Climate Is Best In The

VOL. XVI

(\$2.00 a Year in Advance)

PATAGONIA, ARIZONA, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 23, 1927

(Single Copy 5 Cents)

NO. 3

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Mrs. Ruth W. Quire and son, Guy, of San Rafael Valley, Mrs. Harlow dale ranch were among the Christmas Mills and Miss Basha Simons of Patagonia motored to Ajo Thursday to spend Christmas with Mrs. Mill's father. Miss Simons will visit California that can be made. You can get it before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Bird of No- Ariz. gales, who have been spending some time visiting relatives in Phoenix, have returned home.

David Dowd, who has been visiting in California, was a Nogales visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Hogan and Mrs. Richard Farrell of Harshaw were Nogales visitors early this week.

Our Golden Crust Bread is the best HONOR SENATOR CARL HAYDEN that can be made. You can get it fresh in Patagon a by 9 o'clock a. m. Made by HOME BAKERY, Nogales,

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph H. Zimmerman are inetraining the former's parents approprations, according to a special over the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Lewis were from the San Rafael Valley

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hooks and children will leave Saturday for Phoenix to spend Christmas with Mrs. Hooks' der the bidget system all of the bills parents, Judge and Mrs. W. R. Smith.

Mrs. Ruth W. Quire and Louis Osborn, guests at the San Rafael Valley ranch of Miss Grace Van Osdale, were Nogales visitors Wednesday.

Fire extinguisher chemicals may be obtained of Bert Biabon at the East Side garage, Patagonia, for all makes

Mr. and Mra. Elbert Kinsley of the San R. fiel Valley were shopping in Nogales this week, accompanied by their children.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Northeraft were county seat visitors Monday.

ranch was a business visitor Monday Snyder of New York, former chair-

Miss Grace Van Osdale of the San Rafael Valley was shopping Monday

Ernest Best and Pete Bergier of Serrano Canyon were county seat vis. in Tucson January 5 to 7 will be the itors Monday.

er case, at the dance, Saturday night, held under the auspices of the Ari-December 10, at Sonoita school house. zona State Poultry Federation. It is \$10 reward will be paid for return of planned to hold this yearly, and each papers contained therein to The Pata- year it will be held in a different logonian office, and no questions asked. cation within the state. 2tp

J. W. Wifamson and wife and New Mexico, Texas, Oklahoma, and daughter, Mrs. J. W. Buchanan, of Colorado, there will be educational San Rafael Valley were Nogales visi- exhibits from the rodent animal contora Monday.

J. J. Sullivan and son, Mark, were States department of agriculture, as Tucson visitors Tuesday, taking a well as exhibits by the state game loading of turkeys with them from C'eir San Rafael Valley ranch.

MICKIE SAYS-

TH' BOSS BEZ THAT IN A LONG AND ARDUOUS CAREER HE HAS BEEN BUFFETED ABOUT UNTIL HE PAYS NO MORE HEED TO A COMMON KNOCKER THAN, AN ALLIGATOR DOES TO A WOODPECKER. "AND YET, SEZ HE,"I ABSORB COMPLIMENTS LIKE A DOUGHNUT SOAKS UP COFFEE." SO IF YOU THINK WERE GETTIN' OUT A GOOD PAPER, YELL US



Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barnett of Rockspers in the county seat Monday.

Our Golden Crust Bread is the best fresh in Patagonia by 9 o'clock a. m. Made by HOME BAKERY, Nogales,

Mr. and Mrs. James Parker and daughter, Jewel, of Vaughn were No gales visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Etchells were shopping in Nogales Monday.

All schools in the county were closed Wednesday afternoon until affor the Christmas helidays.

WITH IMPORTANT POST

An exceptional preferment was granted to Senator Carl Hayden of Arizona by his election to membership on the powerful committee on communication to The Patagonian from Washington, D. C. Membership on this great committe is highly cov among the Nogales shoppers Monday eted and it is very unusual for a Sena tor to be choen at the very beginning of his term of service.

> The senate committee on appropris tions consists of 19 members, and un providing for the support of widespread activities of the federal government are referred to that committee for consideration. The total appropriations to be reported at the present session of congress will ex ceed three and a half billion dollars. Senator Hayden has commenced his six years' service in "the gratest de liberative body in the world" under

most favorable auspices. Twentythree of his former colleagues in the house of representatives are in the senate with him, and he has the advantage of their friendship. That the senator's old friends have

not forgotten him was well demonstrated by a beautiful basket of roses sent to his office on the opening day Glen Perry of the Ponnsylvania of the session by Hon. Homer P. man of the house committee on Indian affairs.

BIG POULTRY SHOW FOR TUCSON

The Arizona State Poultry Federation and Trades Exposition to be held forst of its kind ever held in Arizona, according to Harry Embleton, vice LOST OR STOLEN-A small leath- president, and will be the first show

> Aside from a 1000-bird poultry show with birds entered from California, trol bureau and the predatory animal control bureau, both of the United warden. The entomology and poultry department of the University of Arl zona will also have very interesting

> There will be an educational program each evening of the show, at which several prominent men of the state will speak. A band concert will also be held each evening.

MATHIS' BODY FOUND, 'TIS SAID

Tucson, Dec. 21.-Almost a year from the time Andrew J. Mathis, 60 eccentric rancher, who lived near Pastime Park, disappeared hi body was to und hidden some 200 yards in front and across the road from his little ranch house, two miles north of

Over a period of three months, the disappearance of Mathis commanded front-page attention, with the finding of Mrs. Eva Dugan, Mathis' housekeeper, guilty of stealing his automobile, and the sentencing of her to a term of from three to six years in the state penitentiary.

Only yesteday the body was found, although Sheriff McDonald hus uncosingly searched for it since the eported disappearance of Mathis.

We may rest easy so long as Senatween us and the pope.



Mexico City, Dec. 20.-President | Phoenix, Dec. 21.-J. W. Strode, ed-Calles and former president Obregon iter of the Miami Daily Silver Belt, made separate flights with Lindbergh was yesterday appointed secretary to today in a commercial plane. Embas- Governor G. W. P. Hunt. He will sador Morrow also goes up with him.

Joe Dan of Shelton, Wash., who was recently at the age of 108, survived by a brother who is 111.

---0

Princess Nov of Slam has entered Semerville College to study for a degree in history.

to escape from the burning building, trip in three months.

LINDY HAS CALLES UP IN AIR STRODE IS HUNT'S SECRETARY

take up his duties January 1, 1928, the governor announced.

Strode has been a resident of the to a in a canoe crossing a river, died; state for a number of years and has b en a close friend of the governor since the latter took office in 1923.

> Fumes from gas in an oil field near McCamey, Texas, are so dangerous that workmen and their horses and mules must wear gas masks.

Rufus, the family cat, awakened the Chares Seilto, 67, recently started Ind., to Kankakee, Ill., to visit her world held a few thousand dollars of

BOULDER DAM BILL UP SOON

Washington, Dec. 20 .- The house irrigation committee decided today to worked from three levels. start the hearings of the Swing-Johnson Boulder Canyon dam bill on Janu- BOILER BURSTS AT MERCER CO. ary 6 and close them within eight

An Iowa writer avers that "cigacitizens seem to be in a bay way.

Cozeztte Parker, 13. piloted an airplane alone 138 mles from Anderson, ingten when he was 13.

PATAGONIA

lu old Sonoita's river vale, Where ne'er the wintry blizzards wail, Nor Summer's stifling winds oppress But rather bring a soft caress, Where lofty ash and cottonwood For more than span of life have stood dress

Of native beds of watercess, Flows gently on its winding way, Nor stops to watch the minows play, Where every canyon cent'ring there Brings float of metals rich and rare, ceived by Hickman at Los Angeles. Where manzanita's red boughs bring The first-born fruit of early spring, Where treasure mountains overlook The fruit and tree and bird and brook,

There's Patagonia.

Old Baldy's mighty peak of stone Stands sentinel, a noble throne, Sometimes bedecked with wreath of Bnow

Which nips with frost the buds below. Have graves of those who yet may last week. dream

And live again each blissful day Before the Paleface came their way, And slay again in childish pride, With cedar bow from mountain side, Some grand old gobbler of the crest, Or partridge with his dotted vest, Or antiered buck with lofty prow, Or squirrel from the awaying bow. Where tread the streets, with virgin

The sunny maids of Sunnyside, Where promenade, with grace and

The bonny belles of San Refael. Old Harshaw's brunette beauties, too, Bring challenge to the blondes in blue. Where I would spend each day con-

There's Patagonia.

State Mining Notes

Yunn-Arthur Haack of the Castle Dome mining district recently shipped a carload of concentrates and lead ere to the Douglas smelter.

produced 4,314,000 pounds of copper during the month of October.

Phoenix-The Tressure Vault mine at Katherine, Mohave county, claims 12 feet of \$800 ore.

Bisbee-Phelps Dodge Warren shaft is down 1600 feet ...

Bisbee-Phelps Dodge selective flotation mill is receiving ore. Biabee-Small mill to be built on

Cave Creek Canyon mine, near state Superior-Beimont Copper Co. plans

great reduction plant for low-grade Kingman-Rich gold strike made

on 600-foot level of the Katherine Treasure Vault mine near here. Bisbee-A 250-gallon capacity elecric pump installed at the 2000-foot level of the Denn shaft by Shattuck-

Denn Mining Corporation.

at the old Senator mine near here. Bisbee-Development work is pro gressing on the 200, 600 and 800 foot levels of Bisbee Queen mine of the United Verde Extension Mining Com-

Kingman-Two shifts working at Dixie Queen mill near here.

sumption of operation at Tom Reed Isles.

Kingman-12 feet of excellent mill grade ore disclosed in Golden Door be carried in the pocket has been promine in Black Canyon range.

Hackberry-Walkover mill handling 25 tons of good ore a day. Kingman-New vein discovered on

property of Divide Extension.

during November. Kingman-Tom Reed shaft being

Mercer Co.'s automobile storage room including one air trip. She expects to blew up with a dull, sickening roar buy an airplane "in a few years." rettes soften the brain, degenerate las: Wednesday morning, shattering the body, weaken the will and damn glass and scattering equipment all thes oul," Well, well! Most of our over the place. No one was injured. cause of the explosion.

In 1666, after the London fire, the

HICKMAN, ARRESTED IN OREGON, HAS RANSOM MONEY IN POCKET

Denies Murder of Parker Girl, But Admits Abducting Her and Returning Dead Body

Pendleton, Ore., Dec. 22.-William Where little stream, with verdant E. Hickman of Los Angeles, fugitive, was arrested this afternoon at Echo. Ore., by State Officer Buck Lieuwallen and Tom Gurdane, chief of police of Pendleton. The money found on his person corresponded to that re-

> Portland, Dec. 22,-William Edward Hickman, captured at Echo, Ore., today, admitted his identity, said advices recived here by the Union Pacific railroad.

Hickman, when arrested, at first denied, but later admitted, his identity to officers here that he was wanted in Lso Angeles. He said some one else killed Marian Parker, 12-year-old The knolls which overlook the stream Los Angeles girl, who was kidnaped

> Hickman was captured after a spectacular chase along the Columbia river highway.

In a statement to police, Hickman said the girl was killed Friday and the deed was the work of a fland who was not named in his confession.

He said no anaesthetic was used during the dissection of the body. She was strangled by wire in the hands of the murderer and he declared the deed was not committed in h . Bellevue apartment.

g; to college on and thought the kidnaping was an easy way out. The officers making the arrest stated that Hickman had a sawed-off shotgun on the seat of his automobile.

Hickman said he wanted money to

A large crowd is milling around the police station in Pendleton where the prisoner is held.

L. F. BARBER HELD BY BANDITS

Washington, Dec. 21,-An urgent representation was made to the Mexican government today by Ambassador Morrow in connection with the cap-Ajo-New Cornelia mine turning out ture by bandits of Lyman F. Barber, about 6,500,000 pounds of copper a American mining engineer of Los Angoles, who is being held at Noxtepec, The Calumet & Arizona Mining Co. although 6000 peacs have already been paid by his family for his release. The bandits are now demanding an additional 15,000 pesos.

> Mr. Barber is well known in Patagonia, having been employed by the Big Jim Mines, Inc., to overhaul their mill at Harshaw and install new equipment. .

What's New?

It is predicted that television machines for home use, which transmit moving pictures by radio, will soon se produced at a moderate price.

A new attachment for a saucepan rings a bell when its contents reach he boiling point.

of a method of making the human Prescott-Operations to be resumed Body transparent, so that the working of all the organs may be observed.

A French scientist claims discovery

Many standard remedles are vended by a London slot muchine which is really a miniature drug store.

Radio signals for the benefit of navigators are being placed around prac-Oatman-Plans making for early re- iteally the entire coast of the British

A midget phonograph which may

About Women

Miss Agnes Davis, lyric soprano of Tombstone-25 cars of silver-lead Denver, 23 years old, won first prize ore shipped to smelters from here of \$5000, a gold medal and two years' tuition in a conservatory in the Atwater-Kent national radio cobtest in New York.

Mrs. Myra Alison of Indianapolis, 81 years old, traveled 30,000 miles A steam boiler at the Nogales Buick last year, mostly by automobile, but

Miss Elsie Boardman of London, who was, unil recenty, a senegrapher, Too much steam, is given as the received an ovation at her operatic debut in the ole of Carmen with the British Nationa Opera Company.

Leland S. Miles of San Bernardino. 10 persons in the McCowan home in to row a 12-foot boat from New York grandfather. Her brother, Farnum, fire insurance. Today there are 150 Cal., was arrested and placed under r Heflin stands as a bullwork be- Atlanta pjust in time to enable them to Miami, expecting to complete the flew alone from Anderson to Wash- billions protecting American property \$500 bond for chasing a flock of wild geese in his airplane.

Famous Artist Depicts Coolidge As "Human, Kindly, Thoughtful"

Howard Chandler Christy, inter-nationally famous artist, illustrator, and portrait painter, disagrees with those who picture President Coolidge as "the grim, silent man of the White House.

