternity;" "Grandma—washed herself away;" "Susie—swept out of life with too heavy a broom."

The people who saw that cemetery—and there were thousands of them—may have been shocked for the instant, but they came away with the thought that one might be better for seeing such a cemetery. For, you see, it was a miniature cemetery, three feet square, and it was part of an exhibit at the Montana state fair. Such levity with the most solemn thing that mankind knows could not be justified merely on the theory that the things said were true—but those who saw it came away with the belief that it was justified by way of keeping just those things from being true. And that was the purpose of the exhibit, placed there by the agricultural extension department of the State Agricultural college of Montana. It was meant to emphasize the need for home conveniences, for lack of which many a farm woman has gone to her grave before her time.

Drive Truth Home.

There were other exhibits designed to drive home the same hard truth. One was a model showing a bleak farmhouse on a bare hill. At the bottom of the hill ran a little stream, and by the stream were barns and cattle. Struggling up the hill toward the house with two heavy pails of water was a bent old woman. And the legend was: "Convenient for the cattle—but not for mother." Then there was a farmhouse with the water supply as it should be, the woman in the yard sprinkling her flower beds with a hose. And the inscription read: "Convenient for mother—and the cattle, too." Another model showed a kitchen as it should be, and another, a kitchen as it should not be. And there was the legend: "A long-distance kitchen shortens life."

The lesson taught by the exhibit is one that the state agricultural colleges and the United States department of agriculture are trying to teach by every means at their command—greater convenience and a larger measure of comfort in the farm home.

EGGS DROPPED FROM AIRPLANE UNBROKEN

Postmaster Chance of Washington, D. C., taking cartons of unbroken eggs from a bag of mail dropped via parachute from a mail airplane flying over the capital from College Park, Md.

CALIFORNIA RICE DOES WELL

New Agricultural Industry Produces Crop Worth Millions of Dollars.

Washington.—In eight years the Sacramento valley of California has developed a new agricultural industry, rice growing, which this past season has resulted in a gross production estimated to be worth approximately twenty-one millions of dollars. This showing is the result of research carried on by the bureau of plant industry of the department of agriculture. Following experiments by the bureau covering three years, the first commercial rice crop as planted in 1912. The value of the 1919 rice crop in California will probably be several millions greater than that of wheat and peaches, both of which are commonly thought of as relatively large crops in that state.

CROP VALUES TRIPLED

Production for Year 1919 Broke All Records.

Worth Almost Three Times as Much as Average for Five-Year Period.

Washington.—The value of crops produced in the United States this year is nearly three times greater than the average annual value during the five years preceding the outbreak of the European war, according to the report of the secretary of agriculture. "On the basis of prices that have recently prevailed," says secretary, "the total value of all crops produced in 1919 is $15,873,000,000, compared with $14,222,000,000 for 1918; $13,479,000,000 for 1917; $9,054,000,000 for 1916; $6,112,000,000 for 1914; and $5,829,000,000 for the five-year average, 1910-1914. These values represent gross production and not net returns to the producer. The value of live stock on farms it. 1919 was $8,830,000,000, compared with $8,284,000,000 in 1918; $6,736,000,000 in 1917; $6,021,000,000 in 1916; $5,890,000,000 in 1914; and $5,318,000,000 for the five-year average, 1910-1914.

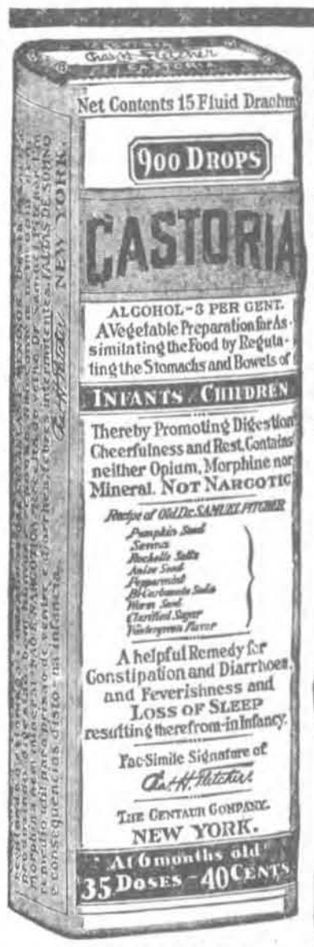
"This increased financial showing, it is again necessary to emphasize, does not mean that the nation is better off to that extent or that its real wealth has advanced in that proportion. Considering merely the domestic relations, the true state is indicated rather in terms of real commodities, comparative statements of which are given in foregoing tables. The increased values, however, do reveal that the monetary returns to the farmers have increased proportionately with those of other groups of producers in the nation, and that their purchasing power has kept pace in the rising scale of prices."

Funeral Held for Cat. Pet of New York Woman

Lenox, Mass.—Funeral rites over a cat here were attended by all the employees on the summer estate of Mrs. Carlos de Herodias of New York, and the feline's "remains" were buried on the estate in a metal casket. Hyacinth, a Persian cat, said to have cost $6,000, was greatly treasured by Mrs. de Herodias, and when it died at her home in New York the owner had the body borne here in a special automobile truck.

Aged Fiddler Plays.

Fremont, O.—"Rat" Gould, champion oldtime fiddler of America, celebrated his eightieth birthday anniversary with a dance in the Mutual Aid hall in Bellevue. "Rat" furnished the music. Old-fashioned dances were revived.



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SOMETHING OF A SURPRISE

Probably Prodd Family Would Have Preferred Neighbors Selecting Another Time for Call.

"A passel of us folks started out tuther night to give Jurd Prodd and his wife a surprise party," related a resident of the Fiddle Creek neighborhood.

"Did you surprise 'em?" inquired an acquaintance from Straddle Ridge.

"I reckon so. Lengthways, when we busted into the house we found Mizzus Prodd holding Jurd down on his back on the floor by means of his throat and thumping him on the head with a skillet, while the children hopped around and bet grains of popcorn on which'n would whip. They're a proud family: Jurd has always made his brags that his Uncle Buck rid with Jesse James, and Mizzus Prodd has long contended that she had ancestors. So it's more than likely that if they'd a-knowed we were coming they wouldn't have let us ketch 'em in no such a fix."—Kansas City Star.

True politeness consists in treating others as you would like others to treat you.

It's a great pity that the average man cannot draw a check as easily as he can draw an inference.

WONDER IT WASN'T FATAL

Girl's Question Must Have Given Awful Shock to Enthusiastic Harvard Football Rooter.

With all his wild cheers and vigorous gestures of encouragement, the Harvard undergraduate with the girl in the grandstand survived the strain until near the end of the second quarter. The Crimson halfback then caught a forward pass, shuffled off two Yale tacklers and crossed the goal line for the winning touchdown.

In the subsequent uproar one soft sentence, ringing high above the infernal roar, was put to him by the Radcliffe sophomore at his side:

"What is all the excitement about?" she asked.

It took the waterboy's sponge to revive him.

No Trivial Obstacle.

"Has this town ever boasted of any celebrities?"

"The only Chiggerville citizen who ever got his name in the big city papers won't be home for ten years yet," replied the old resident.

"Indeed! What's detaining him?"

"There's a great deal detaining him—the Lord only knows how many tons of steel, stone and mortar. That fellow's in the Pen."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

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FROM THE BENSON SIGNAL

In retiring from the ownership of the Benson Signal, C. L. Rucker says, editorially:

"I have sold the Benson Signal to Mr. J. LeRoy Lancaster. In retiring from the field of journalism I wish to thank the public for the support which has been given me, as the business of the Signal has grown since I took hold. I would like to suggests, however, that the business men and patrons of the paper should not forget that a local paper can be of invaluable service to the town and community if properly supported. It should never be altogether a question of direct returns for advertising. Many a line is written and published by your local paper purely and solely for the purpose of boosting the town and country by calling the attention of the outside world to our advantages and resources. For this the local paper never gets any pay at all. So you should support the paper, even when you can see no quick and direct return to yourself. Remember that the local paper is ever busy 'casting its bread upon the water' with a hope of seeing it gathered after many days. If you wish a local paper, you should be willing to bet a little along with it, in an effort to promote the interest of all. Co-operation will render effort invincible. Lack of it will never build a town even on the most solid foundation. You can get much even from a poor paper man, by liberal support. . . .

"C. L. Rucker."

Mr. Rucker is right. Patagonia, generally speaking, has not given the matter as much thought as it deserves and lack of interest by local peoplpe has gone a long ways toward taking the heart out of the local newspaper. If you want it to continue in business and give Patagonia the advertising it deserves it will have to get your hearty support and co-operation.

THIS FROM A SALESMAN

A traveling salesman, who frequently visits Patagonia, was making his rounds the other day. We asked him how he found business and he replied, "I always get business in Patagonia. Your merchants seem to be very much alive."

It's a good thing to have the traveling man speak well of the town. If a crowd of salesmen are together, as frequently happens, and among them is a new man, he'll ask the older ones about the various points on the route. "Keep away from Smithville. They are dead ones there. I never sell anything worth while, but the house makes me visit the town."

