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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Harold J. Brown, candidate for sheriff, and A. C. Kingsley of Tucson, were in Patagonia Wednesday in the interests of the Democratic candidates.

P. J. Wilson and Henry Eagles of the San Rafael valley were in town Wednesday with a load of milk maize and pink beans for sale to local merchants.

Mother Goose bread is handled in Patagonia by the Evans Mercantile Company, and is baked by O. H. Weaver's Home Bakery, Nogales.

Woodie Gatlin is selling his household goods, preparatory to moving to California to join his family, who are at present in Long Beach.

L. H. Garoux of Canton, Ohio, has been in Patagonia and Sunnyside collecting birds for some time, which were shipped to the Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D. C.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms at reasonable rates, by the day, week or month. Apply, for particulars, to John Costello, Amado Building.

Dr. A. V. Hardtmayer was a business visitor to Nogales Tuesday.

C. A. Pierce, candidate for state senator, is campaigning in the country districts this week. He canvassed the San Rafael valley Wednesday.

C. B. Wilson shipped another carload of mill tailings to Douglas by last Tuesday's freight.

Mrs. J. D. Bonn has been appointed postmistress at Parker Canyon. The office will be moved from the McIntyre place to the ranch of E. R. Wager.

Barnett & Barnett, City Market, meats—Advertisement.

The S. P. "examiner's" car came in Tuesday morning with a committee aboard, whose duty it is to examine engineers, brakemen, firemen, telegraph operators and other employes on the rules of the company governing the movement of trains.

Mr. Patten of Canille was a business visitor to Patagonia Tuesday.

Mrs. A. C. Best and son, Ernest, were in Patagonia Monday visiting friends and attended the Democratic meeting while here.

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F. O. Stow of Mowry was shopping in Patagonia Saturday.

John McElhany left this week for Oakland, Calif., where he will be employed as accountant by J. W. Miller, who recently accepted a position as manager of a large lumber concern in that city.

Supervisor James L. Finley, candidate for re-election from the third district, was in Patagonia Monday and Tuesday in the interest of his candidacy. While in this district he visited the 3-R mine and Harshaw pleading his case with the mining men.

FURNISHED ROOMS—By the day, week or month; new furniture; clean and comfortable; reasonable rates. For particulars, see John Costello, Amado Building, Patagonia.

Mrs. Albert Gatlin and Miss Edna Henley motored to Nogales Saturday.

Mrs. Kimble, local school teacher, received a piano this week from her home in Silver City, Nev.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Ostberg and children of Hamilton, Wash., arrived here this week to visit Mr. Ostberg's sister, Mrs. C. B. Wilson. They may locate here permanently.

Miss Geraldine McCormick, daughter of Mrs. E. D. Farley, who is attending school in Prescott, won first prize recently in a contest of story writing, which was judged at the Yavapai county fair, held in Prescott.

Joe Collie is still in Tucson as a federal juror.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Little left Patagonia Wednesday for Douglas, where they will make their future home.

Mrs. Orton Phelps, for many years a resident of Mowry, but now located at Fort Ogilthorpe, Ga., in a letter this week to Miss Grace Van Osdale, says she has purchased some land, built several houses, which she rents, and will remain permanently there. Her daughter, Georgia, has been a resident of the southern city for several years.

While unloading ore on the platform Tuesday, the team of H. H. McCutchan became frightened when C. B. Wilson drove his truck close to them and started the dumping mechanism, and a serious result was averted before much damage was done. The heavy reach of McCutchan's ore wagon was broken before the team was quieted.

OLD SETTLERS' PICNIC NOV. 4

There will be an Old Settlers' Picnic at Sonita November 4. Big barbecue at noon, beef, bread, pickles, coffee and other good things to eat being on the bill of fare. A dance will wind up the day's pleasure. Music by the 24th Infantry orchestra. Everybody welcome.

Mrs. Don Crow left Patagonia Saturday for Tucson to join her husband, who formerly was freight agent here.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank O. Stone, a 6 1/2-pound son, October 29. Mr. Stone is a son of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Stone of Patagonia, and resides in Miami, Arizona.

A. D. Sydenham, who is in charge of the local lumber yard, says business is improving. A carload of cement was received by the company Tuesday.

Dr. A. V. Hardtmayer moved into his new office on Main street Wednesday.

A. S. Henderson shipped a carload of ore from his Salero mine Tuesday to the Douglas smelter.

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Paul Schiller of San Rafael valley was in Nogales Tuesday, taking orders for turkeys and other poultry for the Thanksgiving trade.

Mrs. G. Kin gave a tamale supper last week at the home of Joe Quirga, on Duquesne street. Those present were Lou Quinn, Gus Amado, Joe Quirga, Concha Kin, Stella Quirga, Grace Quirga, Eva Amado and Mrs. R. Kin and family.

Mrs. A. A. Gatlin, Mrs. H. H. McCutchan and Miss Edna Henley motored to Nogales Saturday.

Harry Mostander and Mr. Simpson of Nogales were in Patagonia Friday of last week.

J. R. Collie and Joe Kane have returned to Tucson for federal grand jury duty.

Ed S. Black of Sonita was a Nogales visitor Tuesday.

W. D. Gray of Gray Brothers is in charge of the 3-R mine during the absence, on account of sickness, of Fred Goldsmith.

The jurors notified to appear November 1 in Nogales for jury duty have been granted a further vacation. The new call is for December 6.

Fred Valenzuela was a Nogales visitor Tuesday.

J. C. Holmes was in Patagonia Saturday from his mine, near the 3-R.

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W. H. Barnett is laboring under the delusion that Tom Campbell will again be elected governor of Arizona. Nothing doing; Tom's had enough advertising at the expense of the taxpayers. We want a business administration hereafter.

Tom Fraser returned Saturday from Tucson, where he had been called for federal court jury duty.

Fred Goldsmith is in town from the 3-R mine, having been taken sick there several days ago, and thought it advisable to move into Patagonia for medical attention.

C. L. Scheler has purchased the interest of O. K. Franklin in the Black Eagle mine in the Harshaw district. The purchase price was not made public.

Mrs. Amelia Isinhood left this week for the Empire ranch, where she will have charge of the boarding house.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Trask, Mrs. R. C. Blahon, Fred Valenzuela and Ed Hainline were Nogales visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wyatt of Sonita are rejoicing over the arrival of a 6 1/2-pound baby boy, born at 10 o'clock Monday night.

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HERE AND THERE

Herman Bender of Harshaw is reported to be very sick in Los Angeles, where he had gone several weeks ago.

W. H. Barnett made a trip to Nogales Monday afternoon.

George C. Everett and George C. Everett, Jr. were in Nogales Monday from Duquesne.

Supervisor O. F. Ashburn, candidate for reelection from the second district, was a business visitor to the county seat Wednesday.

W. J. Dubois of the Patagonia Drug Store was a business visitor to Nogales Wednesday.

W. P. Capehart, president and cashier of the First State Bank of Patagonia, who has been seriously sick for several days, has recovered and is again on duty at the bank.

The Flax mill was shipped last Tuesday to Magdalena, New Mexico, having been dismantled by R. C. Blahon of the East Side Garage.

John McDonald returned from Morenci Monday for a few days. His car broke down near Sonita while on his way here and was towed into town for repairs.

J. R. David is shipping ore from the Ebea mine, in the Patagonia mountains, to Patagonia this week for forwarding to the smelter.

The "feeters" have been repaired and no more being put to good use.

The furnace was needed this week and is proving to be a pleasant addition to the school furnishings.

The upper grade girls in their sewing class with Mrs. Anna H. Fortune have completed their sewing bags. They are undertaking to make a layette for the Red Cross.

Pupils of the fourth grade are working on the practice cards in arithmetic. Some of the pupils have reached the fifth card.

Arthur Pattison has passed card number thirteen.

The teachers re-weighed and re-measured the pupils this week. Of the 200 who were under weight at the first time of weighing 61 have made gains varying from one to three pounds.

Nine new pupils have entered the school this month.

AT THE COMMERCIAL HOTEL

The following guests registered this week at the Commercial Hotel: Charles L. King, Phoenix; P. R. Brough, Phoenix; J. Rodriguez, Phoenix; I. P. Prutz, Nogales; C. R. Holcomb, Nogales; J. V. Storts, Nogales; George O. Brownell, Nogales; O. A. Smith, Nogales; Lee H. Gould, Nogales; R. I. Seales, Tucson; C. N. Schaffer, Flagstaff; Charles Anderson, El Paso; Mr. and Mrs. George Davidson, Tucson; George W. P. Hunt, Phoenix; Hon. Carl Hayden, Washington, D. C.; Charles R. Howe, Phoenix; Richard Ramsey, Yuma; James Kerby, Morenci; Professor Davis, Mesa; C. O. Case, Phoenix; L. H. Garoux, Canton, Ohio.

NEW SCHOOL TRUSTEES

Postmaster Riggs and R. C. Blahon were elected school trustees for the Patagonia school district at the annual election, held Saturday. Much interest was displayed in the local election.

BABY GIRL AT ROBINS HOME

A daughter arrived at the home of Attorney and Mrs. James V. Robins, 224 Elm street, Nogales, at 7 o'clock Sunday evening. The young miss has the fascinating name of Virginia Ann. The proud parents are among the most popular young people of the county seat. Mrs. Robins is the daughter of Judge Frank J. Duffy, a prominent Nogales attorney, and a law partner of his son-in-law.

GOV. C. D. MORRISON



Latest portrait of Cameron D. Morrison, governor of North Carolina, who declined to cooperate with the federal government in the protection of coal mines that might be reopened by the operators.

RAIN AND SNOW GENERAL

A heavy rain and some snow fell throughout the county Sunday night. The moisture was welcome, as the country was badly in need of water for range cattle. Rain commenced falling early in the afternoon and continued throughout the night. Snow fell in the Santa Rita mountains, the San Rafael valley, Harshaw and the Patagonia mountains.

TWO QUEENS FROM SANTA CRUZ

Miss Ruth Dalton, nominee of the Nogales Morning Democrat, and Miss Lois Berghoff, the Herald's winner, left Sunday for Phoenix, to be guests of the fair committee and compete for state honors. Miss Dalton was accompanied by Mrs. A. J. Abbott and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Moslander of Nogales.

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THIS IS A DEMOCRATIC YEAR.

From Jerome, Ariz., come reports that tests of the oil produced by the new well brought in recently by the Midwest Refining Company on the Navajo Indian reservation, northeast of Holbrook, indicate probably the highest grade oil ever discovered.

HIGH-GRADE OIL IS FOUND IN NAVAJO WELL TESTS

It has been established that the oil comes from a stratum lying above the Dakota sand, further east in the L. I. reservation.

UNIQUE WEDDING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION IN ELGIN

Four couples who were united in marriage a number of years ago in the month of October held a reunion and again renewed their marriage vows Saturday night, when they went through the wedding service again at the school house at Elgin.

The parties to the unique ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Everhart, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Neil, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Schock, and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard W. Klene.

Mrs. Stone Collie played the violin and Mrs. W. H. Collie the piano for the wedding march, and there were in line brides, bridesmaids, bridegrooms and ring-bearers. The couples marched into the schoolhouse and took their places in line, supported by their attendants, and went through the complete wedding ceremony. They were elaborately attired, the brides being as attractive as at their initial marriage ceremony.

Judge W. A. O'Connor performed the ceremony. Practically all the residents of the Elgin district were present. Judge O'Connor remarked that, in these days of crime and divorce, it was a fine thing that these four couples were willing to renew their former vows.

The brides carried beautiful bouquets of red and white roses, while the bridesmaids' bouquets were of red and white chrysanthemums.

After congratulations were extended the brides threw their bouquets to the bridesmaids.

Mrs. Nellie Bartlett acted as hostess. Masters Jack Everhart and Leslie Schock, and the Misses Catherine Carter and Marstel Klene were ring-bearers; Ruby Louise Baker was flower girl. Miss Sheets and Shirley Dalton held ribbons, forming the aisle through which the party marched to the altar. Clark Hiekoax acted as usher. The best men were Bert Hanson, Messrs. Duggar, Cady and Ferris. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Rose Hanson, Mrs. Carter, Miss McCollister and Mrs. Sara Baker.

Punch and wafers were served with the wedding cake.

Judge O'Connor dedicated the bell from the wedding cake to the next couple who gets married in the Elgin-Sonita district.

Clark Hiekoax, customs inspector at Douglas, visited Elgin over the weekend, taking in the dance and wedding party.

Ern Johnson of Nogales visited Elgin last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ferris went to Tucson last week to visit Mrs. Ferris' mother.