The President, reputed to be taciturn and uncommunicative, has even been described as cool and unapproachable. That this impression of Mr. Coolidge has gained wide currency is indicated by the frequent newspaper references to "Silent Cai," and waggish comparisons of the executive to an iceberg and other objects descriptive of frigidity and immobility.

"If the impression prevails that President Coolidge is cold, unapproachable, silent and lacking in human qualities," declares Mr. Christy, who was a guest at the White House for several weeks while painting a portrait of the President and Mrs. Coolidge, "then I should say that the President is I should say that the President is an excellent actor."

mr. Christy was seated in his beautiful New York studio where such celebrities as Col. George Harvey, former Ambassador to England, Will Hays, Czar of the Motion picture industry, Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, Senator Coleman Dp Pont, and others, have satior portraits. Beside him stood his larviling wife, the famous "Christy more than compensated by his popudazzling wife, the famous "Christy more than compensated by his popu-Girl" of a thousand magazine covers larity with the masses, with the and illustrations.



average citizen of Main street, for "From the viewpoint of a portrait painter, just what impression did you form of Coolidge, the man?" such as Easter, Saint Valentine's Day, Christmas and New Years, the "He is one of the most human White House is literally deluged "He is one of the most human men I ever met," replied the artist. "He is really a most interesting conversationalist. He is extremely thoughtful of others. I could relate thoughtful of others. I could relate the dozen incidents illustrative of his certainly does not convey an improvement of unpopularity, nor does indicitude for others, his humanness and kindness. Being very human himself, he likes to make human contacts.

"The President may be cool and imapproachable to politicians who come bearing gifts in one hand and exes which they want to grind in the other, but he is an entirely different man when with his family certainly does not convey an impression of unpopularity, nor does it indicate that people who really count regard the president as "cool and unapproachable." I found him to be the very opposite, and I am sure that the expressions of good will which come to him each day from all over the country are not for Coolidge the President, but Coolidge the Man."

SANTA CRUZ PATAGONIAN

HOWARD KEENER Publisher and Owner

Subscription	Rates,	In	Advance:	
One Year		******		2.0
Six Months				1.5
Three Months				1.0

gonia, Arizona, as second-class mail matter.

PUBLISHED EVERY FRIDAY AT PATAGONIA, ARIZONA

Advertising Rates on Application

WHAT MINING MEANS

Addressing the thirtieth annunal convention of the American Mining States Attorney Tutte after the sen-Congress, in Washington, D. C., Wil- tences had been imposed, said: liam H. Lindsey, president of that organization, traced the development of the court to state that through the the mining industry from the earliest very efficient handing of this case braced national and international re- the gentemen who have been assoclations of thehi gheat order and re- ated with you here, the fire depart- lodge brother discussing plans for his quired the cooperation of industrial ment of the city of New York, the fneral. They were not plotting to leaders and statesmon in its service fire commissioner and the fire mar- kil him, however. The body of a

progress of the human race," siad Mr. men who are a real menace to life Lindsey. "The producion of salt was and property of this city." the first mining venture. The early Similar good work should be enof the human mind has grown the seves no public sympathy. need for things to be had only by mining. Today there is no industry MAKE IT HARD FOR CRIMINALS who died recently, leaving him \$100. that is not based on mining. Presentday comforts and luxuries are possible only through mining. Our medi-

more upon mining than any other in- licity is given to proposals which dustry, so let's boost this industry would favor and pamper the criminal ou rbatteships would be to send them for all we're worth. If you have min- at the expense of the law-abiding citiing news o impart to the outside zen. world, bring it to this office so we may print it thereby doing your bit est way to make it unpopular is to toward the development of our chief make it more unpleasant for the crim-

A NATION OF METAL USERS

Metal users are always progressive nations. If the figures were compiled already have regulatory laws regardit would probably be shown that the ing the sale of revolvers and the car- more goodwill than our whole diploaverage American uses more metal rying of concealed weapons. These matic corps. per capita than any other individual laws, in the past have been effective OUR COUNTRY HAS SOME MONEY in the world.

This is due to the fact that we have more railroads, more automobiles, more steel buildings, more electric development, more telephon equip- to do so. The crook has no business ment and more radio apparatus than being a crook but if he is a crook, cently as \$27,213,824,000. The total any other nation. These all take still he has no business carrying a metal.

The Western metal mines furnish the essential metals for many of our act of lawbreaking and later convictgreatest conveniences. These mines ed, he should be subjected to the have been leaders in adopting new penalty the law imposes. If he uses and progressive methods and utilizing a gun in the commission of a crime. ores which a few years ago were considered as so much waste.

The nation owes the American minin giving the world some of the possess guns. earth's greatest treasures.

As a nation, we should maintain our laws, doube the penalty for criminals his constitutional rights.

Interest in mining, and encourage its development by evrey legitimate

ARSON RING CAUGHT

With the entencing in November o band of crooked merchant and pro fessional firebugs that ronfessed to setting fire to a large warehouse in New York City, one of the most spectacular ason cases in the country has jus' been satisfactorily closed.

Judge Goddard, in the United States district court, meted out sentences of six and eight years in Atlanta federal prison, with a corresponding heavy fine to the principles responsible for robbing the insuance companies of lage sums of money in arson fires All of those guilty threw themselves upon the mercy of the court.

Judge Goddd, speaking to United

"Mr. Tuqtte, it is quite proper for by yoursef and your assistants and shal, you have succeeded without any tornado victim had been "identified" "Mining has been the keynote of trial, in ridding this community of a3 that of Roberts.

miners discovered that the hetaing of couraged. Make this country too hot copper produced a better weapon than to hold an arsonist. He is one of the the stone hatches. With the progress lowest crmnals in the list and de-

There is a whole lot of talk about the crime wave and how to reduce um of exchange is baed on mining." crime. A few practical suggestions Santa Cruz zcounty is dependent have been made, but most of the pub-

If we want to stop grime, the sur-

A law to deny the private citizezn the right to buy and own a pistol or revolver merely gives the criminal a safer fied in which to operate. We when they were enforced.

The average man has no business carrying a concealed weapon. If he has occasion to he can get a permit concealed weapon.

Therefore if he is arrested in the why not double the penalty?

This would punish the criminal who uses a gun unlawfully, rather than e: a debt of gratitude for the courage the private citizen who under the brate Christ's birthday. and perseverance which he has shown Constitution has a right to own and

In other words, enforce our present and uphold the law-abading citizen in

Quaint Lines Combine Smartly with the New



JUST as though it weren't joy enough to be young and slender, the slim young thing has this piquant new frock to increase the fun of living. It is adorably quaint with its full skirt gathered to a fitted bodice, yet undeniably modern with/its basque top cut on a square neckline. As though to link the pleasantly old-fashioned with the smartly newfashioned, a long streamered bow ties through bound slashes in the frock just below the left shoulder, and similar bows trim the long sleeves. Plain or fancy taffeia, radium or crèpe de Chine make this frock prettily, as do soft satin or velvet. (Copyright, 1927, by Butterick)

Sidelights

What is the trouble with our young people? That question has agitated many solicitous persons for quite a A recent writer answers the question to his own satisfaction, at east, thus: "Two things are the mtater with young peope. First, they are young; second, they are contaminated by association with their parents."

Rev. G. A. Leichleiter of Buffalo recently made a namination for a new tite, if an address before the Kiwanis cub of that city was correcty report ed. He said: "We have the greatest number of star-spanged jackasses in the world, and the jackass-in-cief is Mayor Thompson of Chicago,"

Mrs. R. C. Shoop Flick Taylor Judie Learn Trimmer Chroniter of York, Pa., is only 37, but has had seven husbands, four of whom met death in accidents. In spite of her tragedyfilled life, Mrs. Chronister is still optimitic and declares that her present hushand is the best of the lot.

Jesse Roberts, St. Louis salesman, returning homet from a regular trip, to isten to his wife, a minister and a

Courtey usualy has its reward, although not often in such substnatial manner as thta which came to Alfred Cronberg of Chicago. Years ago when employed by a gentlemen's cub Cronberg had been particuary attnetive to Robert Forsyth, a milionaire 060 as a token of apprecitaon.

Rear Admiral William S. Sims is among those who believe aircraft will decide future wars. He says: "In another war the best thing to do with asf ar as posible up the Mississippi river out of harm's way."

Lindberggh was received with wild enthusiasm upon completing his nonstop flight fom Washington to Mexico City in a little more than 27 hours. In view of the strained relations between the United States and Mexico it would not be a bad idea to keep him there a while. He could make

The largest total resources ever reported by United States national banks in our country, including Hawaii and qAlaska, were reported reexceeded that of last June's report by \$631,881,000.

Wouldn't it be cute if one of our magazine cover artists would hit on the idea of representing the New Year as a naked baby?

Ameicanism: Skirmishing around for bootlet liquor with which to cele-

where they use dangerous weapons,

WALTER P. CHRYSLER'S



DRIVE CAREFULLY-WALK CAREFULLY

With the increase in the number the end of the car and starts across With the increase in the number of motor vehicles on our streets and highways it is imperative that the necessity for careful driving be pointed out constantly. But it is of equal importance that we have careful walking. Not only the motorist but also the pedestrian must been constantly alert. must keep constantly alert.

The person who jay-walks, that

is, crosses a street at a place other than a crossing, is careless. And the careful driver must be constantly alert in watching for the careless The person who crosses a street

while the traffic light is against

right of way must also be alert to keep an eye on the person who insists upon taking chances by darting through lines of moving vehicles.

The person who alights from a

street without looking to see

whether any vehicle is round the corner is a little bit careless. The careful driver in rounding a corner will be particularly careful, and courteously he will permit the pedestrian to cross first. I have no patience with the driver who requires the pedestrian to run

him, is careless. The motorist who to cross in safet, faces the green light and has the What is needed What is needed constantly is careful driving and careful walking. The motorist must be respectful of the rights of the pedestrian and the pedestrian must be respectful of the rights of the motorist. Thoughtstreet car and then walks around fulness always pays.

It begins to ook as though Messrs. expensive gold bricks.

Some get a kick out of life by fool-Smith and Vare have bought rather ing around the business end of a

Nogales Visitors

Will receive prompt and courteous service for gasoline, oil. air, water, car greasing, tire repairing and vulcanizing at this service station.

(FORMER STANDARD OIL STATION)

NOGALES,

ARIZONA

We have for sale SAMPSON TIRES, ued for 4 years by one of the largest western states and also by one of the largest oil companies of the nation. TRY SAMPSONS NEXT

The Patagonian Offers It's Readers



fail to take advantage of this money-saving opportunity. No need to wait as Renewals will be extended from date of present expiration.

Gentlemen: I wish to take advantage of your Magazine Bargain Offer. 1 am enclosing the above amount in payment for a one year subscription to your prper and the FIVE Magazines I have marked with an X below. All subscriptions are for a full year.

St. or R. F. D ...

~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~

American Poultry Journal Good Stories Household Magazina American Swineherd Capper's Farmer Dairy Farmer

DEverybody's Poultry Magazine Farm & Fireside Farm Life Farm Journal Fruits & Gardens

☐ Gentlewoman Magazine

Sportsman's Digest Successful Farming Woman's World CHOOSE Mark this coupon now and bring TODAY

Modern Homemaking

People's Home Journal

People's Popular Monthly

Open Road (Boys)

Needlecraft

The United States produces about | two and a half million barrels of petreleum a day and the Lord only knows how much "banana oil

DR. BAYARD FITTS

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialist

NOGALES, . . ARIZONA

Some politicians, too, should be forced to muffle their exhausts.

CASTORIA

In Use For Over 30 Years

Signature of Char

The Cavern

"The Border's Finest Cafe"

We extend to the people of the border an invitation to come and dine with us. You will see one of the fines cafes on he Mexican border and you will be served with the best of foods-and be charged a reasonable price.

THE CAVERN is now open for patronage. Music while you are dining. Courteous and attentive service. Clean and sanitary, Kitchen equipped with latest electrical refrigeration.

NOGALES, SONORA, MEXICO

NEXT ON THE **PROGRAM**

CHRISTMAS **NEW YEAR'S**

THEY ARE THE GREATEST HOLIDAYS OF THE YEAR

You Must Visit Our Store We're Prepared to Meet Every Demand in the

Way of GIFTS, TOYS and WEARING APPAREL

Nogales' Largest Store

Trees, Shrubbery And Vines

Are as necessary to the yard and home as clothes are to the person. They are a mark of distinction; a protection from the ravages of the elements and a comfort that is incalculable.

The Neoshu Nurseries, in the Ozarks, are taking a personal interest in the adornment of your yards that you cannot afford

Their guarantee affords you a greater protection for the moderate expenditure required to beautify your grounds than any I have seen written.

I will see you in plenty of time to take care of your 1928 requirements, with prices on fruit and ornamental trees, shrubbery and vines, f. o. b. Neoshu or delivery.

In the meantime, if you are desirous of the assistance of an expert landscape artist in the arrangement of your grounds, a letter addressed to the Neoshu Nurseries, Neoshu, Missouri, or to myself will put you in touch with one at a reasonable cost.

RALPH C. McINTYRE Parker Canon, Arizona

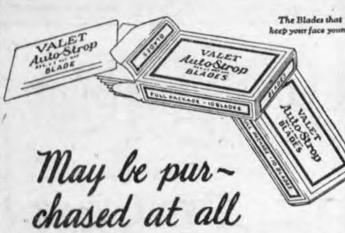


Checks are the best receipts in the world for paid bills. Our record of the canceled Check as it is paid and passes through our books forms a chain of evidence that cannot be surpassed or disputed. Starting a Checking Account with as is a simple matter. Let us tell you how.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF NOGALES NOGALES, ARIZONA

Assets Over \$3,000,000

A Reminder!
Valet Auto-Strop
Blades



local stores carrying shaving supplies

Valet Auto-Strop Razor

AutoStrop Safety Rasor Co., 656 First Ave., New York, N. Y.