Not a nice thing to have said, is it? We know merchants who make it a point to call attention to things that make our town worth while. It's a good thing to have boosters—and traveling men can spread the good points of our town in every direction.

Are You Like This One?

If you are, we forgive you for not mailing us your check for $2.00 for the Patagonian.

A newspaper of Monessen, Pa., received a unique response from one of its delinquent subscribers, to whom a bill was sent recently. The subscriber, who signs his name "I. O. Everyone," says:

"Dear Editor:—Your bill for the last subscription received and I, for the following reasons, am unable to send you a check just now. I have been held up, held down, sandbagged, walked on, flattened out and squeezed, first by the U. S. government for federal war tax the excess profit tax the Liberty loan bonds, the capital stock tax, auto tax merchants' license, brokers' license and by every society and organization that inventive mind can invent to extract what I may or may not possess.

"The government has so governed my business that I do not know who owns it. I am inspected, suspected, examined, re-examined, required and commanded, so I do not know who I am or why I am here.

"All I know is I am supposed to be an inexhaustible supply of money for every human need, desire or hope of the human race, and because I will not sell all I have and go out and beg, borrow or steal money to give away, I have been cussed, discussed, boycotted, talked to, talked about, lied to, lied about, held up, robbed and nearly ruined, and the only reason I am clinging to life is to see what in hell is going to happen to the Democratic party in 1920."

AIRPLANE TO DEVELOP CHINA

American Commercial Attache Points Out How Problem Facing That Country May Be Met.

The keynote of the great problem of development which is facing China is transportation. The American commercial attache at Peking, Mr. Julian Arnold, has laid emphasis on this in an article in the Chinese Recorder—"China's Economic Problems and Christian Missionary Effort." Mr. Arnold deals with the necessity of preparing the Chinese people for the great economic change which is upon them. Railways will mean much to China, but the necessity for the training and preparation of which Mr. Arnold speaks is shown to be distinctly urgent when Prof. Middleton Smith's views on the use of airplanes to China are known. China is a land of waterways, and these waterways afford the necessary existing lines of transportation along which, to secure the success of commercial aviation, airdromes and supply depots should be established. Schools of technical training should supply the necessary Chinese skilled labor, and with these aerial services established, Professor Smith foresees such an incalculable increase in the rapidity of communications as completely to revolutionize the country internally and add to its deep importance as a world factor.

NEWFOUNDLAND RICH IN IRON

Enough Ore There to Supply the World for at Least a Century, if Not Longer.

Lord Morris in a lecture at St. John's Wood Presbyterian church, Marlborough place, London, described the development of Newfoundland for the last 400 years, "from the time of the early colonizers up to the day when that great captain of industry, Lord Northcliffe, established the great paper mills that are now supplying the Times, the Daily Mail, the Daily Mirror and the Sunday Pictorial with paper."

He said that in Newfoundland today there were many paper "propositions" quite as attractive, if properly developed, as that of Lord Northcliffe and his brother, Lord Rothermere.

There were also sufficient fish on the Newfoundland banks and along the Newfoundland and Labrador shores to feed the whole of the British empire. They had only touched the fringe of that great fishing industry in which lay the possibilities of cheap food for England.

Lord Morris drew an attractive picture of wonderful mineral possibilities, showing that Newfoundland was the second largest producer of iron in the British empire, England coming first. There was enough iron ore to supply all the needs of the British empire and of the world for the next hundred years.—London Mail.

Headlines and Hosiery.

Newspapers are said to be a comfortable covering for benchwarmers; but who ever heard of stockings made out of that material? As a matter of fact, the product that goes to make your favorite journal and artificial silk hosiery "that you can't tell from real" is exactly the same. You can now lay the dangers of deforestation at the door of the economical fair sex as well as the journalist tribe, for both stockings and wuxtries are made from wood pulp.

This last year 15 million pairs of silk stockings so made were exported from the United States—between two and three times as many as in 1918.

Manna Not Heavenly.

Strange to stumble upon a quotation about manna in news of the drug and chemical trades! The children of Israel, we know, were saved from starvation in the desert by it. It fell from heaven, was small like coriander seed, and tasted like wafers made with honey.

However, the actual manna of trade today comes from incisions in South European trees and it is now reported to have been quoted higher than previously in the primary market. The demand has increased of late, especially for small flake manna, which is the better quality, coming from the upper part of the stem of the tree.

Referred to an Expert.

Mr. Flutters—That plump, petite lady over there is my fiance, Miss Puddin. Don't you think that she has the face and figure of a goddess?

Professor Bonedigger—Now that you mention it, I think she has. I've been studying some old Aztec carvings and I consider the resemblance quite striking.

Prosaic Job.

"I thought that young officer looked pained when I began to expatiate on the glamor of war."

"You could not have chosen a topic that would have distressed him more."

"Why?"

"He commanded a labor battalion of Chinese coolies."—Birmingham Herald.

And They Call 'Em Trees.

The highest trees in northern Greenland are three inches tall. The trunk of an arctic willow 50 years old is less than half an inch in diameter.

Cynical Comment.

She—I wonder how the custom came up of giving brides away.

He—It is a queer one, considering marriage so often is such a sell.

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HERE TO REPRESENT PERU

Frederico A. Pezet Is the First Ambassador From That Country in the United States.

Peru has been added to the list of Latin-American states maintaining embassies in Washington, states the New York Tribune. The first ambassador, Frederico A. Pezet, has arrived in this country and the state department seems inclined to annul for his benefit its famous Costa Rican "house rule," to the effect that no diplomatic recognition can be given to a Latin-American government coming into power through revolution. President Legaia assumed control in Lima by force last year and exiled his predecessor, doing so on the ground that he has been elected president by the people for a term to begin a few months later and that the administration in office was planning to count him out.

Mr. Pezet will be welcomed as the representative of Peru, a state which has always had the most friendly relations with the United States. He served here formerly both as first secretary of legation and as minister. He knows this country thoroughly, speaks English as well as he does Spanish and enjoys in an exceptional degree the esteem of government and other circles in Washington, in which he has long been at home.

SEEK FOR TRADE IN ARCTIC

Boston Capitalists Form Organization Something Like the Famous Hudson's Bay Company.

Word has just come out of the North of a rival to the Hudson's Bay company that has sprung up. It is an organization backed by Boston interests and its aim is to get a share of the trade that the "Ancient and Honorable Association of Adventurers" has monopolized for over a century. Last spring Capt. Louis Lane of Nome, Alaska, was sent into the Arctic to establish a string of 28 trading posts for the Boston body.

The expedition went into the North via Calgary, Alberta, with eight carloads of goods, of an estimated value of $240,000. In addition to this they sent in a river power boat for operation on the Mackenzie river. The vessel was sent in sections and assembled on the big river. The party worked slowly down the river, canvassing and exploring among the tribes and only reached Fort Macpherson when winter came. They will stay there until spring opens the river and allows them to proceed further. The company intends locating its posts by the pioneering party, and will then keep them supplied by means of ships from Nome during the short summer.

Reasonable Expectation.

"Ah, how do you do, sir?" saluted the suave salesman of enlarged crayon portraits, as the householder opened the door. "I am offering—My stars! Is that revolver loaded?"

"I reckon," replied Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge, "Leastways, 'twas the last time I noticed."

"Heavens and earth, man! What do you suppose will happen if you permit that little child to continue to amuse himself with the weapon?"

"He'll proba'ly break the hammer off'n it on one of the other children's heads. I've told 'em a time or two to quit letting him have it, but you know how children is."—Kansas City Star.

Schooldays.

In a physiology recitation during a discussion of the organs of breathing, a sixth grade girl, when asked what the diaphragm was, replied: "It is something that if we didn't have we'd go all out of shape when we breathed."

The teacher in assigning a lesson in the fifth grade geography ended by saying: "The question need not be answered by written answer; the answers must be in your head." There was a general laugh when a boy raised his hand and asked, "Must I hand it in?"

Girl Mines Coal.

Pittsburgh lays claim to the only girl coal miner in America and probably in the world. Miss Ricka Ott is her name and she is just twenty-one years old and very attractive. But she is a coal miner, and is proud of it. In addition, she is a coal operator, truck driver, farmer and general "jack of all trades." Back in the hills of Mount Oliver, a suburb, she was discovered merrrily wheeling her black diamonds from the little pit in the hillside.

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WANTED—Copies of the Patagonian dated Oct. 10, 17, 24; Nov. 28; Dec. 19, 1919, and two copies of Jan. 2, 1920. Five cents each will be paid for them at this office.

Going to Trap 'Em

Robert Bergier has been appointed official trapper by the United States Forest Service.

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by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.
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LEGALS

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
028522

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Ariz., Dec. 6, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that Thomas W. Yeary, of Elgin, Arizona, who, on October 7, 1915, made Homestead Entry No. 028522, for S½ Sec. 22 T21S. 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 19th day of January, 1920.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Robert R. McGregor, Frank Jolly, John McCarty Jessie Little, all of Elgin Ariz.