RECORD OF SENATOR ASHURST

Some time ago, upon the initiation of Amos A. Betts, the railroad member of the commission, a motion was made to show that they were not entitled to additional transfer charges. The recent announcement that they would hereafter be actual operated as one road and the charges would be abolished means much for the Salt River valley, both for incoming and outgoing freight.

The case has been known as the "two-line haul case" and its outcome has been watched with considerable interest by Phoenix business men, as it does much to remove a handicap from Phoenix as a jobbing center. Now that it has been accomplished, the business men of Phoenix are loud in their praises of Mr. Betts, whose work successfully put over the deal.

FAVORED.

Starting of Senator Newberry's bill to repeal the income tax during our neutrality period of excess profits tax.

OPPOSED.

Walling Street Bloc instructions in labor disputes.

Hunt-Hayden Party Tells Why Democrats Should Be Elected

Ex-Governor G. W. P. Hunt and Congressman Carl Hayden and party spoke to a large crowd at the Patagonia Opera House last Monday afternoon, discussing the fact that Monday afternoon is not a good time for a political meeting.

The meeting was presided over by Howard Keener, at the request of the precinct committeemen, who introduced the speakers in the following order: R. H. Ramsey, candidate for state auditor; James H. Kerby, for secretary of state; C. O. Case, for state superintendent of public instruction; Charles R. Howe, for state tax commissioner; Hon. Carl Hayden, candidate for re-election as U. S. congressman, and ex-Governor G. W. P. Hunt, candidate for governor.

Carl Hayden was the first principal speaker of the afternoon. He explained the "proof texts" which are in such a clear manner that it would be a dull brain indeed that could not see how the burden of "protecting" the deer manufacturer would fall upon the American consumers. He explained his position on the various pieces of remedial legislation passed by congress, and told why it was egotism for any man to assume that he alone could further or hasten the great undertaking of damming the Colorado river, as is claimed by "Traveling Tom." Carl Hayden is a brilliant and forceful speaker and held his audience in rapt attention throughout his speech.

Ex-Governor George W. P. Hunt was the best speaker, and started out by announcing that the paramount issue in this campaign is economy, and that he stood for economy and a business administration in governmental affairs. In part, he said:

"The issue in the campaign today is pertinent to every thinking man and woman in the state of Arizona, and that issue can be defined in one word—ECONOMY! Economy in administration of the state's business, reduction of expenses of the state government and reduction of taxes."

First reading of the law with reference to securities for money deposited by the state in banks, Gov. Hunt went into detail in the matter of the \$500,000 lost by the state in the crash of the Central bank of Phoenix.

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Continuing, the speaker said: "You all know my record. I have always stood for what was right and just. For this state to again assume its rightful place in the nation we must have confidence in and among ourselves. Capital will never invade the state while there is a delinquent tax list as large as ours now is. I propose economy so that there will be no delinquents on the tax rates, and I will put the state on a business basis."

THE "TWO-LINE HAUL CASE"

The announcement recently made, that the Arizona corporation commission has been successful in securing a solution to the "two-line haul case" means a direct saving to the people of the Salt River valley of about \$600,000 a year, according to a statement made by a prominent Phoenix jobber recently.

For many years, in fact since it has had a railroad, Phoenix and the surrounding towns have suffered financially from the fact that the Arizona Eastern railroad and the Southern Pacific railroad were operated as separate lines even though they were under one ownership. This has permitted of additional freight charges being made, these charges aggregating about \$600,000 a year.

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CRAIG POTTINGER DEMOCRAT'S NEW EDITOR-MANAGER

Craig Pottinger, for the last year and a half editor of the Nogales Herald, has resigned his position with the afternoon paper to accept the editor-manager's toga of the Morning Democrat of the border city. He took charge of his new duties Monday morning.

A noticeable improvement in the Democrat has taken place, and we predict a prosperous future for that newspaper.

If Democrats of the county will cooperate with Mr. Pottinger, who has been a Democrat since attaining manhood, they can have a newspaper to be proud of and one that will have a much influence for the party's good.

THIRTY YEARS WITH S. P.

Frank A. Stone, local S. P. agent, has been 30 years in the employ of the company for 30 years, 15 of which have been spent in Patagonia. He celebrated the 30th anniversary of his service November 1.

Compares Cost of Running State

During a comparison of the cost of running the state in the years when he was governor and when Campbell ruled, the speaker made telling statements, quoting figures issued by the state treasurer. He showed that the cost of running the state under Campbell's regime cost more than three times more than under his administration.

Refutes Republican Propaganda

In defending himself against charges issued from Republican headquarters, he said: "I never said I would stop work on schools and roads. I am the direct cause of the children of this state having free text books. What I propose to do is to stop the leaks, as you please. During the month of June the state treasurer's report shows that the state spent \$5000 for repairs of cars and for gasoline. The game warden's office in this state costs more than the supreme court. Within the last three weeks there have been appointed 600 game wardens. Gas and auto charges for this comparatively unimportant branch of government were \$500 for the first two weeks of this month."

Denies Charges of I. W. W. Sympathies

Hunt grew wrathful as he bronched the old, shop-worn charge of being an I. W. W. sympathizer. The charges long ago were refuted by an investigation made by the foreign relations committee of the United States senate, of which the present president, Harding, was a member.

The speaker told of his early struggle to gain a footing on prosperity's ladder and of his business successes. He said: "I punched a burro into Arizona and if I live a few more days I'll punch a camel out."

Continuing, the speaker said: "You all know my record. I have always stood for what was right and just. For this state to again assume its rightful place in the nation we must have confidence in and among ourselves. Capital will never invade the state while there is a delinquent tax list as large as ours now is. I propose economy so that there will be no delinquents on the tax rates, and I will put the state on a business basis."

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SAN RAFAEL RESIDENTS HOLD DELIGHTFUL HALLOWE'EN PARTY

Tuesday night a delightful Halloween party was held in the schoolhouse at San Rafael Valley. The room was decorated with appropriate Halloween necessities, and an enjoyable lunch was served about midnight. Many visitors were present, including Judge and Mrs. W. A. O'Connor of Nogales, Mr. and Mrs. James Parker Jr. of Blomton, Mrs. Sherman Riechart and George Everett of Duquesne, Mrs. Bert Logan and Mrs. C. A. Durson of Mowry, Miss Grace Van Osdale and Howard Keener of Patagonia, James L. Finley of Canille, Mrs. Grace A. Farrell of Washington Camp, and others, besides the residents of the valley.

A program of games for the younger folk and talks and recitations for all was carried out, filling the evening with pleasure for those in attendance. The program follows:

Song, "Hallowe'en," by the school children, accompanied on the organ by Mrs. Grace A. Farrell.

Recitation by Ray Dunham.

Remarks by Judge W. A. O'Connor.

Recitation by Ruth Curtis.

Recitation by Buster Bronson.

Recitation by Alejandro Gonzales.

Recitation by John Bodie.

Remarks by Howard Keener.

Song by Rose Williamson.

Remarks by James L. Finley.

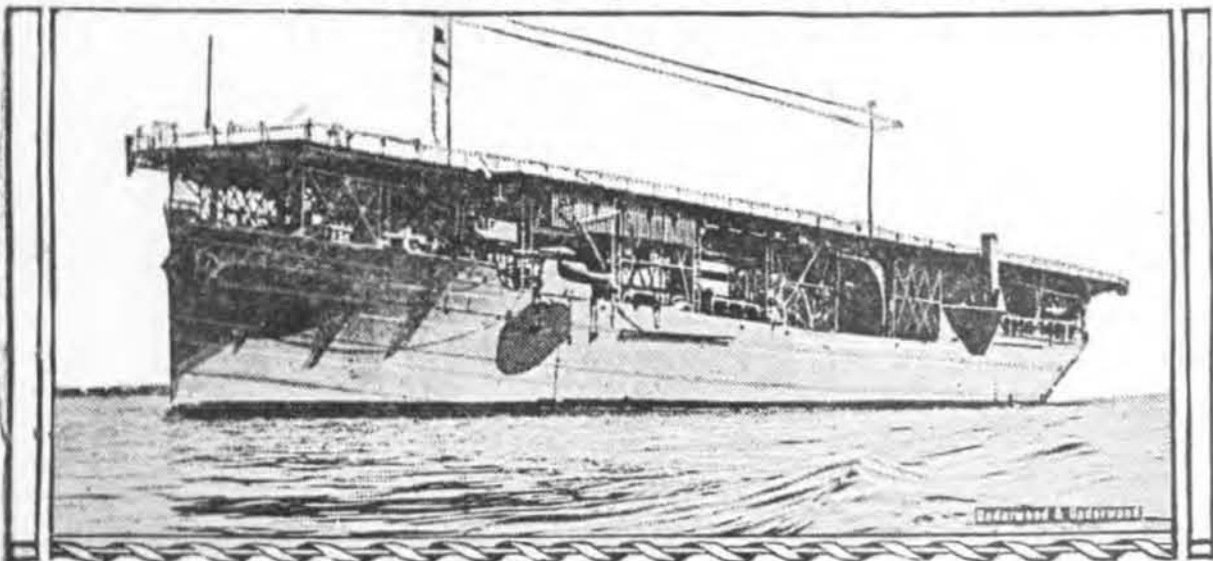
Talk by Mrs. Grace A. Farrell.

Recitation by Marion Francis.

ROYAL THEATER CROWDED WHEN DEMOCRATS HOLD RALLY

Monday night at the Democratic rally held in the Royal Theater, Nogales, when ex-Governor Hunt and Congressman Carl Hayden made addresses on the issues of the campaign, the largest political gathering of the present campaign was evidenced. The addresses were practically the same as given in Patagonia in the afternoon of the same day, with the exception that C. A. Pierce of Patagonia, candidate for the state senate, made an interesting explanation of the cost of the state highway in Santa Cruz county, from the Cochise county line to Patagonia. Some statements had been made regarding this road, and Mr. Pierce gave figures to substantiate his statements in that respect. Mr. Pierce made a favorable impression on his auditors, who had not the opportunity of hearing him speak previously in the campaign.

Uncle Sam's First Airplane Carriers Afloat



The Langley, the first airplane carrier to be commissioned in the United States navy, which left the Norfolk navy yard recently for her first duty at sea.

Woman Victim of Hypnotic Crook

Forced to Wed Desperate Criminal and Then Keep Him Supplied With Money.

UNDER INFLUENCE 7 YEARS

Woman Arrested for Embezzlement Tells Omaha Police Remarkable Story—Often Escaped Only to Be Caught Again.

Omaha, Neb.—A hypnotic victim of a desperate criminal for seven years, during which she claims she was forced to marry the hypnotist, to steal money from her employers and give it to her master and otherwise cater to him, was the remarkable story told the Omaha police by Miss Emma Uhler of Omaha when she was arrested for embezzlement.

She obtained her freedom from the hypnotic criminal only when he was thrown into the Missouri river by several of his cronies, whom he had "double-crossed," Miss Uhler said. The Omaha police don't know whether or not to believe the story, but are investigating the strange case.

Time after time she escaped from the hypnotist, she said, and went to other cities, only to be traced by her master and brought back to bondage and to work.

Miss Uhler was a bookkeeper at one of the big stores of Omaha. She was accused of taking company funds.

Pursued by Gargaster. According to the story told by the girl, she discovered ten years ago that the man and woman she had looked upon as her parents were not related to her at all, and that she was an orphan. She thereupon left home and went out, at the age of seventeen, to make her own way.

Three years later she met the gangster, who followed her from city to city and forced her to supply him with money. "It was in Minneapolis," Miss Uhler told the police, "that I first met him. That was seven years ago, when I was twenty. I was in the public library. In the most casual way, while handling a book, he spoke to me. We discussed the book. He was fascinating, so much so that before I knew it I had made a date with him for the next evening. We went to a theater and to a cafe. He induced me to take a drink, something I had never done before. I didn't know anything else until the next morning when I awoke in a hotel.

"Hello, wifey," said Lou coming into my room. Lou was his name. He told me we had been married the night before.

"That was the start of the affair. He told me he was wanted by the police and that, for the present, we must keep our marriage a secret. So I went back to work."

From then on, for seven years, the gangster kept the girl under his influence, she told the police. He forced her to give him money, and when her salary was not sufficient for his needs, he forced her to steal or embezzle from her employers. At times she rebelled and escaped, but always he found her again.

"Through his hypnotic influence, and through fear which he instilled into my mind, I had to do his bidding," said Miss Uhler.

"He told me he had killed three people," she said. "One night he came to me with a lot of blood on his clothes and face. He said he had killed a man that night. That was in Kansas City."

From Minneapolis Miss Uhler ran

away and went to Chicago, where she obtained work. Three months later she met "Lou" on the street, she said, and he re-established his old influence over her, and forced her to give him money.