TRADE AT HOME!

Arizona Packing Company's meats are from cattle raised in Arizona. Cactus brand Bacon and Ham is as good as can be procured anywhere, and we cure them from the meat of Arizona-raised swine. Patronize Arizona industries whenever possible and help your state grow. The money you send away stays away.

ARIZONA PACKING COMPANY NOGALES, ARIZONA



WE HAVE A STOCK OF

Kelly-Springfield Tires

We Also Carry AUTO ACCESSORIES, GAS, OILS, ANG GREASES

We deal in Wood, Hay, Grain, and Poultry Feed, and do Hauling, both light and heavy. See us FIRST.

PATAGONIA ICE & LIGHT

REPORE IMPROVING PROPERTY be sure your title is clear. Title to much land in Nogales, l'atagonia and other parts of this county is cloudy. BANTA CRUZ COUNTY ABSTRACT AND TITLE COMPANY

F. A. French, Mgr.

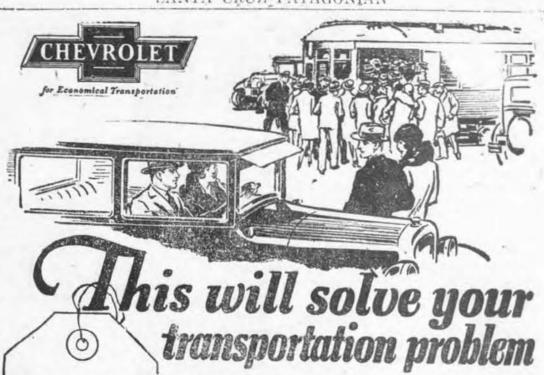
Nogales Arisons

Howard Keener, at the Patagonian office, will acknowledge your legal papers, put the Notary's Seal thereon -and has for sale all kinds of legal

B. P. O. E. NOGALES LODGE NO. 1397 Meets second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at Elks' Home on Morley Ave. Visiting brothers always welcome

HARRY RENSHAW, Exalted Ruler ROBERT E. LEE, Secretary

It's better to insure your proporty than to wish you had. See Howard Keeper at the Patagonian office -Adv



Look at these Bargains!

Chevrolet Coupe \$250.00

Buick Touring \$100.00

Ford Touring \$100.00

Dodge Touring \$375.00

Ford Touring \$175.00

> Chevrolet Roadster \$325.00

Every day more and more people are learning of the comfort, in rependence and economy provided in our used cars "with an O. K. that counts!"

If you do not own an automobile, or if you need an additional car for yourself or the familycome in and see the bargains we are offering in re-conditioned used cars!

For an investment so small that it will amaze you, we can provide you with a car that will give you miles of dependable and satisfactory service ... one that you will be proud to own

Come in and inspect these real values. We have a choice selection-many of them driven but a few thousand miles. All are priced for quick sale-and all are available on terms to suit your convenience. Come in today!

C. C. Cheshire Motor Co.

NOGALES, ARIZONA

Phone 99

USED CARS

243 Morley Avenue

with an OK that counts

MAIL US THAT

Old Pair of Shoes

We'll fix them up and promptly return them to you.

latest new machinery.

PRICES RIGHT

Nogales Saddlery

313 Morley Ave. ARIZONA

"LA PERLA"

Jewelry Store F. A. Sarabia, Prop. 107 Morley Ave. NOGALES, ARIZONA

Elgin and Waltham Watches Expert Watch and Jewelry Repair ing. All work guaranteed. Reparacion Perfecta , de Alha'as ; Relojes. Trabajo garantizado.

DR. M. A. WUERSCHMIDT Optical Specialist

Arizona Optical Company

313 Morley Avenue

NOGALES,

ARIZONA

KEY CITY TAILORS H. T. CONNER 138 Grand Ave. Phone 212 Nogales, Ariz.

Up-to-Date Cleaning and Pressing Hats Cleaned and Blocked Sults Made to Order

All Dye Work Guaranteed Mail your clothes to us. We will deliver them on time.

Our Work, Our Prices, Our Service Will Please You

For the Best in Nogales, Sonora

VISIT THE FAMOUS

CUT IN SOLID ROCK ***********

We specialize in Sea Foods and Game in Season. All kinds of Chinese dishes to your order. **********************

Where the Tourists eat their meals in the cool recesses of dining-rooms cut into the rock hill-



People who wouldn't think of going to any but a good, reputable dealer for food, clothing, or furniture, patronize the worst kind of "dumps" when it comes time to buy a tire.

They do this thinking it is necessary n order to get a tire

We'll sell you the best tire made-a Goodyear-at a price as low as you can get anywhere.

EAST SIDE GARAGE

R. C. Blabon, Proprietor

PATAGONIA

ARIZONA

S. moone has sued the Encyclopedia Beltannica for libel, but the World's Almanse has so for esc ped.

The unkindest cut was that of th columnist who referred to Lyle as Mr. Ruin Elder, nee Wemack.



MOTHER! Fletcher's Castoria is a harmless Substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Teething Drops and Soothing Syrups, prepared to relieve Infants in arms and Children all ages of

Constipation Flatulency Diarrhea

Wind Colic To Sweeten Stomach Regulate Bowels

Aids in the assimilation of Food, promoting Cheerfulness, Rest, and

Natural Sleep without Opiates

To avoid imitations, always look for the signature of hart Hetcher Proven directions on each package. Physicians everywhere recommend it.

International Casino

Alex Rossi, Mgr.

At the Plaza, Sonora, Mexico (Just across the border),

THE ONLY FIRST-CLASS PLACE TO EAT AND DRINK

HANK'S GARAGE

Hank Myers, Prop.

AUTO REPAIRING

STUDEBAKER SERVICE CARS GREASED AND OILED

340 Grand Avenue,

Nogales, Arizona

FOR DEVELOPMENT WORK, FOR SMALL HIGH GRADE VEINS,

FARRADA LABAMARADARABARA MARAMARA

Here Is the Mill

Efficient, Economical, Easily Handled, Simple

Price \$3200

10-15 TON FLOTATION MILL

Extra Cost for Boiler and Engine, or Gascline Engine, From \$1200.00 to \$1600.00

Roy & Titcomb

Incorporated

NOGALES, ARIZONA

SUBSCRIPTION C	OUPON
----------------	-------

1927.

Santa Cruz Patagonian, Patagonia, Arizona.

_year__ subscription, at \$2.00 per yes:

Name.

St. and No

City and State_

Nursery Rhyme for Grown-Ups Mary had a little lamb,

Given by a friend to keep. It followed her around until It died from want of sleep.

From the murderer's standpoint even "occasional insanity" is better than none.

ASSAYING
PRICE LIST
Gold and Silver in 1 sample. \$1.00
Gold, Silver, Lead and Copper in 1 sample Lead, Copper, Zinc, Manganese, Iron, Lime, Graphite, Sulfur, Iron, Lime, Graphite, Sulfur, Insolubles (gold or silver alone) ..\$1.00

Discounts on large amounts.

ORES BOUGHT f.o.b. Nogales,
Ariz., at 90% of smelter value
less \$5.00 per lot sampling and

Accuracy and Promptness My Aim 12 Years in Present Business. Hugo W. Miller NOGALES, Box 267 ARIZONA

General Merchandise

And Miners' Supplies

Fruits and Vegetables

SEE US FIRST

THE CORNER STORE

Patagonia, Ariz.

The Boss Gives Orders

Professor-See here, my man, who n the devil told you to plant all that new shrubbery in my front yard? Gardener-Why, your wife did, of

Professor-Mighty pretty, itn't it?

Stranger-Why are you running a team roller over that field? Farmer-I'm trying to raise mashed

FULLER BRUSHES Make the Ideal Christmas Gift. L. T. GAINES Nogales, Arizona Phone 216 Res. 210 East St.

HOTEL BOWMAN Nogales, Arizona TUCSONIA HOTEL Tucson, Arizona

IN 1828 Someone has dug up the records of

the Lancaster, O., school board back in 1828. In these records there is an account of a proposed debate as to whether railroads were practical or not. Permission was asked to hold the debate in the school house and the minutes of the school board meeting ran as follows: "You are welcome to use the school room to debate all proper questions in, but such things as railroads and telegraphs are impossibilities and rank infidelity. There is nothing in the word of God about them. If God had designed that His intelligent creatures should travel at the frightful speed of 15 miles an hour by steam He would have foretold it through His holy prophets. It is a device of Satan to lead immoral souls down to hell."

Not to be outdone by Florida and California, the famed Riviera is having a real estate boom.

PRODUCTION CONTRACTOR CONTRACTOR

We Are **Taking** nventory

We wan this year's inventory to be the most successful we ever had. We want to make it exact to the last item. In order to do this we just have got to clear our present stock of merchan-

We are sensitive! We want to

Every item in the store has been marked at prices low and sure to appeal! Everything is ready for immediate selling.

VISIT US AND BE CONVINCED

DEPARTMENT STORE Originators of Low Prices 129 Morley Avenue Nogales,



T WAS Christmas Eve-quite the most glorious Christmas Eve Virginia Ray had ever Everything was ready for the party-her party-from the "Merry Christmas" place-cards to the splendid Christmas tree that would be ablaze all evening

Virginia pinned the last red stocking to the mantel, and turned to her mother. "I think it was real mean of George not to offer to play Santa Claus for me," she said, "After his having such a nice costume, too." "But, dear," her mother answered

with little lights and colors.

didn't know you had invited him." "I didn't, but of course I would have, if he had been just the least bit nice," Virginia pouted, and hurrled off to get ready to receive her guests. Her mother, busy with last-minute dewhat might have

'How could he when you quarreled?

of her own youth. few minutes later she went to

the phone, held a brief conversation. and as she hung up the receiver she called up the stairs: "Hurry, dear. I do belleve some of your guests are com-"I'll be right

down." Virginia's voice preceded its owner by only a second. "Do I look all right, mother?"

"All right," said Mrs. Ray's voice, and her eyes said, "Lovely," and her heart said, "My own darling!"

Virginia, responding to an urgent bur-inggg! admitted her earliest guests. Half an hour later, when the rooms were filled with merry, chattering young people, the orchestra struck up the first dance. Escorts led their laughing partners to the center of the floor, but Virginia did not dance the first number-she had not invited George. Neither had she invited, as her partner, anyone else.

That dance was over, and another, and another. The Christmas tree was admired; the mistletoe was found, and put to its proper use; occasional silences made clear the distant sound of carolers; the clock struck teneleven-twelve.

At that moment the guests were surprised (and so was Virginia) by the sound of sleighbells, a hearty "Merry Christmas," and the appearance, from somewhere near the tree, of as jolly a Santa as one could imagine. Near beside him stood Mrs.

"Why, Mr. Santa Claus, I do beleve," and then she presented him to

the company. "My old childhood friend, Mr. Santa Claus, has come to pay us a visit, and as he is all loaded down with his various gifts, which must be derow morning, 1 suggest that he give any of us who are to receive his attentions, our presents now." "I didn't know,

Virginia," said Pudgy Clark, the

fat and awkward youth who had stepped on Virginia's toes during the last dance, "I didn't know you believed in Santa Claus." "I don't!" Virginia snapped. "All right," he laughed, "you needn't bite my head off."

The favors distributed, Mrs. Ray called Virginia. "Here, dear, you and Santa lead the grand march. If you will all follow, I think we might find some refreshments in another room." "Righto!" sald Santa, in a decided-

ly unfrigid voice, Somehow, Santa

knew just where to go. But then, of course, Santa Claus knows everything. He even knew, a few moments later. when Virginia excused herself from the party, and slipped back to the other room, now in a state of partial disarray, and (for even the orchestra embers were enjoying the repast in the other room) forlorn in its emptiness. Virginia was feeling particuarly forlorn and particularly proud. Santa Claus must know everything, for he knew just how long to wait before he, too, wandered from the merry group and joined Virginia. And he (or was it Cupid?) knew just what to say to make this really the most wonderful Christmas Eve in all Virginia's life. Just what it was, I am not sure, but he must have told Virginia, for presently she said, "I know; I know," and she had cheered up quite a bit before he put his arm around her. Somehow she wasn't so forlorn-nor quite so proud.

After a while they walked over to the tree together, and they listened to the carolers; and then, somehow, they stopped right under the mistle-What George said was whispered in her enr, so we shall never know, but Virginia was laughing as she answered him,

"Why, George," she said, "how dare you say I don't believe in Santa

(c), 1927, Western Newspaper Union.)

Waiter (placing soup before guest) It looks like rain today, sir. Guest-Yes, take it away.

TO WOMEN SEEKING

Christmas Gifts

FOR MEN

accustomed to wearing \$3.00 Shirts; but a \$6.00 Shirt may be, for it would be a luxury. Half a dozen pairs of 50c Socks hardly fill the bill, but three pairs of \$\$1.50 Socks may make a hit. A man likes to receive in a gift something a little different from the sort of thing he is accustomed to buy when he shops for himself. One way of making sure of the difference is to choose something a trifle better.

WE CARRY AN EXTENSIVE LINE OF

ARTISTIC SHIRTS **BROADWAY SHIRTS**

In Silk, Broadcloth, Madras and Poplin materials priced from \$2.50 to \$9.00

In obtaining these two lines we have the latest styles, the best materials and tailored shirts in America.

No man ever has enough shirts. Give him something he will be proud to wear. Select from hundreds of dozens at the Army

QUALITY GOODS AT A REAL SAVING ALL THE YEAR 'ROUND

ARMY STORE

205 MORLEY AVE.

NOGALES,

ARIZONA



MORLEY AVENUE, NOGALES, ARIZONA

Save! Now! Here!

Our Thrifty Low Prices Make Good News for Keen Shoppers

Come Here For That New Frock

Where Substantial Savings Are An Example of Quality Buying

The remarkable frock values we are offering now are but another example of the savings we pass on to you—savings resulting from our extraordinary buying power!

