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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Dr. and Mrs. L. W. Klone of Elgin entertained at dinner on the 24th of the following: Mrs. Jane Fraizer, Margaret Fraizer, Charles Fraizer, James Fraizer Jr. and family, Oliver Rothrock, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gould and Sara Baker.

The best place for kodak finishing.—Lohn's.

Judge and Mrs. A. S. Henderson and Mrs. Henderson's mother, Mrs. Stevens, were Nogales visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Ashburn and daughters were visitors to the county seat Wednesday.

Snapshots finished and enlarged.—Lohn.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wilson visited the county seat Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fraser had as their dinner guests Christmas day Miss Statter, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Little of Douglas, and Gary Lindley and A. Coates.

Barnett & Barnett, City Market, meats.—Advertisement.

Mr. and Mrs. Bass of New Mexico spent the Christmas holidays at Mowry, guests of Mrs. Bass' mother, Mrs. Mary Steen.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. DeFord of Tucson were guests over Christmas of Miss Grace Van Osdale and Howard Keener at their ranch in the San Rafael valley. The party attended the dance in Patagonia Christmas night.

WANTED—5000 men to eat 10,000 pounds of fine apples and drink fine cider at Brash' ranch, Patagonia. If

John McDonald, who is employed at Morenci by the Stargo Mining Company, spent Christmas with his mother, Mrs. Neil McDonald. His father, Neil McDonald, also returned home, but will not return to Morenci, having completed his work of superintending the erection of the Stargo mine's mill.

F. B. Parker of Los Angeles, formerly of Patagonia, where he was employed by the Washington Trading Company and the Patagonia Commercial Company for some time, in a recently letter to A. D. Sydenham, sends regards to his friends here.

Framed pictures and pictures framed.—Lohn.

Wirt and Mack Foster and their sister, Mrs. Greenwood, were among the Nogales visitors at the dance at the Opera House Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Little of Douglas spent Christmas with Mrs. Little's sister, Mrs. Tom Fraser, and spent the evening at the dance.

Mr. and Mrs. Duggie and Mrs. Dugie's sister, Beattie Holcomb, of Calabasas attended the Christmas night dance in Patagonia.

TO LEASE—A well-equipped farm in the San Rafael valley—on a 40-60 crop-share basis. Stock and implements furnished. For full information, call at the Patagonian office.

Charles Fraizer of Fraizer Brothers, Nogales, Texaco agent, was in town Tuesday on business.

Thelma Johnson of Nogales, spent Christmas with her father, Nick Johnson, section foreman for the S. P. rail road.

A. D. Sydenham went to Huachuca Siding Tuesday to check a trainload of cattle for Banning Vail, that was consigned to Gaviota, Calif.

Greeting cards of every kind.—Lohn.

Juan Telles and Bert Hansen of Elgin were Patagonian visitors Tuesday. Mr. Telles purchased lumber while here for shipment to his Elgin ranch.

Maudie Peterson and daughter attended the dance in Patagonia Christmas night.

Your photograph for a Christmas gift.—Lohn.

The Misses Hulda and Bobbie Ashburn were among the dancers in Patagonia's Christmas night. The girls are attending the University of Arizona at Tucson and are home to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Ashburn, at their beautiful ranch north of town. Their brother, Marshall, also is home from Tucson for the holidays. He is attending high school in the university town.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Crow of Tucson spent Christmas in Patagonia. Mr. Crow formerly was employed at freight agent at the local S. P. depot.

Tom Gardner and sons, Fred and Dave, came over from the Total Wreck mine, near Pan'ano, for the Christmas holidays. Mr. Gardner's mother is seriously ill, and Mr. Gardner plans to remain near her temporarily.

Lander Young is here from the Total Wreck mine, near Pantano, for the holidays.

Judge Hayden Pendergrass left Monday for Benson to spend Christmas with his family, who reside there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Archer and son of Tucson are spending the holidays with Mrs. Archer's mother, Mrs. James Kane, at Bloxton. Mrs. Kane is living with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Epperson.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blair and daughter, of Tucson, were Patagonia visitors Monday, and attended the dance at the Opera House.

Mrs. A. C. Best and son, Ernest, were Christmas dinner guests at the ranch of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McPherson of the San Rafael Valley.

Marion Francis' father and two sisters are visiting him at his San Rafael Valley ranch and will remain for several weeks. They reside in Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. McCutchan entertained the following at dinner Christmas day: William Fessler, Pat Downey, James Keating, and Robert Campbell. Mrs. McCutchan is an excellent cook, and the dinner was enjoyed by her bachelor guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Walker have moved to Nogales, where Mr. Walker has accepted a position with the Walker Transfer Company.

Toney Valenzuela and Miguel Soldate came over from Tucson to spend Christmas with their families. Mr. Valenzuela was accompanied by his son, Fidel, who is attending high school in Tucson.

Val Valenzuela and E. P. Bohlinger attended the Elks' meeting in Nogales Tuesday night.

Miss Ethyl McCormick will leave for Phoenix January 5 to assume a state position under the new administration.

Wesley Montgomery, of the First State Bank of Patagonia, spent Christmas in Tucson.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry, cousins of Mrs. Winifred Jolly, have moved to Patagonia from Mangum, Okla. They will assist Mrs. Jolly at the Patagonia Drug Store.

The Misses Ethyl and Geraldine McCormick were hostesses at Christmas dinner for Mr. and Mrs. William Dubois, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Farley and T. P. Steins. The dining room was attractively decorated for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bethel were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Mitchell of Nogales.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mead spent Christmas at the ranch of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Longstreet.

Ole Olsen, forest ranger, stationed at Vail, was in town Monday night for the dance.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Blabon entertained at dinner Christmas Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Trask, Mrs. Sara Baker, Fred Goldsmith, Mr. Blackledge of Tucson, Grandma Trask, Mrs. Blackledge and Chester Brodine.

DR. W. W. COBLENTZ



Dr. William W. Coblentz, associate physicist of the national bureau of standards, is considered in Washington as the most probable successor to Dr. S. W. Stratton, who resigned to become president of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Doctor Coblentz is nationally known for his radio-metric investigations, having recently spent several months at Lowell observatory at Flagstaff, Ariz., extending his investigations to stars and planets.

T. E. Heady, manager of the San Rafael ranch of the Green Cattle Company, left this week with three carloads of purebred Herford heifers for California. The Green Cattle Company has the largest registered Herford herd in the United States—about 1200 head.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Perry of Anaconda were at the dance Monday night in Patagonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nell and their guest, Mrs. White, of Elgin, attended the Christmas night dance here.

George Lopez of Alto was a business visitor in town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Chapman spent Christmas in town, guests of Mr. Chapman's mother, Mrs. C. C. Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kane were dinner guests of Mrs. Kane's mother, Mrs. J. J. Farley, Christmas day.

C. C. Chapman and son, Joe, were in Patagonia over Christmas from their ranch on the Santa Cruz river.

Henry Kane of the 49 mine, near Pantano, spent Christmas with his brothers-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Epperson of Bloxton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bergier of Alto attended a family dinner at the home of Mrs. Bergier's mother, Mrs. C. C. Chapman.

Ed Le Jendre, Sonora merchant, was one of the attendants at the local dance Monday night.

Mrs. Lottie Miller of Mowry and her guests, Mr. and Mrs. Moore, were at the dance in the Opera House Monday night.

W. H. Barnett spent Christmas at the ranch of his son, Fred, near Patagonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barnett of Rockdale ranch were in Monday night for the dance.

S. P. Conductor Short Long, was compelled to lay off this week on account of an attack of rheumatism. Conductor Schuh is in charge of the passenger car during Mr. Long's absence.

Mrs. Winifred Jolly, who recently purchased the Patagonia Drug Store, spent Christmas in Tucson.

Mrs. Anna H. Fortune and children enjoyed Christmas dinner with Mrs. John Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Charles May at Crittenden.

Charles May drove the mail stage Tuesday and Wednesday for Wesley Gatlin, whose car was wrecked on the road Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Broyles and son were dinner guests of Mrs. Broyles' parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Stone. The Stones had a Christmas tree for Chester Jr.

Mr. Zimmerman of Sonora was in Patagonia Wednesday on business.

GUGGENHEIM SEES ERA OF PROSPERITY FOR COUNTRY

That in his belief the industrial chaos now holding Europe in its grip will be solved during the coming year of 1923 and that the ending of the European financial difficulties will be the forerunner of the greatest period of prosperity the United States has enjoyed in years, was the message for the New Year sent out to the people by former Senator Simon Guggenheim from Tucson last week.

Mr. Guggenheim is president of the American Smelting and Refining Company, as well as head of the enormous Guggenheim interests of America and Mexico.

Mr. Guggenheim said: "From a business standpoint the metal outlook is brighter than for some time. Most of the silver and lead mines are running at full capacity because of the unusual high prices of those two metals. The zinc mines are just beginning to resume operations, although the outlook is not as flourishing for zinc."