Forces Her to Give Checks.

"After escaping from him two or three other times, I came to Omaha and went to work," Miss Uhler said. "Months passed, and I thought I had lost him completely. But one day last spring, going to the post office with letters and checks, I met him. He made me give him the checks, which I later made good to the firm.

"Some time in August he disappeared, but that was not unusual, as he often did not show up for weeks at a time. One day I met one of his friends on the street. He told me they had thrown Lou into the Mississippi river because he had double-crossed them. I have never seen him nor heard of him since."

By that time Miss Uhler was so deeply indebted to the firm because of money she had taken that she had lost hope of ever catching up and repaying it without her employers discovering the embezzlement.

"I started to commit suicide," she said. "Then I changed my mind and took the train away."

After her departure her accounts were checked and the defalcation discovered. Her arrest followed.

"It's the weirdest story I ever heard," said Captain Van Dousen, head of the Omaha city detective department.

Bit of Flannel Leads Woman to Kill Other

Suncook, N. H.—Mrs. Harry G. Carpenter of this town was shot and killed by her next-door neighbor, Mrs. Barton Goward, who then went into her own house and committed suicide.

When the bodies of the two women were found it was believed Mrs. Carpenter had died of heart disease while running to summon assistance when she found her neighbor dead. Examination of the woman's body later revealed a bullet wound in the back.

A quarrel between the two women over the price of a piece of flannel led to the shooting, according to information given to the police. Mrs. Goward, the authorities said, had bought the flannel from Mrs. Carpenter, and when the latter came to collect there was a dispute.

Aligide acid, obtained from seaweed, promised to become an important commercial product for use in the preparation of waterproof fabrics.

APPLE TREE IN FULL BLOOM

Freak in Middletown (N. Y.) Garden Is Said by Old Timers to Presage a Mild Winter.

Middletown, N. Y.—In the yard of Frank Crawford on South street is an apple tree in full bloom. Never before has this tree bloomed at this time of year. Some of the oldest residents, careful weather observers for years, declare blooming of fruit trees at this time of year indicates a mild winter and are sure there will not be a big demand for coal in this section. Crawford is presenting bouquets of apple blossoms to his friends.

Seven Dead in Cuban Feud.

Guantanamo, Cuba.—Seven killings in three years marked the Sanchez-Caracheo feud, which the authorities have announced, must be ended if it requires the imprisonment of every remaining member of the two families. The latest fatalities occurred when Felix Caracheo shot Battiste Sanchez and then himself. The shooting was the outgrowth of a duel last February, in which Juan Sanchez, Battiste's brother, killed Felix' brother, Luis.

Kashmir shawls are valued at from \$500 to \$5,000.

hirds surrendered to the entente in railways, ships, etc.

The sum left after taking off these 90 milliards in losses, the publication sets roundly at 130 milliards gold marks. In converting gold into paper marks, it states, the following index numbers based on the prices current in the home German market should be employed: Personal and real property, 15; town landed property, 2; rural landed property, 10; mining property, 10; and goods, ships, etc., 60.

When the various categories of property are multiplied by these figures their values in paper marks are determined. According to this calculation, the average depreciation index figure is 15, thus giving 1,950 milliards paper marks as equivalent to 130 milliards in gold.

Only Way to Escape From Past.

Oh, there are some who want to get away from all their past; who, if they could, would fain begin all over again. But you must learn, you must let God teach you, that the only way to get rid of your past is to get a future out of it.—Phillips Brooks.

The details of the international map were accepted by nine world powers at conferences in 1909 and 1913. While it is popularly known as the "one-millionth" map of the world, its correct title is the international map of the world on the scale of one one-millionth.

Siam's Women Buy Black Teeth. London.—An interesting feature of the international dental exhibition, now being held in London, are the sets of artificial teeth made of a composition as black as ebony. They are intended for Siamese women, with whom it is the custom to stain the teeth black with betel nut to denote their married state.

Radio Aids Capture of Auto Thieves. Oakland, Cal.—The Oakland Tribune's radio station KLN was credited by the Oakland police with bringing about the arrest in Los Angeles of Clifford Denton and M. Dyke on a charge of stealing the automobile of C. H. Hoyt. The station broadcast the numbers and description of stolen automobiles each night.

THE AMERICAN LEGION

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LIKE THE OLD-TIME DANCES

Legionnaires Enjoy Steps Popular With South at the Big National Convention.

Abas the jazz? Welcome the waltz, the stately minuet, the Virginia reel, the sedate schottische. Many thousands of American Legionnaires have voted their verdict. Which is the verilest spoken by the American association as well.

The thousands of Legionnaires expressed their approval of the more moderate, lesswise modest dances when Bloor Schleppey, former marine and a Legionnaire, down New Orleans way, announced the old dances would prevail and be featured at the big national American Legion convention. Mr. Schleppey, who fitted out Spanish Fort park as a second Nice for entertainment of the Legion members, prepared his program with all the care and caution any Beau Brummel of 50 years ago would exercise. Said he:

"The waltz and the minuet and the Virginia reel breathe of the spirit of the old South. And they are the dances of beauty, of real sentiment, of soothing strains. I have noticed that the dancing masters of the nation seek to do away with the atrocious jazz dancing of the present. And I have heard that the country is prepared to welcome the waltz back as its principal terpsichorean pleasure. So I decided that the American Legion dancers would receive my announcement enthusiastically. They did. They approached the fact that it would be of typical Southern atmosphere to dance the old dances that were so popular with the belles and beaux of the South."

Mr. Schleppey also devised a magnificent nightly fireworks and battle scene display for the entertainment of convention guests.

MADE PAJAMAS FOR WOUNDED

Prominent Women of Hawaii, Under Supervision of Mrs. Dorothy B. Harper, Aided Veterans.

"Aloha from Hawaii," was the message a number of wounded war veterans in American hospitals found written on slips of paper tucked in pockets of any colored pajamas which were handed out to them by members of the American Legion auxiliary.

The pajamas had been made by American women under the palm trees during the long hot tropical afternoons. The women who worked included such loyal citizens of the United States as the wife of the governor of Hawaii, the wife of the admiral of the U. S. fleet stationed there, and the wife of the commandant of the Marine barracks.

The work was done under the supervision of Mrs. Dorothy B. Harper, president of the American Legion auxiliary in Hawaii, and also a member of the American Legion, by virtue of her work for the U. S. marines during the war. She lives at Hilo. The pajamas from Hawaii were first sent in response to an appeal from auxiliary workers at the hospital at Camp Logan, Tex.

Love Tilts.



He—There's Jack and he's quarreling again. She—My, how upsetting. He—Yes, probably end in a falling out.—American Legion Weekly.

Suicide. "So poor old Joe is dead and all through a practical joke." "Good Lord! How did it happen?" "Oh, he was in Dublin and stuck his head out of the window and yelled 'Fire!'" "Well?" "That's just what they did."—American Legion Weekly Bulletin, Los Angeles.



And Then the Suicide. Bertie—Do you know, Miss Passie, you look simply charming this evening? Miss P.—Nonsense. Stop your spoofing. Bertie—No, but you do, really. I hardly recognized you at first.—American Legion Weekly.

Labor and Rest Essential. Labor endures rest; and both to gether are absolutely necessary for the proper enjoyment of human existence.—Robert Burns.

GET PAROLES FOR PRISONERS

Missouri Legion Auxiliary Women Gain Release of Men From State Penitentiary.

Seven men, all of whom served their country in time of war, have just been paroled from the state penitentiary at Jefferson City, Mo.—paroled each to a member of the American Legion auxiliary, who procured clothes, and a job, and the care and comfort of a home for him. All of the seven were suffering either with mental disease or that dread malady, tuberculosis.

Mrs. A. O. DeWitte, president of the Missouri auxiliary, led in the movement which resulted in the paroles. And she and her aides also obtained the promise of Gov. Arthur M. Hyde that several more former service men who seem to be mentally afflicted, or ill of tuberculosis, will be sent to government hospitals for treatment.

"The men we have observed entered into the crime, not because it is clear of criminal instincts or desires, but because they were mentally irresponsible, or in some cases despondent and sick, with no hope seemingly, because the dread white plague handicapped them in their efforts to compete successfully with normal men in honest employment," Mrs. DeWitte told the governor.

On the success of Mrs. DeWitte's and the auxiliary's efforts to reclaim their proteges for society depends a national policy. It is said, for the auxiliary to adopt. The seven paroled men will report weekly as to their progress toward rehabilitation, and will be watched closely by the women who have saved them from prison. It is expected, the women say, that a year will show whether the plan of interesting themselves in the unfortunates to the extent of seeking to return them to normality by individual and personal effort is a feasible one.

TOOK OFF IN AN AIRPLANE

Gen. Roy Hoffman, Oklahoma Legion Worker, Had Only 42 Minutes to Keep His Lecture Date.

Gen. Roy Hoffman, one of Oklahoma's most active members of the American Legion, had 42 minutes in which to get from Oklahoma City to



Lawton to deliver a patriotic address recently. With Lieut. Charles Mills, he took off in an airplane and covered the 100 miles with four minutes to spare.

LESSONS IN FLAG ETIQUETTE

Hazleton (Pa.) Legion Urges Committees in Every Town to Teach Careless People.

Hazleton, Pa., is said to be no worse or better than other communities in the matter of its citizenship paying proper respect for their flag, but in that city the American Legion is striving to make it a 100 per cent community in flag etiquette. So many violations of the code were brought to the attention of the local post that a committee was appointed to call on and instruct the violators as to how to display the flag, and how to act when it is carried past them, and when it should be displayed.

There has been no resentment of the activities of the committee of instruction. Its members declare they have found an earnest desire on the part of citizens to pay the proper respect and tribute on all occasions, and that violations are merely the result of ignorance or carelessness. They have recommended similar committees in every city and town.

Loyal to His Company.

The village cut-up approached an insurance agent and informed him that he was in the market for a \$50,000 accident policy. When questioned he admitted he was a bad risk. He owned and drove several high-powered racing cars, he said.

"Don't believe I'd be doing the right thing in writing you up," the insurance man informed him. "Not fair to my company. You—you often ride in those cars with other men's wives, I believe?"

"Well, yes—frankly—but—" "Well, one of those wives is mine and—frankly—your life isn't worth a plugged nickel!"—American Legion Weekly.

Rank Extravagance.

It was on an ocean voyage. The insurance agent, unwilling to lose a chance of canvassing so many prospects who could not possibly get away, turned loose a flood of stoupe on a Steubenhain.

"Surely," he said, "you see the advantage of taking out a policy if for nothing except to cover your burial expenses?"

"Wait till we get to land, mon," reported the wily Scot, "I might be lost at sea."—American Legion Weekly.

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Thousands of frail, nervous people and convalescents everywhere have testified to the remarkable power of Taniae in bringing back their health, strength, and working efficiency. It seems to quietly invigorate the constitution and is a powerful force of weakness. Mrs. Mary Choklat, 1415 N. Broadway, Los Angeles, Calif., says:

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A Hairbreadth Difference.

D. W. Hufford, an engineer for the public service commission, was standing silently in a deep brown study. "What's on your mind?" inquired a friend.

"Hair," replied Hufford. "I don't know whether to have my hat stretched or to have my hair cut."—Indianapolis News.

SHE DYED A SWEATER, SKIRT AND CHILD'S COAT WITH "DIAMOND DYES"

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Tired, but Ready for Dance.

Irene—Oh, Phyllis, I'm so tired I can hardly stand on my feet. I'm ready to drop. Phyllis—So am I. Are you going to that dance tonight? Irene—Of course I am!—London Answers.

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In Public Life and in the Home.

"The fact that a man is a favorite son does not prevent an election going against him." "True," replied Senator Sorghum; "the public doesn't like to show too much partiality. Sometimes a favorite son meets with the roughest discipline."

FREEDOM FROM LAXATIVES

Discovery by Scientists Has Replaced Them.

Pills and salts give temporary relief from constipation only at the expense of permanent injury, says an eminent medical authority.

Science has found a newer, better way—a means as simple as Nature itself.

In perfect health a natural lubricant keeps the food waste soft and moving. But when constipation exists this natural lubricant is not sufficient. Medical authorities have found that the gentle lubricating action of Nujol most closely resembles that of Nature's own lubricant. As Nujol is not a laxative it cannot grip. It is in no sense a medicine. And like pure water it is harmless and pleasant.

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Could Do Better Wholesale.

Film Star—How much will you charge to get me my divorce? Lawyer—If you'll agree to let me handle all your divorce suits for the next ten years, I'll make you a special price.—Life.