JOHN L. IRVIN, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
(028947)

Department of the Intrior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Ariz., Dec. 12, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that

James R. Thayer

of Sonoita, Ariz., who on Dec. 4, 1915 made Homestead Entry No. 028947 for N½SE¼, S½S½NE¼ Sec. 7, S½-SW¼NW¼, N½NW¼SW¼, Sec. 8 T20S, R16E; 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. Christman, U. S. Commissioner, at Sonoita, Arizona, on the 2nd day of February, 1920.

Claimant names as witnesses

Samuel Knight, Leonard Wood, of Sonoita, Ariz.; Carl Scholefield of Rosemont, Ariz., and Joseph S. Hopley, of Tucson, Ariz.

J. L. IRVIN, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
(025729)

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Ariz., Dec. 12, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that

Gabriel E. Angulo,

formerly Flora Gertrude Chute, one of heirs and for the heirs of

Gabriel V. Angulo, deceased, of

Amadoville Ariz., who, on Oct. 24, 1914, made homestead entry No. 025729, for W½ sec. 27, T20S, R11E, G. & S. R. B. & M., has filed notice of intention to to make three year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before Edwin F. Jones, U. S. commissioner, at Tucson, Ariz., on the 22nd day of January, 1919.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Luis Robledo, Tomas Elias, of Amadoville; Ramon Ahumada, Joseph M. Roustandt, of Tucson, Arizona.

J. L. IRVIN, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
(026536)

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, Dec. 6, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that

Geo. N. Bagley,

of San Rafael, Ariz., who on Jan. 21, 1915, made homestead entry No. 026536 for SE¼SE1-4, S1-2SW1-4SE1-4 NE¼SW¼SE¼, S½SE¼SW¼, Sec. 8; N½N½NE¼, SW¼NW¼NE1-4, N½-NE¼NW¼ Sec. 17, T23S, R17E, G & S R B & M, has filed notice of intention to make five year proof to establish claim to the land above described, before W. A. O'Connor, U. S. Commissioner, at Nogales, Arizona, on the 19th day of January, 1920.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Perry J. Wilson, Robert N. Keaton John Edward Lawless of San Rafael, Ariz. Victor J. Wager of Nogales.

J. L. IRVIN, Register.

LEGAL NOTICE

CANCELLATION OF PARTNERSHIP

To Al. R. Brown and A. M. Jones, their heirs or assigns:

You are hereby notified that your interest as partners in the Black Sead Group of Mining Claims, located in the Palmetto Mining District, at Bisbee, Santa Cruz County, Arizona, has been cancelled by me, for the reason that you have failed to fulfill the terms of the partnership.

On and after date of the last insertion of this notice I will record the above-mentioned claims in my own name and the partnership will be terminated

(Signed) J. C. HOLMES.

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A fine tract of land has just been laid out in town lots adjoining the Patagonia townsite on the east. This new tract has been named East Side Addition and fine lots in this section of the town are for sale at reasonable prices and on easy terms. Lots range in value from $50 to $200, terms, one-third cash, one-third in six months and one-third in 12 months. When last payment is made a deed will be given.

Another tract of land situated along the Harshaw road has been laid off, called Linder Addition, which is for sale in acre, five acre and 10-acre lots at attractive prices.

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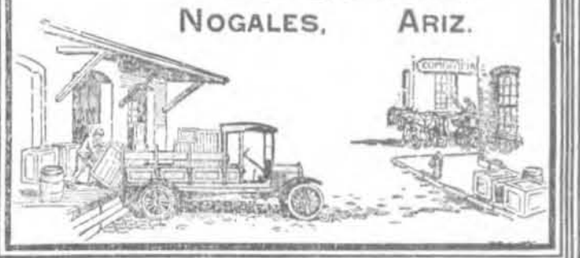

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NEWS TO DATE IN PARAGRAPHS

CAUGHT FROM THE NETWORK OF WIRES ROUND ABOUT THE WORLD.

DURING THE PAST WEEK

RECORD OF IMPORTANT EVENTS CONDENSED FOR BUSY PEOPLE.

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

WESTERN

Fire of unknown origin razed one block in the business section of Alameda, Calif., at an estimated loss of $200,000 before it was extinguished by combined efforts of Alameda and Oakland fire fighting forces.

Profiteering in sugar purchased in Utah and shipped to Eastern states is being investigated by the United States district attorney's office in San Francisco, according to a statement made by him. Prosecution will be instituted in a number of cases, he said.

Theft of $3,000 worth of dues stamps belonging to Metal Mine Workers' Union number 800, the Phoenix headquarters of the mining branch of the I. W. W., was reported to the police, union officials stating the headquarters was ransacked and records removed.

Three indictments against Thomas J. Mooney, two against Israel Weinberg and two against Mrs. Rena Mooney, wife of Mooney, were dismissed at San Francisco. All were on charges of murder growing out of the bomb explosion during the preparedness day parade in July, 1916.

A decrease of $8,063,762, or 26 per cent in the output of the metal mines of California in 1919 is shown by preliminary figures made public by the geological survey. Gold, silver, copper, lead and zinc produced in 1919 was valued at $23,124,045, as compared with $31,187,807 the year before.

A score of persons traveling in day coaches were injured about fifty miles west of Morridge, S. D., when the westbound Columbian passenger train on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road broke through a small bridge near Watauga. Ten are quite seriously injured, but all probably will recover.

A New Year gift of $1,000,000 to Throop College of Technology, conditional upon an equal amount being raised from other sources, was announced by President James A. B. Scherrer. The name of the donor was withheld. The donation was said to be the largest individual one ever made to an institution in Southern California.

Miss Maud Cleveland of Berkeley, Calif., a graduate and member of the faculty of the University of California, was awarded the distinguished service medal today at the American Women's club for "conspicuous service" while serving as head of the Red Cross home communications department of the American expeditionary forces. Miss Cleveland recently had charge at Brest of the war brides who married American soldiers and were brought to the embarkation port preparatory to sailing for the United States.

WASHINGTON

A $4,000,000,000 balance of trade in favor of the United States was the estimate for the year 1919 announced by Secretary of Commerce Alexander.

Permission to maintain the army at a strength of 275,000 instead of the 175,000 previously authorized, has been asked of Congress by Secretary Baker in a letter to Chairman Wadsworth of the Senate military affairs committee.

By a vote of 6 to 5, the House military affairs committee refused to approve of a bill giving the rank of lieutenant general to Major Generals Liggett and Bullard. Proposals for that rank for Major General Crowder and General March have not been acted upon.

Minimum salaries of $35,000 for ambassadors and $15,000 for ministers, with government-owned embassy buildings and allowances for upkeep were recomended to the House foreign affairs committee by Secretary Lansing. The committee is holding hearings on the annual diplomatic and consular service appropriation bill. Ambassadors now receive $17,500 and ministers $12,500.

There will be no summary action by the House to eject Victor Berger, elected from the Fifth Wisconsin district after being barred from the House last fall because of alleged disloyalty. Representative Mann of Illinois announced he would object to summary action and would demand that the Berger case be given committee consideration in order to protect the rights of the voters of Wisconsin.

The sum of $760,000,000 was realized from the sale of American stocks remaining in France after the departure of the American army, said Brig. Gen. W. D. Connor, chief of staff of the American department of supplies. He estimated the value of the stocks at $1,700,000,000 and declared it would have cost $75,000,000 to take them back to America.

Some of the changes in railroad operation adopted during the period of government control will be continued after the roads are returned to private operation on March 1.

FOREIGN

Jan' 17th was fixed as the date for the election of a president of the French republic by the French cabinet.

The sublime porte has sent a note to the allies declaring the proposed division of the Turkish empire will make the East a hotbed of disturbances.

Prince August and Prince Joachim, respectively, the fourth and sixth sons of former Emperor William of Germany, have brought suit for divorces, according to Berlin advices to the Matin.

Norman Rose, the American swimmer, won the 220-yard championship sprint in an athletic meet at Melbourne, Australia. Spencer and Osterictor, Americans, won the six-day bicycle race with a purse of £300. Fourteen teams competed.

The housing commission operating under the city's housing plan will make a loan of 85 per cent of the net cost of the home, it was announced at Winnipeg, Canada. A first mortgage will be taken on the property for twenty years, repayable at the rate of $7.13 a month for each $1,000 borrowed.

The French crown jewels, which had been deposited in a bank at Bordeaux at the end of 1914, when the Germans advance threatened the capital, are to be taken to Paris and again exhibited at the Louvre. They include the "regent" diamond, which is worth more than 15,000,000 francs ($3,000,000.)

Street fighting in Irkutsk, in the anti-Kolchak revolution, is reported in a Tokio cable to the Nippu Jiji, Japanese newspaper at Honolulu. Vladivostok workers have voted to strike in a demonstration of dissatisfaction over the Kolchak rule causing suspension of transiberian traffic south of Nicholiśk.