"The copper mines, which most interest the people of Arizona, due to the great demand for copper, not only in our own country but in Europe, are increasing their output. Remarkable to say, Europe is now buying copper and paying cash for it. None is being exported on a credit basis. It is fortunate that the copper metal surplus has been wiped out, but barely a month's production on hand. Copper is now selling at 14 1/2 cents a pound and will probably sell for more. This situation indicates that the mines will soon be running on a maximum basis in order to produce more copper."

"The chief difficulty is the shortage of labor. Most of the large mining companies are experiencing this shortage, which, by the way, is not confined to mining, but is being felt in all industries. This shortage is largely due to the fact that a great many foreigners have gone back to Europe. The present immigration laws have some influence on the labor shortage problem. I am not by any means in favor of the universal immigration of the past, but to relieve something should be done to relieve this shortage. There should be some sort of selective immigration to encourage industries that need workers. The need is also keenly felt on the farms of the nation."

ELKS PLAY SANTA CLAUS

The Nogales Elks lodge donated 40 pounds of candy and a large box of popcorn balls for the children under the watchful care of the Associated Charities. The presents were distributed by the charities organization on Monday afternoon.

Randall Parrish



THIS author is noted for his smashing effects and his vigorous, stand-up-and-fight characters. A hero who cannot battle and who, on the other hand, is not tender and lovable in his peaceful moments, has no place in a Randall Parrish story.

He is one of the most popular writers of stirring fiction in the country and one of the most industrious. For about a quarter of a century he has been turning out books with great regularity and the public is always ready to receive them. His best liked tales are those of the West and those which center about mysteries and amateur detectives. Of the latter class is "The Case and The Girl," which we have secured and will offer to readers of this publication in serial form.

MARCHIONESS CURZON



Another fair American may be added soon to the list of British duchesses. It will be the Marchioness Curzon, whose husband retains his place as foreign secretary under Premier Law. It is reported that Lord Curzon will be advanced to a dukedom by King George. Lady Curzon, a native of Alabama, is the daughter of the late J. Morgan Hinds, former American ambassador to Brazil.

INCREASING CAPACITY AT THE MAGMA MINE

Work of excavating for the Magma Copper Company's new smelter at Superior is being rushed, and it is expected the new, modern brick plant, under the direction of Jack Davey, will be installed and ready for operation before the first of the year. Belief for the smelter and for all of the other Magma buildings of the future will be made at this plant.

Structural steel to be used in the construction of the smelter is expected to arrive shortly after the first of the year or as soon as the Magma Arizona railroad line has been completed, and it is believed that the new reduction plant will be completed early in 1923.

The capacity of the mill has been doubled, and some changes have been made in connection with the reduction of ores. When installed, the plant will have a capacity of 600 tons daily.

Approximately two-thirds of the ores from the Magma mine will go to the mill for treatment, while one-third will go to the smelter direct.

General Manager Browning is quoted as saying that when mine, mill and smelter are in operation nearly 700 people will be employed.

FIRE DOES \$10,000 DAMAGE IN NOGALES

Tuesday morning fire was discovered at the store of Block Brothers, shoe dealers, in Nogales. The alarm was sent in by Patrolman Harold Brown. The Block store, Hotel Montezuma and adjacent stores were badly damaged by fire and water. The loss was partly covered by insurance.

From the Montezuma hotel, men, women and children ran into the street. Some of them were frightened, while others were self-possessed.

The fire started in the shoe store, and is alleged to have been caused by the crossing of electric wires between the ceiling and floor between the first and second floors of the building.

Block Brothers store contents is a complete loss. The hotel suffered damages to the extent of \$25,000 or more. El Globo Store and H. Davison, both clothing establishments, were damaged considerably by fire and water.

The volunteer fire department of Nogales deserves much commendation for its quick and effective work in subduing the flames and confining them to such a restricted area considering the fact that the fire was in the business district and had to be handled from both sides of the block.

CHRISTMAS DANCE WELL ATTENDED; FINANCIAL SUCCESS

The dance given by the Patagonia Social Club Christmas night at the Opera House was well attended and the gross receipts were about \$100 dollars. After expenses are paid there will probably be about \$50 that can be turned in to the community plans fund.

Many persons from all parts of the county were present and all expressed themselves as having had an enjoyable evening.

PERSPECTS FOR AGRICULTURE IN 1923, AS GIVEN BY WALLACE

Secretary of Agriculture Wallace sums up the following statement of agricultural conditions and prospects for 1923:

Twelve months ago most of the six million farmers of the United States were staring on the long, hard climb out of the valley of economic depression. They have not yet attained the heights which are bathed in the grateful sunshine of prosperity. Some, indeed, have fallen by the way. Others are still in the valley. Nevertheless, as we stop a bit and look backward we can see that every considerable ground has been gained by the great majority, and we can enter the new year with renewed hope and with that courage which comes from the realization that we are really making progress.

A year ago, when speaking of the prospects for farming in 1922, I said that while there was no reason to expect boom times for the farmer in the near future, there was promise of better times, both for the farmer and for those whose business is largely dependent upon him. The year has brought fulfillment of that promise. Speaking generally, times are better, much better, than a year ago, both for agriculture and for industry.

Crops have been good, on the whole. Prices of the major crops are mostly considerably higher. While there has been a corresponding advance in the prices of the things the farmer must buy, the total sum which farmers will receive for the crops of this year is greater by a billion and a half dollars or more than that which they received for the crops of last year. This will certainly mean better times on the farm, and farm folk will be able to ease up a little on the pinching economy they were forced to practice the preceding year.

The labor cost of producing the crops of 1922 was still further reduced. There were some substantial reductions in freight rates. Much helpful legislation has been enacted and more will be enacted. Interest rates are lower and the credit strain has been eased. This has made it possible for many farmers who were rather heavily involved to refund their obligations and get themselves in condition to win through.

There are still some dark spots. In some sections weather conditions were unfavorable and crops were short, and farmers in these sections are having a very hard time of it. Freight rates are still too high, especially for those who must pay for a long haul to market.

Taxes are high, but this is largely due to the increase in local taxes, over which farmers themselves must exercise control.

There has been gratifying growth in farmers' co-operative marketing associations, and more of them are being organized on a sound business basis.

Aside from the help which has been given by legislation and by administrative activities, strong economic forces are at work to restore a more normal relation between agriculture and other industries.

The peril in the agricultural depression is more keenly realized by other groups than ever before, and on every hand a sincere desire is being evidenced to do what can be done safely to help the farmer better his condition.

Everything considered, we have good reason to expect still better things for agriculture in the year 1923.

FRANK EDENBOROUGH IS STATE EXAMINER

Frank L. Edenborough, well-known resident of Nogales, has been appointed by Governor-elect G. W. P. Hunt to the office of state examiner. For some time Mr. Edenborough was connected with the First National Bank of Nogales, in charge of the insurance department. He is a graduate of the University of Michigan law school, and practiced law for several years prior to moving to Nogales. He was a state senator of Michigan while a resident of that state. Mr. and Mrs. Edenborough have taken up their residence in Phoenix.

SHERIFF-ELECT BROWN NAMES UNDER SHERIFF, DEPUTIES

Harold J. Brown, sheriff-elect, has announced his appointments, who will assume their duties on the first of January, as follows:

Under sheriff, H. J. Patterson of Patagonia deputies, Oscar Coates of Elgin, Gus Michaels, Andy O'Connor and Angus Rodolph of Nogales, and Howard Keener of Patagonia.

BAN PLACED ON SEARCHING MOTORISTS BY DRY AGENTS

In the most important and far-reaching liquor ruling of recent months, United States Attorney Joe Burke of California placed a ban on the promiscuous searching of motorists and individuals by federal dry agents, says a recent press dispatch.

The government attorney held that the persons of motorists were hereafter to be considered inviolate, an ethical enforcement officers must in no case search any person unless the suspected person has first been placed under arrest.

The decision means that scores of automobiles that have been seized during raids on popular resorts and in individual cases, when one or more of the occupants of the machines was found carrying a flask, will immediately be returned to their owners.

Judge Burke's order, which was at once communicated to all local enforcement officials and agents, was made after a careful study of the legal points involved. Heretofore dry agents have been accustomed to seize every automobile or vehicle of any kind which liquor could be found in the possession of any of the occupants of the machine or vehicle.

The new ruling will have no effect on the general practice of searching automobiles for liquor. It has the effect, however, of making the automobile safe from seizure if the transporter of the liquor has the foresight to carry his liquid refreshment in his pocket or on his person.

Before the dry agents can arrest the person thus carrying liquor they must have reason to believe him guilty of violating the liquor law, and must formally place him under arrest, after which they may search him. However, as federal agents are held accountable for false arrests and their treatment of suspected persons, local prohibition officials pointed out, agents would be instructed to be sure of their ground before arresting occupants of automobiles.