An Insignificant Little Pin in a Woman's Hair Often Disturbs a Man's Mental Poise.

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Corn is Popular Crop in Colorado.

Denver.—Corn still is the most popular crop in Colorado, more farmers raising corn than any other single crop grown in the state. Reports of county assessors to the State Immigration Department show 28,213 farmers growing corn, compared with 28,001 last year.

Wheat ranks second in popularity, there being 26,375 farmers reported as growing the crop. The number growing winter wheat was 16,002, while 14,901 reported spring wheat. Since a good many farmers grow both winter and spring wheat, the total number growing wheat is considerably less than the sum of those reporting winter and spring wheat.

While more farmers raise corn than any other crop, the total acreage devoted to wheat is much larger than that devoted to corn, being 27.16 per cent of the total acreage under cultivation. Assessors this year reported 1,081,052 acres of wheat, of which 1,551,825 acres was winter wheat and 429,227 acres spring wheat. The acreage of corn reported is 1,100,378. These are the largest acreages ever reported for these crops.

Bridge Will Be 685 Feet High.

Washington.—The proposed North River bridge, spanning the Hudson from the center of New York City to Weehawken, New Jersey, will be, with its connections and terminals, "the most stupendous engineering work yet undertaken, surpassing in that respect and also in final cost the Panama canal," according to Representative Ernest Ackerman of New Jersey.

The plans call for a single span of 3,000 feet, without a single pier in the river, hung on four immense cables suspended from terminal towers 685 feet high, or 150 feet higher than the famed Washington monument.

Jury Allows Six Cents Damages.

Atlantic City.—A jury in Circuit Court returned a verdict of six cents for Franz Volker of Ventnor, a local baker and real estate agent who sued Frederick Nixon Nirdlinger, Philadelphia theatrical manager, for \$150,000 damages, alleging the defendant alienated his wife's affections.

Small Grain Yields Decrease.

Denver.—Threshing of small grains is making good progress in Wyoming and Colorado; yields are generally not as heavy as expected but the quality is good. Rain is badly needed in these states to facilitate the seeding of winter wheat and rye and unless better moisture conditions occur soon the acreage will be considerably curtailed. Seeding is in progress in Arizona and some remarkable growth reported. The yield of corn will generally be light in Colorado due to the excessive drought, except in the eastern and northeastern counties, where a good crop is reported. Corn is maturing rapidly in Wyoming and is past frost danger; considerable fodder and stlage has already been cut.

U. S. and Canada Plan Arms Pact.

Washington.—Preliminary exchanges relative to the new Great Lakes armament treaty between the United States and Canada are understood to have resulted in a virtual agreement to dispense entirely with naval vessels on the lakes and to replace those now in commission there with revenue cutters.

September Wholesale Prices Decrease.

Washington.—The average level of wholesale prices in September, the department of labor reported, was about 1.3 per cent lower than in August. The index number, representing comparative price levels, dropped from 155 to 153. Fuel and light materials were chiefly responsible for the reduction, the estimate said, having dropped 10 per cent during the month. Farm products, building materials, textiles and clothing all showed small declines.

Receive \$37.50 for Killing.

Redwood City, Calif.—According to a confession in the hands of the San Mateo county authorities, \$37.50 was the price paid four men for the killing recently at Daly City of Karl Kretsch, a Southern Pacific machanic. Three are under arrest in San Mateo county, and District Attorney Franklin Swart is said to have the confession of one that the killing was plotted by two "higher ups," who paid \$37.50 for the job.

GERMAN TAX LEVY IS FIGURED

Total Taxable Property 1,950 Billion Paper Marks.

Seventy Per Cent of the Aggregate Is Given as Real and Personal Property—13 Billions Held by the Poorest Classes.

Berlin.—The total taxable property held by the German people amounts to 1,950 milliards paper marks, according to estimate made by Reconstruction in its current issue. Seventy per cent of the aggregate is given as personal and real property, 14 per cent rural, 2 per cent mining, and 3 per cent as goods, ships, metallic currency, etc. (Milliard equals the American billion.)

The average of prewar estimates on German-owned private property, the periodical states, works out at 339 milliards gold marks, from which amount

IS MAKING A NEW MAP OF U. S.

Uncle Sam Contributes Work as Part of Sketch of World.

American Map Will Take About Twelve Years to Complete—Each Country Will Map Territories and Waters Under Its Jurisdiction.

Washington.—Uncle Sam is progressing on a new map of the country, to be a part of a new world map, based upon a new system, proposed by American representatives in 1908, and accepted at international conferences. It will be the result of years of effort to create a system of cartography whereby the same scale of distances could be used in a world map, with lettering and symbols uniform. The American map is expected to be completed in ten or twelve years.

Each country will map the territories and waters under its own jurisdiction.

The Mardi Gras Mystery

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CHAPTER IX—Continued.

"It can't be possible!" he muttered, bending further over. "Such a thing happens too rarely!"

His heart pounded violently; excitement sent the blood rushing to his brain in blinding swirls. He was gripped by the gold fever that comes upon a man when he makes the astounding discovery of untold wealth lying at his feet, passed over and disregarded by other and less-discerning men for days and years!

It was all, no question about it. An extremely slight quantity, true; so slight a quantity that there was no film on the water, no discernible taste to the water. Gramont brought it to his mouth and rose, shaking his head. Where did it come from? It had no connection with the gas bubbles—at least, it did not come from the dome of water and gas. How long he stood there staring Gramont did not know. His brain was aflutter with the possibilities. At length he stirred into action and started up the bayou bank, from time to time halting to search the water below him, to make sure that he could still discern the faint iridescence.

He followed it rod by rod, and found that it rapidly increased in strength. It must come from some very tiny surface seepage close at hand, that was lost in the bayou almost as rapidly as it came from the earth's depths. Only accidentally would a man see it—not unless he were searching the water close to the bank, and even then only by the grace of chance.

Suddenly Gramont saw that he had lost the sign. He halted.

No, not lost, either! Just ahead of him was a patch of reeds, and a recession of the shore. He advanced again. Inside the reeds he found the oily smear, still so faint that he could only detect it at certain angles. Glancing up, he could see a fence at a little distance, evidently the boundary fence of the Ledanois land; the bushes and trees thinned out here, and on ahead was cleared ground. He saw through the bushes, glimpses of buildings.

Violent disappointment seized him. Was he to lose this discovery, after all? Was he to find that the seepage came from ground belonging to some one else? No—he stepped back hastily, barely in time to avoid stumbling into a tiny trickle of water, a rivulet that ran down into the bayou, a tributary so insignificant that it was invisible ten feet distant! And on the surface a faint iridescence.

Excitement rising anew within him, Gramont turned and followed this rivulet, his eyes aflame with eagerness. It led him for twenty feet, and ceased abruptly. In a bubbling spring that welled from a patch of low tree-enclosed land, Gramont felt his feet sinking in grass, and saw that there was a dip in the ground hereabouts, a swampy little section all its own. He picked a dry spot and lay down on his face, searching the water with his eyes.

Moment after moment he lay there, watching. Presently he found the slight trickle of oil again—a trickle so faint and slim that even here, on the surface of the tiny rivulet, it could be discerned only with great difficulty. A very thin seepage, concluded Gramont; a thin oil, of course. So faint a trickle to mean so much!

It came from the Ledanois land, no doubt of it. What did that matter, though? His eyes widened with flaming thoughts as he gazed down at the slender thread of water. No matter at all where this came from—the main point was proven by it! There was oil here for the finding, oil down in the thousands of feet below, oil so thick and abundant that it forced itself up through the earth fissures to find an outlet!

"Instead of going down five or six thousand feet," he thought, exultantly, "we may have to go down only as many hundred. But first we must get an option or a lease on all the land roundabout—all we can secure! There will be a tremendous boom the minute this news breaks. If we get those options, we can sell them over again at a million per cent profit, and even if we don't strike oil in paying quantities, we'll regain the cost of our drilling! And to think of the years this has been here, waiting for some one—"

Suddenly he started violently. An abrupt crashing of feet among the bushes, an outbreak of voices, had sounded not far away—just the other side of the boundary fence. He was wakened from his dreams, and started to rise. Then he relaxed his muscles and lay quiet, astonishment seizing him; for he heard his own name mentioned in a voice that was strange to him.

CHAPTER X.

The voice was strange to Gramont, yet he had a vague recollection of having at some time heard it before. It was a jaunty and impudent voice, very self-assured—yet it bore a startled and uneasy note, as though the speaker had just come unawares upon the man whom he addressed.

"Howdy, sheriff!" it said. "Didn't see you in there—what you doin' so far away from Houma, eh?"

"Why, I've been looking over the place around here," responded another voice, which was dry and grim. "I know you, Ben Chacherre, and I think I'll take you along with me. Just come from New Orleans, did you?"

"Me? Take me?" The voice of Chacherre shrilled up suddenly in alarm. "Look here, sheriff, it wasn't me done it! It was Gramont!"

There came a silence. Not a sound broke the stillness of the late afternoon.

Gramont, listening, lay bewildered and breathless. Ben Chacherre come here? Gramont knew nothing of any tie between Jack-in-Fell and Chacherre; he could only lie in the grass and wonder at the man's presence. What "place" was it that the sheriff of Houma had been looking over? And what was it that he, Gramont, was supposed to have done?

And, as he waited, he caught a soft sound from the marshy ground beside him—a faint "plop" as though some object had fallen close by on the wet grass. At the moment he paid no heed to this sound, for again the uncanny silence had fallen.

Listening, Gramont fancied that he caught slow, stealthy footsteps amid the undergrowth, but decided the fancy as sheer imagination. His brain was busy with this new problem. Houma, he knew, was the seat of the parish or county. This Ben Chacherre appeared to have suddenly and unexpectedly encountered the sheriff, to his obvious alarm, and the sheriff had for some reason decided to arrest him; so much was clear.

Chacherre had nothing to do with the "place"—did that mean the adjacent property, or the Ledanois farm? In his puzzled bewilderment over this imbroglie Gramont for the moment quite forgot the trickle of oil at his feet.

But now the deep silence became unnatural and sinister. What had happened? Surely, Ben Chacherre had not been arrested and taken away in such silence! Why had the voices so abruptly ceased? Vaguely uneasy, startled by the prolongation of that intense stillness, Gramont rose to his feet and peered among the trees.

The two speakers seemed to have departed; he could discern nobody in sight. A step to one side gave Gramont a view of the land adjoining the Ledanois place. This was cleared of all brush, and under some immense oaks to the far left he had a glimpse of a large summer cottage, boarded

across.

"Who owns the land next to the Ledanois place?" inquired Gramont.

"I told that off my land a couple of years ago," replied the other. "A man from New Orleans wanted it for a summer place—a business man there, Isidore Gumberts."

Gumberts—"Memphis Izzy" Gumberts! The name flashed to Gramont's mind, and brought the recollection of a conversation with Hammond. Why, Gumberts was the famous crook of whom Hammond had spoken.

"I saw the sheriff a while ago, heading up the road," observed the Creole. "Did you meet him?"

Gramont shook his head. "No, but I saw several men at the Gumberts place. Perhaps he was there—"

"Not there, I guess," and the farmer laughed. "Those fellows have rented the place from Gumberts, I hear; they're inventors, and quiet enough men. You're a stranger here?"

Gramont introduced himself as a friend of Miss Ledanois, and stated frankly that he was looking for oil and hoped to drill on her land.

"I'd like a lease option from you," he went on. "I don't want to buy your land at all; what I want is a right to drill for oil on it, in case any shows up on Miss Ledanois' land. It's all a gamble, you know. I'll give you a hundred dollars for the lease, and the usual eighth interest in any oil that's found. I've no lease blanks with me, but if you'll give me the option, a signed memorandum will be entirely sufficient."

The farmer regarded oil as a joke, and said so. The hundred dollars, however, and the prospective eighth interest, were sufficient to induce him to part with the option without any delay. He was only too glad to get the thing done with at once, and to pocket Gramont's money.

Gramont drove away, and was just coming to the Ledanois drive when he suddenly threw on the brakes and halted the car, listening. From somewhere ahead of him—the Gumberts place, he thought instantly—echoed a shot, and several faint shouts. Then silence again.

Gramont paused, indecisive. The sheriff was making an arrest, he thought. A hundred possibilities flitted through his brain, suggested by the sinister combination of Memphis Izzy, known even to Hammond as a prince among crooks, with this secluded place leased by "inventors," bootlegging? Counterfeiting?

As he paused, then, he suddenly started; he was certain that he had caught the tones of Hammond, as though in a sudden puffed out of anger. Gramont threw in his clutch and sent the car jumping forward—he remembered that he had left Hammond beside the rivulet, close to the Gumberts property. What had happened?