A French aviatrix has arrived at Rabat, Morocco, from Paris by air having made the flight in two days This is the first case of a woman flying from France to Morocco. Her route was via Toulon, Barcelonia, Valencia, Alicante, Granada, Malaga and Tangier. The distance was about 1,150 miles.

Ygnacio Bonillas, ambassabor to the U. S., will relinquish his post and return to Mexico City Jan. 25th to become a candidate in the presidential elections according to information from "reliable soruces" published in Mexico City. The same sources are quoted as stating that Jose Diego Fernandez, at present in charge of the foreign office, will succeed Senor Bonillas as ambassador.

Nikolai Lenine, Russian Bolshevist premier, has made a new peace offer to the allies, which is being taken to London by Colonel Tallents, British representative in the Baltic states. Among other conditions included in the offer is a promise to abolish terrorism and the activity of revolutionary tribunals, according to an Esthonian newspaper.

GENERAL

William Fox, head of the Fox Film Company, has announced that he has offered a purse of $550,000 for the Dempsey-Carpentier fight.

Five thousand dollars worth of Liberty bonds was taken by bandits who tunneled their way into the vault of the Lone Jack State Bank at Lone Jack, Mo.

The will of Thomas E. Wilder, leather merchant of Chicago, disclosed that he had bequeathed thirty-one employés $1,000 each. The bequests were made as rewards for faithful service.

Maude Powell, well known throughout the country as a violinist, died in a hotel at Uniontown, Pa. She suffered a nervous breakdown and became so ill that her concert was canceled.

An announcement important to the oil industry of the country was made at Baltimore by the Bethlehem Shipbuilding Company. The company claims to have perfected an oil engine for ocean-going steamships that will consume the commonest kinds of oil. It was believed by engineers the invention will revolutionize shipping.

Damage estimated at $150,000 was caused at Memphis by fire which destroyed the refinery of Swift & Co., with its contents.

One of the swiftest murder trials in New York state ended when a jury in Brooklyn, after ten minutes' deliberation, found Frank J. Kelly, negro, guilty of murder in the first degree for slaying Catherine Dunn, a maid in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sperry Clark on Dec. 13th last.

The National Association of Shoe Travelers closed its convention at Cincinnati with the adoption of a resolution voicing vigorous opposition to the activities of the I. W. W. and the Reds. The delegates, who reach every part of the country, pledged themselves to spread the "gospel of Americanism."

Final plans for the introduction of a bill at the coming session of the New Jersey Legislature authorizng the sale and manufacture within the state of beers and wine were made in a conference between Governor-elect Edwards and a number of Democratic state leaders. After the conference it was announced that a bill had been decided upon authorizing beers and wine containing up to 5 per cent alcohol.

The federal woman suffrage amendment has been ratified by the Rhode Island legislature. The ratification resolution passed the House by a vote of 89 to 3, and a few minutes later was adopted by the Senate with one dissenting vote. Rhode Island is the twenty-third state to ratify the "suff" amendment.

An explosion occurred in the Laughlin mine of the American Sheet and Tin Plate Company at Martin's Ferry at Wheeling, W. Va. Eighteen men were said to have been trapped in the workings, but had later escaped.

LATE MARKET QUOTATIONS

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

DENVER MARKETS.

Cattle.

Beef steers, ch. to prime	$12.50@13.00
Beef steers, good to choice	10.50@11.50
Beef steers, fair to good	9.25@ 9.75
Heifers, prime	9.75@10.25
Cows, fat, good to choice	9.50@10.00
Cows, fair to good	7.00@ 8.50
Cutters and feeder cows	5.50@ 6.50
Canners	4.50@ 5.00
Bulls	6.00@ 7.00
Veal calves	12.50@15.50
Feeders, good to choice	10.25@11.00
Feeders, fair to good	9.00@ 9.75
Stockers, good to choice	8.25@ 9.50
Stockers, fair to good	7.50@ 8.00
Stockers, plain	5.00@ 6.50

Hogs.

Good hogs	$14.10@14.30

Sheep.

Lambs, fat, good to choice	$17.00@17.50
Lambs, fat, fair to good	16.25@16.75
Lambs, feeders	14.75@16.25
Fat yearlings	13.75@14.90
Yearlings	9.00@10.00
Ewes, fat, good to choice	8.50@ 9.85
Feeder ewes	6.00@ 7.50

Dressed Poultry.

The following prices on dressed poultry are net F. O. B. Denver:

Turkeys, No. 1s	.38@.42
Turkeys, old toms	.34
Hens, lb.	.22@.26
Ducks, young	.20@.22
Geese	.25@.27
Roosters	.23@.25

Live Poultry.

Turkeys, 10 lbs. or over	.36
Hens, lb.	.22@.26
Ducklings	.18@.20
Goslings	.20@.22
Broilers	.34
Cocks	.12
Springs	.22@.26

Eggs.

Eggs, strictly fresh, case count	$17.25@17.50

Butter.

Creameries, 1st grade, lb.	.54
Creameries, 2d grade	.56
Process butter	.56
Packing stock	.42@.44

Butter Fat.

Direct	.64
Station	.60

Fruit.

Apples, Colo., box	$2.00@3.00
Pears, Colo., crate	1.50@2.25

Vegetables.

Beans, navy, cwt.	8.50@ 9.00
Beans, pinto, cwt.	6.00@ 6.75
Beans, lima, lb.	.22@ .25
Beans, green, lb.	.15@ .17
Beans, wax, lb.	.16@ .20
Beets, new, cwt.	3.00@ 4.00
Cabbage, new, Colo., cwt.	5.00@ 6.00
Carrots, new, cwt.	3.50@ 4.00
Cauliflower, lb.	.20
Celery, Colo.	1.00@ 2.00
Cucumbers, h. h., doz.	2.75@ 3.50
Leaf lettuce, h. h., doz.	.75@ 1.25
Lettuce, head, doz.	1.00@ 2.00
Onions, Colo., cwt.	5.00@ 6.50
Potatoes, new, Colo.	3.10@ 3.75
Radishes, round, h. h.	.40@ .50
Radishes, long, h. h.	.35@ .40
Turnips, new, cwt.	3.00@ 3.50

HAY AND GRAIN.

Grain.

(Buying price (bulk) carloads, f. o. b. Denver.)

Corn, No. 3 yellow	$2.70
Corn, No. 3 mixed	2.66
Oats, per cwt.	2.70
Barley, per cwt.	2.80

Hay.

Timothy, No. 1, ton	$28.00
Timothy, No. 2, ton	27.00
South Park, ton	27.50
Alfalfa, ton	24.50
Second Bottom No. 1, ton	26.00

HIDES AND PELTS.

Denver Price List.

Dry Flint Hides.

Butcher, 16 lbs. and up	$ .35
Butcher, under 16 lbs.	.35
Fallen, all weights	.33
Bulls and stags	.18
Culls	.15

Dry salt hides 5c per lb. less.

Dry Flint Pelts.

Wool pelts	$ .30
Short wool pelts	.25
Butcher shearings	.15
Bucks, saddles and pieces of pelts	.15
No. 2 and murrain shearings	.10

Green Salted Hides, Etc.

Cured hides, 25 lbs. and up, No. 1	$ .18
Cured hides, 25 lbs. and up, No. 2	.17
Bulls, No. 1	.14
Bulls, No. 2	.12
Glues, hides and skins	.10
Kip, No. 1	.27
Kip, No. 2	.25
Calf, No. 1	.37
Calf, No. 2	.35
Branded kip and calf, No. 1	.18
Branded kip and calf, No. 2	.17
No. 1	8.00@9.00
No. 2	7.00@8.00

Headless, 50c less.

Ponies and glues	3.00@4.00

Green Salted Horsehides.

Green hides 2c per lb. less than cured.

Part cured hides 1c per lb. less than cured.

METAL MARKETS.

Colorado settlement prices:
Bar silver, $1.33.
Copper, pound, 19@20c.
Lead, $7.75.
Spelter, $8.00.
Tungsten, per unit, $6.50@12.00.

EASTERN LIVE STOCK.

At Chicago.

Chicago.—Hogs—Bulk, $14.95@15.15; top, $15.25; heavy, $14.95@15.15; medium, $15.00@15.25; light, $14.90@15.15; light light, $14.50@15.00; heavy packing sows, smooth, $14.40@14.85; packing sows, rough, $13.75@14.40; pigs, $13.75@14.75.

Cattle—Beef steers, medium and heavy, choice and prime, $18.75@20.00; medium and good, $11.00@18.75; common, $8.75@11.00; lightweight, good and choice, $13.50@19.25; common and medium, $8.00@13.50; butcher cattle, heifers, $6.75@14.75; cows, $6.60@13.50; canners and cutters, $5.50@6.60; veal calves, $16.00@17.25; feeder steers, $7.50@12.50; stocker steers, $6.50@10.50.

Sheep—Lambs, $16.20@18.90; culls and common, $12.50@15.75; ewes, medium and good, $8.50@11.00; culls and common, $5.00@8.25.

Cash Grain in Chicago.