> Woman - Misses - Juniors - There Are Shopping Advantages for All of You!

We advise you to come as soon as you can-there are frocks in a full range of sizes now - but at these prices they will not last long.

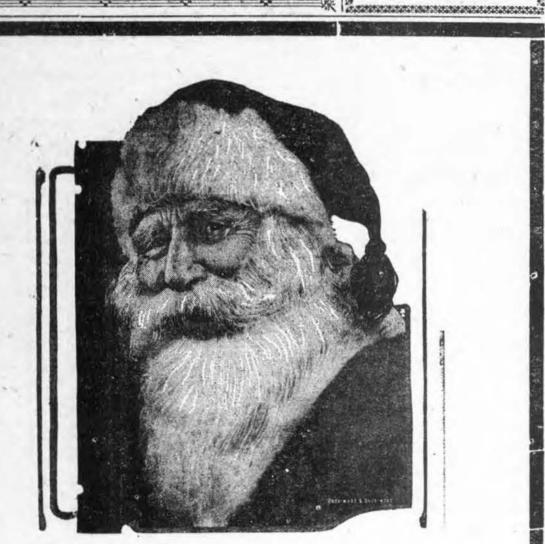
> A Message of Dress Economies That Speaks for Itself

The styles are timely the fabrics of qualities that you will find entirely pleasing and satisfactory. The prices cannot indicate the values you will find!



These Values Are True To Our Standard of Selling The Best for Less

When you need a new frock-that is when you will find plenty of them priced within your pocketbook in our stock! Visit us right now-the chance for a pleasing selection is a good one. Flat crepe, satin and georgette frocks are included.



Wishing You A Merry Christmas



Nogales,

Arizona

A MODERN

MIRACLE

A New Year's Story

By Noni C. Bailey

TI WAS one of those raw, cold rains

tailed to keep the carnival crowds off

the streets, although they were less

dense than usual. Just off Seventh

street, on Hope, stood a man, buddled

shivering against a building, holding

the inevitable tin cup. He was cold-

his clothes were badly worn-and

Along the street came, singing soft-

ly to herself, a sweet-faced mite of a

Norwegian woman, perhaps sixty

years of age. She was dainty, well-

dressed. She, too, was cold-she, too

was hungry. The man did not know

that, so he jingled the few coins in his

cup, hoping the familiar sound might

attract the dainty lady and that she

might contribute more. She looked-

she saw a picture that tore her ender

beart. The man's face was-months

before the doctors had told the man

did not have the money, so he never

went back. She knew he could not

work-with that! She had no money

to give but she wanted to help. How

she wanted to help! It was the holi

day spirit, perhaps. Then she remem

bered the apostle who said, "Such as

the man she said, "You poor man!

haf no money, but I vill pray for

you." The man laughed, a hollow sort

of laugh, but at the end there was a

catch in his voice as he said, "Alright

It was a few months later when the

ittle lady had found employment in

the great city of strangers and was

going home from her work one eve-

ning that she met a man who looked

strangely familiar to her. There

seemed a look of puzzled recognition

on his face as he approached her.

Then she thought, yes, it must be!

Stopping, she laid her hand on his

rm and said, "Are you-that man?"

'Yes," he answered, "and you are

He Was Scarcely Conscious That He

Still Held the Cup.

THAT WOMAN-the woman who

said she prayed for me on New Year'

Then he told her how it imppened

He was so moved by the unusual offer

of help he had received that he could

no longer stand at that post and beg

He had listlessly wandered toward the

rowd, toward the street where one

nost often sees his bind-Main street

The carnival was taking on a gayer

spect as the rain slackened. He had

ropped in front of a hotel. He could

not even remember which hotel; but

suddenly the crowd began to come

out, The party must have been just

ver then. It was a gay party and

he guests were in gala attire-he re

nembered that. He was scarcely con-

clous that he still held the cup-the

nevitable (in cun-in his hand; when

he coins began to tinkle. The cut

ad been filled; be bud emptied it in

ils pocket. It was filled again-and

gain. The sirens shricked, the whis

les blew, the bells rang, the rain

eased falling and the crowds became

lenser. They were folly people that

light and no one seemed to notice

hat all who were in reach of i

in cup. At last the crowds had de-

o bis bunk, where he counted the

noney over and over until morning

Then he had gone back to the doctor

for new clothes. And now-he was

He wanted to do something for the

dainty little lady who had prayed for

No longer is the "Happy New

gry and ye fed me." and she answers.

(6), 1927, Western Newspaper Union.

igain.

trade again.

re, and do likewise!"

whistles blow.

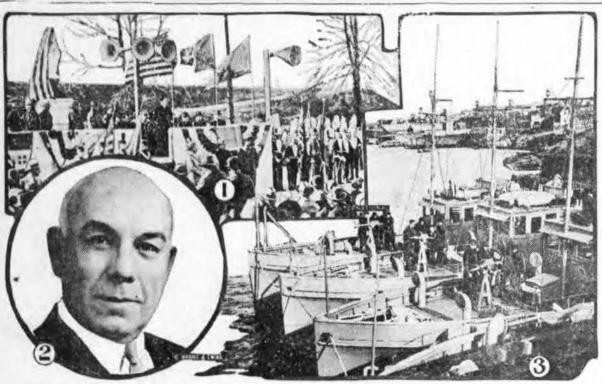
'I vas so glad!"

mam, thank you."

he was hungry.

nights in Los Angeles. It was New

Year's Eve and even the weather



1-General view at unveiling of Columbus monument that was presented to Richmond, Va., by Italian citizens of Virginia. 2-8, S. Kresge of Detroit, head of a chain of stores, who pledged \$500,000 to the Anti-Saloon league for its educational fund. 3-Crews of rum chasers at Gloucester, Mass., getting their guns ready for the holiday rush of rum running.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Lindy Scores Again With His Nonstop Flight to Mexico City.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

C OL. CHARLES A. LINDBERGH spread himself all over the front pages again last week. Having been Invited to visit Mexico by President Calles, "Lindy" tuned up the Spirit of St. Louis and almost without warning hopped off from Bolling field, Washington, a little after noon on Tuesday. Twenty-seven hours and ten minutes later he landed gracefully at Valbuena aviation field, Mexico City, completing the first nonstop flight between the two capitals. The distance is a little over 2,000 miles. Lindbergh had estimated that the jaunt would take 26 hours, but after passing Tampico he was forced to fly high above clouds, lost his bearings and went considerably too far to the west, passing over Salamanca, Morelia and Toluca. He said the trip was the most enjoyable and least adventurous he ever had.

Hailed as an unofficial ambassador of good will, Lindbergh was welcomed by an immense throng of wildly enthusiastic Mexicans. In the grandstand were President Calles, Ambassador Morrow and his staff, diplomatle representatives of many other nations and a crowd of other dignitaries. The delay in his arrival had worried them considerably, and President Calles in greeting him told of this anxiety. Calles sent congratulatory telegrams to President Coolidge and Lindy's mother, and issued a formal statement, in which he said:

"The United States in sending to Mexico the highest representative of Its manhood, will power and heroism, has created closer spiritual and material relations. I congratulate Colone! Lindbergh and the American people, which is fully justified in being proud of having such a man.'

While Colonel Lindbergh was in the air on his way to Mexico, President Coolidge signed the bill awarding him the Congressional Medal of Honor. The measure originated in the house when the aviator visited that body, and in its passage the usual formal-Itles were ignored. The senate, of course, put the bill through unhesi-

THREE hundred mayors of cities in thirty states held a three-day airport conference in Chicago for the premotion of commercial aviation, and it was declared a great success. Before it closed the National Airports association was organized and Mayor Thompson of Chicago was elected president. The other officers chosen, were: Vice presidents, G. B. Hegardt, Oakland, Calif.; J. H. Willis, Birmingham, Ala.; M. E. Wells, Phillipsburg, Pa., and Frank Sudheimer, St. Paul, Minn.; secretary-treasurer, Howard C. Knotts, Springfield, Ill.; directors, Mayor Toomey of Pine Bluff, Ark., Mayor F. A. Cook of Niles, Mich., and William B. Stout of the Ford Airplane

O Ult second naval airplane carrier, the Lexington, was put in commission at Quincy, Mass., on Wednesday and Capt. Albert Ware Marshall took command. The Lexington, described by naval authorities as the most powerful naval vessel afloat, is a companion ship of the recently commissioned Saratoga. It had been under construction at the Fore river plant for several years and cost \$45 .-000,000. The ship is 874 feet long, of 33,000 tons, and is capable of making 39 mlles an hour.

S ECRETARY OF THE NAVY WILdent Coolidge, submitted to congress legislation authorizing the construction of twenty-five cruisers, five aircraft carriers, thirty-two submarines and five destroyers, the estimated cost to be \$725,000,000. This is understood by navy officials to be the first fiveyear increment of a proposed twentyyear naval building and replacement | the building and many children were | Hill.

program which contemplates the event- | carried to safety. Then the walls of ual expenditure of between two and three billion dollars. With the exception of battleships, this program would place the United States almost on a parity with Great Britain.

Secretary Wilbur hopes to have work on the program started at once. His plan is to have five cruisers, one aircraft carrier, and a number of submarines and destroyers begun each year. All would be started in five years and the last ship would be completed in nine. The bill does not specify any definite period.

D OCUMENTS published by Hearst papers, relating to alleged payments by the Mexican government to four United States senators, are being investigated by a special senate committee. The documents, of which facsimiles were printed, indicate that \$1,-200,000 was put in the hands of A. M. Elias, Mexican financial agent in New York, to be divided among Senators Borah, Hefin, Norris and La Follette. These gentlemen all entered vigorous denials of any connection with or knowledge of the affair, as did Dudley Field Malone, named as the American intermediary. Senor Elias testified that the documents were rank forgeries. Their authenticity was asserted by Mr. Hearst and several of his employees, who told how they were obtained.

N OT satisfied with the tax bill submitted by the ways and means committee, the house, in committee of the whole, made various radical alterutions last week and Thursday night the representatives passed a measure which provides for tax reductions aggregating \$290,000,000, or \$65,000,000 in excess of the maximum set by the administration. The vote was 366 to 24. The bill repeals the automobile tax, cuts the tax on club dues in half and increases the exemption fr mission taxes from 75 cents to \$1. The tax on corporation earnings is reduced and the exemption increased.

SENATOR REED'S slush fund committee decided to take up first the case of Senator-elect Smith of Illinois and asked him to appear on Friday. However, Mr. Smith sent word that he could not be present then and requested that a date be fixed immediately after the holiday recess. It had been reported that Mr. Smith might drop his battle for a seat in the senate, but he told interviewers he had no thought of resigning.

O KLAHOMA is in the midst of one of its periodical political rows, The legislature, or a majority of both houses, decided that Gov. Henry Johnston and some other state officlals needed investigating. The governor refused to call a special session of the legislature and the state courts ruled that a session uncalled by him would be filegal. The representatives gathered for their meeting, nevertheless, and the National Guard was called out to keep them from the capitol. They held a secret meeting and voted articles of impeachment against the governor, the chief justice of the state Supreme court, Fred P. Branson, and Harry B. Cordell, president of the state board of agriculture. The charges included incompetence, diversion of state funds, extortion and other misbehavior. The governor then permitted the senate to meet in its chamber and it voted to try him on the Impeachment charges but decided that he should not be suspended from office, as is specifically provided in the state constitution. This was in order to avoid the possibility of a dual government. The charges against Branson and Cordell also are to be heard by the senate.

FIFTY or more little children and one nun perished Wednesday night in a fire that destroyed the Hospice St. Charles, an old orphanage in Quebec. Five hundred children and forty nuns were in the building when the flames, believed to have started in the basement, broke out in a dormitory on the second floor. In a short time the entire bullding was a mass of flames. Efforts of firemen, police, and the nuns who conducted the orphanage were directed toward rescue work. Ladders were placed on every side of

the ancient structure collapsed.

C ANTON Communists, aided by a an operation might remove the ma against the Nationalist government and seized control of the city after looting and burning business places and killing a lot of men. American gunboats were rushed to the place to protect the American residents, forty in number, and a force was sent ashore, where British and Japanese I have I give unto thee." Walking up troops also were on guard. The loyal Kuomintang troops counter attacked while their war vessels shelled the bund, and after a bloody battle they regained possession of the city. About 4,000 were killed in the fight, and there were wholesale executions of captured Reds. The Nationalist government, of which Gen. Chiang Kaishek is again the leader, already had severed relations with Soviet Russia and after the Canton uprising it ordered all Russian consulates in south China to be closed. Quo Tai-chi, commissioner of foreign affairs, said China was fed up with communism and communistic intrigue and that the Nationalists had decided to work along Anglo-Saxon rather than Soviet lines.

POLAND and Lithuania are not going to fight-at least not at present. When Dictator Pilsudski and Premier Waldemaras met before the council of the League of Nations, the former demanded bluntly: "Is it peace or war?" To which Waldemaras replied calmly: "It is peace, I hope." The council applauded and then an accord which leaves the major differences between the two countries to be settled between themselves, or through the good offices of the League of Nations, was agreed on. Lithuania was not called on to surrender her claim to Vilna.

DREMIER MUSSOLINI created something of a sensation by an interview he granted to the Tunis Dispatch. Proclaiming that "France and Italy are as two brothers, quarreling often, but sincerely loving each other," he called on France to aid him in forming a vast Latin bloc, including Spain, Portugal and the South and Central American republics, This would give the Latin leaders a world hegemony that would smash the prestige of the United States and transfer the direction of Latin-American affairs to the Mediterranean. While professing deep friendship for France, the Fascist chieftain rebuffed England and Russia, explaining that the Italians would never understand these peoples as they understand fel-

Advices from Rome say Mussolini considers that the only posible solution of the present Franco-Italian sitnation is a regular treaty of amity, arbitration and nonaggression,

HENRY L. STIMSON, former secreby President Coolidge to succeed the late Leonard Wood as governor general of the Philippines, and plans to sail for the Islands late in January. The announcement was received with enthusiasm by War department officials, who considered it certain that Mr. Stimson would continue General Wood's policies. The appointment was pleasing, also, to Manual Quezon. president of the Island senate, and the members of his party now in the United States in the interest of independence for the Philippines. Mr. Stimson won special praise from the President and the State department officials for his work as Mr. Coolidge's personal peace advocate in Nicaragua during the insurrection last spring. He visited the Philippines in 1926 but has never served in an official capacity.