He came, after a moment of impatience, to an open gate which drove led to the Gumberts place. Before him, as he turned in, unfolded a startling scene. Three men, the same three whom he had seen from the bushes, were standing in front of the low shed; two of them held rifles, the third, one of the "inventors" in overalls, was winding a bandage about a bleeding hand. The two rifles were loosely leveled at Hammond, who stood in the center of the group with his arms in the air.

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Southwest News

From All Over

New Mexico and Arizona

Petitions are being circulated to have the Cochise-Gleason mail route extended into Tombstone, Arizona.

The automobile belonging to Dr. Wylder, of Albuquerque, was completely destroyed by fire when it ignited during a pleasure ride on the Tijeras road.

Workmen from El Paso are busy setting the big stills at the Teneucari oil refinery and it is believed that the plant will be in operation by the first of December.

T. S. Bowen, pioneer merchant at Webb, twenty miles northeast of Blue, Ariz., was burned to death when his store, in which the Webb postoffice was located, was destroyed by fire.

T. E. Butler and Paul Hunter, of Clayton, N. M., are in a hospital at Clayton in a serious condition as the result of burns received at a fire which came near destroying the Butler home.

The Silver Bell Columbia mining property, 12 miles southeast of Superior, has been sold to George P. Mangus of New York, for \$575,000, according to announcement by the former owner.

E. M. Otero, rancher of the Magdalena (N. M.) country, made a shipment of over 10,000 sheep a few days ago. The train contained 36 cars and went to the Western Feeding company of Colorado.

At a meeting of the board of regents of the New Mexico State Normal, Prof. A. O. Bowden, of Baylor college, Belton, Texas, was selected as the president of the Normal, to succeed J. F. Chamberlain.

The big fair which was held at Whitewater, New Mexico, was the best ever held in that part of the state. Hundreds of people from Gallup and other points in the southern part of the state attended.

According to the report of the oil experts of the Midwest Refining company, which brought in the big oil well in the Shiprock country, the oil is the best quality ever found in New Mexico and possibly in the whole country.

Harwood J. Simmons, vice president and managing director of the El Paso Times, died at his home in El Paso a few days ago. Mr. Simmons formerly was vice president and general manager of the El Paso and Southwestern railroad.

The Little Butte Amalgamated Mines Company is preparing to resume development of its properties near Boise, Arizona, taking up the work where the United Mines company left off during the war period, and continuing the shaft to the sulphide ore.

At the regular meeting of the Joe Quessborough post of the American Legion, held at Las Cruces, N. M., the following new officers were chosen: Edwin L. Holt was elected as post commander, George R. Quessborough was elected as vice-post commander, and Frank F. Luero was re-elected as post adjutant and finance officer. Dr. R. E. McBride was the principal speaker of the evening, his subject being "Americanism."

A suit in equity involving the title of the Calumet and Arizona Mining company to eight of its most valuable claims in the Warren district, and asking for an accounting of all ores taken from those claims since 1901, asserted to be valued at approximately \$500,000, was filed in federal court at Tucson, by Patricia Julia Cunningham Kennedy and Lyle E. Kennedy, her husband, and Mary Abbea Cunningham Morrison and John M. Morrison, her husband.

James M. Louss, former United States commissioner at Safford, Ariz., was taken into custody at Holbrook, Ariz., in an investigation charging conspiracy in an alleged "soldier land fraud," in which extensive use of disabled soldiers were alleged to have been made to secure reserved at Phoenix in federal officials.

Nearly 70 years ago Harvey causes unknown, two of the bonds issued by Maricopa county, Arizona, for the building of a railroad from Maricopa to Phoenix disappeared and have never been found up since, according to Raymond R. Earhart, state treasurer, and Charles W. Fairfield, state auditor, who, with Attorney C. R. Wilson, of Flag staff, representing four counties in the county bond cases, are now engaged in making preparation for the reimbursement of the county for the bonds in accordance with the provisions of the enabling act. The missing bonds were part of an issue of \$200,000 par value, by Maricopa county nearly 40 years ago, and are numbers 149 and 150 of the issue. Each bond was for \$5,000 and was made payable to the bearer.

Athletics at the University of Arizona have been placed under the jurisdiction of a college board of control of seven members, who have segregated the various activities so that they may be supervised and handled on a more coordinated scale, according to announcement at the university.

Two men and a girl were arrested recently at Winslow, Ariz., and were held for Denver police on a charge of stealing an automobile belonging to Capt. T. J. Dillon, of Fitzsimons hospital, according to Captain of Detectives Washington Binkler of Denver.

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Bright Idea.

An Evansville young man, whenever out of the city, instead of writing to his best girl, sends her every few days a box of candy. She is delighted with his plan and boasts of it to her girl friends, who straightway hint to their admirers to do the same.

One of the admirers went to the first-named young man on his return from one of these trips and made complaint of this habit of his. "The other girls are expecting us fellows to do it, too," he said. "We can't see why you do it. It's expensive and—"

"Yes," admitted the candy sender, "it is expensive, but it's mighty safe. Candy could never tell tales in a breach-of-promise suit."—Indianapolis News.

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Embarrassing. Willis—How do you like the combination furniture they have in some of these New York flats?

Gillis—Not at all. I went to bed in a piece of that kind of junk the other night at a friend's house and when I woke up, two women were serving breakfast on the foot-board, a fellow was signing checks on the head-board and another fellow was underneath the bed making coffee.—Life.

To Have a Clear Sweet Skin. Touch pimples, redness, roughness or itching, if any, with Cuticura Ointment, then bathe with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Rinse, dry gently and dust on a little Cuticura Talcum to leave a fascinating fragrance on skin. Everywhere 25c each.—Advertisement.

Suitable for Guarding Chickens. Hill—I have a fine poultry yard, but the rats kill the young chickens, and I want to buy a dog to protect them. What kind should I buy?

Dell—The best kind of a dog for a poultry yard is a setter.—London Answer.

Not Scared. "Was the city girl skeered of the garret smoke?"

"Uh! Picked it up and gave a lecture on its habits and species."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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COPPER ALWAYS IN DEMAND AND THEY GET AWAY WITH IT WHERE FORMALITY IS WAIVED

Truly, the Female of the Species is More Fortunate Than the Inferior Male.

Two cases in Judge Chesbro's court. First, the graceless male arrested for speeding after having imbued two glasses of claret, \$250 or 180 days in jail.

Second the graceful maiden who drove her limousine into a man, failed to stop and render assistance, bumped into a cab and hit a flyover. And all without a drop of claret. Ten days in jail—suspended.

The graceless male might have done a lot of damage, of course, but actually his guilt was confined to "reckless driving."

The graceful female did do a lot of damage. But, of course, she never meant to, and she couldn't help it, and she was nervous, and those were tears in her eyes instead of claret on her breath, so there you are!

Votes for women. The ladies, bless 'em!—Los Angeles Times.

Operatic as Ever. "Here's a late picture of my aunt—she's a former prima donna." "Well, isn't she still? She looks large enough."

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THIS IS A DEMOCRATIC YEAR

With election day almost at hand, the prospects of a great Democratic victory, which were bright from the beginning of the campaign, have become a certainty. The Republican reactionary leaders in charge of the party machinery can't find any place to park. The revolt begun by the progressive Republican states has spread to the rock-ribbed Republican states, and the latter are now also in revolt. The only question now is the extent of the Democratic victory.

In the presidents' home state, Ohio, the reactionary Republicans will get one of the worst trimmings of their career. Everything indicates the reelection of Custer Pomerene by an emphatic majority, the election of the state ticket and a Democratic representation in the next House that will be a surprise to the rest of the country, despite the extraordinary efforts made by the Republicans, who have filled the state with their top-line speakers and flooded it with money.

The manufacturing sections of New England will help swell the Democratic victory. The farm states will return the same verdict as the manufacturing states. The farmer has been truly described as "gritting his teeth and biding his time." In the great business centers, business men are turning to the Democratic party for relief from the odious Fordney tariff which threatens business conditions everywhere. In fact, no element of the American people is satisfied with the present Republican congress.

In almost every state the campaign has been fought out upon the leading domestic issues of internal and tariff taxation, at which the people have arrived at an understanding by and experience as well as educational propaganda; upon extravagant expenditures and reckless appropriations, upon the inefficiency and incompetence of the existing congress and the failure of both the congress and the administration to keep their pre-election promises; upon Newberryism and Goldsteinism and the lesser scandals that have disgraced the legislative and administrative records of the party in power.

In some sections issues upon which neither party as a party has made a declaration in their national platform have been paramount, and in some states the organization Republicans have made an issue of fake progressivism, particularly in Pennsylvania and Indiana. In Iowa a large element of conservative Republicans are in revolt against the extreme radicalism of Brookhart. The Republicans opposing Finchot and Beveridge and Brookhart will contribute their share to the general Democratic victory.

In the last extremity Republicans of the stripe of Phil Campbell of Kansas, who has just been repudiated by the Republicans of his own congressional district, are seeking to make it appear that the Democrats are not trying to carry the house. This, of course, is pure mendacity and one of the last ruses of an already defeated Old Guard organization.

The signs of Democratic victory are everywhere apparent. The people are disgusted with the Republican do-nothing congress and dissatisfied with the shiftless, drifting course of the administration. They will make that disgust and dissatisfaction manifest at the polls next Tuesday.

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HOW PUBLICITY MEN ARE PAID

Of course, it is not to be expected that the efficient and economical administration of Governor Thomas E. Campbell at the expense of the taxpayers of Arizona should permit its publicity bureau to run down for neglect of oil.

It costs money to get out publicity when an administration of such voracious tax eaters as the present one footing at the public crib secures such an efficient and versatile publicity man as Ralph Rollins it believes them to take care of him properly. The Republican state central committee, while liberally supplied with funds, apparently thinks that it can use the money more advantageously in other directions than paying Mr. Rollins, consequently a plan was found for Ralph on the state payroll. On September 30, 1922, Ralph began to draw pay checks from the state, drawn on the general fund, chargeable to the operation of the state fair commission. Of course, the taxpayers are not expected to object to this item of expense.

REALLY NOT MUCH TO IT

How High School Boy Made Discovery That All He Needed Was Just Confidence.

Arthur is a manly young chap who has just graduated from high school. He had secured a position in an office where several times he had been invited to go to lunch with his employer. He always declined the invitation.

From various bits of information the lad had let fall, mother believed the man was interested in her son and thought the boy ought to accept the invitation. "Why don't you go with him?" she asked Arthur one day at the dinner table.

"I'm afraid," he answered. "I might not know what to do. You know—I might do the wrong thing."

Now, mother had been very particular in the training she had given the boy and was proud of the result. She had perfect confidence in him. So with a serious face mother simply remarked: "Why, all you have to do is to keep your hat on, put your feet on the table, put your knife in your mouth, make as much noise as possible when you eat and—"

"Mother!" shouted Arthur, a look of amazement on his face. Then the humor of it struck him and there was much merry laughter.

Next morning Arthur informed mother that he had gone to lunch with the boss. "Everything was fine, and we had a good talk, too," he added.

"Were you embarrassed?" asked mother.

"Of course not!" he answered in surprise. "Why should I be?" And mother, satisfied, smiled knowingly.—Chicago Journal.

WOUNDED HAWK FLEW FAR

With Spear in Its Body, Bird Had Traveled Distance of Two Thousand Miles.

As a hawk was swooping on the poultry yard of a farmer on the Vaal river, Africa, the farmer shot and killed it. Then he found embedded in its body what appeared to be an arrow, two feet six inches in length, that apparently had been carried by the bird for a considerable period.

As the arrow was of a peculiar kind unknown in the Transvaal, inquiries were made and a description given, and it was found that the arrow was made by a native tribe, the Akambas of Kenya, 2,000 miles away from the place where the hawk was killed.

Further inquiries showed that the transfixing of the hawk by a small spear, by an Akamba native, was well remembered. The hawk had caused much loss in a chicken run, and was speared by a concealed native, but was rescued and carried off by its mate, and evidently recovered from the wound though it could not rid itself of the spear.

Early Record of New York Brokers.

Among the records of the New York Stock exchange, the earliest, which bears the date of May 17, 1792, is as follows: "We, the subscribing brokers for the purchase and sale of public stocks, do hereby solemnly promise and pledge ourselves to each other that we will not buy or sell from this day for any person whatsoever, any kind of public stock at a less rate than 1/4 per cent commission on the specie value, and we will give a preference to each other in our negotiations." This agreement was the foundation on which the great financial fabric of the new York Stock exchange has been reared. For a quarter of a century the brokers of the United States metropolis carried on their activities under this compact, and held their meetings in a Wall street coffee house, and under a buttonwood tree at 68 Wall street.