Chicago.—Corn — No. 2 mixed, not quoted; No. 2 yellow, $1.56½@1.58.

Oats—No. 2 white, 87¼@88½c; No. 3 white, 86@87½c.

Rye—No. 2, $1.85½@1.85¾.

Barley—$1.45@1.59.

Timothy Seed—$9.00@13.00.

Clover Seed—$40.00@48.00.

Pork—Nominal.

Lard—$23.92.

Chicago Produce.

Chicago. — Butter — Creamery, 52@63c.

Eggs—Firsts, 68½@69c; ordinary firsts, 55@66c; at mark, cases included, 62@68c.

Poultry—Alive, springs, 28c; fowls, 26@30c.

Potatoes—Demand far exceeds supply; Northern whites, sacked, $4.35@4.50.

MAY PUT ISSUE TO U. S. VOTERS

FOES OF LEAGUE ACCEPT WILSON'S CHALLENGE ON LEAGUE.

BOTH SIDES SPARRING

SOME THINK THERE IS STILL CHANCE TO COMPROMISE ON TREATY.

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

Washington, Jan. 10.—The fortunes of the treaty of Versailles became even more unsettled when, on top of President Wilson's Jackson day pronouncement for taking the question to the people in the political campaign, and William J. Bryan's opposition to such a course, Democratic and Republican friends of the treaty in the Senate renewed determinedly their effort to secure a compromise ratification.

Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, the acting Democratic leader, said he did not regard the President's declaration as calculated to cut off any reasonable compromise and predicted ratification before the campaign was under way. The mild reservation group of Republicans took much the same view, and the group of Democrats who have been urgent in their demand for a compromise declared their position was in no way altered.

Discussion of compromise reservations accordingly went forward as actively as before, a conference being arranged on the Republican side to take up in detail the set of reservations submitted recently by Senator Kendrick of Wyoming and other Democrats. It was said a counter proposal might be drawn up within a few days and all of the parties to the negotiations seemed hopeful that an agreement ultimately would be reached.

Among the treaty's irreconcilable foes, however, the President's stand and the statement of Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, the Republican Senate leader, that he would "most cordially welcome" the treaty as a political issue, were hailed as having definitely put the question into the campaign. This group consistently has predicted failure for the compromise negotiations, and they were more positive than ever that there would be no agreement.

In announcing that the compromise plans would go ahead, Senator Hitchcock said that of course the Democrats could not agree to any compromise vitally impairing the treaty and that there would be an endeavor to work out such reservations as the President could accept. Some other Democrats were not so emphatic on that point, however, declaring privately that they would take the best compromise that they could get and then put the responsibility straight up to the White House.

Chinaman Found Guilty.

Washington.—Ziang Sung Wan was found guilty of murder in the first degree for the death, a year ago, of Ben Sen Wu, a member of the Chinese educational mission. Dr. T. T. Wong, head of the mission, and C. H. Hsie were killed at the same time. The jury was out only a half hour. The bodies of Dr. Wong and his two associates were found in the mission headquarters in a fashionable section last January. All three men had been shot. When the verdict was announced Wan collapsed.

Sign Protocol.

Paris.—The ceremony, which definitely re-establishes a state of peace between the allies and Germany, putting an end to the armistice, will be divided in two parts. The representatives of the five powers will meet first in the office of the minister of foreign affairs. Baron von Lersner, head of the German peace delegation, and Herr von Simson will sign in Germany's name the protocol of Nov. 1. They will receive from the hands of Premier Clemenceau a letter binding the allies to reduce the amount of materials demanded for the destruction of German war vessels at Scapa Flow. The second part of the ceremony will follow immediately in the clock hall. The thirteen powers which have ratified the treaty will be represented here by one delegate each.

Omaha to Get Mail by Air Daily.

Omaha.—Regular daily air mail service between Omaha and Chicago will start Feb. 1. This was the pledge exacted by the aerial transportation committee of the Chamber of Commerce from Otto Praeger, second assistant postmaster general.

Plan Industrial Court.

Lincoln, Neb.—Amendment of the Nebraska constitution so as to create a court of industrial conditions was proposed to the state's constitutional convention in session here. The proposed court, when appealed to, would have jurisdiction in matters of difference and dispute between employers and employés. It would not have, however, "such power as will deny either employers or employés the right to refuse employment or to cease work, singly or collectively."

Southwest News From All Over New Mexico and Arizona

Western Newspaper Union News Service.

The Miami-Superior road, now building in Arizona, will be the most pretentious highway proposition yet undertaken by the state, according to Fred Twitchell, engineer of the project.

The 1920 census will show an increase of 100 per cent in Arizona's population over the 1910 census, it was predicted by E. F. Templeton of the department of commerce. The 1910 census recorded Arizona's population as 204,354.

The Santa Fé railway must pay fines amounting to $450 under Judge Colin Neblett's decisions in two cases tried in the United States District Court at Santa Fé, New Mexico, in which the railway was charged with violation of the 28-hour law.

The concrete foundations of the new dormitory of New Mexico institute for the blind, has been poured at Alamogordo, New Mexico, and the work is now progressing very rapidly. It is said the new building will be completed in the next 30 days.

During Farmers' and Housekeepers' Week at Tucson, January 19th to 24th, it is expected that a large number of honey growers of Arizona will attend the special conference of honey producers arranged for Saturday afternoon, January 24th.

For two full days, January 20th and 21st, at Tucson, fruit growers of Arizona will be given a chance to devote themselves to the study of horticulture in its practical phases under the direction of fruit experts and those who have succeeded in fruit growing.

Beef cattle and hogs constitute no small proportion of the resources of Arizona. With this in mind some attractive numbers have been provided for the stockmen during Farmers' and Housekeepers' Week at Tucson, Ariz., January 19th to 24th.

Dedman, New Mexico, has just completed a $17,000 school house and has arranged for free transportation for all the pupils in the district. This is made up of a consolidation of several districts in Union county and will be known as the Dedman district.

A bill for the appropriation of $6,500 for the drainage of Indian lands in the Rio Grande valley has been prepared and is before the House for action, according to information received from Washington by H. F. Robinson, of the Indian irrigation service. The region to be drained will include Isleta, Sandia, Santa Ana and San Felipe, New Mexico, and is geographically a part of the valley land the drainage of which is contemplated.

The total road mileage in New Mexico is 43,091 miles as determined by actual census early in the summer. Of this mileage 7,100 miles have been designated as state roads either by act of the Legislature of by the state highway commission. As the state did not have funds enough to maintain the entire mileage of state roads, the less important were turned back to the counties for maintenance and a "red line" system of 3,000 miles designated for state maintenance.

After having followed him from place to place, through Europe and United States a croix de guerre has finally caught up with George Harvey of Phoenix, a member, of the 75th company, 6th marines, and he was decorated with the medal at the marine recruiting station at Phoenix. Harvey was cited by Marshal Petain for volunteering to go through heavy machine gun and artillery fire near Vierzy July, 1918, to get water and food supplies which were needed. He was wounded with shrapnel on the same day.

According to a report of superintendent Wilson of the Southern Pacific railroad, the big gravel quarry near the town of Steins, N. Mex., will open up in the next 30 days with a force of at least 100 men. As the road has a lot of ballasting to do during the next year it is expected that the quarry will be in operation for a year or possibly more.

A special dairy course of one week will be given at the university in connection with Farmers' and Housekeepers' Week, January 19th to 24th at Tucson, Arizona. There will be lectures and demonstrations on dairy subjects each day in the week. The program is planned to give those who attend a well rounded, general idea of the dairy industry.

Arizona's mines enriched the world by $174,559,388.86 during the year just closing, according to to the annual report of the State Tax Commission. The mineral production totalled 19,188,716.20 dry tons and the average value per ton from the gross yield was $9.10 Copper production amounted to about 16 times the value of all the other minerals produced, gold and silver following next.

Virtual assurance of federal aid in the construction of a bridge over Salt river at Lehi, Ariz., was contained in a letter received from Representative Hayden at Washington by the Mesa Commercial Club. He gave promise that Congress would provide $20,000 of the $90,000 necessary to construct the bridge.

General Pershing is asked to come to Santa Fé, New Mexico in February to receive the medal awarded him by the State Legislature in a letter sent him in care of the mayor of Kansas City.