TO ORGANIZE COMMUNITY CLUB

County Agricultural Agent Leo Gould was in Patagonia Tuesday for orchestra practice. A meeting has been arranged for January 4, at 8 p. m., at the Opera House for the purpose of forming a community club. There will be music by the local orchestra, community singing and a talk on community organization by Mr. Gould. Everybody is invited to attend.

MIDNIGHT MASS AT CATHOLIC CHURCH

A midnight mass was held at the local Catholic church, which was well attended. An organ was brought from Nogales for the occasion, which was played by Miss Geraldine McCormick. Mrs. C. L. Northern's singing was a feature of the mass.

COMMERCIAL GUESTS

Commercial Hotel guests this week were H. W. Silverton, El Paso; J. Lee Brown, Dupree, S. D.; Winifred Jolly, Mangum, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Sturges, Los Angeles; C. L. Webster, Los Angeles; Leo H. Gould, Nogales; Thomas Graham, Tucson; Mrs. Maudie Peterson and daughter, Mildred Sorrells, Nogales; Mr. and Mrs. James Little, Douglas.

MOVES FAMILY TO NOGALES

Mrs. Grace A. Farrell, elected county superintendent of schools at the November election, has moved her family from Washington Camp to Nogales, preparatory to taking up her new duties on January 1, 1923.

JUDGE MARSTELLER IMPROVES

Judge M. Marsteller, who has been on the sick list for some time, is reported to be improving rapidly. His many friends will be pleased to learn of his improved condition, and will be glad to see him again on the streets of Nogales.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Baldwin were in Patagonia Tuesday from their San Rafael valley ranch.

Mike Long of Harshaw was in town Tuesday.

Calvin Coates of Tucson was a dinner guest Monday of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fraser.

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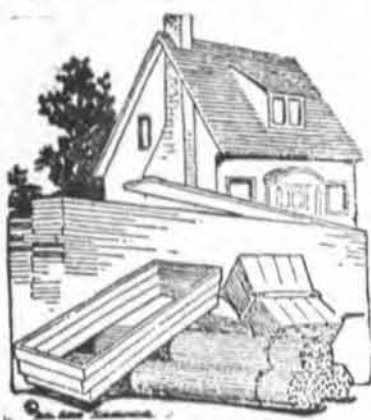
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OUR GUARANTEE—We guarantee the reliability of every display advertiser in this paper, and agree to make good to every paid subscriber any loss that may occur through trusting a display advertiser who proves to be a deliberate swindler. Notice of the complaint must be sent within a month of the time of the transaction, and you must mention The Santa Cruz Patagonian when writing the advertiser.

WHERE ARE WE HEADED FOR?

Dr. Gustave A. Vridgley, executive of the "Gospel Plant," Los Angeles, otherwise known as the Wesleyan Presbyterian church, advises the public that the ord' s Day Alliance, an interdenominational organization of ministers, plans to establish an "air-tight" Sunday in California.

Summarizing his statement, this organization will close up everything on Sunday that is not absolutely essential to the maintenance of life.

First will come ordinary unnecessary work and second will come all forms of amusement, including motoring, theaters, movies and ball games.

In winding up his statement after telling how he was going to close up everybody else, Vridgley says:

"I've the finest movie outfit in the city in my plant."

Hypocrisy with a big "H" is the best way to describe such a proposed program.

Fanatics who foster such movements as this lack the brains or the ability to draw people to their churches and interest them in religious subjects. Therefore, they are going to try to force religion down their throats.

They will maintain a movie outfit in their own church to amuse their audience but will close up other moving picture or amusement establishments.

This is on a par with what has been done in Oregon enacting a law punishing with fine and imprisonment parents or guardians who send their children between 8 and 16 to a private or sectarian school in or out of the state, and in Washington, where it is proposed to make Bible reading in all schools compulsory.

If the people of the United States have reached the point where they will allow any organization to tell them what they can see, read or think, the spirit of tolerance which was the one aim of the founders of this nation has indeed been lost.

KEEP UP VALUE OF DOLLAR

Mining in all sections of the west shows increasing activity in production and development of new prospects and re-opening of old mines, and in construction of new plants.

The Pittman act has enabled western silver mines to continue operation where otherwise they would have been closed and, incidentally, has enabled zinc and lead mines whose ores carried silver to maintain operation.

When one considers that of all the nations in the world the United States is the only one whose money is worth 100 cents on the dollar, it should be apparent that it is of the utmost importance to encourage the mining of our precious metals in order that our gold reserve may be maintained on a basis that will guarantee the value of a dollar.

ARIZONA TAXES DELINQUENT BY THREE MILLIONS

The total amount of taxes in the state of Arizona delinquent on June 30, 1922, for the past six years was \$3,471,226.97, according to a statement compiled by Clarence Staudage, secretary of the state tax commission, and made public last Friday by Chairman Charles R. Howe of the commission. The statement was made from reports to the tax commission by the clerks of the boards of supervisors in the counties.



LET'S HOPE HE DON'T COME TO PATAGONIA FOR WEEK-END

Charles Harvard could talk a confirmed "booze hound" out of his last drop of liquor on the morning after the night before, says the Douglas Dispatch, according to local merchants whose characterization of the youthful "Nervy Nat" is sanctioned by the police department. Harvard landed in Douglas last Thursday night and talked Joe Paul, chief clerk at the Gadsden, into giving him a room on the pretense that he was expecting money from his parents. The following morning he told the same story to Dave Androvitch at the White House cafe and was given a big breakfast on the strength of his alleged telegram. No one knows what he did between breakfast and 8 o'clock in the evening, but at that time he talked a bootblack out of a shine, later got a local cigar clerk to trust him for a carton of cigars, hired a taxicab to take him two miles from the city to get a girl, talked his way into a dance at Speer hall and later called the same taxicab to take him back. When he could not pay, Harvard was taken to the police station, but it required only a few minutes to talk the driver and the police out of putting him in jail. Since then he got another meal at the White House by talking to the chef and, as an example of his nerve, he walked behind the counter and drew a cup of coffee from the urn and sat down to eat the sandwich the chef had given him.

To cap the climax, Harvard talked a bellhop at the Gadsden out of 75 cents, borrowed 25 cents from a traveling salesman, got a drink on credit at Agua Prieta shortly after a local man had been refused the same consideration and slept in a warm room in a G avenue hotel after the landlady had been warned that his credit was no good.

The police were looking for him yesterday to put a halt to his mad career before he borrowed Chief Bowden's car and drove out of town with it. Harvard is but 19 years of age, and by the time he reaches manhood the police predict he will be the resident agent in Mexico City for some snowshoe firm—and making good, too.

400 VISITORS REGISTERED AT THE RECENT INDUSTRIAL MEET

Twelve states, Sonora, Mex., and the District of Columbia were represented at the annual convention of the Arizona Industrial Congress at Phoenix Monday and Tuesday of last week, it was revealed when the register of the convention was checked.

The states represented were Wisconsin, Iowa, Nevada, Texas, Vermont, Montana, Colorado, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Indiana, Washington and California.

Four hundred and nine visitors were registered. Every county and practically every town in Arizona was represented, and many delegates declared it was the most representative state meeting ever held in Arizona. There were men present from every branch of industry and business, with especially strong delegations of farmers and stockmen.

It was the unanimous opinion of the members of the congress who were present that the convention did much to cement the spirit of co-operation and helpful loyalty between all sections and all interests of Arizona, and that it would give added impetus to the work of the Industrial Congress along that line.

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Nogales—Movement of big Mexican embargo crop started.

HELPED GRANT TO FORTUNE

How Mark Twain's Friendship and Business Instinct Was Used to Help Old Friend.

In 1885, Mark Twain, who had his financial ups and downs, was enjoying a period of prosperity as the publisher of his own books. The publication of the "Adventures of Huckleberry Finn" at that time had been particularly profitable and Clemens, bearing that Richard Watson Gilder of the Century company, had been discussing with Grant the publishing of his memoirs, called upon the general, with whom he had long been on intimate terms, for the purpose of finding out how far the project had developed.

It soon appeared that the Century editors desired the book, but would not guarantee a profit of \$25,000 to the author, who had recently experienced a failure in business and whose health was breaking down.

Clemens, whose first and last thought was to serve his friend, said: "General, I have my checkbook with me. I will draw you a check now for \$25,000 for the first volume of your memoirs, and will add a like amount for each volume you may write, as an advance royalty payment."

An arrangement was made whereby by Grant received 70 per cent of the net returns and, as is well known, the book was a vast success. The publication resulted in receipts by the Grant heirs of about \$450,000. The first check to Mrs. Julia D. Grant, drawn February 7, 1886, for \$200,000, remains the largest royalty check in history.

GREAT STATE COPIED MOTTO

Michigan Must Acknowledge Its Obligations to the Greatest of English Architects.