Dame Partington.

The original Dame Partington was a respectable old lady who lived at Sidmouth, in Devonshire, Eng. Her cottage stood on the beach and during a severe storm in November, 1824, the sea rose to such a height as gradually to invade the old lady's residence.

Mrs. Partington with such help as she could secure with mops and brooms, as fast as the water entered the house mopped it out again until at length the waves had the mastery and she was compelled to retire to an upper story. The first public allusion to the circumstances was made by Sidney Smith in a speech on the reform bill wherein he compared the conservative opposition to the effort of "Dame Partington and her mop who endeavored to mop out the waves of the Atlantic."

Hair Pulling Time.

Eight-year-old Frances had been taught by her parents the art of keeping a secret and it irritates her to be suspected of telling anything she is asked not to tell. The other day she was visiting Aunt Grace, who also had another young lady visitor, Aunt Grace had warned Frances not to tell the conversation, so she began to talk things which were secrets when the visitor, looking at Frances, said: "Little pitchers sometimes have big ears, my dear."

Frances looked back at her. "Yes," she agreed lucidly, "but that doesn't hurt if they don't have spouts."

Movements of Fishes.

Remarkable investigations into the habits of fish are being carried out by the British ministry of fisheries. The object is to discover how far and in what direction fish travel; whether there are seasons in which organized migrations take place; and how fast various kinds of fish grow. A special research steamer has been fitted with tanks through which sea-water flows continuously. This vessel sets out from Lowestoft and small hauls are made at selected spots. The catch is shut into a tank, and the liveliest specimens are measured and marked. After this they are put into a second tank, and all sickly fish are weeded out. The best specimens are set free, and a record is kept of the places where they were released.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Phoenix, Arizona, October 21, 1922.

NOTICE is hereby given that Frank T. Berry, of Elgin, Arizona, who, on December 2, 1918, made Homestead Entry, No. 032032, for lots 1, 2, 3, 8 1/2 NW 1/4, SE 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 1, Township 20 S., Range 16 E., and lots 5 and 6, Section 6, Township 20 S., Range 17 E., G. & S. R. B. & Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three-Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. A. O'Connor, U. S. Commissioner, at Nogales, Arizona, on the 28th day of November, 1922.

NOTICE is hereby given that National L. Houston, Jr., of Fort Huachuca, Arizona, who, on August 14, 1917, made Homestead Entry, No. 032119, for W 1/2 NW 1/4, NE 1/4 NW 1/4, NW 1/4 NW 1/4, Section 24, Township 21 S., Range 15 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 the Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office, at Phoenix, Arizona, on the 2nd day of December, 1922.

NOTICE is hereby given that Albert Ashberry Gatlin, of Patagonia, Arizona, who, on September 25, 1910, made Homestead Entry, No. 031926, for N 1/2 and S 1/2 E 1/4, Section 11, Township 22 S., Range 15 E., G. & S. R. B. & Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three-Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. A. O'Connor, U. S. Commissioner, at Nogales, Arizona, on the 21st day of November, 1922.

NOTICE is hereby given that Manuel Ruiz, of Canille, Arizona, who, on February 8, 1917, made Homestead Entry, No. 032774, for lots 1 and 2, Section 24, Township 21 S., Range 16 E., NW 1/4 lot 1, Section 4, Township 22 S., Range 18 E., G. & S. R. B. & Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Five-Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. A. O'Connor, U. S. Commissioner, at Nogales, Arizona, on the 10th day of November, 1922.

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous. FOR SALE OR LEASE—Mining properties. We have for sale or lease some very promising lead, silver, copper and other mining properties; some prospects; others well developed, with large bodies of good grade ores blacked out. Reasons for selling: owners' haven't sufficient capital to operate them. All dress inquiries for details and full information to Santa Cruz Patagonian Patagonia, Ariz.

TOO PRONE TO EXAGGERATE. Many Figures of Speech Employed in Ordinary Conversation Are Ridiculous When Analyzed.

A Judge in the courts the other day objected to a witness who was prone to use exaggeration and employ figures of speech.

When you come to think of it it is absurd. We wallop our children for saying that there are hundreds of dogs in the garden, but then they hear us say that we are "driven to death" with work, or that somebody has "set the ocean on fire."

Equally untrue is it when we say that a steak is as "tough as leather," the coffee "as cold as ice," or that the cake is "as heavy as lead."

It's time that we went back to simple description. No day is ever so hot as to be "baking," or we should all be dead. No man drinks "like a fish."

Fishes, anyway, don't drink a lot. They see so much water that they're probably sick of it. And no soprano sings "like a nightingale"—Buffalo Express.

CALLS FOR SOME DISCRETION. Power of Attracting Birds May Be All Right in the Country, but in the City!

One of the best ways of attracting birds, according to the authorities, is to place the lips to the back of the hand and make a violent kissing sound.

Apparently this has some resemblance to the cries of a wounded bird; and, according to one of the bird books, one may enter an apparently deserted thicket and, after a few minutes of this sort of thing, "find oneself surrounded by an anxious or curious group of its feathered inhabitants."

ALL HAD ORIGIN IN EAST. Architectural Ornaments in Use Today First Designed by Mesopotamian Builders.

The blue-domed mosque of the Imam Shalozada Husain, in Kazvin, carries on a tradition that extends back to the days of the Sassanid sultans of Persia, back even to the remotest times of Assyria, according to a writer in Asia Magazine.

The minarets that rise gracefully above every Mohammedan city have been collected through time from the Chaldean observatories and the Tower of Babel.

The rich ornamentation of enamelled tiles on domes and walls and the overlay of brilliant metals that marks the lofty cupolas of many mosques, are also heritages from antiquity.

The columns of mosque interiors are derived from classic Greece and Rome. The designs worked in tiles or in stucco may in many cases be traced back to ancient models, and they are found, repeated over and over again, in the pottery, the textiles, the carpets of the East.

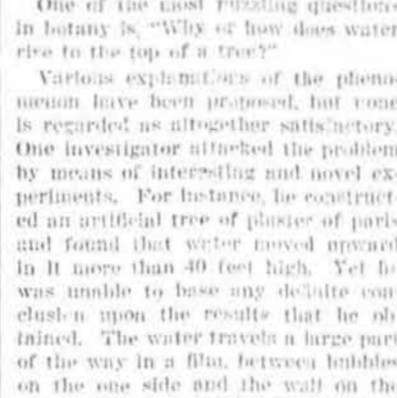
The wars of the Crescent carried this architecture into the West through Spain and Byzantium, into the East through India. Its influence may be traced in buildings the world over.

RAT "BARRACK" GOOD TRAP. Odd Idea Used by Irishman Said to Have Had the Merit of Effectiveness.

A correspondent of the British Medical Journal has unearthed the following ingenious method of dealing with rats, which he found in Hall's book, "Ireland," published in 1841:

"Mr. Russel has a 'rat barrack' on his premises. It is about 12 feet long, 6 feet broad and 4 feet high, with a coping-stone on the top that projects a couple of feet inside the wall. The inside of the wall is full of holes that just admit a rat's body, leaving the tail outside. The whole is covered with old boards. There are two passages for them to come out into the yard, where they are fed and never disturbed. The consequence is they never go into his store where the bacon is."

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS. DE OLE OMANS KIN-FOLKS GINALLY FETCHES LONG A PECK O' TATERS WEN DEY COMES T' VISIT WE-ALL - EN DEN DEY STAYS LONG 'NOUGH T' EAT UP A BUSHEL!



Mystery of Trees. One of the most puzzling questions in botany is, "Why or how does water rise to the top of a tree?"

Various explanations of the phenomenon have been proposed, but none is regarded as altogether satisfactory. One investigator attacked the problem by means of interesting and novel experiments.

Accounted for Attention. A story told on the late Dean Stan ley refers to his thorough inability in the pulpit. Preaching one morning at Westminster abbey, he was pleased to notice the perfect attention of his congregation.

Why Insects Can Walk on Water. What makes it possible for the long legged water flea to run right over the surface of a sheet of water? If we observe it closely, says "Science Siftings," we see that the end of each of its six long legs makes a slight depression where it rests upon the surface.

Love of Nature. "What is your favorite flower?" "Well," replied Father Gertrude, "I guess an orchid is about as satisfactory as any."

CATARRH. Catarrh is a local disease greatly influenced by Constitutional conditions. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE consists of an Ointment which gives Quick Relief by local application, and the Internal Medicine, a Tonic, which acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces and assists in ridding your System of Catarrh.

Lost Sleep Over Nothing. Explorer's Story of a Bad Night He Spent in Venezuela Makes Amusing Reading.

William J. La Varre, Jr., who discovered diamonds in South America, tells us follows of an exciting adventure he had in Venezuela, says the World's Work.

The nearest I have ever come to catching up with adventure was just over the boundary in Venezuela when I sought the hospitality of a night at the cabin of a Spanish ranchero in the mountains.

Reciprocity Desired. "Will you marry me?" anxiously asked a swain of the Florida Creek region in the Omirka, addressing the daughter of the proprietor of the crossroads store.

"No," replied the lass. "Aw, I think you might! I do all my trading with your paw."—Kansas City Star.

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AN EPITOME OF LATE LIVE NEWS

CONDENSED RECORD OF THE PROGRESS OF EVENTS AT HOME AND ABROAD.

FROM ALL SOURCES

SAYINGS, DOINGS, ACHIEVEMENTS, SUFFERINGS, HOPES AND FEARS OF MANKIND.

WESTERN

A giant magnet was used by Dr. Nesmith Nelson to remove a .22-caliber bullet from the eye of Ida Wade...

Herbert Wilson, former evangelist, alleged mail robber and convicted murderer, who a few days ago led a break from the Los Angeles county jail...

Zolla Martilla, who said he is a business man of Casper, Wyo., was held up, bound, gagged, lugged by his hands from the limb of a tree over a creek bed near the highway between Sallis and San Juan, Cal., and robbed.

M. G. Craig, former general passenger agent of the Louisville Nashville railroad, shot himself while seated on the rail of the Puget Sound passenger steamer Bremerloh, according to officers of the steamer...

Authorities at Laramie, Rawlins and Green River, Wyo., have been enlisted by Warden James Johnston of San Quentin penitentiary in a search for Ralph Palmer, youthful jewel bandit, who made his fourth escape from the hands of the law while en route to San Quentin, Calif., from New York.

Portland police, augmented by extra squads, were on duty recently against an "invasion" of Industrial Workers of the World, who, according to a statement published by Mayor George L. Tucker, have "selected Portland as a center for the beginning of trouble intended ultimately to assume the proportions of a revolution."

"Madame" Edith Maida Lassing, charged with having advocated overthrow of "capitalistic" government and civil marriage, was sentenced by Judge Benjamin F. Bledsoe of the United States District Court at Los Angeles to serve two years in the state reformatory for women at Leeds, Mo., after a jury found her guilty of sending indecent matter through the mails.

WASHINGTON

Eight hundred thousand barrels of fine old whisky remains in bond guarded by the government.

Federal reserve banks have been authorized by Secretary Mellon to redeem in cash, beginning Oct. 23 and before Dec. 15, treasury certificates of indebtedness of series TD 1022, dated Dec. 15, 1921, and series TD2 1022, dated June 1, 1922, and both maturing Dec. 15 next.

Retail food costs for the average family during September were approximately 1 per cent lower than during August, the department of labor has reported. The conclusion was based on reports of prices gathered at retail markets in fifty-one important cities. During the year since September, 1921, the report said, the decrease in retail food prices has amounted to 9 per cent, but since September, 1921, there has been an increase of 36 per cent.

Expenditures totaling more than \$750,000 for the immediate relief of the refugees in the near east were authorized by the American Red Cross.

A campaign to discourage the use of small-sized Christmas cards and envelopes has been inaugurated by the Post-office Department. Small sized cards and envelopes, it is declared, are responsible for incalculable damage during the Christmas rush of postal business. Because of their miniature size they cannot be run through the cancelling machines, making it necessary to do this work by hand, as well as requiring extra handling in facing and distribution.

Tentative plans for an attempted flight of army airplanes around the world have been under consideration for some months by air service officials, but the project has not as yet passed the preliminary survey stage. Valuable data on available routes in both directions has been obtained, however, and ultimately it is hoped to send a considerable aerial squadron on the voyage. The project will not be laid before Secretary Weeks for approval, it was said, until it takes much more definite form.

The United States Coal Commission, created by Congress to investigate and report the facts on all phases of the coal industry, with recommendations for possible legislation or government regulation, at its first meeting in Washington organized by electing John Hays Hammond as chairman and laid out a program for future operation.