S. HILL of South Dakota re-W. signed as a member of the shipping board when it was disclosed that he had borrowed money from the firm of Swayne & Hoyt of San Francisco who held a contract for operation of the American-Australia Orient line Hill's action was characterized by his colleagues as a "grave impropriety." He explained that the loan was obtained to save a South Dakota bank from fallure. The Swayne & Hoyt contract was canceled by the board, and President Coolidge nominated Albert H. Denton of Kansas to succeed

Irish Holy Mountain GOOD-BY, OLD YEAR!

GOOD-BY, 19271 Good-bygoing. The past has never gathered to itself a greater year. The world has never rolled through twelve months so marked with human progress. No other year has ever seen inventive genius contributing so much to the conveniences of mankind.

Time marks the stately passing of the old, but brings, as well, the more resplendent coming of the new. A year more rarely Jeweled is pressing through the portals. The world turns from gloom and death to hope and birth and with the harvest of the past makes rich the new-born year,-William L. Gaston.

(© 1827 Western Newspaper Union,) -----

Delbert Found a New Year's Friend 0 0 0

By Eleanor E. King

E VEN New Year's is a duli day when one knows no one, is in a large city with multitudes of people around, and no place in particular to go. Delbert, as he stood wondering what to do, noticed a sign in a little cramped shop, across the street. It read:

"Special New Year's sale of books. Any book in our store, today, for half

Delbert, wading through the slush of the new fallen snow, proceeded across the street. It would be interesting to look through some of those old musty books and, perhaps, pass half an hour or so of this long day. An hour passed. Delbert was having the time of his

"Where in the world do you ever tind these old books? Here is one dated seventeen hundred and sixty-

The old gray-haired proprietor ooked at Delbert disgustedly. He laughed, showing his barren gums ornamented by one front tooth which looked as though the first gentle zephyr of spring might prove its un

"It's just the young birds like you what comes in here and says to me. Well, Pa, 1 brought these ole books dear from home, but my stomach tells me I'm goin' to part wid 'em soon. You ain't never done it yet?"

"No. How much do you want for this book?"

Delbert left the shop with his facorite book of Tennyson's poems un der his arm. Sented in his room, he prepared to peruse the book at his "That was a happy thought. I have

one friend in this big city I can spend tie sat thumbing over the pages

when suddenly be turned a leaf and stopped with a start.

"What, a twenty dollar bill! The eries of eighteen humbred. I wonder what person in his detage hid that bill in this old book. Safe keeping Quite an Idea. Perhaps this person died, they pawned his books and furn) ture to bury blin. And I was the tucky one to get the money. Funny some one else didn't find it before this Some friend," he said slapping the cover of the book. "A profitable New Year's afternoon, I will journey to your place often, Pa."

(6) 1927, Western Newspaper Unton.)

Beginning the New Year A New Year, the turning of another page in the book of our lives. Lo. it is before us a clean white page, a

slab of snow-white marble, whereon me must record the events of the coming year. What shall we write thereon? Happiness and Joy, sorrow or grief. Truly as Longfellow says: Life is real, life is carnest. Let us then be up and doing with a heart for any fate; still achieving, still pursuing, tearn to labor and to walt."



Scene of Pilgrimage More than 100,000 pligrims made the tortuous climb to the summit of the holy mountain, Croach Patrick, near Aghagower, Mayo, Ireland, to visit the spot where St. Patrick wrestled 40 days and nights with Satan before driving out the snakes.

The pilgrims included trishmen from all over the world, to whom the spot, 2.150 feet above sea level, is hallowed. not only because of the saint but because it has been the scene of annual pilgrimages ever since the Fifth century.

All good Irishmen know, say the pilgrims, that St. Patrick received three promises; (1) That every one doing penance, even in the last hour, should not be condemned to hell; (2) that barbarians should never conquer Christians and, (3) that the sea will cover Ireland seven years before

In 1619, Pope Paul V Issued a special indulgence to Croagh Patrick pilgrims and Irish history tells of annual pilgrimages since 1113, when 30 pilgrims perished in a journey to the mountain during a thunderstorm.

When You Feel a Cold Coming On. Take Laxative BROMO QUININE Tablets to work off the Cold and to fortify the system against an attack of Grip or Influenza, 30c .- Adv.

Electric Saw for Butchers

The circular saw has been adapted for use in the butcher shop and where it is claimed it will greatly increase the facilities of the operation of catting up a piece of meat. It will perform all the operations from "breaking" beef to cutting a chop. It is suspended over the butcher's block and when out of use it hangs high enough to be entirely out of the way. An ingenious feature is a guard which automatically falls into place at the right time.

Newspapers of Japan

Japan, with an area less than that of California, has a population of 65.-000,000, yet it has 1,137 daily publications and 2,850 weekly publications. The total circulation of the dailies is more than 10,000,000. In gathering of the news the most up-to-date methods are employed, including automobiles motor cycles, airplanes, wireless and carrier pigeons. The Japanese "extrn." unlike that of this country, is a sheet giving only the news for which it was issued. It may be a slip of paper or a sheet the size of the regular edition.

Sure to Get Back

Dave (piloting airship)-You are ot afraid, are you, Louise? Louise-I think I am. This is only the third time I've been up. Dave-That beats me-this is my

Mental Treasure

"Are you saying anything for a rainy day?" "Yes; the memory of the sunny ones,"

Garfield Tea Was Your



For every stomach and intestinal ill. This good old-fashloned herb home remedy for constipation, stomach Ills and other derange-

ments of the sysem so prevalent these days is in even greater favor as a family medicine than in your grandmother's day.

Stop Coughing The more you cough the worse you feel, and the more inflamed your throat and lungs become. Give them a chance to

Boschee's Syrup s been giving relief for sixty-one are. Try it, 30c and 50c bottles. Huy at your drug store. G. G. Green, Inc. modbury, N. J.

To Cool a Burn Use Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh Money back for first bottle if not suited. All dealers,

WANT LOCAL AGENTS, men, women sell our Eavings First Nortgage Bonds, Big pay sideline, cierks, teachers, county officers, Equitable Hond and Mortgage Co., 565 Con-tral Savings Bank Euilding, Denver, Calo.

The Albany Denver's Central Downtown Hotel At Reasonable Rates Frunk R. Dutton Martin E. Rowley

KODAK FINISHING BY MAIL One Day Service, Films developed, 10c, Prints, 4c and MILE HIGH PHOTO CO. 321 17th St., Denver, Cole.

W. N. U., DENVER, NO. 52-1927.

Measured by Electricity

Science has learned that the ultraiolet ruys in sunlight are beneficial in curing various sorts of human allments. But since their wave-lengths are so short as to make this light invisible, there has been great difficulty n determining how much of this light there was in sunshine from day to day or from hour to hour even though the sunshine appeared uniform. An electrical radiometer has been perfected by Doctor Pettit, a government scientist, working at the solar observatory in Pasadena, Calif. This makes a written record every day of the ultra-violet content of sunlight, This device is coming into use by bos-

Paint Gives Warning

pitals where the curative value of sun-

shine is used.

A Pittsburgh engineer of the Westnghouse company has invented a red paint which turns black at a temperature of 150 degrees Fahrenheit. The paint is for use near bearing and other parts of machinery which sometimes run hot to the detriment of eminment, As the metal cools down the black paint becomes red again.



You, too, will find that LUCKY STRIKES give the greatest pleasure—Mild and Mellow, the finest cigarettes you ever smoked. Made of the choicest tobaccos, properly aged and blended with great skill, and there is an extra process-"IT'S TOAST-ED"-no harshness, not a bit of bite.

Florence Reed, Favorite Stage Star, writes:

"Night in and night out, for months, one's voice must be in perfect condition on the stage. To safeguard it, yet get the greatest enjoyment, Lucky Strikes are the favorites in the theatre world."

Torene Reace



Photo by White Studio, N.Y.

"It's toasted 99 No Throat Irritation











daw?" was the semi-Sloux greeting of the plump little Scotch Canadian mother as the sunnyhaired young laddle came running into the kitchen, where already the porridge was cooked and the tea brewing for breakfast on this, his second Christmas. She caught him in her arms and tossed him high above

her head.

"Whose very good boy?" was what she had said, partly in the language she had learned from her husband. His nurse had been one of those squaws of the picturesque type still to be seen in Manitoba. In summer they come, selling wild red raspberries or choke-cherries; in winter, trudging on snowshoes into the village to visit their customers.

Hugging the little lad to her breast. the rosy mother half sobbed as she tried to say it cheerfully, "Whose oksheda washda daw?" Even as she repeated the greeting, the door swung open and a sudden gust of wind swept the fine, dry snow, like biting dust, into her face. Before her stood one

of these old Indian women, apparently exhausted from a long journey through the storm.

"Oksheda washda daw?" she gasped, then continued in her native tongue, "Wichyenna, you speak the lan guage of my peo-You speak the cry of my heart. Last night I read it in the rainbow - hued streamers of light from the north-

the night wind sang it-oksheda!" The wrinkled old face twisted into a pained smile as she sank in a heap by the kitchen fire. A bit of paper finttered to the floor from her hand. "The Great Spirit calls-it is the end of the trail," she whispered as the little mother bent over her, anxiously chafing her hands. She saw the faded open spaces in the frost-covered win-

old eyes suddenly brighten, then close suddenly-it was the end of the trail.

"See, see," said the little lad, holding up the scrap of paper which had fallen from the squaw's hand. Opening it reverently, the Canadian woman exclaimed, "My certe! It's an ill enough. Her oksheda!"

She rushed into the living room, where her "oksheda wechasta" (married boy) was lighting the candles on the scantily decorated Christmas tree. "Look, Robert, on Christmas Day it has come. The mystery and allsee! It is the oksheda's Christmas!'

she exclaimed, as she gave him the

crumpled paper to read Robert had been found when a baby by a band of Indians. Only the old squaw who had come to the end of the trail this Christmas morning knew the paper existed. All night long in the blinding snow storm she had traveled on her snowshoes-traveled that she might find some one to whom she

All these years she had guarded the paper, which she could not read, feeling that in some

way it would bring good fortune to the oksheda who had seemed her very own little white baby She had loved him so. She was afraid to show the paper to her peoplethe paper she had found hidden in his clothing. She was afrald she might lose him if

they knew. Then

could tell the story.

3.5% one day he wandered out of her sight and the M. P. had found him by the lake alone. No white man was found to claim him. The Indians were afraid to, Their white brothers would ask them to explain and often their white brothers did not believe. His foster mother loved him; but she, too, was afraid. So-she hugged the bit of paper to her heart and kept silent

vigil. The M. P. took the lad home and hired an Indian nurse from the settlement to care for him. Every summer the old squaw came with her pail of red raspberries, only to grunt her thanks and look furtively about her to assure herself that all was welt with the boy, then chuckle to herself as she patted her breast where the precious paper lay. In winter she would sometimes look through the

···· A Christmas Prayer

By AMY BARRON LEONARD

Oh God, I ask no worldly gilts, But gibe I pray, memories of happiness That 3 habe finomn:

And to this add forgetfulness Of severed ties and barkened paths. Tet me atone

for any sellish grief, by joylulness And smiling see, this Christmas Day, The star that shone. Co guibe the Wise Men on their way.

dows to see the candles on the Christmas tree and see her oksheda dancing with Joy.

Then came the wedding, and for three years she had not known where to find the "oksheda wechasta,"

The paper-ah, yes. It told who Robert was. His father had been a second son from Devonshire, who had sought his fortune in the great Northwest. It told how the young wife could not stand the hardships; how the father, too, had surrendered to the storm-king's fury one Christmas Eve; how he had cached his rich find under the rock that resembled the owl near the source of the river; how he had wrapped his greatcoat about wee Robert and prayed the Great Spirit to save him.

"A great Christmas for us all, Robert; but it is the oksheda I'm thinking of most. With the war come and the business gone, there wasn't to be much Christmas-but now! See, laddle, the storm is breaking; the sun is beginning to shine. My certe! My certe!"

"There, there, lassie, here comes the little shaver. Mind you don't let him in here till I go to the store again. There are toys and things to be put on the tree. The way it's come to us on Christmas, I know we'll find the gold."

When the snows melted they made the journey together. This year, as usual, the oksheda with the golden curis and the oksheda wechasta with the black mustache are trimming the gorgeous tree that stands in the bay window of the beautiful farmhouse near the river's source. The sleigh bells jingle merrily as the cutter stops outside with a load of little Indlan boys from the settlement, who are brought each year to share the festival of the "Oksheda's Christmas," And down by the brink of the river Is

the rock that resembles an owl. (©, 1927, Western Newspaper Union.)



passed her thirtieth birthday some years since, and although she was possessed of more than ordinary good looks, coupled with a good disposition and an inherent ability for home making, she had never had a proposal of marriage. Once, some one had almost spoken the words-Laura often thought of that wonderful evening since—but just as it seemed that the fateful moment had arrived Aunt Mabel had come seeking her for something or another. Next day Robert Barrett had left Lindenfield and Laura had never heard

The passing of time had eased the pain in her heart and she had managed to go about and show a smiling tace to the world, but often she felt

from him since.



very, very lonely. But she told herself that she had no right to think of Robert; he was probably married and settled down long before now in that far-off land where his company had sent him.

But, always as Christmas approached she found herself thinking of him and picturing the home that might have been theirs together. Aunt Mabel had been dead two years now, and since her death Laura had felt very much alone in the world, in spite of many friends.