The motto of the state of Michigan "Si Quæris Peninsulam Amœnam Circumspice," (If You Seek a Beautiful Peninsula, Look About You) was borrowed rather shamelessly from the inscription which appears on the interior of St. Paul's cathedral in London, in memory of its architect, Sir Christopher Wren. This inscription reads, "Si Monumentum Requirit Circumspice," (If You Seek His Monument, Look About You). In other words, the great church is itself a monument to the greatest of English architects.

Sir Christopher Wren was born in 1632 and died in 1723. He won many honors, was knighted by Charles II, later elected president of the Royal Society of London, and served for a time in parliament. But his fame rests chiefly on his having designed St. Paul's, the most magnificent Protestant edifice in the world and second only to St. Peter's in Rome among the religious structures of modern times. It required thirty-five years in building, but was begun and completed under Wren's sole direction. It cost \$3,500,000.—Detroit News.

Janitor Objected.

One of the strangest ways of calling up or stimulating the imagination was that employed, once upon a time, by our great American sculptor, St. Gaudens. You will find the story in his reminiscences. When he was in Rome, during his student days, he was very fond of strolling about at night in one of the old Italian gardens, in which there was a fountain which was particularly beautiful in the moonlight and played such music as only a fountain in an old Italian garden can play. So when St. Gaudens got back to New York city and into his humble little studio on the third floor back, what does he do but turn on the water tap and keep it running all day long to remind him of the tinkle and splash of that fountain in the old Italian garden. One day the janitor comes plodding up the stairway, and, discovering the running tap, says: "I've been pumpin' water up here for three weeks and wonderin' where in blazes it was a-goin'." Young man, you'll have to cut that out.—Hallam Hawksworth, in St. Nicholas.

New Scientific Discovery.

Among the most remarkable glimpses into hidden corners of nature that scientific advance has afforded are the frequent discoveries of micro organisms in unexpected places where they produce phenomena here before supposed to rise from other causes. For instance, a scientist in Upsala, Sweden, ascertained that in preparations of meat and fish containing, for purpose of preservation salt to the amount of 15 per cent micro-organisms grow luxuriantly and he concludes that the flavors and odors that are peculiar to various salt preserves are due to the micro organisms with which they are crowded.

In the Interest of Accuracy.

"You have heard what the last witness said," persisted counsel, "and yet your evidence is to the contrary. Am I to infer that you wish to throw doubt on her veracity?"

The polite young man waved a deprecating hand.

"Not at all," he replied. "I merely wish to make it clear what a liar I am if she's speaking the truth."

Grotesques.

"She says she gets all her gowns in Paris," remarked Miss Cayenne. "What do you think of them?" "I think that in spite of all her griefs and perplexities Paris evidently retains a sense of humor."

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The Mardi Gras Mystery

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CHAPTER XV—Continued.

"You're willing to take care of all the rest of the gang, chief?"

"Sure," assented the officer.

"All right. Boys, turn over the whole crowd to the chief, and I'll trust you to see that they're properly booked and jailed. Turn over all the evidence likewise, except that mail sack. Have that brought up here, to this room, and see that the corridor outside is kept guarded. Get me?"

The two saluted. "Yes, sir."

"Good. Send to the federal building, find out where there's an agent of the Department of Justice, and get him here. Have him here inside of fifteen minutes."

"My dear Gramont, your devotion to duty is Roman in spirit," said Jachin Fell, lightly. "I really regret that circumstances so conspire to defeat you! Why can't you be satisfied with bagging so many other victims? You can't bag me—"

"Can't I?" said Gramont, taking a cigar and biting at it. He was cooler now. "By heavens, Fell, there's one thing in this country that you and no other man can reach with any influence, political bribery or crooked connections—and that's the government of the United States! You can reach judges and senators and governors, but you can't reach the unknown and humble men who carry the badge of the Department of Justice!"

Fell made a slight gesture.

"Human nature, my dear Gramont. It is quite true that I have not established this gang of criminals, as you call them, without taking proper precautions. Memphis Izzy, for instance, has influence that reaches far and wide. So have I. So have others in the party. I give you my assurance that your Department of Justice man will not arrest me."

Gramont paled.

Jachin Fell glanced at his watch.

"Lucie will be here at any minute now," he observed. "I suppose your sense of duty will force you to disclose everything to her?"

Gramont merely nodded, tight-lipped. A knock at the door, and one of his men entered with the sack of mail that had taken as evidence.

"A lady is coming here at any moment," said Gramont. "Allow her to enter."

The other saluted and departed.

"A sense of duty is a terrible thing," and Jachin Fell sighed. "What about the oil company? Are you going to let Miss Ledanola's fortunes go to wreck and ruin?"

"Better that," said Gramont, "than to have her profit come through criminal money and means. She'd be the first to say so, herself. But I'll tell you this: I'm convinced that there is oil under that land of hers! If she'll agree, I'll put up what money I have against her land; we'll be able to have one well drilled at least, on the chance!"

"If it's dry," said Fell, "you'll be broke."

"I can always get work," and Gramont laughed harshly.

Fell regarded him in silence a moment. Then: "I think Lucie loves you, Gramont."

A trembling seized Gramont; a furious impulse to shoot the man down as he sat. Did he have the business to try and save himself through Lucie? Something of his stifled anger must have shown in his eyes, for Jachin Fell laid down his cigar and continued quickly:

"Don't misunderstand. I say that I think she cares for you; it is merely surmise on my part. Lucie is one person for whom I'd do anything. I stand and have stood in the place of a parent to her. She is very dear to me. I have a special reason for intruding on your personal affairs in this manner, and some right to ask you in regard to your intentions."

"I don't recognize any right whatever on your part," said Gramont, steadily.

Fell smiled. "Ah! Then you are in love. Well, youth must be served!"

"I'd like to know one thing," struck in Gramont. "That is, why you were so cursed anxious to get something on my man Hammond! And why you held the Midnight Masquer affair over me as a threat. Did you suspect my business?"

Fell threw back his head and laughed in a hearty amusement that was quite unrestrained.

"That," he responded, "is really humorous! Do you know, I honestly thought you a fortune-hunter from Europe? There, I confess, I made a grave error."

Without a knock the door opened and Lucie Ledanola entered.

"Good evening, stockholders!" she exclaimed. "Do you know there's a crowd down in the street—policemen and automobiles and a lot of excitement?"

"Allow me," said Gramont, taking her coat and placing a chair for her. "Will you sit down, please? You remember that I warned you regarding a shock that would come; and now I must explain." Gramont gravely handed her his commission from the governor, and resumed his seat. "When I say that I have come here, not to attend a meeting of our oil company,

but to arrest Mr. Fell, you will understand. I am very sorry, Lucie, to have to tell you all this, for I know your attachment to him."

"Arrest—you, Uncle Jachin? The girl glanced from the paper to Fell, who nodded. "Why—this isn't a joke of some kind?"

"None whatever, my dear," said Fell, quietly. "Mr. Gramont is to be congratulated. He has discovered that I was the head of a large organization of criminals. Here, if I mistake not, are your Department of Justice friends, Gramont."

A knock at the door, and it opened to admit one of Gramont's men.

"Here they are, sir—the chief agent and a deputy. Shall I let them in?" Gramont nodded. Two men entered the room, and Gramont dismissed his own man with a gesture. He saw that the agents both nodded to Fell.

"Do you gentlemen know this man?" he demanded, rising.

"Yes," said one of them, regarding him keenly. "Who sent for us?"

"I did," Gramont gave his name, and handed them his commission. "I have been investigating a lottery which has been conducted in this state for a long time by an organization of very clever criminals. Jachin Fell is the man at the head of this organization. The lesser members of the gang are in custody. The police department will not arrest this man Fell; his influence and that of his gang is extensive in political fields and elsewhere. I have called up the governor, and have been told not to arrest him. I have disregarded these facts, and I now call upon you to hold him in custody as a federal prisoner. Now go to it."

The chief agent laid Gramont's commission on the table and looked at Jachin Fell. For an instant there was a dead silence. Then, when the federal man spoke, Gramont was paralyzed.

"I'm very sorry, Mr. Gramont, to have to refuse—"

"What!" cried Gramont, incredulously. "Do you dare stand there and—"

"One moment, please," said Fell, his quiet voice breaking in. "It is quite true that I have organized all the criminals possible, Mr. Gramont, and



He Was Still Looking Into the Eyes of Lucie Ledanola.

have put the underground lottery into a systematized form. I have done this by the authority of the United States, in order to apprehend Memphis Izzy Gumberts and other men at one crack. These gentlemen will tell you that I am a special agent of the Department of Justice, employed in that capacity through the efforts of Judge Forester and Senator Flaxman. I regret that this had to be held so secret that not even the governor himself was aware of it until this evening. The conflict was quite unavoidable. Not a member of that gang must become aware of my real identity."

Gramont sank into his chair, the automatic dropping from his hand. He was suddenly dazed, thunderstruck. Yet he had to believe. He was dimly aware that Lucie had gone to Jachin Fell, her arms about his neck. He stared from unseeing eyes.