The resignation of William R. Day as associate justice of the Supreme Court was tendered to President Harding recently and was accepted. It will be effective Nov. 14.

Appointment by President Harding of a committee of sponsors, representing every state, territory and insular possession of the Union, to aid in the extension of near east relief, has been announced at the White House. Included in this number are John W. Morey of Denver, and Robert Gast of Pueblo.

Five and a half million men who were idle in July, 1921, are working and jobs are waiting for a half million more. Edward S. Henning, assistant secretary of labor, asserted at Spokane recently.

FOREIGN

The Reichstag by a vote of 314 to 70 decided to prolong the term of Friedrich Ebert in the German presidency until June 30, 1925.

American, British and Japanese marines have been failed to preserve order at Foo Chow, seat of the latest outbreak of fighting in China.

The Bulgarian frontier has been closed to prevent panic-stricken hordes of Greek Christian refugees from swarming into that country from Thrace.

George Cadbury, cocoa manufacturer and founder of the model village of Bourneville, died recently at Birmingham, England. He was 83 years of age.

Giuglielmo Marconi told the Chicago Tribune that he is perfecting a device for sending private wireless messages directly between two parties and preventing other stations from listening in.

Rafael Lopez, the murderer of seven men in Brigham, Utah, in 1914, is reported to be under arrest in southern Colorado. The hunt of Lopez assumed national interest at the time of the murders.

The cost of living for a typical workman's family of four in Mexico City is 279.73 pesos per month, according to figures recently compiled by the Department of Commerce and Industry.

Seven Free State troopers motoring near Castletown Roche, County Cork, were ambushed, but they fought so well that the Republicans who attacked them retreated, leaving three dead and nine wounded.

Lord Curzon has informed Premier Poincare that on account of the political situation in England he thinks it impossible that the Turk peace conference can convene before Nov. 13. Lord Curzon suggests Lausanne as the meeting place.

Mme. Sarah Bernhardt, the Divine Sarah, quietly observed the seventy-seventh anniversary of her birth a few days ago with the optimistic hope that she lives to be 100. Despite her advanced age and the accident which made amputation of one of her legs necessary, Madame Bernhardt is in excellent health and is still the master of her dramatic art.

David Lloyd George has resigned as prime minister of Great Britain. He presented his resignation to King George at Buckingham palace after the Unionist caucus which met at the Carlton club repudiated his ministry. This marks the end of the coalition government—composed of the Liberal and Unionist parties—which came into being during the World war.

JENSENAL

Removal of Brig. Gen. Charles E. Sawyer, President Harding's personal physician, charged with blocking the American Legion hospitalization program, was demanded by the Legion national convention by a vote of 601 to 375.

Fifty years ago the prison doors at Waujuin (Wis.) state penitentiary closed behind Bill Maxwell, Peshtigo farmer. Sentencer was John W. Cole for the charge had been the murder of a friend in a quarrel over a woman. In a few days he will have been imprisoned for an even fifty years. Warden R. M. Cole does not intend to let the day go without some observance of a special occasion. He has ordered the prison bakery to produce the best cake it knows how.

Henry Ford is planning to establish 400 radio stations throughout the United States, including New York, Philadelphia, Boston and other leading cities and towns. His object is to communicate with people without recourse to the newspapers. He is endeavoring to keep his plans secret, but they are known in radio circles. He is manufacturing some of the parts of the equipment at his own factories. Ford expects to use the stations for political and business purposes.

John Spencer of Pope county and Harry Spencer of Conway county, Ark., half-brothers, met for the first time in forty years when they were both placed in the same cell in the county jail at Little Rock. Both were under arrest on liquor charges. Criminals can be forced to tell the truth regarding their offenses while under the influence of scopolamine anesthesia, or as it is better known, during "twilight sleep," according to Dr. E. E. House, Ferris, Texas, physician, who has asked the endorsement of the Medical Association of the Southwest for a proposed experiment on a thousand prisoners in the Leavenworth, Kan., penitentiary, to demonstrate his theory.

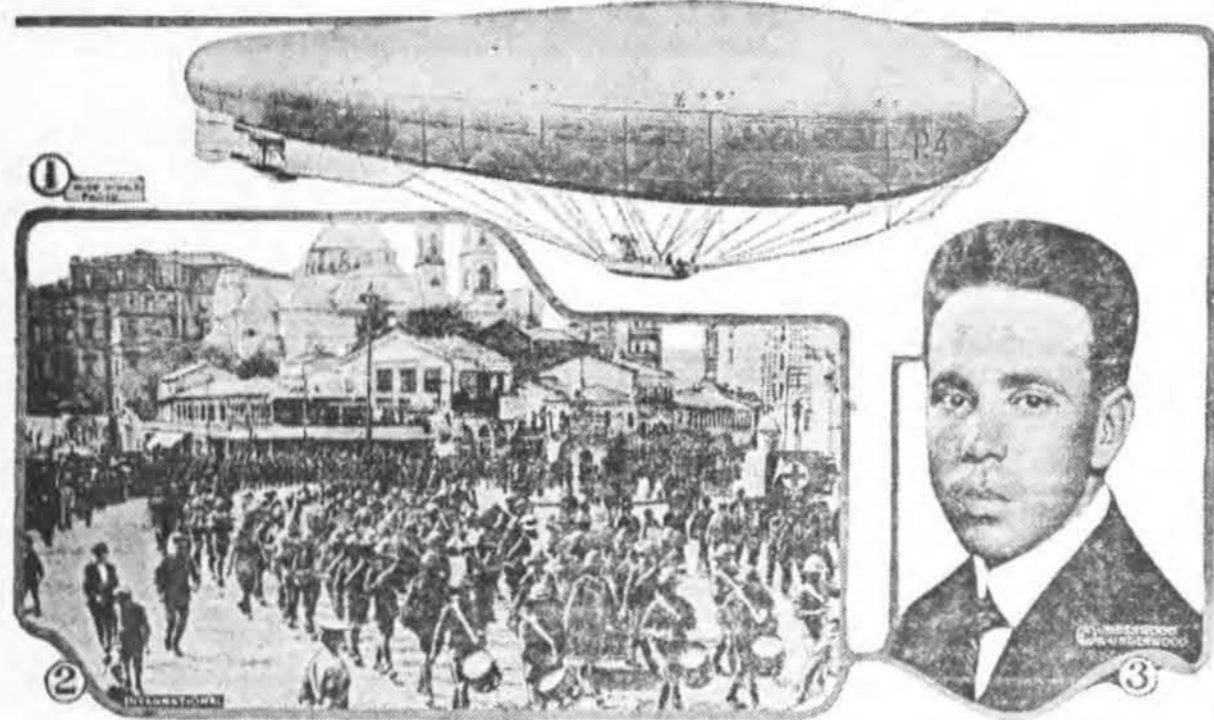
Fire losses on railroads in this country declined nearly \$3,000,000 in 1921, as compared with 1920. G. L. Ball, president, told the Railway Fire Protection Association at the opening session of its convention in Washington. Railroad fire losses in 1921, he said, totaled \$7,589,911, against \$10,500,000 in 1920. The association announced that last year fire caused a property loss of \$485,000,000 in the United States, killed 15,000 persons and injured more than 16,000.

A man charged with wife beating at Wilkes-Barre, Pa., had both eyes blackened by the magistrate, who ended the incident by imposing a \$10 fine.

Frederick Miller, 25, was arrested in New York charged with attempted blackmail on a complaint brought by Mark Kierden, an oil dealer at Wichita Falls, Texas.

Factory buildings which housed an incubator company, a refrigerator concern, and the Fremont (Neb.) Manufacturing Company, were destroyed by fire of unknown origin, with an estimated loss of \$200,000.

Lovers of Chicago's bright lights that burn most brilliantly in its cabarets need not go home "and morning" by virtue of the fact that city officials have lost a court fight to enforce a 1 o'clock closing ordinance.



1-Italian model for mother airship designed to carry and launch airplanes, soon to be built by United States. 2-British troops arriving in Constantinople to curb the over-ambitious Turks. 3-Gen. Alberto Salinas, second in command to the Mexican rebel leader Murguia, who has been captured and sentenced to seven years' imprisonment.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

British Tories Quit Coalition and Lloyd George and His Cabinet Resign.

BONAR LAW TO BE PREMIER

America's Attempt to Dry Up the Seas Meets With Various Kinds of Opposition—Doings of the American Legion Convention.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

PRESIDENT HARDING, in a letter addressed to Secretary of Agriculture Wallace, to be read at a Republican meeting, said: "Agricultural production is very nearly restored, taking the world as a whole; but agricultural prices are so low that the farmer is not being compensated." Asserting that the administration has done all in its power to restore the balance between prices and costs of production, he said the trend is "strongly toward better conditions for the farmer."

Do you and the farmers of your acquaintance agree in this with President Harding?

COALITION government in Great Britain has gone to smash. Lloyd George has resigned as prime minister and his entire cabinet is out. A Bonar Law has been asked by the king to form a new conservative ministry. Lloyd George has promptly begun a fight to regain power as chief of a new party. The British are entering on the most exciting political contest they have had for many years. A call for a general election is expected shortly.

The downfall of the coalition ministry was brought about when the conservative—otherwise Tory or Unionist—members of parliament and of the cabinet, in caucus at the Carlton club, decided their party should go to the country as an independent party, and, if elected, choose a conservative premier. This action was taken against the protests of Austen Chamberlain, their leader, and in accordance with the advice of A. Bonar Law, hitherto a staunch supporter of Lloyd George. It was precipitated by an election in Wales which was won, surprisingly, by the conservative candidate.

At this writing it is not certain that Bonar Law will attempt to form a ministry, but he probably will do so, and it is taken for granted that all its members will be conservatives except Lord Grey, who will be offered the post of minister for foreign affairs. The life of this ministry undoubtedly will be short.

As is said above, Lloyd George has not quit the fight. He delivered a hot speech at Leeds Saturday and several others on his way there, and made it plain that he won't "take his punishment lying down." He has the nucleus of a new and strong party in such conservative leaders as Lord Balfour, Austen Chamberlain, Lord Birkenhead, Worthington Evans and others who have stood by him in this crisis. It will be a party of moderates and may be called the center or national party.

UNCLE SAM in the role of prohibition enforcer is not having things all his own way on the seas. Federal Judge Learned Hand in New York, after hearing arguments in the suit brought by foreign and American shipping companies to enjoin the United States government from enforcing the ruling of Attorney General Daugherty, reserved his decision and extended the temporary restraining order. The British government has rejected the proposal of Secretary Hughes for a treaty to extend the right of search of vessels up to twelve miles off shore, and has formally protested against the

PLEA FOR HELPING EUROPE

Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America Sends Out Important Statement.

Washington.—Europe "can never meet the problems" resulting from the war without the sympathetic counsel, advice and economic help of the United States, arranged in mutual conference, said a statement issued by the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America.

seizure by our dry navy of a Canadian schooner eight miles off the New Jersey coast. France, Holland, Italy, and perhaps other countries, are only awaiting the necessity of contesting the right of the United States to enforce a ruling that will mean either that their seamen will be deprived of the daily allotment of wine guaranteed them by their laws or that their vessels must refrain from entering American waters.

In addition to these embarrassments, the government is being told that the trade of our insular possessions, especially the Philippines and Porto Rico, will suffer greatly if foreign vessels carrying liquor are barred from entering their ports. Secretary of War Weeks is especially insistent on this point, and it is said to be likely the government will follow his suggestion and ask congress speedily to revise the Volstead act so that the ruling of the attorney general may be modified.

Mr. Hughes' note to Great Britain, suggesting extension of the right of search dealt especially with liquor-smuggling operations. In reply, Ambassador Geddes said his government was doing and would do all it could to prevent such smuggling, but that it has consistently opposed any extension of the limit of territorial waters and "do not feel that they can properly acquiesce, in order to meet a temporary emergency, in the abandonment of a principle to which they attach great importance."

THOUSANDS of former service men spent last week in New Orleans, taking part in the fourth annual convention of the American Legion, and they had as guests a number of much-decorated heroes from the allied nations and some distinguished American civilians. It was a lively gathering and woke up the old Crescent city. Moreover, it did and said and heard some things that are likely to have effect on governmental and congressional action. Naturally the bonus, or, as the legion members prefer to call it, the adjusted compensation, came in for much discussion. This was very one-sided, however, for the organization as a whole was decidedly in favor of the bonus, and a resolution, strongly worded, was adopted declaring that the men who fought the war were underpaid and that there should be an adjustment. Former Judge Landis, in a fiery speech, upheld this view and was wildly cheered.