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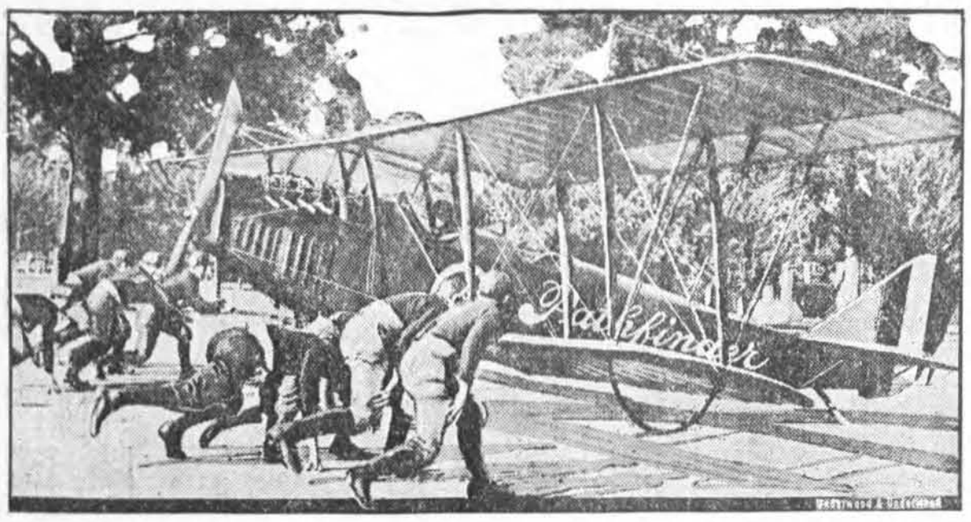

Coach Bob Evans is making novel use of an airplane in training the football team of Leland Stanford university. In the play photographed the aviator starts the machine and tries to gain headway against the strength of the men.

NO RELIEF FROM H.C.L. FOR YEAR

Scientist Says Social and Industrial Unrest Must First Be Calmed.

PARTS OF WORLD ARE HUNGRY

Hardly Any Factor of Business That Is Stable—Production Has Been Crippled in Many Countries—Distribution Disorganized.

London.—The world can expect no relief from the present high cost of living and the shortage of commodities until the widespread social and industrial unrest has disappeared and the war shattered economic machinery has been put in order, according to Charles A. McCurdy, parliamentary secretary to the ministry of food. Mr. McCurdy said that he was not particularly optimistic over the chances of any marked betterment of the situation in the near future.

"We have bolshevism at one end of the world and widespread strikes at the other," said Mr. McCurdy, "and not until society resumes its normal course can we right economic conditions.

"It is very difficult to prophesy regarding the food situation of the future. In view of the fact that the whole economic structure of the world has been so badly dislocated. There is hardly any factor of business that is stable, and we do not know what wages are to be. As a result of these conditions the regular channels of distribution are disorganized, and until they are normal, it will be impossible to tell what effective supplies there are as compared with the world stocks.

Parts of World Hungry.

"While it is true that America, England and some other countries are sufficiently supplied now so that there is no distress among the people, yet this comparative abundance is in reality a fictitious one and may not last. Great sections of the world are actually hungry because of the impossibility of distributing supplies properly. If the channels of distribution were open and the economic conditions were such that foodstuffs could be purchased by those countries which need them we probably would find ourselves faced with a shortage in many things.

"For example, if the peoples of central Europe should be in a position next year to purchase the meat they need, there would be a world shortage of several million tons. It is improbable that they will be able to buy, but it is impossible to predict so far in advance. I believe that, a year from now, things will have been brought to a head and that the world will be facing its most critical time.

"There are those who tell me that I am wrong in my outlook and that there will be no shortage, but I can figure it no other way. There certainly are many countries now which are securing far below what they need in the way of foodstuffs, and when the time comes for them to buy it will be impossible to refuse them their fair share of what the world produces.

"There is another factor to be considered also. Where production has been stimulated during the war it must ultimately revert to normal. It is not natural as it stands. In the United States, for instance, the meat production has been artificially stimulated, and it is hard to estimate when this temporary condition will vanish. America next year may be an importer of meat, instead of a big exporter. See what that would mean to the rest of the world.

"On the other hand, production has been crippled in many countries.

Shortage in Europe.

"In Europe as a whole, there is an actual shortage of 11 per cent in sheep and a larger shortage in pigs. Because of this Europe would have to import 3,500,000 tons of meat this coming year, if it were to return to its pre-war consumption.

"In regard to wheat the exportable surplus of the world is down compared with that before the war. Import requirements at the same time are up. The same thing is true of butter, and in some countries its consumption has been increased by the lack of margarine. There is also a sugar shortage. The beet sugar production has dropped off 4,200,000 tons in Europe since 1914. The cane sugar production of the world meantime has increased only 1,800,000 tons.

"In discussing prices we must consider the meaning of the phenomenon in the United States, where there is no food shortage but an exportable surplus. The food supply is above normal, and yet the prices have advanced almost proportionately with the increase in Great Britain, which is largely an importing country. This curious situation makes one realize that in estimating food prices the economic effects peculiar to foodstuffs are not the determining factor, but economic conditions as a whole.

"There seems to be a tendency in many countries to expend war wages and profits on consumption—goods, food, clothing, etc.—to a greater extent than on the purchase of raw materials for the extension of industry. It may be partly due to this consumption that goods on the whole have such an upward trend since the armistice."

Prehistoric Tree Trunk Found in Iron Mine

St. Paul, Minn.—Discovery has just been made in the Holman iron mine, near Taconite, Itasca county, Minnesota, not far from the source of the Mississippi river, of the trunk and branches of a prehistoric pine tree in an excellent state of preservation and with pine cones about it.

The tree is not petrified. The wood is as sound in the main as though it had been felled only a few years ago and the pine cones are still pliable. The wood with exposure to air has not softened or crumbled, and the find is the first of its kind on record so far as geologists of the great iron ranges can learn.

Dead Wife Aids Him

Pastor Tells of Visitation From Spouse After Death.

Gets Information That Enables Him to Locate Missing Documents.

Philadelphia.—A supposed visitation from his wife after her death, whether in a dream or in the spirit, related by Rev. Dr. Russell H. Conwell, is causing much speculation among members of the Grace Baptist temple.

Dr. Conwell, founder and president of Temple university, related his experience at a recent Sunday morning service in the Baptist temple in which he told of the visitation. His wife died thirty years ago.

"I received three strange visits from my wife," he said. "On three successive nights she seemed to come and sit on the side of the bed which I occupied.

"While sitting there she gave me valuable information relating to several important papers which I knew were in the house, but which I could not locate.

"It may have been a dream but I got out of bed immediately after receiving the instructions and found the papers just where she said they were."

Dr. Conwell said he did not know what to believe about the visitation.

"It may have been thought transference," he added. "I have never been able to decide what it was, but I do know that I was unable to locate these papers until I received the messages from my wife."

Dime Chick Gets Prize.

Crookston, Minn.—Several weeks ago Arthur Kirsch of Crookston bought a tiny chicken at a local five and ten cent store for a dime. Recently he entered the chicken at the Pennington county poultry show. It was adjudged to be a full-blooded white Leghorn and carried off a blue ribbon with a score of 92 points.

British Paupers Increase.

London.—The returns on the number of paupers relieved during the month of September in Great Britain show a rate of 125 for each 10,000 of population, which is an increase of one over the record for the preceding month, an increase of three on a year ago, and a decrease of 58 compared with September of 1913.

DISCOVERS NEW STEEL

Inventor of Vanadium Steel Perfects New Process.

New Product Far in Advance of Any High Speed Steel Hitherto Made.

London.—The invention of a new steel, far in advance of any high speed steel hitherto made, is ascribed by the Daily Mail to John Oliver Arnold, professor of metallurgy at Sheffield university. Professor Arnold, who is said to have been the discoverer of vanadium steel, claims, according to the Daily Mail, that the new steel possesses far more commercial possibilities, that it is unrivaled in hardness, that in tool form it will remove a greater weight than any other steel, and that it possesses comparatively longer life.

The Daily Mail indicates that Professor Arnold uses molybdenum instead of tungsten, and says:

"If large quantities of molybdenum (a hard silver white metallic element) can be found and the price reduced, tungsten will take a back seat, because 6 per cent molybdenum will achieve more than 18 per cent tungsten."

STAY AT HOME, PARIS WARNS

World's Tavern, Overcrowded, Becomes Place for Millionaires Only.

Paris.—It is useless to ask for an apartment at less than 6,000 francs a year (about $1,200) home hunters are informed by one of the largest renting agencies in Paris.

"Paris is full," says the Presse De Paris in warning people away from the city. "One sees this on all sides. It is impossible to find not only two rooms and a kitchen, but a place in the auto bus or a seat in a restaurant, theater or movie."

Officers ordered to Paris to follow certain technical training courses, the newspapers says, are considering pitching tents in the Champ de Mars and the writer adds:

"Unhappy are those compelled to install themselves in Paris. They may knock but no one will open to them unless, be it understood, they have at least 6,000 francs to spend for rent. As for remedy, I see none."

"And so," the writer concludes, "all you who think of coming to Paris stay at home. The world's tavern, now becomes a palace, receiving none but millionaires."

Man Tossed by Bull.

Newark, O.—Gored, rolled and tossed over the fence by an enraged bull was J. C. Stevenson's experience. The animal escaped from its pasture, attacked Stevenson at his farm west of Newark, rolled him toward the fence. Stevenson's arm was broken and his body gashed, but he will recover.

The KITCHEN CABINET

Faith is an invincible and invisible magnet, and attracts to itself whatever it fervently desires and calmly and persistently expects.—Trine.

SEASONABLE DISHES.