Realization smote him like a blow, numbing his brain. He saw now why the governor had conferred with Judge Forester and the senator, why he had been ordered off the trail. He saw now why Fell had preserved secrecy so great that even to the chief of police his impregnable position was supposedly due to influence higher up.

He saw how Fell must have been working month after month, silently and terribly, to form one compact organization of the most talented criminals within reach—headed by Memphis Izzy, the man who had laughed at the government for years! And he saw himself furious, raging like a madman—

Gramont dropped his head into his hands. The pain of his forgotten wound arm stabbed him like a knife. He jerked his head sharply up, and

was aware that the agents had departed. He was alone with Lucie and Fell, and the latter was rising and holding out his hand smiling.

"Gramont, you got ahead of me in this deal, and I congratulate you with all my heart!" said Fell, earnestly. "Neither of us suspected the part played by the other man! but you've done the work and done it well. Will you shake hands?"

Gramont confusedly took the hand extended to him.

"I've been a fool," he said, slowly. "I might have guessed that something unusual was—"

"No; how could you guess?" said Fell, quietly. "There are three men in Baton Rouge who know the truth, and three persons in this room. That's all, outside of the regular government men. I had not told even Lucie, here! I dared not. And I dare say nothing even now. To the underworld at large I will be known as the crook whom not even the government could touch; in service to come I may be of untold service to my country."

"If you will excuse me one moment," he went on, "I shall speak with your men who are on guard, Gramont. I—ah—will be back in a moment, and we may then discuss business. If you agree, I think that your company may proceed upon the original lines, and we shall set to work drilling for oil without delay—"

Gramont scarcely heard the words, nor did he hear the door close. He was still looking into the eyes of Lucie Ledanola, and wondering if the message they held was really meant for him.

CHAPTER XVI

A nameless gentleman from the estate North was enjoying for the first time the privileges of a guest card at the Chess and Checkers. In a somewhat perplexed manner he approached the secretary's desk and obtained a cigar. Then he paused, listening to the sounds of revelry which filled the club, and which came roaring in from the city streets outside.

"Say!" he addressed the secretary. "What's this Mi-Careme I've been reading about in the papers, anyhow? I thought everything was tight as a clam down here after Mardi Gras? It's still the Lenten season, isn't it? Mardi Gras doesn't come more than once a year? Then what's all the celebration about?"

The secretary smiled.

"Certainly, sir, it's still Lent. But the French people have what they call Mi-Careme, or Mid-Lent, and they certainly give it a big celebration! You see, it's a night halfway through Lent, when they can enjoy themselves to the limit—let off steam, as it were. We're having several dinner parties here in the club tonight, for the occasion."

A slightly built little man, who had much the air of a shy clerk—had it not been for his evening attire—approached the desk. He signed a check for a handful of cigars, which he stowed away.

"Please provide a fresh box later," he said to the secretary. "Most of my party is here, I believe."

"I'll send them up, Mr. Fell," answered the secretary, quickly. "Yes, I think the dining room is all ready for you, sir. By the way, Mr. Gramont was looking for you a moment ago—ah! Here he comes now!"

Jachin Fell turned. Gramont was plunging at him, a yellow telegraph form in his hand, excitement in his eyes.

"Look here, Jachin! This wire just came in from Hammond—you know, I left him in charge of things down at Bayou Terrebonne! Read it, man—read it! They've struck oil—sands at five hundred feet—and sands at five hundred, with these indications. It means a gusher at a thousand! Where's Lucie? Have you brought her?"

"She's upstairs. Well, well!" Jachin Fell glanced at the telegram, and returned it. "So oil is actually found! This is certainly going to be one big night. Come along. Let's find Lucie and tell her about it—"

The two men turned away together.

[THE END.]

THE AMERICAN LEGION

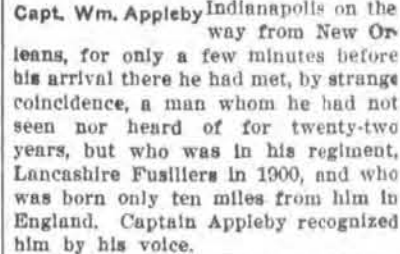
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BLIND MAN MEETS OLD BUDDY

British Hero, Here to Attend International Veterans' Convention, Recognizes Voice of Former Comrade.

Although he is totally blind, Capt. William Appleby of Great Britain was one of the most cheerful delegates to the International Veterans' association convention which met in New Orleans in conjunction with the American Legion national gathering.

Captain Appleby was especially happy when the delegation of war heroes stopped in Indianapolis on the way from New Orleans, for only a few minutes before his arrival there he had met, by strange coincidence, a man whom he had not seen nor heard of for twenty-two years, but who was in his regiment, Lancashire Fusiliers in 1900, and who was born only ten miles from him in England. Captain Appleby recognized him by his voice.



Capt. Wm. Appleby

As Alfred Ernest Evans, an Indianapolis engineer, walked through the train as a member of the Indianapolis committee to welcome the heroes, he was stopped by an Englishman who asked his name.

"My name, sir, is Evans," he replied.

"Alfred Evans, of the Lancashire Fusiliers?" he was asked.

"Yes, sir. Who are you?"

"Captain William Appleby, your former regimental commander."

And then they began, busily recalling incidents of the South African battles they fought together in 1900.

"I recognized Mr. Evans' voice the minute I heard it," the English hero said.

Captain Appleby lost his sight in the second battle of Ypres. He has also been wounded 29 times. His pretty nineteen-year-old daughter Olga, his constant companion and his "eyes" since he lost his sight, accompanied him on the American trip.

GUDE IS AN EXPERT OARSMAN

Washington (D. C.) Legionnaire, Carries Off Junior, Intermediate and Association Prizes.

It takes years to produce a good oarsman, rowing experts claim, but Granville Gude, a Washington, D. C., member of the American Legion, won one of the biggest national contests after he had been rowing only six weeks, thereby establishing a precedent in the sporting world.

Gude won the Junior, Intermediate and Association prizes in one afternoon with only short intervals of rest between races at the Middle States regatta.

The Washington Legionnaire is at his best in the sculling races and is expected by his buddies to win a national championship one of these days.



Granville Gude.

RADIO OUTFIT FOR HOSPITAL

Government Institution at Colfax, Ia., Equipped With Set Provided by Members of Auxiliary.

Patients in the United States Government hospital 75, at Colfax, Ia., are enjoying daily, and nightly, all the good things which come through the air from many broadcasting stations with a large radio outfit women of the American Legion auxiliary have presented them. And disabled veterans who are at the Bellevue Vocational school near Omaha, Neb., are taking delight in a saxophone, a set of bells, a trombone and a cornet, presented by the same auxiliary—the Department of Nebraska—to complete their orchestra.

In the Iowa hospital, in which there are many Nebraska boys, each bed has been fitted with a receiver, so the patients may listen in at any time, and a magna vox has been installed in each corridor so that all in the rooms off the corridor can hear all the programs.

The Nebraska women also have sent boxes to the disabled veterans in hospitals in Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas and Missouri, and at Denver, Colo., and Fort Dayard, N. M.

Gave Funds for Playgrounds.

After spending two years in acquiring funds for a clubhouse, the American Legion post at Mangum, Okla., decided the children of the town needed a playground worse than the farmer service men did a clubhouse. Accordingly, the Legionnaires obtained an eight-acre lease on a plot of ground and used the fund they had been so long in collecting to purchase playground equipment.

"Ring Out the Old, Ring in the New!"



Lauriger Horatius, quem dixisti verum Fugit Euro citius tempus edax rerum.

Tempora mutantur et nos mutamur in illa.

By JOHN DICKINSON SHERMAN

THE Latin has a terse and forceful way of putting things. Now, the first quotation above has been rendered in free-and-easy style:

Old Man Horace, sprigged with bay
Truly thou dost say, sir,
Time speeds faster on its way
Than the swiftest racer.

Clever, but the Latin says it more forcibly: Crowned-with-laurel Horace, what you say is true: Files than the southeast wind faster than the devourer of things.

And the second quotation above neatly supplements the first by saying: Times change and we are changed in them.

All of which suggests most forcibly that time has destroyed the old-fashioned method of observing several of our American national holidays; that the times have changed and we in them.

Now, there's the Fourth of July, for example. The old-fashioned Fourth is so entirely gone that we don't quite know what to do with the day. In the old days we used to twist the Lion's tail when we didn't know what else to do, but since we fought side by side with the British in the Great War, that seems as out of place as do firecrackers and the casualty list of small boys.

And it's just about the same with New Year's Day. About all that's left us is to listen to the whistles blowing at midnight and to make good resolutions. And what changes the day has seen since first Americans began its celebration!