But every year at Christmas time her cousin Vera, a widow of limited means, came to spend the holidays with her, and always at this time she gave a party for the young people. And lest any of them might be thwarted of love and a proposal, as she had been, she saw to it that plenty of mistletoe was in evidence

She looked very beautiful now as she welcomed her guests to her annual party. She was one whom years give new and added charm in recompense for the rosy flush of youth that they steal, and as she walked to the door to answer a new peal of the bell, she would have attracted attention anywhere.

Opening the heavy door she looked without. A little cry sprang to her lips, for there she saw Robert Barrett. A rush of joy, of wonder, of delight, flooded her whole being. He had come-he still loved her-else, why would he be here?

Steadying herself by the doorway she bade him welcome, and as she recovered from the sudden rush of joy at seeing him again, her voice grew cool and composed as she assured herself that his coming meant nothing more than a friendly visitthat even should he be still unwed, it would be some one younger, fairer than she that he would now seek.

He seemed rather III at ease, and he blundered and stummered so when he spoke, that his voice was almost drowned in the sounds of gay laughter and music that came from beyond. Then, suddenly, without warn ing, his arms reached out and he clasped Laura close and she felt his kisses upon her lips. He was asking



the question that she wanted most to hear, and he was telling her that she meant all the world to him. When they both came back to earth he showed her the spray of mistletoe above them: "It gave me the courage I lacked long ago," he whispered.

Later he told her why he had never written. Aunt Mabel had spoken to him the evening before he left, and had told him that it would not be fair to tie Laura with a promise; also she had hinted of another man who was more favored. The company had just brought him back to Lindenfield. and as soon as he got in, learning that Laura was still free, he had come.

And because it was Christmas time, and also because the years that were coming held a wonderful promise for them, and they could afford to be generous, there was no resentment in their hearts for the thing Aunt Mabel had tried to do.

(@), 1927. Western Newspaper Union.)





HREE words meaning more to more people than almost any other greeting or salutation or phrase. Three words fraught with sig-

There are the happy people. Fami-Hes where affection, cheer, joy in one another, unselfishness toward one another, love and sympathetic understanding flourish.

They know the full meaning of A MERRY CHRISTMAS,

There are the almost-happy people. People who sometimes bicker and quarrel, make speeches only hall meant which sound twice as harsh. Christmas comes and they rouse themselves. After all, there is happiness for them. The wives with loving slyness make little sacriffees and buy the husbands gifts they know will be accentable. The husbands rush at the last



decorated shops. purchasing those gifts they know will be acceptable. They have nald more attention of late. They have noticed what was missing, what was wanted, Arriving home a little Inte the very sound of their steps has a new crispness. their voices loviality and affec-

They jog themselves up. They have A Merry Christ-.

There are the poor families, buying what toys they can for their children who have the same eyes as all chilren. Eyes which see doll's carriages, trains of cars, dolls, mechanical toys books. Eyes which look deeply into the windows of shops. Perhaps those more financially fortunate will lead them into shops and let them realize some of their dreams,

There are the charity children, children who receive dinners given by charitable organizations, being photographed so that those who are independent may feel undisturbed by all that they possess. Children whose pictures reveal at times a little shame, a little shyness that they must be photographed when eating a regular eal. And yet they know the meaning of Christmas, too. This, for them, is good luck. Perhaps It can be made better.

A Merry Christmas,

Three words-but synonymous with those three words are many otherschildren, children's gay, excited, happy voices, parents with home-coming sons and daughters, gifts and generosity. Christmas trees, appealingly empty stockings left by the trusting on Christms Eve, cordiality, true humanity.

A Merry Christmas. (@ 1927. Western Newspanse Untom b



SPECIAL RUSH SERVICE secured in

Grund Dry Cleaning

CLEANING DYEING

Denver's Expert Dyer

"The Efficient GRUND Way" of Dyeing or Dry Cleaning is the very best process known. Our new types of machinery give our work a new factory appearance. We specialize in cleaning face curtains and drapes. Try us.

3-Day Service. Parcel Post.

BOHM - ALLEN JEWELRY CO. MANUFACTURING AND REPAIRING

STOP NEXT TIME AT Shirley-Savoy Hotel Denver's Most Popular Moderate

Priced Hotel



FRED MUELLER to and Harness Co. Denver, Colo. THE ROCKY MOUNTAIN SEED CO. High grade dealers in Vegetable.

Flower and Farm SEED, Poultry Feeds, etc. Catalog Free.

JOS. I. SCHWARTZ

Manufacturing Art Jeweler Established 1896 The finest stock of DIAMONDS. WATCHES and other JEWELRY in the Rocky Mountain Region

1000 16th Street, Denver, Colo, Mail orders given prompt attention

INFORMATION DEPARTMENT Commercial inquiries answered and information gladly furnished without cost Address any firm above.

NORMAL EMPLOYMENT CONDI-TIONS PREVAIL IN MOUNTAIN STATES

Denver.-The recent industrial employment survey report, issued by the U. S. employment service of the U. S. Department of Labor, states that a normal condition prevailed in most industrial lines throughout Colorado during November, excepting in the coal mining industry. The seasonal completion of a great deal of outdoor work resulted in the release of several thousand seasonal workers, and the supply of labor in all lines is more than equal to the present demand. Harvesting of the sugar beet crop has been completed, and many of the several thousand field workers who were released are migrating to southern states. Corn busking and livestock feeding will offer employment to many workers. The majority of the industrial plants operated on fairly satisfactory schedules during November. Thirteen of the eighteen beet sugar factories expect to conin to help, so much the jollier. Tie tinue seasonal operations until early bright checkered aprons on the men in January, 1928 (five of the beet and make them do the preparatory sugar factories having ended their seasonal runs recently). Meat pack getting the ments out whole, chopping ing establishments have increased itron, squeezing lemons, cutting ant their forces somewhat. Metal mining gellen into strips, and halving red continued fairly steady; however, very little metal mine construction and development work will be undertaken dy with the fondant-that base of all before next spring. Oil field prospecthe cream candles-stirring the confec- ing work is quite active in several sectioner's sugar, moistening it to the tions of the state, particularly in the right consistency so that it will make Craig district. Favorable weather perround soft balls, and then either dip | mitted building and other construction ping it in boiling chocolate or stuff- work to continue with little interruping it with nuts, cherries, citron, or tion; however, a gradual decrease in bits of fig paste. It can be used to the volume is expected in December. stuff dates, taking the place of the Several hundred men will be released stone, the dates then being rolled in on the completion of the Moffat railgranulated sugar. Oh, there is no end road tunnel project, early in Decemto the decorative, inscious goodies ber. Highway activities during the that can be made from this cream winter months will be confined to maintenance work. Decreased employment is expected during December, in the railroad shops, mainten-

> Normal industrial employment was reported in Wyoming during November. The labor supply is adequate to meet all requirements and an increasing surplus of outdoor seasonal work ers is noted as agricultural work for this year is practically finished. Harvesting of the sugar beet crop ended during the month; many of the released workers migrated to other states for the winter period. Corn hosking and livestock feeding will provide many workers with employment during the next few weeks. Industrial plants operated on normal schedules, the oil refineries running steadily. The beet sugar factories will end their seasonal runs during December. Metal mining continues active; new construction and development work will be considerably curtailed during the winter months. Most of the coal mines are operating at capacity. Some increase in employment was reported in the oil fields.

ance-of-way and freight train service

departments.

Dorothy Mackage Sentence Upheld Los Angeles.-Dorothy Mackaye,

Denver girl and former stage favorite. convicted of concealing facts in the death of her husband, Ray Raymond, musical comedy actor, must serve a one to three-year sentence in San Quentin penitentlary, the Appellate Court has ruled. In denying her request for a new trial, the Appellate Court upheld Superior Judge Charles Burnell, who passed sentence on the actress last spring.



pretty, colorful candles to ecorate the table, or fill small boxes and baskets for neighbors and friends

to whom one wishes to give a little something more than a card. A cold wintry evening is just the time to indulge in this festivity, and

if a neighbor or two should be invited candied cherries,

Meanwhile at one side-table sits the foundation,

To make these candles look like Christmas, the liberal use of green and red is advised, either in the fondant itself or in the trimming. A box of coloring matter can be obtained at any grocery, the colors being green, pink, violet and orange. You can put a bunch of holly on a white cream by cutting wee leaves of green angelica and tiny bits of candled cher-



ries, pressing them into the cream be fore it hardens. A tiny green pine tree can be cut and pressed into the op of a cream.

When these pretty Christmas candies are packed into little gay baskets or painted tin boxes, they make the most attractive sort of gift to send around the neighborhood to nearby friends, or to give the Christmas caller. In addition, the fun of making them in the company of a kitchenfull of family or neighbors makes a preliminary Christmas party that is nearly as delightful as the day itself. (Copyright.)

For Wrapping Gifts

Fascinating hand-blocked papers from various lands are used as wrappings for Christmas gifts and in place of the usual ribbons there are thin paper ribbons in gay and festive colors.

How to Make Fancy Shades

┩╋╃╃╇╇╇╇╇╇╇╇╇╇╇╇╇╇╇╇╇╇╇╇╇╇╇╇╇╇╇╇╇

cause these bits of elastic are the

trick that wins. One of these covers

make a clever bridge prize or Christ-

Another lovely Christmas present or

accessory to your own bridge party,

is the lamp shade shown in the sketch.

This one was made of a parchment

lined with a novelty check gingham in

THE UNEXPECTED GUEST

After baying a few experiences of

unexpected guests and little in the

made from materials at hand, but

often even the simplest recipes will be

An emergency closet or shelf is one

spoiled in the flutter of preparation.

of the great comforts of the woman

who enjoys having her friends drop

in at any time to take "pot luck." In

the closet there are cans of various

foods such as salmon, shrimp, lob-

ster, olives, canned soups of various

be found delicious jams, jellies and

pickles, which always add to and

It is unwise to let the cake box or

the cooky far get empty if one has

many visiting friends, though a short-

cake may be quickly prepared and

that is always a delightful dessert.

using any canned or fresh fruit. An

orange shortcake is especialy luscious.

salad materials may be gathered.

When the main dish is at hand

If pastry is left ready to add the

cold water, a pie can be prepared

rather quickly, if there is time for the

baking. Frest fruit, nuts, dried fruits

like dates, figs and prunes, are al-

ways enjoyed. An especially delight-

make a meal attractive.

larder for an extra two

or three, the housewife

of such unpleasant con-

ditions by providing for

Most housekeepers have

a few easily prepared

dishes which may be

kinds and also in her fruit closet will i curied, serve on buttered toast,

just such emergencies,

mas gift.

TRY making some bridge covers of ! colored rayon, you will be delighted with them. One can buy rayon so reasonably, and it makes up beautifully, having a silken sheen which never loses its luster no matter how many times it is laundered. One can work out so many charming color schemes, too, such as sand with peach borders, silver gray with lacquer red, black with crimson, hydrangea with gold, also grass green with gold.

Of course if you do not care to make them you can find them in the stores in these very color combinations. The main thing about bridge covers is to be sure that they are the kind that will "stay put." Playing bridge on a table where the cloth runs away with the carde is not exactly according to Hoyle. There are two ways of making these covers so that they will hold secure. One way is to attach tapes by which they can be tied to the table. A better way, because it is much firmer, however, has been discovered, that of fastening

elastic straps across each corner. Instead of the usual tapes, attach the strips of elastic across the corner as shown in the sketch, and there you are with really-truly honest-togoodness "trump" covers-trump be-

STEWED, CREAMED CELERY MAKES GOOD WINTER DISH

When the variety of fresh vegeand you are somewhat tired of the good old standbys, such as cabbage. carrots, turnips and beets, try celery, stewed and creamed. The tougher stalks from two or more bunches may be cooked, and the hearts served raw at another meal. The suggestion comes from the burenu of home economics.

Clean the celery, and cut into pieces about three-fourths Inch tong, Cook in a small quantity of boiling saited water for 15 to 20 minutes, or until tender. Drain and combine with white sauce made in the proportion of two tablespoonfuls of flour and two tablespoonfuls of butter to one cupful of milk. Season and serve at once. A few of the tender leaves of the celery may be minced and scattered over the top to make the dish look attractive.

dominating tone in the gingham design. Until you try out one of these shades you have no idea how effective it is with the light shining through, elusively reflecting the colors and design of the lining through the parchment. It is doubtful if you can buy one of these shades, but they are very simple to make. The gingham and parchment are glued together and the silk points glued on the outside before the shade is seamed. Then the whole is glued together in a neat flat seam. The best quality of transparent liquid glue should be used, thinly spread on the fabric, left a second, and then glued to the parchment. If this is carefully done, the glue will not spot the fabric. . (©), 1927, Western Newspaper Union.)

CORN CUSTARD WILL BE WELCOME TREAT

Containing both eggs and milk, corn custard is sufficiently hearty to take the place of other protein food for lunch or supper. It might well be accompanied by a simple vegetable salad, and with cake or cookies for dessert, the meal would be entirely satisfying. The bureau of home economics gives the following directions for making it:

2 cups canned corn 1¼ teaspoons salt or dried corn 3 eggs soaked and cooked 2 cups milk 2 tablespoons melt-

Beat the eggs and mix all the ingredients. Pour into a buttered baking dish and place in the oven in a pan containing boiling water. Bake the corn custard slowly until it is entirely set to the center in a moderate oven (350 degrees F). Corn canned Maine style, that is with the grains scored and pulp scraped out, is especially dainty colorings, and trimmed with a good for use in this kind of a dish.

Some Menu Suggestions

A quick supper dish which is well

Cheese Custard-Spread slices of

buttered bread with a half-inch tayer

of brend in a baking pan, making a

layer or two. Cover with a custard,

using one egg to each cupful of milk.

n little salt and a dash of paprika. Be

sure that there is milk to well cover

the bread. Bake in a moderate oven

until puffed and the custard is set.