Col. A. A. Sprague, chairman of the legion's rehabilitation commission, submitted a report severely criticizing the government's achievements in that line to date and exhorting individual congressmen and senators. "The story of hospital construction by the government up to date," the report declared, "judging by actual results, is a tragedy for the sick, a discredit to the government and an affront to the American Legion. There is not a redeeming feature in it—politics, promises, plans, failure to prepare anything but alibis in advance, red tape, excuses and contentions conspired to defeat the actual providing of needed beds."

President Harding's delay in the matter of naming co-operative committees on rehabilitation in various districts was the subject of comment.

Thursday the convention after an exciting debate adopted a resolution demanding the removal from office of General Sawyer, co-ordinator of the federal hospitalization board. The vote was 601 to 375.

On Wednesday the boys had their parade, and it was a big one. Some ten thousand of them were in line, and they had 25 military bands, 25 drum corps, lots of tanks and floats and flags and standards, while above them circled two squadrons of airplanes and many seaplanes.

General Pershing arrived in New Orleans on Thursday and was given a rousing welcome. It was said he was particularly pleased with the report of the military affairs committee, adopted by the convention, calling for the drafting of industry and labor in the event of war.

One of the distinguished guests of the convention was to have been Col. C. R. Forbes, director of the federal veterans' bureau. He went, with his staff, but departed almost at once, because, according to report, the supporters of one of the candidates for the position of national commander charged that he was sent there by President Harding to play politics. On

the other hand, a Down-East post of the legion, composed of former marines, has dissolved because it believed the legion and another organization of veterans were being used for political purposes by their members.

SEVERAL recent victories by the Red army in eastern Siberia over the White Russians have caused a great deal of apprehension in that region. The Reds are advancing on Vladivostok with the evident intention of occupying it as soon as the Japanese evacuate the city. More serious is the threat of the Reds against the Chinese Eastern railway, toward which other columns of the soviet army are moving. Gen. Chang Tso Lin, the Manchurian military leader, is prepared to resist the Reds and, if necessary, will make an alliance with the White Russians. The Moscow government has demanded that China cease aiding the White forces by permitting them to concentrate in Chinese territory for attacks on Siberian soil.

MOSCOW also is taking a firm stand concerning the coming Near East peace conference. The soviet government says if it is not represented in that conference any results of it will be of no effect, and it especially protests against its exclusion if Rumania and Jugoslavia participate. Russia supports fully all the Turkish claims on frontiers and for sovereign rights on the coasts of the straits, opposes any control of the straits by the League of Nations or by mandate, and declares for absolute freedom of commerce in the straits.

Large numbers of the refugees from Thrace, chiefly Armenians, entered Bulgaria the early part of last week, and on Thursday the Bulgarian frontier was closed to them. Half a million of the fugitives are in Macedonia, lacking shelter, food and clothing. French troops in considerable numbers are arriving in Thrace to preserve order, and in some places, notably Adrianople, a big part of their task is to prevent the Greeks from burning the city and slaughtering the Moslems before they depart.

PREMIER FACTA of Italy apparently has successfully withstood the demands of the Fascist that he and his cabinet resign. The ministry refused to yield and Facta made an unexpected showing of strength. Benito Mussolini, leader of the Fascist, was so impressed with this that it was said he would instruct his followers, at their great gathering in Naples this week, to refrain from causing the government any more trouble. Gabriele D'Annunzio, the soldier-poet, has signed an agreement with Mussolini establishing common action between their forces.

PORTLAND, ORE., doesn't propose to be pestered by "wobblers." Learning that thousands of members of the Industrial Workers of the World were gathering there to participate in the waterfront strike, the city council appropriated funds for a lot of extra police and the mayor ordered immediate raids. Between two and three hundred men were arrested and held on charges of vagrancy. It was said the I. W. W. plans contemplated the swarming of 25,000 members of the organization to Portland and other Pacific coast ports.

WORLDLY records went by the boards in the aviation races at Mount Clemens, Mich. Leut. R. L. Mughan of the army won the Pulitzer trophy, and later set a new speed record of 248.5 miles an hour with the same plane. This was not considered official, because no official of the Federation Aeronautique Internationale was present, but later Gen. William Mitchell, assistant chief of the army air service, took the same machine and drove it at a speed of 224.05 miles an hour before official observers.

Our luck with dirigibles continues bad. Last week the big army balloon C-2, which had made the trip from coast to coast, was destroyed at San Antonio, Tex., on its return journey. While being taken from the hangar it was struck by a high wind and its gas bag was ripped. Explosion and fire resulted. Several members of the crew were injured, but all escaped death.

"We believe," the report said, "that these nations will readily assent to any reasonable and just proposal from the United States which has, even yet, though in danger of being lost by indecision, an opportunity for moral leadership such as no nation ever had before in history."

The report recommended that the federal council "do its utmost to develop in our people and in its political leaders the sense of the moral responsibility which, in the providence of God, has fallen to us as a people."



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A Hint to the Hens. Abbie, the little girl of the family, was seated at the breakfast table one morning. As usual eggs were served. Either she was not hungry or she had grown tired of the bill of fare, for very earnestly and soberly she remarked: "I do wish hens would lay something besides eggs."—Progressive Grover.

The Little Dipper. Tom (at bathing beach)—"What caused that splash?" Joe—"Oh, a mere slip of a girl."

Hospital Transported Pick-a-Back. Dr. A. L. Piper, who for five years has conducted a grass hut hospital among the Alunda tribes of Africa, recently bought a large stock of medicines, test tubes and laboratory equipment in America. These must be conveyed on the backs of natives for 17 days, under a scorching sun, before reaching their destination.—Scientific American.

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R. E. LEE, CLERK OF COURT

Robert E. Lee, Democratic candidate for clerk of the superior court, is a man of exceptional ability. He has held the office to which he seeks re-election for several years. He has made many friends in Santa Cruz county by his uniform courtesy to patrons of his office. Bob Lee, like Vic Wager, seems to have a position for which few can qualify, therefore he seems destined to be a fixture in that office as long as he wishes to remain. He generally leads his ticket, and this year will be no exception.

JUDGE M. MARSTELLER

Judge M. Marsteller, candidate for judge of the superior court, will have his name placed at the head of the ticket—not in a party column. He has no opposition for the office, and, of course, will be elected. He is too well known in the county to need any publicity, and should receive a large complimentary vote of the electorate, both Republicans and Democrats.

War-torn Europe seems to enjoy being that way.

ARMISTICE DAY TO BE OBSERVED IN NOGALES

Everything is being arranged for the observance of Armistice Day in Nogales this year. The day will be observed as a holiday in the border town and the American Legion, under whose auspices the celebration will be held, is preparing for the observance of the fourth anniversary of the ending of the war.

There will be a parade and public addresses in the morning and some form of entertainment in the afternoon, followed by a dance at the Fireman's club in the evening.

A football game between the Nogales and Douglas high schools will be played on the Nogales high's grounds some time during the day.

Many Patagonians and residents of the country districts are expected to take in the celebration of Armistice Day, November 11, in Nogales.

HON. W. A. O'CONNOR FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY

Judge W. A. O'Connor, Democratic candidate county attorney, is a man of exceptional ability and is well qualified to fill the position he seeks. He held the office of county attorney of Santa Cruz county for five years, and confined his activities to prosecuting felons of the burglar, highwayman, cattle rustling and other types of criminals. All cases coming under his charge were prosecuted vigorously and most of them successfully. His fairness while on the bench is unquestioned, and his honesty is conceded by all who know him.

Previous to engaging in the practice of law Judge O'Connor was an educator and taught in the Nogales schools for many years.

Hon. W. A. O'Connor should be elected to the office of county attorney by an enormous majority because of his unquestioned ability, fairness, honesty, and unflinching loyalty to his friends.

TRACY BIRD, COUNTY RECORDER

Tracy Bird, candidate for county recorder on the Democratic ticket, is an ex-service man, is qualified for the office by having an excellent education, which can be used to advantage in the recorder's office.

For many years he has been a newspaper man and is familiar with legal forms and knows the niceties of keeping his work well ahead of schedule.

Mr. Bird is very popular with his friends who are making every effort to put him "over the wire" on November 7 with the balance of the Democratic ticket.

C. A. PIERCE FOR STATE SENATOR

C. A. Pierce, Democratic candidate for state senator, is a resident of Patagonia. For ten years he has been actively engaged in his profession as mining engineer in this county. He has in that time operated mining properties and is a member of the county road commission. He is conversant with the needs of the county, and will endeavor to obtain only such legislation as is consistent with an economic, business administration if he is elected to office.

Mr. Pierce is vice president of the Evans Mercantile Company of Patagonia and is engaged to some extent in cattle raising. He is a taxpayer, enjoys an ideal family life, is the father of two bright children and enjoys the respect of his neighbors and friends.

C. A. Pierce, we believe, will represent his county in a creditable manner, if elected, and will co-operate with the governor in enacting legislation that will tend to inaugurate economy and a reduction of taxation, which is heavier than the people should bear.

MRS. LUCILLE WALKER HAS MADE GOOD AS COUNTY TREASURER

It has been customary, when a county treasurer has made good in office to re-elect him (or her) for a second term. The law allows two terms and the voters should be as liberal as the law.

Mrs. Lucille Walker, a life-long Democrat, the incumbent county treasurer, has made good and should be re-elected. It is true that when first she took office the duties were new and she was unfamiliar with them, but during the two years she has been in office she has mastered its intricate details and is well qualified to conduct the office for another term. Her books are in excellent condition and every penny is accounted for.

Mrs. Walker unquestionably should be re-elected to the office of county treasurer.

THIS IS A DEMOCRATIC YEAR.

HAROLD J. BROWN FOR SHERIFF

Harold J. Brown (Brownie), Democratic candidate for sheriff, is particularly well qualified for the office of sheriff. He has been doing police duty for eight years, most of the time in Santa Cruz county; was United States deputy marshal, acting chief of police of the city of Nogales for a time, being appointed by the city council. He is a fearless officer, is absolutely temperate in his habits, being a total abstainer from intoxicants. He is married, has a young son, and enjoys the blessings of an ideal home life.

Some propaganda has been spread to the effect that Mr. Brown is too young for the sheriff's toga. He is over 30 years of age, and in the best of physical condition to perform his duties as sheriff. His courage is one of the best assets he has for the job. He will appoint deputies who will co-operate with him in ridding the county of the criminal class.

Training, habits, ability, temperament and a thorough knowledge of the sheriff's duties particularly fit Mr. Brown for the position he seeks. He will practice economy in the conduct of the business affairs of the department, and it is believed a material saving to the county will be made under his administration.

SUPERVISOR O. F. ASHBURN

Oscar F. Ashburn, present supervisor and a candidate for re-election from the second district, is a self-made man of exceptional business ability, and is the right man for the supervisor's job. A man who is successful in his own business can be depended upon to conduct the public's business along business lines.

Mr. Ashburn came to Arizona in 1879 and had but \$15 between him and starvation. From the beginning he was successful in his business ventures and today is probably one of the most substantial citizens of this county. He has served as a member of the board of supervisors on several former occasions, and always to the satisfaction of the people. He should be re-elected by a large majority.

"A Democrat is a man who votes the Democratic ticket," Mr. Ashburn is a Democrat.

JAMES L. FINLEY, SUPERVISOR

Supervisor James L. Finley, candidate for re-election from the third district on the Democratic ticket, was born in Arizona and has been a resident of Santa Cruz county for 19 years. That he is a man of ability is born out by the fact that he is the present chairman of the board. He is a successful cattleman, having a fine ranch at Canille. He has the respect and confidence of his neighbors and many friends.

The third supervisory district is fortunate in having as a candidate for the board of supervisors a man of Mr. Finley's known ability and worth. He has been working industriously and successfully for road improvement in his own district as well as those of other parts of the county, and it has been said that more, better and cheaper road work has been done in the upper part of the county over which he has had supervision.

Mr. Finley should be returned to the board because HE HAS MADE GOOD

GRACE A. FARRELL FOR SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

Mrs. Grace A. Farrell, candidate for the office of county superintendent of schools on the Democratic ticket, has all the qualifications necessary to make an efficient county official. She has taught school for many years in this county, and parents of children she has taught are loud in their praises of her work.

Mrs. Farrell is a progressive woman. She keeps pace with the times in school work. She knows the needs of the school system, subscribes for technical works on the subject of teaching and the care of school children's health. She is the mother of six children, and is a widow, having the care and education of her children as her chief object in life. In looking forward to educating her own children, she is naturally interested in the best methods of educating all children and helping in every way to strengthen their body as well as their mind.

By training and temperament Mrs. Farrell is particularly well fitted for the office of school superintendent, and should receive the support of all citizens who want efficiency more than party success, regardless of their political affiliation.

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