America's celebration of New Year's Day owes nothing to Puritan New England. In the North New York, being Dutch, was the center of New Year's civility. The South, being English, but not Puritan, also celebrated enthusiastically. The custom of making calls probably is as old as civilized man; it is likely that it originated independently in almost every clime.

Old-time European chateaus used to set "New Year's" apart as a day on which they would condescend to receive substantial tributes from their underlings. Queen Elizabeth received New Year's calls every year, and there was always much rivalry between her ambitious courtiers as to the quantity and value of the gifts they should bestow upon the virgin sovereign. It was on a New Year's Day that Sir Walter Raleigh gladdened the queen's heart with a memorable pair of silk stockings—the first ever made and worn in England.

In Holland the custom of making New Year's calls had been general long before the settlement of New Amsterdam, and the natives of the Netherlands who came to live in the New World brought the practice with them. And, of course, they had plenty to eat and drink—for who ever heard of Dutchmen who did not take good care of their stomachs?

Up to the beginning of the Nineteenth century the typical New Year's observance was a neighborly custom. Then it became an observance decreed by fashion and was observed in every city of any size in the country.

The younger women of such households as had daughters were the hostesses, and great was their rivalry, one with another, in respect of richly loaded refreshment tables and elegance of

area to appear back of the ray when the model moved through the air. His conclusion is that this sheltered area acts as a force to drive the wing ahead when soaring.

"Saint Tammany," the tutelary genius of the famous Tammany Society of New York city, was a famous Indian chief, about whom many fanciful legends have gathered. He is said to have been a native of Delaware. After attaining his majority, St. Tam-

many removed to the banks of the Ohio, where he became the great sachem of his tribe, and acquired a wide reputation for wisdom, firmness and moderation. According to tradition, he signed the treaty with William Penn, and was chosen by the troops of Washington as patron saint in place of St. George. His principal maxim was "Unity. In peace for mutual happiness; in war for mutual defense." For what reason he was called "Saint" does not appear in any of the literature about him.

guards at the doors saw that none except those with credentials got in. During the last hour of the Old Year the people feasted, and at the first stroke of the New Year everybody in every restaurant arose, wine-glass in hand, and drank a health to the New Year.

It was comparatively quiet indoors, but the people in the streets made noise enough to scare young 1900. Every sort of noise-making implement known to man except cannon and dynamite bombs was in active use.

"Get your horns and ticklers!" was the prayer roared by thousands of fakera all evening. Trucks and wagons were halted at the curb, loaded with tin horns and thin sticks with a bunch of huckle-leathers at the tip.

If you were a real devilish New Year's humorist you proceeded like this: First, tickle some stranger under the chin with the feathers; then, as he turned to protest, you blew the horn in his face.

A universal custom of New Year's of those days was the carrier's New Year's address. This was often in rhyme if the carrier or any of his friends could string the jangling lines together or find an old carrier's address to copy. Such verses as these were popular:

This day devoted now to mirth,
To open house and social hearth,
New friendship mounts on airy wings
And gives her tinsel harp new strings.
While plenty spreads a festive board,
Of wine and food and ample hoard,
In illness and laughter gay,
To spend the hours this happy day,
All save the carrier, whose snowy feet
Still must pace up the snowy street.
So give to him a moment's heed,
Since he alone this comfort needs,
And to your ample, jovial store
Let him not find a closed door, etc., etc.

By 1914 there were strong indications of a sadder celebration of New Year's. The feasting in restaurants New Year's Eve was still in full blast, with singing and dancing added. But most of the large cities had ordered the police to enforce a "sane" celebration on the streets. In consequence there was less noise and rowdiness out of doors. Chicago, for instance, forbade horns, confetti and ticklers.

Cleveland probably had the "sanest" New Year's Eve in 1914. That city gave the New Year a "community greeting," in keeping with the spirit of community Christmas celebrated a week before. Twelve bands, with 280 musicians, were massed in the public square. To an audience of thousands they played hymns and patriotic airs. Announcement by the police that the midnight closing law would be enforced rigidly cut hotel and restaurant festivities down markedly. In Cincinnati the police had the promise of every hotel, cafe and saloon keeper to close promptly at midnight. Similar conditions prevailed in Detroit and Indianapolis.

Then came the Great War. And there prohibition.

So at present the celebration of New Year's Eve and New Year's Day is betwixt and between.

What will it be ten years from now? And what a century hence?

Wings of Birds and Fishes

By studying the wing structure of flying fish, an authority on the flight of birds has found that their wings are some four or five times as efficient for soaring flight as the wings of birds. He attributes this to the fact that the fin rays formed projected ridges on the under surface of the wings. By experimenting with models fashioned on similar lines, he found that the fin rays caused a sheltered

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I, the undersigned, will not be responsible for any debts contracted by anyone, except myself personally, after this 29th day of December, 1922.
WOODIE A. GATLIN,
Patagonia, Arizona.
41—Dec. 29, Jan. 26

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
(044771)

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, December 9, 1922.

NOTICE is hereby given that Clinton Zimmerman, of Sonoita, Arizona, who, on January 8, 1920, made Homestead Entry, No. 944771, for S $\frac{1}{2}$ N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 8; W $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, N $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 9, Township 20 S., Range 16 E., G. & S. R. B. & Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three-Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Edwin F. Jones, U. S. Commissioner, at Tucson, Arizona, on the 16th day of January, 1923.

Claimant names as witnesses: Hans H. Christensen, Ed W. Hummel, Roland C. Larimore, Harry H. Rickwalt, all of Sonoita, Arizona.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
(046371)

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, December 9, 1922.

NOTICE is hereby given that Hans H. Christensen, of Sonoita, Arizona, who, on July 26, 1920, made Homestead Entry, No. 946371, for SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 22, Township 19 S., Range 16 E., G. & S. R. B. & Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three-Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Edwin F. Jones, U. S. Commissioner, at Tucson, Arizona, on the 16th day of January, 1923.

Claimant names as witnesses: Mrs. James I. Velsir, Albert T. Austin, Clinton Zimmerman, Ed W. Hummel, all of Sonoita, Arizona.

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"Indian Kettles."

The beautifully rounded and smoothed pot holes which abound along the rocky shores of Lake George, and which, geologists say, were formed by the boring action of hard bowlders driven round and round in water eddies when the glaciers that once covered the Adirondack region were melting away, are called by the country people "Indian kettles." They think that the Indians hollowed out these holes, which vary from a foot to several feet in diameter and depth, to cook soup in. The heat, they assert, was produced by dropping red-hot stones into the holes. While the Indians did not make the holes, it is not impossible that they may occasionally have utilized them in the way described.

Not Disqualified.

It is wonderful what good reason men have for not serving on juries, but a bright judge is generally equal to the occasion.

In one court an Italian asked to be excused from jury duty.

"Why?" asked the judge.

"Well, your honor, I don't understand good English."

"Oh, you will do," replied the judge. "You won't hear much good English here, anyhow."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

A Disputed Passage.

Some years ago Longfellow, the poet, and Fields, the publisher, were on a walking tour, when, to their surprise, an angry bull stood in the pathway, evidently intending to demolish them both.

"I think," said Fields, "that it will be prudent to give this reviewer a wide margin."

"Yes," replied the poet, "it appears to be a disputed passage."

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Peculiar Deep-Sea Fish.

The Aristeus, a deep-sea prawn, has a method of lighting that gives the appearance of a multitude of snake rings. When excited by the nearness of an enemy, the prawn ejects respiratory water in tiny squirts and into this stream the luciferin is forced from countless glands opening into the stream by fine ducts. As the chemicals combine, puffy clouds of luminescent particles float in the sea. This is the "smoke screen" provided by nature.

The species of luminous fish, called "Photophoron," has a dimmer system in an inside chamber and burns continuously. When the fish wishes to shut off the light, he causes a black pigmented curtain to slide down over the light cell's opening like an eyelid. The light organ preserves its luminescence even when removed and is used by fishermen of the islands of Banda, about 800 miles southeast of the Philippines, as bait for night fishing.

The Singer and the Song.

A song is a great adventure. Thousands write it, tens succeed; and when they have succeeded, its fate still lies entirely with the singer. No one ever had it so much in his power to make the worse appear the better cause, or to refrain from so doing. The ancients placed Thamyris and Narcissa among the gods; the moderns pay their counterparts royalties. But the singer's personality is still inescapable in terms of civilization or of cash. That personality means all that he has been able to crowd into his life; and he may still enlarge it. A good way to do that is to read all the poetry that he does not sing, and to listen to all the music written for some other instrument than the voice.—A. H. Fox Strangways.

It Sometimes Happens.

When a man won't make love to a pretty girl he is either sick, sleepy or sore.

Most girls are clever prestidigitators; they can make a man's \$20 bill disappear the moment the waiter presents the check.

Some men take years to learn that all you can get from a woman is just exactly what she wants to give—and that you must accept that much.

UNABLE TO DECIPHER DISK

Archeologists Admit They Are Puzzled Over Interpretation of Pictographs Concerning Egypt.