Panned Oysters.-Have a large fron

frying pan smoking hot. Drain the

oysters and toss into the pan, shake

quickly and add to each twenty-five

oysters a tablespoonful of butter, a

dash of enyenne, ten drops of onlon

julce and a half teaspoonful of salt,

When boiling hot and the edges

Sandwiches for School.

At this time of the year when

unches must be prepared each day,

Pepper Sandwiches-Remove the

seeds from two peppers. Chop fine

and simmer ten minutes in two table-

spoonfuls of butter. Add a dash of

salt and spread on lightly buttered

bread; cover with a layer of grated

Ham Sandwiches,-Mince fine some

cold bolled ham, chop fine some pea-

nuts or use the peanut butter-one

half as much as ham. For each cupful

of ham add a heaping tablespoonful

the following will be helpful:

American cheese.

Serve from the baking dish.

Top with whipped cream.

liked is:

will forestall any more of fine cut, sich cheese. Lay the pleces

Recipe for Making the Plum Pudding

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.) The bureau of nome economics of

the Department of Agriculture gives the following recipe for a Christmas plum pudding:

pound beef suct 1 cup English walpound four pound granulat-ed sugar tesspoons sait eggs tesspoons baking eggs pound seeded

pound seeded
nisins, chopped teaspoons cinnspound seedless
raisins
tasins raisins 415 teaspoons mace 5 pound eltron, 3 teaspoons nut-11/2 teaspoons allmeg

Mix the ground suet with the sugar and the fruit and nuts with about one-half cupful of flour. Separate the eggs and beat both the yolks and whites well. Add eg, yolks to the suer and sugar, put in the fruit and nuts. and then the clder. Sift together twice the spices, salt, baking powder and flour, mix well with the first lot. then add the beaten whites of eggs.

Tin cans of No. 2 size or baking powder can are a good size to use. grease them well and put in enough batter to fill them about three-quarters full. Steam for three hours. These ingredients will fill seven No. 2 cans. The pudding will keep for weeks If the cans are covered with paper or with the loose can tons. Before serving, set the can in boiling water for about three-quarters of an hour. so that the pudding will heat through. Serve hard sauce, made of butter and sugar creamed together, with this pud ding. Any of the liquid or foamy sauces is also suitable. Some people like best of all to serve a spoonful of vanilla ice cream or mousse on the plate with the hot pudding.

The pudding can be steamed for one hour and fifteen minutes, then sealed and processed for thirty minutes at ten to fifteen pounds pressure. These puddings have been kept for one year and found excellent, according to the bureau of home economics.

+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0 HOUSEHOLD HINTS

-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0 A bunch of blittersweet for the dark corner of the flying room will brighten it up all winter long.

One of the best preservatives for a good disposition is a pair of comfortable shoes for every day.

Don't throw that extra egg yolk away. If it is not broken it may be kept for future use by covering with cold water.

Take the weight off your feet when getting meals by using a high stool at the kitchen sink and a chair at the kitchen table.

Fine steel wool is a good first-aid measure for cleaning oven glassware; but there's a copper product on the market that is better.

If you have rice for dinner, try adding bits of candled ginger and you will surprise your family with a new and delicious flavor to a favorite dish.

DRIED FRUITS ARE RICH IN VALUABLE MINERALS

The new crop of dried fruit is now on the market and at its best. Dates, prunes, figs, apricots and raisins all help to vary the fruit diet as the supply of available fresh fruit diminishes. Several of these are rich in Iron and other valuable mineralsparticularly prunes and raisins-and so may be wisely introduced into the menu as often as possible. Try this combination from the bureau of home economics;

pound apricots 1 cup sugar pound prunes 4 cups water

Wash the prunes and apricots thorughly and put them in the water to sonk overnight. Cook the fruit together for ten minutes, add the sugar, and simmer until the juice is fairly rich. Serve hot or cold.

DATE-NUT PUDDING AND WHIPPED CREAM

If you want to make a real hit with your family give them date-nut pudding with whipped cream some day soon. It's made in this way, according to the bureau of home economics:

dates 2 tablespoons butter
taup milk 1 teaspoon vanilla
cup chopped 1 teaspoon baking
nuts 2 tablespoon baking
powder
tup sugar 14 teaspoon sait

Spice if desired

Mix the butter and sugar and add the beaten eggs and milk. Sift the dry ingredients and add them to the liquid mixture, reserving enough flour to coat the dates and nuts. Add them and the vanilla. Bake in a shallow greased pan in a very slow oven for 45 to 60 minutes until set in the center. Cut in squares and serve with whipped cream.

Cheese Straws

Roll out plain rich ple crust to onefourth of an inch thickness; spread one-half with grated cheese; fold over walnut ments, mix with a cake of | and roll again. Repeat the process cheese which has been softened with | three or four times. Then cut in thin

Laver Bread

3 eggs

In South Wates, red seaweeds belonging to the genus Porphyra are collected and boiled down to make laver bread. This substance is eaten as a condiment with fried bacon and is to be seen regularly on sale in Cardiff market.

The Art of Rug-Making



Home Demonstration Agent Teaching Rug Making at Quincy, Fla.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture. The Illustration shows a home demonstration agent in Gadsden county, Florida, teaching a group of women how to make various kinds of rugs. The meeting is being held in the women's club building at Quincy. Both braided and woven rag rugs interest a good many of the club members, and the making of booked rugs is a revival of an old art that has become very popular all over the country. Through home industries of this kind, many rural women are increasing their cash income, and are being enabled as a result to get for themselves many household conveniences and labor-having devices which they did not have a short time ago.

Artistic designs and patterns in beautiful color combinations are being standardized in this rug-making industry by groups of women who are working together in community or even county-wide organizations, known as county weavers' associations. Thousands of dollars have been cleared in one year's time by such groups of women working together in a single county. Commodity organizations have followed successful production and standardization work in rug making in a similar manner to what has been done in the co-operative marketing of other farm-home products,

Improved Uniform International

(By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D.D., Dean Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.) (6), 1927, Western Newspaper Union.)

Lesson for December 25 CHRISTMAS LESSON

LESSON TEXT-Luke 2:1-20. GOLDEN TEXT-Thou shalt call His name Jesus, for He shall save His people from their sins. PRIMARY TOPIC—The Coming of

he Christ Child. JUNIOR TOPIC-God Sends His Son INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOP C-The Prince of Peace. YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOP-

-The Promised Era of Peace. I. The Birth of Jesus (vv. 1-7).

1. Jesus' birth foretold (Mic. 5:2) Only a little while before the fulfillment of this prophecy which was made some seven hundred years be fore, there seemed little likelihood that Micah's words would come true Jesus' mother was miles away from Bethlehem in Galilee. God moved the emperor to enforce the decree of tax ation which brought Mary to the village at the proper time.

2. Jesus' birth announced to Mary and Joseph (Luke 1:26-38).

Gabriel, the archangel, sent by God to the little town of Nazareth to Mary a Jewish maiden who was betrothed to a carpenter in the village by the name of Joseph, solemnly announced that she should give birth to the Mes siah and that this son should not be Joseph's, but the child of the Holy Ghost (Matt. 1 '8-21). Later the angel of the Lord appeared to Joseph also, making to him the same an nouncement and added that the child should be called Jesus, which means that Jehovah will save His people from their sins (Matt. 1:21).

3. The prediction fulfilled (v. 7). This took place at a most opportuntime. It occurred when all systems of religion and Immoral worship were tottering upon their foundations. therefore most suitable for the intro duction of the gospel. The whole world being under the power of the Romans who then ruled it, made it possible for Christ's ministers to ge from city to city and country to country unmolested. We can be assured that the Almighty rules in the whole universe and is never tardy in His administrations.

II. Jesus Birth Announced to the Shepherds (vv. 8-14).

1. To whom (v. 8). Jesus' birth was announced to the shepherds who were keeping watch over their flocks by night. The fact that the glorious message was first sounded forth to them shows that poverty is no barrier to its reception. Their humble station in life and their being busy with common duties did not prevent them from hearing this glorious message from God. Moses Gideon, Amos and Elisha were all called of God from the activities of life. He never calls lazy people,

2. By whom (v. 9). having part in the announcement of ed too beat the rain home." God's plan for their salvation. No doubt the angelic beings earnestly sympathized with fallen, sin-cursed

3. The nature of the message

(vv. 10, 11). It was good tidings of great joy It was good tidings because the darkness of heathendom, which had so long covered the earth, was beginning to vanish. The casting out of Satan the prince of this world, was about to take place. Liberty was soon to be proclaimed to those who were in bondage. The way of salvation was to he open to all. No longer was the knowledge of God to be confined to the Jews, but offered to the whole world. Truly this was gloriou news; so glorious that a multitude of the

heavenly host accompanied this announcement with their song of praise III. The Shepherds Investigating (vv. 15, 16). They did not stop to argue or rulse questions, though these things were no doubt, passing strunge to them. They went immediately to Bethlehem, where they found everything just as represented. They had the privilege of first gazing upon the world's Savior, the very Lord of Glory. They

derful things which He had revealed IV. The Shepherds' Witnessing (vv. 17-20).

returned with gratitude in their

hearts, praising God for all these won-

They found things as announced by the angels. When they beheld the Lord of Glory they could not remain silent, therefore went back praising God. Those who really hear the gos pel message cannot be silent. Those who really hear the gospel must tell it out to others.

Trials That Never Come

For every trial that God sends, He ives sufficient grace to bear It, but He promises no grace to hear anticlpation with, and we little know how arge a portion of our mental suffering arises from trials that never come.-Evangelical Tidings.

An Unprofitable Life

The earth life which is not passed in the light which beams out from the will, glory world would better have not been lived at all .- Gospel Banner.



ON THE WAY

The only vehicle at the station was dilapidated four-wheeler. This Mrs. Swift perforce had to hire, Her luggage was put on the top, and she stepped Inside, After a few minutes she put her

nead through the window and spoke to the driver. "What are we waiting for, cabman?"

she asked. "Waltin', Indy?" excinimed the cabby. "We sin't waitin'! We've started !"

SHAKY BUSINESS



He-My sister is in a very shaky usiness

She-What? He-Shimmy dancer,

Beach Badinage "As a high roller," remarked the wave boastfully, "you are not in it

"For which you should be thank ful," the beach rejoined.

"Indeed! And why so?" "Because," answered the beach, you have me to fall back on when you go broke."-Boston Transcript.

Tried and True

"What's the trouble between you and old man Brown?" asked Smith of his ancient comrade, Jim White.

"Nothin' at all," replied the latter. "We're the best of friends. If we wasn't, how do you suppose we'd get along so well together, fightin' all the time the way we do?"-American Legion Weekly.

Racing With Jupiter Pluvius

Novel excuse offered by motorist arrested in a New York court for speed-

preached by an angel of the Lord. We hurt, your honor. Whenever it's gothus see them interested in men and ing to rain my corns hurt-and I want-

Good Reason

Hubby-1 miss the old cuspidor Wifey-You missed It before-that's why It's gone.

WOLF WOULD FOLLOW



"You say he is trying to drive the rolf from his door?"

"Well, if he'd drive that expensive ar of his from the door the wolf would follow, I think,"

There's a Plot Here

Sweet Young Thing-Claude says e worships the very ground I stand

A Rejected Sultor-I don't blame ilm. A farm of that size is not to be sneezed at, -Boston Post.

Mr. Uppliy was about to pass into he great unknown.

Touring

"Doctor?" he cried, "I'm going-I'm going-call my car."-American Legion Monthly.

Come Again

"Excuse me, but your chickens come to my garden every day and-" "Impossible, sir. My chickens stay

"Very well; then I'll keep the eggs find every evening."

Something Worse

Father-1 must tell you, though, that my daughter has a very strong

Suiter-Yes; but just now I'm havtng more trouble with her "wont's."

course the prunes will have to be well-blended paste with salad dress-A Story for Kiddies at Bedtime

Suzette wanted to own a cow, Of course that is quite a big wishto want to own a cow.

Lots of people want to own cows. and they couldn't possibly do so, It might be that they lived in cities and cows would be out of place in cities. You couldn't put a cow in a city apartment and you couldn't heave a

cow in the cellar where the peoples

trunks and bags and old chairs and sofus, which they can't use but don't want to throw away, are kept. You couldn't keep a cow on the

fire-escupe. No, you couldn't keep a cow in a city, so that it is just as well for city people to keep from wanting to own cows, and maybe by this time they have suceeded in not wanting

If you live in a city, don't wish for

It wouldn't be possible for you to be happy with a cow in the city, nor would it be possible for the cow to be happy...

But if you live in the country may be you can wish for a cow. Suzette's father owned a cow. He owned a very fine cow. Suzette lived on the edge of a village.

It wasn't a farm but it was quite

ly field all her own and was quite breeds, how they should be cared for

a big place, and the cow had a love-

contented and happy, chewing, moo | and what cows meant in the lives of ing, giving milk, lying down, sitting down, standing up, and going in for all the other amusements and pleas ares such as these that make up the

life of a cow. But Suzette longed to own a cow



Suzette Loved Her Cow

of her own. Oh, she wanted a cow more than anything.

And then one day, it seemed too real to be true, a prize was offered of a beautiful cow for the school child who could write the best essuy on cows-their ways, the different

Of course Suzette wasn't any too sure that she would win the prize but she did know a great deal about cows, and oh, she would work for that prize as she never worked for anything in all her life.

wrote it, and rewrote it ugain, and made sure of all her facts and then rewrote them so that they sounded more interesting. Never had anyone worked so hard

How she wrote her essay and re-

over an essay as Suzette worked over ier essay on cows. It seemed a long wait for the Judges' decision. There had been many essays submitted in the contest. And then at last the news came out in the weekly paper-they came and told her-everyone seemed to know it at just the same time.