Put a pound of round steak through the meat grinder with one green pepper and a slice of onion, season with a teaspoonful of salt and a few dashes of pepper, then flatten into a large cake. Add a pinch of nutmeg and mix thoroughly with one egg and a half cupful of fine cracker crumbs. When all is combined, shape into balls and sear in hot fat. Lower the heat and cook for half an hour, turning often. Ten minutes before serving drain off the surplus fat, leaving two tablespoonfuls. Add two tablespoonfuls of flour and mix well. When browned add enough milk to make a smooth sauce. Coat each ball with the sauce, arranging them on a chop plate. Garnish with parsley and serve piping hot with baked potatoes.

Another nice way to serve hamburger steak is as follows: The steak must be free from gristle and well seasoned to suit the taste. Some like a pinch of cloves with a bit of minced onion with salt and pepper. Toast rounds of bread on one side and place them in a baking dish untoasted side up, spread with butter then spread with the seasoned meat a half inch thick. Place in the oven and bake until the meat is brown. The juice will all be held in the bread, making a very tasty and simple dish.

Cranberry Tart.—Bake a pastry shell and fill it with the following: Wash one quart of cranberries and cook until soft with a cupful of water. Put through a sieve and boil up again with a pound of sugar or less. When cool place in the baked shell and cover with a meringue. Brown in the oven and serve cold.

Any canned fruit may be served in this way. Beat it and thicken if necessary with cornstarch, cook well, cool and fill the baked shell. Cover with a meringue and bake until brown. Thickened fruit juices make most tasty pie filling. Gelatine or jello may also be used, topped with whipped cream, as the meringue could not be used unless cooked over hot water, as it could not be baked without melting the jelly.

Fear paralyzes healthy action, mental and physical. Worry corrodes, poisons and pulls down the organism. It is a perverted mental state that externalizes itself in various physical ailments according to the peculiar tendencies or weaknesses of the one in whose organism its effects find lodgment.—Trine.

WHAT TO EAT.

We all enjoy new dishes; but for real enjoyment nothing takes the place of the old-fashioned dishes of our grandmothers.

Bean Porridge.—Soak two cupfuls of beans over night. In the morning bring to a boil, stir in a bit of soda as big as a pea, drain and cover with fresh water. Boil slowly until nearly done, add salt, a tablespoonful of butter and then allow them to simmer until the water is nearly cooked away. Mash with a potato masher and add a quart of rich milk. Stir well, bring to the boiling point and serve with crackers.

Serve a few nuts and raisins for dessert occasionally; they are wholesome and less expensive of time as well as money.

Apple John.—Slice into a deep buttered pie tin four tart apples. Sprinkle with sugar and cinnamon, dot with butter. Pour over them a dumpling mixture or a rather thin baking powder biscuit dough. Bake in a hot oven until [illegible] brown. Serve with cream and sug[illegible] [illegible]d sauce.

One Egg Ca[illegible] [illegible]ne one cupful of sugar, two tablespoonfuls of sweet fat, two-thirds of a cupful of thick sour milk, one-half teaspoonful of soda, and the same of baking powder sifted with one and one-half cupfuls of flour. Beat the egg and add to the sugar and fat. For an icing one may use a half cupful of grated chocolate, cooked to a cream with one-fourth of a cupful of milk; add one cupful of brown sugar, and cook until a soft ball is made when dropped in water. Then add one teaspoonful of butter and one-fourth pound of marshmallows and beat. This cake may be baked in muffin pans and if served hot needs no icing. If baked in a sheet and cut in squares served hot, it makes a fine pudding with any preferred sauce. For a layer cake it may be filled with jam or marmalade and served as a dessert.

Nellie Maxwell

Try It on the Donkey.

When a gypsy girl wants to know how soon she will be married, she whispers it to the ear of the first donkey she meets. "Shall I soon have a husband?" If the donkey moves his ear, she will. If he stands immovable, she won't. So if you have a little donkey in your home—

LIVE STOCK

REMARKABLE RACE BY HORSE

Castor, Morgan Gelding, Finishes Long Endurance Contest With Clean Speed Record.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

In a 300-mile endurance contest with horses of the purest Arabian breeding, "Castor," a Morgan gelding bred by the United States department of agriculture at its Middlebury, Vt., Morgan horse farm, was the only horse with a clean speed record at the end of the fourth day of the grueling contest. "Castor" won third place for speed at the end of the contest, notwithstanding the fact that he fell in the deep sand on a bad bit of road, injured his nose, and made the last five miles in a walk. This achievement is an indication of what has been accomplished by the department of agriculture in the rehabilitation of the Morgan breed during the few years since the work was undertaken.

The race was from Fort Ethan Allen, Vt., to Camp Devens, Mass., largely over unimproved roads. The purpose was to stimulate interest in the breeding of cavalry mounts throughout the United States. A majority of the horses entered were Arabians. One was a crossbreed that had seen overseas service and was the first horse to pass successfully through quarantine at Newport News. Two were Morgans, bred at the department's farm. The veteran of overseas service, "Bob," owned and ridden by Colonel George, led the field at the beginning of the race, but was taken out before the finish. The two Arabians to finish ahead of the Morgan after his accident were Rustem Bey and Ramla.

Castor, the United States Department of Agriculture Morgan Gelding Which Recently Made Such a Remarkable Record in a Long Distance Race.

Maj. C. A. Benton (retired) was one of the judges, acting as the representative of the bureau of animal industry.

COST OF HORSE BLEMISHES

Defects Cannot Always Be Prevented, but One Bad Spot Will Prove Expensive.

A horse market report from one of the Western selling points says: "When present, blemishes take off up to $50 or even more from the price of first-rate animals of the same type." Blemishes can't always be prevented, but it is good business to try to prevent them, for, as can readily be seen, one bad spot in the makeup of a horse may mean the difference between profit and loss on him. Outside of precautions to prevent injury the only safeguard against blemishes is to breed only sound mares to sound stallions. Sometimes a colt will be curby or otherwise defective, in spite of all that can be done to avoid such weaknesses, but that is no argument against trying to produce only the good ones.

ADDITIONAL FEED FOR PIGS

Scalded Middlings, With Milk Added, Placed in Shallow Trough Is Fine for Porkers.

When the pigs are about three weeks old they will want to eat more than the milk they can get from their mother. A small shallow trough should be placed where the sow cannot get to it. Scald some middlings, stir and pour in some milk. Put into the feed about a tablespoonful of molasses. Drive the little pigs carefully over to the trough. They will get the odor from the molasses, put their noses to the feed, lap it and begin to eat.

PROPER QUARTERS FOR PIGS

Animals Should Be Kept in Dry Pens and Fed in Clean Troughs—Prevent Chilling.

Pigs should always be kept in dry, clean quarters and fed in clean troughs. They should not be allowed to run out in cold rain or allowed to become chilled in any way. Sows running through filth and then being suckled will often cause pigs to scour

Watch Your Kidneys!

That "bad back" is probably due to weak kidneys. It shows in a dull, throbbing backache, or sharp twings when stooping. You have headaches, too, dizzy spells, a tired nervous feeling and irregular kidney action. Don't neglect it—there is danger of dropsy, gravel or Bright's disease! Use *Doan's Kidney Pills*. Thousands have saved themselves more serious ailments by the timely use of *Doan's*. *Ask Your Neighbor!*

A New Mexico Case

Arthur R. Crozier, Main St., Carlsbad, N. Mex., says: "I was in bad shape with my kidneys. There was a heavy, dull, bearing-down pain right across the small of my back and it never seemed to ease up. The action of my kidneys was irregular and sometimes my back got so lame and stiff that I could hardly bend over. Doan's Kidney Pills helped me soon after I took them and one box rid me of all trouble and fixed me up in fine shape."

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Leave Well Enough Alone.

One day recently a three-year-old youngster of Greencastle, Ind., who makes his home with her grandfolks, was naughty. The grandmother looked down on the child with a frown on her face in an effort to show her displeasure at the act of the tot and this is what the little girl said: "Please, grandmother, leave your face as God made it."

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"Pape's Cold Compound" is the quickest, surest relief known and costs only a few cents at drug stores. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, contains no quinine—Insist upon Pape's!—Adv.

Force of Habit.

"I don't want any more returned soldiers to work on my farm."

"Why not? I thought they made good workers."

"They're too good. I set this one to spading up and before I could stop him he had dug a front line trench across my field."

Children's handkerchiefs often look hopeless when they come to the laundry. Wash with good soap, rinse in water blued with Red Cross Bag Blue.

Her "Sorrow Clothes."

Mary Ellen had just finished dressing a clothespin in black for Halloween and she said, "That clothespin has lost her husband and has on her sorrow clothes."

RECIPE FOR GRAY HAIR.

To half pint of water add 1 oz. Bay Rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and ¼ oz. of glycerine. Apply to the hair twice a week until it becomes the desired shade. Any druggist can put this up or you can mix it at home at very little cost. It will gradually darken streaked, faded gray hair, and will make harsh hair soft and glossy. It will not color the scalp, is not sticky or greasy, and does not rub off.—Adv.