What is the Phaestos disk? Ever since 1908, when it was found on the site of the palace of Phaestos in southern Crete, it has puzzled archeologists. It looks like a contributor to the London Graphic, much like a phonograph record; it is from three-fifths to four-fifths of an inch thick and is six inches in diameter. It is made of fine clay and is supposed to have been shaped during the Middle Minoan period or approximately 1900 B. C.

The disk is stamped with 45 pictographs arranged in spiral form to be read, apparently, from the outer edge to the center. Four-fifths of the characters are entirely new. One that is exceptionally puzzling—the plumed head of a warrior—appears not less than 10 times.

At one time archeologists hoped that the characters on the disk would prove to be elementary forms of the Phoenician alphabet. Then the thought of an alphabet was discarded, and students sought to interpret the characters by regarding them as notes of music. The results are encouraging. Perhaps some day the disk may tell us of the strains to which the beautiful Ariadne, daughter of King Minos, danced and prayed.

SAVED BY INTELLIGENT DOG

How Animal in Australia Brought Relief to Helpless Man Severely Injured in Accident.

A remarkable instance of intelligence in a dog, leading to the relief of an injured man, is reported from the neighborhood of Grafton, Australia.

Riding a horse ten miles from home in a lonely spot, a man had his thigh broken by the horse stumbling, falling and then rolling on him.

The horse regained its feet and galloped away, leaving its master on the ground in great agony. His only hope was his dog, which ran around in a state of great excitement, evidently aware of the gravity of the accident.

The injured man thought out a scheme for making his whereabouts known. Calling the dog to him he tied his coat round it and ordered it to go home. At first it did not realize what the plan was, but suddenly it understood and raced away, and in two hours returned, guiding a rescue party of the sufferer's relatives.

Shall we say that the dog had no thought in understanding and carrying out this complicated process of relief?

Honey and Honey Plants.

It is reported that the honey crop of the United States approximates 250,000,000 pounds. It may be pointed out in this connection that as the nectar of flowers does not become honey until it is worked over and partly evaporated by the bees, these insects must move fully 150,000 tons of material during the season to make the honey crop, not including the honey consumed by the bees themselves.

About half of this honey is produced from the nectar of white clover. Next in importance comes alfalfa, followed closely by sweet clover. These are all leguminous plants, as is logwood, which produces much honey in the tropics.

Among the few plants yielding a honey that can be recognized are cotton, basswood, tulip tree, buckwheat, goldenrod and mountain sage.—Washington Star.

The Creator's Responsibility.

Teddy and Bobby were sitting out on the front steps, eating some pie Bobby's mother had been kind enough to give to them.

"Don't you just wish you had a million pies to eat?" Teddy asked of Bobby.

"Yes-m-m!" was all Bobby was able to reply, owing to the fullness of his mouth. Teddy, however, felt talkative.

"Bobby, suppose a poor, hungry ragged boy came along the street out there. Suppose he didn't have anything to eat. Would you give him some of your pie?"

"No," Bobby replied promptly. "You give him some of your own pie. You supposed him!"—Kansas City Star.

Valuable Cut.

A conservative old lady was once discussing with her son-in-law the what seemed to her curious fact that a certain Mr. Ketchum had been able to effect an entrance into the homes of the fashionable set.

"In my day," said the old lady, "a man with his table manners would not have been considered a desirable addition to any dinner company. Why, he has no idea how to use his knife and fork!"

"No-o," said the young man, slowly, "that's perfectly true; but his ability to cut coupons is such that they overlook his awkwardness with steak, fish and game."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Gift of a Tightwad.

Jeff Donkes was known far and wide for his economical habits, and gloried in them.

"I'll bet, Jeff," remarked an acquaintance, "that you didn't even spend money to buy your wife a birthday present this year."

"Well, yes," admitted Donkes regretfully. "I weakened a little when her birthday came around. I went and spent \$2 puttin' an ad in the paper that she takes in sewin'."—American Legion Weekly.

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**GOVERNOR'S SECRETARY VISITS
NOGALES**

H. S. McClusky, editor of the Arizona
Labor Journal and secretary to Govern-
or-elect G. W. P. Hunt, spent Christ-
mas in Nogales with a party of friends
from Phoenix. Mr. McClusky is well
known in Santa Cruz county, especially
in labor circles, and has made many
friends here.

Duncan—Ore shipments from Ash
Peak mines to start at once.
Vicksburg—Apache Chief mine closed
for 20 years being reopened.

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**NOGALES KIWANIS CLUB HAS
CHRISTMAS TREE FOR "KIDS"**

The Nogales Kiwanis Club had a large
Christmas tree erected in the band
stand in the city park, and Christmas
morning at 11 o'clock presents were dis-
tributed to newly children of the county
sent and to those from across the border
as well. Candy and popcorn also were
given to the children. The tree was de-
corated artistically and electric lights
added for a display Christmas night.

The 25th Infantry band furnished mu-
sic during the distribution of the pres-
ents. Photographs of the tree, children
and benefactors were taken during
the day.

LEGALS

APPLICATION FOR MINE PATENT
Mining Application, 054394, United
States Land Office, Phoenix, Arizona,
October 31, 1922.

Notice is hereby given that PATA-
GONIA SUPERIOR COPPER COM-
PANY, by W. G. Browning, its Ator-
ney-in-Fact, whose postoffice address is
Superior, Arizona, has made application
for patent to the HATTIE R. No. 3,
THREE R. No. 4, THREE R. No. 5,
THREE R. No. 6, THREE R. No. 7, 3
R. BLUE ROCK, BLUE ROCK No. 2,
BLUE ROCK No. 3, BLUE ROCK No. 4,
BLUE ROCK No. 5, BLUE ROCK
No. 6, BLUE ROCK No. 7, BLUE
ROCK No. 8, BLUE ROCK No. 9,
COLOSSUS, EVENING STAR, MAY
FLOWER, FRACTION, WHITE TAIL
DEER, and SALT LAKE FRACTION
Lodes, Survey No. 3089, in Sec. 31, T.
22 S., R. 16 E., Sec. 32, T. 22 S., R. 16 E.,
Sec. 34, T. 22 S., R. 15 E., and Sec. 1,
T. 23 S., R. 15 E. G. & S. R. M., in
Harshaw Mining District, Santa Cruz
County, Arizona, described as follows:
Beginning at corner No. 1, of the BLUE
ROCK No. 9 lode, from whence the 1/4
corner common to Section 31, T.
22 S., R. 16 E., and Sec. 30, T. 22 S., R.
15 E., G. & S. R. M., bears N 15 deg.
12 min. E., 275 ft., thence S. 2 deg. 57
min. W. 811.2 ft. to corner No. 2,
identical with corner No. 3 of the
BLUE ROCK No. 4 lode, thence S. 89
deg. 42 min. E., 593.2 ft. to corner No.
4, said BLUE ROCK No. 4 lode, thence
S. 3 deg. 30 min. E., 1499.7 ft. to corner
No. 5, identical with corner No. 2, of
the BLUE ROCK No. 5 lode, thence S.
9 deg. 51 min. E., 1459.4 ft. to corner
No. 3 of said BLUE ROCK No. 5 lode,
thence N. 89 deg. 42 min. W., 599.4 ft.
to corner No. 4, thence S. 8 deg. 38
min. E., 24 ft. to corner No. 2 of the
BLUE ROCK lode, thence N. 89 deg.
42 min. W. 598.4 ft. to the intersection
of the east boundary line of the BLUE
ROCK No. 4 lode, thence S. 8 deg. 15
min. E. 409.8 ft. to corner No. 2 of said
BLUE ROCK No. 4 lode, thence N. 89
deg. 42 min. W., 599.3 ft. to the inter-
section of the east boundary line of the
BLUE ROCK No. 3 lode, thence S. 7
deg. 52 min. E. 189.6 ft. to corner No.
2, of said BLUE ROCK No. 3 lode,
thence N. 89 deg. 42 min. W. 1199.8 ft.
to corner No. 3 of the BLUE ROCK No.
2 lode, thence N. 4 deg. 56 min. W.
1131.2 ft. to the intersection of the
south boundary line of the THREE R.
No. 7 lode, thence S. 79 deg. 20 min. W.
263.4 ft. to corner No. 3 and thence due
north 1590 ft. to corner No. 4 of said
THREE R. No. 7 lode, which is identical
with corner No. 2 of the EVENING
STAR lode, thence N. 10 deg. 36 min.
W. 2994 ft. to corner No. 3 of the 3
R. lode, thence N. 79 deg. 20 min. E.
582.1 ft. to corner No. 4, of said 3 R.
lode, thence S. 10 deg. 36 min. E. 252.6
ft. to the intersection of the north
boundary line of the HATTIE R. No.
3 lode, thence S. 89 deg. 42 min. E.
662.1 ft. to corner No. 1 of said HATTIE
R. No. 3 lode, thence N. 0 deg. 01 min. E.,
426.7 ft. to corner No. 3 of the MAY
FLOWER lode, thence S. 89 deg. 42
min. E. 1785.6 ft. along the north
boundary line of the MAY FLOWER,
THREE R. No. 4 and WHITE TAIL
DEER lodes, to corner No. 4 of the
WHITE TAIL DEER lode, thence due
south 1454.5 ft. to corner No. 1 of
said WHITE TAIL DEER lode, thence
N. 89 deg. 42 min. W. 45.8 ft. to corner
No. 1 of the BLUE ROCK No. 9 lode,
the place of beginning. The total area
of the lodes herein applied for is
354,792 acres. The location of the
COLOSSUS lode is recorded in Book
F2, page 528, Records of Mines of
Pima County. All the other locations
are recorded in the records of Santa
Cruz County, as follows: Book 5,
Mining Locations, pages 597, 579, 571;
Book 19, pages 418, 414, 411; Book 8,
pages 257, 259, 261, 263; Book 19, page
417; Book 8, page 267; Book 19, page
413; Book 9, page 289; Book 16, pages
415, 416, 412; Book 29, page 292; Book
19, pages 409 and 408, respectively.
JOHN R. TOWLES, Register.
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**ARIZONA COTTON REPORT FOR
DECEMBER, 1922**

That Arizona will produce approxi-
mately 42,000 bales of cotton this sea-
son is shown in the federal report just
issued by the United States bureau of
agricultural economics. Figures from
the local office of the bureau indicate
that 100,000 will be harvested, and that
the average yield per acre should reach
398 pounds. The final yield will be de-
pendent upon the manner in which the
bolls open during the remainder of the
season.

This season about 77,000 acres were
planted to the Pima (a long staple) va-
riety of cotton in Arizona. Practically
all of this acreage was in Maricopa
county. The indicated yield of this cot-
ton is 190 pounds, or four-tenths of a
bale, per acre. Early frosts were ac-
countable to a large degree for the low
yield of Pima being lower than usual.

Of the 23,300 acres planted to short
staple cotton this season, nearly 80 per
cent was found in Yuma county, 15 per
cent in Maricopa county and the re-
mainder about equally divided between
Pinal, Pima and Graham counties.

The average yield per acre of short
staple cotton in Arizona seems unusu-
ally low this year, being only estimated
at 223 pounds.

As late as the middle of August pros-
pects were good that Yuma county
alone would produce more short cotton
than is now estimated for the entire
state. During August and September
gum bugs appeared in large numbers
in Yuma county and seriously damaged
the crop. Added to this, the continued
excessive humidity caused heavy shed-
ding of bolls, until very little of the
first crop remained. The second crop
of bolls set on and seemed to mature to
the point of opening. For some reason
the bolls of the second crop have failed
to open, even after the heavy frost of
some weeks ago.

In Maricopa county the yield of short
staple cotton would probably have been
heavier had it not been for the damage
caused by extremely early frosts. Partic-
ularly was this true of late plantings.
Some well-informed growers believe the
yield would have been greater had more
care been exercised in the selection of
seed.

While in Pinal, Pima and Graham
counties the yield per acre was much
lower than in the counties mentioned
above, the total acreage was too small
to have much effect upon the average
yield of the state.

**FIRESTONE TIRE CO. MAKES FINE
FINANCIAL SHOWING FOR 1922**

With the lowest prices experienced in
the history of tire making, and in the
face of the keenest competition, the
Firestone Tire & Rubber Co.'s sales for
the fiscal year, ended October 31, were
\$64,597,301.77, representing an increase
of 23 per cent in pieces sold over the
previous year, according to a statement
made the other day to stockholders, at
their annual meeting in Akron, O., by
Harvey S. Firestone, president of the
company.

The company's earnings, after provid-
ing for depreciation, interest, taxes and
other charges, were \$7,348,421.59. After
payment of preferred dividends and mis-
cellaneous charges there was shown a
net increase of \$16 per share in the com-
mon stock equity.

FARRELLS HOLD REUNION

Christmas day Mr. and Mrs. Richard
Farrell of Harshaw were hosts to a fam-
ily gathering at their home. Those in
attendance included Mr. and Mrs. Rich-
ard Farrell, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Hogan,
Richard Farrell Jr., Norman Hogan,
William Hogan, Richard Hogan, Will
Farrell, Tom Farrell, Miss Katherine
Farrell, Mrs. Grace A. Farrell and
children, Lee, Dorothy, Ainsley, Donald,
Jean and Everett.

Santa Maria—Gold Standard mine,
with large tonnage of \$12 ore, to resume
operations.

LEGALS

MINERAL APPLICATION NO. 054503
Survey No. 3769
United States Land Office, Phoenix,
Arizona, November 29, 1922.

Notice is hereby given that in pursu-
ance of the Act of Congress approved
May 10, 1872, Harshell Mining Com-
pany, a corporation, organized and ex-
isting under the laws of the State of
New Mexico, by its Attorney-in-Fact,
S. P. Noon, whose post office address is
Nogales, Arizona, has made application
for patent for the Bender Grup Clau-
No. 10 Lode Mining Claim situate in
the Harshell Mining District, County
of Santa Cruz, State of Arizona, ap-
proximately in Section 9, Township 23
South, Range 16 East, G. & S. R. H. &
Beginning at Corner No. 1, whence U. S.
M. M. No. 1 bears N. 29 deg. 28' E. 210.5
ft.; thence S. 64 deg. 09' W. 591.45 ft. to
Cor. No. 2; thence S. 2 deg. 51' E.
1230.00 ft. to Cor. No. 3; thence N. 64
deg. 09' E. 563.85 ft. to Cor. No. 4;
thence N. 1 deg. 41' 08" W. 1250.10 ft.
to Cor. No. 1, the place of beginning.

Adjoining and conflicting claims as
shown by the Plat of Survey are Bender
Grup Claim No. 9 Lode and War Winner
Lode, both unreserved.
JOHN R. TOWLES, Register.
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**INDUSTRIAL PROGRESS THROUGH-
OUT THE STATE**

Kingman—Katherine Rand Gold Com-
pany getting ready for active develop-
ment.

Ajo—New Cornelia to start steel con-
struction on concentrator January 1.

Tombstone—Shipments and ore out-
put throughout district steadily increas-
ing.

Dos Cabezas—Central Copper Com-
pany opening ore ranging from \$10 to
\$90 a ton.

Copper Hill—Superior & Boston ship-
ping 33 cars of ore to smelter monthly.

Jerome—Jerome Superior Copper is
planning to resume operations in Janu-
ary.

Parker—Arizona Standard Copper
Company completing construction of 300
ton leaching plant.

Prescott—All new machinery being
installed in Verde Inspiration mine.

Outman—Three shifts pushing devel-
opment at Black Range Nellie mine.

Bowie—Texas Oil Company appropri-
ates \$35,000 for local oil prospecting.

San Simon—Willie Rose group of
claims leased for active development.

Globe—New Dominion Mining Com-
pany preparing to start development in
60 days.

Tucson—Large bodies of lead-silver,
copper and zinc ores reported accessible
in Pima and Papago districts.

Miami—Louis d'Or Copper Mining
Company to resume operations in Sleep-
ing Utauy and Inspiration districts.

Warren—Yvanhoe Copper Company
completing installation of machinery at
mine.

Youngberg—Fire hundred-ton mill to
be installed at Young Mines property.

**VALUE OF CATTLE FOR ASSES-
MENT FIXED AT \$20**

PHOENIX, Ariz., Dec. 28.—An as-
sessed valuation of \$20 a head on range
cattle and \$5 a head on sheep was fixed
at the conference between the Arizona
state tax commission and the county as-
sessors as the minimum valuation on
these classes of property, to be used by
county assessors in making the 1923 as-
sessments for the tax rolls.

The assessors did not place a mini-
mum valuation on grazing lands, irrigat-
ed lands, nor on mining properties, al-
though these properties and their as-
sessments were discussed.

After the close of the conference last
week, the annual meeting of the Ariz-
ona Assessors' Association was held
and A. B. Ming of Yuma county was
elected president of the organization
and C. E. Gentry of Yavapai county
was re-elected secretary-treasurer, both
to serve for the next two years.

**CHRISTMAS DINNER AT PARKER
RANCH IN PARKER CANYON**

A Christmas dinner of more than us-
ual interest was given by Mr. and Mrs.
James Parker Sr. at their Parker Can-
yon ranch, which was attended by a
large crowd of relatives and friends.

Besides other good things too numerous
to mention the tables were laden with
three turkeys, four ducks, a goose and
a young pig.

Among those who enjoyed the hospi-
tality of the venerable couple were Rev.
O. A. Smith, Mrs. Bessie Parker, Mr.
and Mrs. Frank J. Duffy, Mr. and Mrs.
Harold J. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. James
Hathaway, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parker,
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