Disregard Desired.

"My landlord refuses to speak to me." "So does mine. And I wish he wouldn't write to me, either."

Some things go without saying, but a woman's tongue isn't in that class.

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Due from Directors		2,500.00
Overdrafts		33.28
United States Bonds		6,670.00
State, County and Municipal Bonds		405.63
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures		2,869.39
Specie	$3,470.59	
Exchanges for Clearing	100.00	
Due from State and National Banks, Approved Reserve Agents	7,308.75	
Due from State and National Banks not Reserve Agents.	2,030.00	12,909.34
Total		$103,684.41

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in		$10,000 00
Surplus		500.00
Undivided Profits, Less Current Exp. & Taxes & Interest paid		397.04
Individual Deposits subject to check	$56,329.14	
Time Certificates of Deposit	10,300.00	
State Deposits	5,000.00	
Cashier's Checks outstanding	6,631.78	
Due State and National Banks	488.12	78,749.04
Bills Payable		5,000.00
Bills Rediscounted		9,038.33
Total		$103,684.41

State of Arizona, County of Santa Cruz, ss.

I, W. P. Capehart, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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HAD AN OBJECT IN POSING

Moose Didn't Stand for Her Photograph Just to Accomodate the Camera Holder.

A moose out in the wilds does not stop to pose for her picture. There is generally a reason for the peculiar actions of wild things. In the current issue of the Hunter-Trader-Trapper, published in Columbus, O., hunters write of their experience.

"We had an early start Thursday and Sam soon proclaimed that his pipe foretold moose. The first bend was rounded and knee-deep in the water stood a fat sleek cow. Our canoe advanced toward her, the camera set for an exposure. Sam called softly and she advanced a hundred feet toward us, ears erect, with a curious 'what are you' manner.

"At 75 feet she stopped and posed for the picture, and then waited until we were 50 feet away before she turned into the woods. At the top of the bank she waited for us to pass before crashing into the timber.

"Her action was explained when we turned the bend and at the water's edge saw her calf, a fine four or five months' old fellow, which climbed the bank and was away after her at once."

New Cloth for Hard Wear.

A new textile fabric which, it is claimed, will tend to lower the present high cost of men's clothing is being placed on the market by a Pudsey (Yorkshire) manufacturer, writes United States Trade Commissioner Henry F. Grady from London. The London agents of the manufacturer state that the new cloth is made entirely of silk noil (or short fibers); and that, while superior in wearing properties to a pure worsted, it can be sold at the price of shoddy cloth, or one-fourth the price of the best wool fabrics. It is said to be strong and almost untearable, very suitable for hard wear, and can be obtained in grays, browns and blacks.

No Novelty.

"As I came from the station just now," said a recently arrived guest, "I noticed a crowd in front of the Right Place store and heard considerable yelling. What was the excitement?"

"A farmer and the storekeeper were telling what they thought of each other's infernal hoggishness in wanting five prices for the stuff they had to sell," replied the landlord of the Petunia tavern. "But there wasn't any particular excitement—it happens every day. The crowd merely gathered in the hope that they might accidentally say something new and interesting."—Kansas City Star.

Weds During His Lunch Hour.

How to be married though working was the title of a little sketch staged the other day by E. W. Grieder, a printer employed on the St. Paul Dispatch.

Grieder faced a problem. He was slated as a principal in a marriage ceremony. His only spare time was a half hour for lunch.

So he called his fiancee, Miss Clara Lovitz, by telephone, arranged with her to meet him in the office of Henry Gallick, court commissioner, and the ceremony was performed. Grieder then took lunch and returned to work.

Valuable Parasitic Fly.

A recent agricultural department bulletin states that a parasitic fly, compsilura cicinnata, has been used with great success to destroy gypsy moth and brown-tail moth in New England. It will also aid in the control of other insect pests. A few years ago the white-marked tussock moth was a serious pest in New England, but has practically disappeared since compsilura became established. The cabbage worm, the celery worm and the fall webworm have all been reduced by the activities of the new parasite.

Quick Action.

"The war made exceptional opportunities."

"Yes; a fellow could begin at the bottom and at the same time go over the top."

Filipinos Take to Athletics.

Since our soldiers in the early days of American occupation held their first athletic contest in the Philippines the natives of the islands have taken an active interest in many forms of athletics and sports popular in the western world. It was not, however, until rivalry between towns and provinces was created that a deep general interest in every form of sport was developed, the majority of the people considering this indulgence a useless waste of energy.

Ludendorff and the Germans.

Representative Fess was talking about Ludendorff's memoirs.

"Ludendorff's present day attitude toward the German people and the German people's attitude toward him are pretty clearly shown in this work," he said. "It reminds one of the lawyer.

"'I'm sorry I couldn't do more for you,' the lawyer said to his client.

"'Don't mention it,' said the client. 'Ain't eight years enough?'"

Garden Stuff.

"Did your garden win any prizes last summer?"

"Indirectly, yes. My neighbor's chickens took first prize at the poultry show."—London Bilgiby.

MAKE BOATS WINTER HOMES

Londoners Partially Solve Housing Question by Living on the Thames Close to the City.

The housing question is being solved in a novel way between Thames Ditton and Hampton court. Unable to obtain a room occupants of houseboats are continuing to live in their floating homes, and in one backwater, 13 miles from London, houseboats are actually being built for winter occupation, London Answers states.

They are moored by a tree-sheltered bank. But you are too late to apply for them—they are all taken. One wonders what will happen when the floods begin.

Bungalows, which usually see no human soul save during the hot weather, are also finding winter tenants. A five-room bungalow on Thames Ditton island cost 25 shillings a week until April. There may be a few of these left. One is at present occupied by a demolished soldier, but whether he will find Thames mists easier to stand than Flanders mud remains to be seen. For the time being he is quite cheerful, however, and having sought a house in vain, does not cavil at having to start his journey to London each day by boat.

Our ideas change according to our necessities. It was stated the other day that a distracted man had applied to the government to let him a "pill box."

BOTH SLIGHTLY IN ERROR

Physician and Lovesick Youth Were Alike Too Quick to Jump to Conclusions.

There's a certain physician in Los Angeles who admits the joke's on him. Incidentally, he will shortly lose his daughter. He tells it this way:

"I was in my study when the door was flung open and in came Jack. I know him well, and just a glance told me that he was far from being his usual self. Indeed, he looked positively ill.

"Without waiting for him to speak I commenced an examination. His heart was fluttering, his brow was fever heat, his pulse was racing.

"I sprang toward the phone, crying over my shoulder, 'You're a case for the hospital, young man.'

"'Sure,' he admitted; 'but you might have let me ask you first!'

"'Ask me what?' I demanded in astonishment.

"'I want to marry your daughter,' he said, and then I realized that I had made the wrong diagnosis and that he had misconstrued my reference to the hospital."—Los Angeles Times.

HISTORIANS HAVE NOT SAID

Of Course There Is Just a Possibility That Mrs. Patrick Henry Was Unsympathetic.

They were having one of the usual family quarrels over his having been at a meeting at the Commercial club while she was "at home all alone and so lonesome."

"You don't wish me to have any city or country spirit, either," he finally told her hotly. "I wonder where our country would be today if all the men who have lived in it had stayed at home and petted their wives all their off hours as you are wanting me to do for you?"

"Well, the women always suffer," she retorted. "Public men never have time to appreciate their wives and sympathize with—"

Then he interrupted her. "Oh, that cry for sympathy" (he was angry now). "I suppose that it's a nation-old cry. I imagine that while Patrick Henry was at the Virginia legislature making his famed speech, 'Give me liberty or give me death,' that Mrs. Patrick H. was at home wailing, 'Give me sympathy or give me death.'"—Indianapolis News.

Shakespeare Down to Date.

Justice Wayne, dramatic actress, finds an explanation of the question as to why Shakespearian plays seldom win financial reward in what she terms Shakespeare's inability to give his productions catchy titles. She suggests a repertoire of the bard's plays rechristened to meet popular demands for stimulating titles. She suggests "How Could You, Juliet?" as more appropriate than plain "Romeo and Juliet." She also would substitute "Call of the Flesh" for "The Merchant of Venice;" "Strangled in Bed" for "Othello; "The Nutty Princess" for "Hamlet;" "Henry, Whom Do You Love?" for "Henry V;" "Big Dick" for "Richard the Third;" "The Knife" for "Julius Caesar" and "Moonlight and Honeysuckle" for "Midsummer Night's Dream."

The Cheerful Exterminator.

On moving into our honeymoon apartment we discovered that it was sadly in need of the services of an exterminator. With a bride's ignorance of apartment house life and the clubby ways of the cockroach, I regarded this as a personal disgrace, and took great care to keep it a profound secret from our friends.

One day, while exhibiting my shiny new kitchen equipment to a girl friend, I answered the back-door buzzer, and there was the exterminator, inquiring in a loud, cheerful tone, "Well, how are the cockroaches?"

The situation reduced my mind to such a pulp that I babbled, "They're well, thank you!"—Exchange.

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