Suzette had won the prize of the enutiful cow! And they brought her the cow at once. There was plenty of room for her in the field, and both cows

Suzette loved her cow so dearly-

It was her own, own cow, and the

work and that I belong to you."

seemed to like each other.

cow's soft eyes looked at Suzette and seemed to say: "I could never have worked so hard as you did, but I'm so glad you did

ready, stewed and stoned and chopped. | ing. then use as filling for any kind of buttered bread. Cheese and Almond Sandwiches .-

Blanch twenty almonds, mince fine: add a cream cheese and a dozen olives chopped. Spread on buttered white Fish Sandwiches, - Use leftover boiled fish, removing all the bones and skin, flake and add such senson-

ing as is needed; add two hard-cooked

eggs chopped, two tablespoonfuls of chopped capers or nasturtium seeds and enough salad dressing to make a smooth paste. Spread on bread and over with watercress, Spanish Sandwiches.-Spread slices of bread with a fittle prepared mustard, a light layer of cheese, minced

olives and a thin slice of Spanish onion. Cover with a slice of buttered bread. Cream Cheese Sandwiches.-Chop a handful of hickory nuts, pecuns or

Stuffed Dates Stone the dates. Fill with cream cheese, nuts or fondant. Itali in powdered sugar. Wrap in small squares

of waxed paper and send as dessert

with the school lunch.

Spread on brown, buttered bread.

(©. 1927, Western Newspaper Union)

cream and seasoned with paprika, strips and bake.

Men Marooned

By GEORGE MARSH Copyright by The Penn Publishing Co. WNU Service.

CHAPTER XIII—Continued

-20-It stripped down to this: If the police found Galbraith at Elkwan Garth Guthrie was done. Cameron might fix it with the company, but the authorities would be merciless. Then the smug Charles could revel in his "I told you sos," and Ethel-he had

not thought of Ethel, whose Christmas letters he had not answered, since he found Joan Quarrier on the Albany clearing-she could thank Heaven for her lucky escape.

"But the police won't find him at Elkwan!" Guthrie rasped through his teeth, and went to the trade-house to make his plans with Etlenne.

"Did you have any trouble getting him up here?" Guthrle asked. "No, he holler some, but he was

lashed in good," Then Guthrie explained the part

Etlenne was to play when the police appeared. They would want to interview him, and must find him in bed, a sick man. Accordingly, he must have the bandages, which Miss Quarrier would prepare at once, ready to put on. The children would have to be coached and kept out of the way. "Have you ever been badly hurt,

The half-breed smiled and opening his shirts, drew them back, baring a long scar across the muscular chest, "At Henley house, at de New Year

dance, I get dis, manee year ago. 1 was ver' seek man, 1 know. W'en poleece dey come, I be ver' seek man once more." Guthrie laughed outright at the

gravity of his head man.

"Trust you, Etienne, to act your part anywhere! Now if we could only keep them away from my quarters, but I've got to feed them there, That's where the danger ites. He may make a noise. He'll have to have an opinte to keep him quiet. If they hear him, it's all up with us."

Savanne took the pipe from his mouth and leaned toward his chief, the muscles in his swart face knotted with the intensity of his feeling. For a space the two men hardly breathed as the narrowed eyes of the halfbreed bored into Guthrie's quizzical gaze. Then Etlenne said slowly: "You are good frien' to me an' my familee, I feex dese poleece-if you-say so,"

Slowly, as he read the stark sincerity of the offer in the other's facesensed that his friend of the dusky skin was bringing to the altar of their friendship the supreme gift, the hazard of his life, Guthrie's eyes softened with the affection which two years of river and coast and trail with Etlenne Savanne had kindled. He reached out a long arm and took the sinewy hand of the other,

"I won't forget-my friend." The swart face of the half-breed lit with pride at the words, then turning away, he threw over his shoulder; "I get de bandage from M'a'mselle Quarrier an' show Marie how to mak' good nurse."

"His temperature's risen to 103, I can hear it in the other lung now." Joan Quarrier entered the living room, from which Old Anne had taken the supper dishes.

"Double pneumonia!" Guthrie muttered. "Not a chance, after the flu, is there? Poor old Craig! We've done what we could."

She raised her eyes to the man who stouched, head in hands, elbows on knees. "Friendship is a very real

He looked up. "Yes, so real that without a thought of the cost to you, I brought you into this-"

"That was rather a fine compliment to me, Mr. Exile, that you should feel sure of me-know that I would come."

"I thought only of him-of what I owed him." For an interval he was silent, then continued with a look that brought the blood to her face: "You? -I knew you would come-when you understood. But it was unfairwrong."

"Why wrong?" she demurred. "Etlenne or this man, what did it matter? You needed me to help you and I came."

"But I've done worse still. If the police find him here, you'll be subject to the law-an accessory. I did not think, I was mad, but I want to get you out of this before it's too late. I'll take you to Albany tomor-

As Joan Quarrier stared at the speaker, her surprise slowly shifted to anger. The dark eyes lit with a look new to the man who watched, "You mean that? You think I'd desert him, dying, your friend?"

He shrugged hopelessly in the face of her determination, "You're in a false position. I had no right-"

"Stop!" she commanded, raising her hand in finality. "Now, if they come, what will you do?" For a space he could not answer.

swept by a wave of pride in the staunchness of the girl of whom he had asked so much.

"I've got to feed them here. Can you keep him under an opinte?" "Yes, he's under one now, If he

grows delirious, as some do, he'll tojure himself-try to get up. We'll have to keep him lashed to the bed." "I'll get them over to the tradehouse as soon as they eat. They may not stay more than a night, but when they fall to find his body at the schooner, they'll want to see me."

"I gave Etienne his bandages and showed Marie how to adjust them."

"What a wonderful coconspirator you are, Healer of Wounds! How am ever to repay you?" He sat from habit with the unmarred left side of his face quartering on the girl. Suddenly she straightened, startling him with the tenseness of her look.

"Why do you sit that way?" she demanded angrily. "What-what do you mean?" he

asked, confused by her tone. "You treat me as if I were-oh, like the one he came back to." She point-

ed toward the adjacent sickroom. Vaguely her meaning dawned on hlm. Sears- to her-were an accolade. Those straight eyes of hers never turned in horror from a wound.

"Forgive me," he said, and his eyes clouded with mist. "I knew the day I met you-that you saw beyond-the SCATS."

For an instant her face was radiant with a look that stirred the man with the mad desire to go to her-take her in his arms-wring from this woman who doubted him-his love, the admission that she too cared. But no. not here, his ward and guest, helpless to avoid him. His chivalry checked his impulse. She knew he loved her; she should have fair play at Elkwan.

Muttered words from the sick man drew them to his bedside. The great frame, banded by strips of cloth to confine him in his delirium, rendered the bed he lay on insignificant. His heavy russet hair, smoothed by the nurse from his wide forehead, framed the deep blue eyes which stared, unseeing at the ceiling of the room. Below leered the torn mouth, ghastly in its distortion.

"We were happy-before," they heard him mutter, "I know-I knowit was hard. But couldn't you bear it -for the sake of-the old days? Handsome Galbraith-it was-once. Then-that shell! Good-by, Handsome Galbraith !-But you-I loved-needed. Your eyes! God! the look in themwhen you saw me!"

The eyes of Joan Quarrier and Guthrie met. Two tears, ignored, slowly wet her cheeks. The face of the man was twisted with pity.

"What hell he must have lived through !"

"And she-why are such creatures put into the world?" said the girl huskily. "When his need of her was greatest-she unmasked her little

Involuntarily Garth Guthrle started. How unerringly she had characterized Ethel. Had she guessed, he wondered

"I can guess what followed," Garth replied. "I know him. Heart-broken -he often spoke of her-he went to drink, to forget. Then It happened." "But after all, are they sure he's

"The circumstantial evidence puts it beyond question-the description, his being here in the north."

While Joan caught a few hours sleep in the room of Guthrie which he had again given her, the factor sat betured lungs labored for breath.

Before she lay down the girl stood quizzically before the photographs which still stood in their places on his

"You're very lovely," she murmured. "It's not strange that he can't forget you. He still remembers or you'd not be here-still remembers, although he wants me to think he has forgotten."

CHAPTER XIV

In early afternoon Etlenne swung back the trade-house door with a erash.

"Dog-team on de riviere!" "All right," replied Guthrie. "Tell Miss Quarrier on your way. Now you get into those bandages and into bed, and don't have the children around if they come to talk to you."

"I am ver' seek man," laughed the

half-breed and went out. So the police had come? He hadn't expected them for days, but they must have reached Albany from Moose the day he left. They certainly hadn't lirgered at the schooner with Cameron's men; mystified at failing to find the body of McDonald, they probably wanted to talk first to the men who had discovered the tragedy, then return to Seal cove.

They would pass at least one night at Elkwan to talk it over. There was no alternative to having them eat at his quarters. There lay the danger. He would rush them through supper and to the trade-house where they would sleep, as, of course, Joan Quarrier had his spare bed. Etienne's accident they would have heard of from Cameron, and Etienne and Marie were more than equal to entertaining them with the picture of a man suffering from a painful wound. The rub would come at meal time. Would the opiate keep McDonald quiet-and his breathing-would they hear it? If only he could have been moved for a day, but where? The trade-house, factor's quarters, and Etienne's were the sole heated buildings at the post. Going to his quarters, he called Joan and

Old Anne. "Anne, you can't speak Englishdon't answer any questions. Understand?" The broad face of the cook stretched in a smile as she winked.

'Nama," she answered in Cree, "Good! And when you hear us come in for supper, make as much noise as you can in the kitchen. Sing all you wish, rattle the pans. When you wait on us, talk to me in Creeall the time. See? They may hear him breathe."

"Enh-enh!" replied the Cree. "How is he now?" Guthrie asked

Her eyes reflected her anxlety. "Worse-much worse, Raging fever-105; pulse running away. He's been straining terribly at his bonds. Lucky you and Etlenne made them strong." "You gave him the oplate, of course?"

"Yes, he's feeling it now. By supper time he'll be quiet-but his breathing?"

"That's what worries me." Guthrie went to the sick room where the giant, bound to his bed by thick bandages of cloth, lay mouning in a half stupor. "Old Craig. To finish like this!" Sor. rowfully, the man who was imperiling his future that his friend might have his chance went out to mest the approaching dog-team.

With Shot beside him, curious of the strange dogs, Garth watched the visitors climb the cliff trail behind their team of scrubs.

"Good day!" called the older of the two men, stepping forward with extended hand. This is Mr. Rawdon." The speaker nodded to his companion, a young, heavily built man, who shook Guthrie's band.

"I've been expecting you," said Guthrie, "You can turn your dogs into that empty shack after you've fed them. They'll be safe there. My only assistant, as you know, is laid

The dogs fed and safeguarded from the big Ungavas of the post, Guthrie ted his guests to the warm stove of the trade-room,

"You come straight from Seal cove?" he asked carelessly. "They



"Dog Team on the Riviere!"

were expecting you when I left Moose with Miss Quarrier."

At the mention of Joan's name, the neavy face of Rawdon lighted with "Yes," replied Farrel, lighting his

"We went over to the island Cameron's people who are guard ing the fur. But, of course, we wanted to talk to you and your man before we got down to work."

"Got down to work? What do you menn?" Guthrie's cold eyes studied the face of the inspector. A decent face, he thought, honest, human.

"Why we found only three bodies, Cameron says you found four, including McDonald's, McDonald's wasn't

"McDonald's body not there? Impossible!"

"No, we made no mistake. The Indians must have spirited it away. They tell me there's a fortune in fur on that schooner, too, but there's no sign of its being plundered."

The watchful Guthrie had his opening and lost no time in developing it. "Why, we left McDonald dead in his berth, from flu, I suppose. Breault was in the cabin, and the other two in berths. The interpreter and a sailor they claim were on the boat must have made for the nearest camp, Dld you search the Ice? The Indians might have buried him. He had some Indians picking up fur for him on the island. They may have found him and given him a decent grave in the ice." "That's true, but why should they

leave the rest on the boat?" "He was the big man-the chief. He had a great hold on them. That might explain it," Guthrie suggested, "Well, wonder what they've got for you hungry men to eat," he added. "Make yourselves at home while I go over and ask Old Anne when she'll be

"By the way," called Farrel as Garth opened the door. "How's your man, wound all right? He can talk, can't he? I want to get his state

"He's doing finely-thanks to his army nurse. She saved him from In-They were waiting for Garth at the

louse. Her eyes shadowy with strain and anxiety, Joan met him at the "The morphine? Is it working?" he

"He's quiet now, but I don't know how long it will last. It seems lost on him. I've given him all I dare." "His temperature-pulse?"

"Awful! I don't see how he lives. It looks like the crisis tonight." "I can't hear him breathe. Is supper ready? I'll bring them in and rush it through."

As he turned to go out he heard a

sob. She stood at the door of the "To think he should die like this!"

Guthrie strode back to her. He took a limp hand in both of his. "Healer of Wounds, I love you! Courage!"

And he went out, At the trade-house door his set face dropped its lines.

"Well, Old Anne is about ready for us. It's short variety but I hope there'll be enough for your appetites. I'm sorry, but I'll have to put you up here. Miss Quarrier has my extra

As Joan Quarrier, pale, but mistress of her nerves, met them in the living room with a forced graciousness and was introduced, the eyes of Rawdon bulged in patent admiration of the picture she made. Fair women are rare where life is hard, and his evident surprise at finding the ex-army nurse who had wintered at the mission at Albany of such comeliness, seemed temporarily to paralyze his

Appearing on the minute with the stew, Old Anne filled the room with the harsh sibilants of the tree tongue, "Don't mind Anne," Guthrie laughed,

making conversation as his guests ate.

"She's a bit queer in the head, but her heart's all right, isn't it, Anne?" Anne turned upon him a chaos of chatter. From the kitchen, where she went for the bolled goose, the staunch old Cree kept up a rattle of pans, until she hurriedly returned to resume her conversation with the man whose ears strained for sounds through the shut door of the sick room.

As yet no sound from the room, Thus far-victory!

"Well," said Farrel, comfortably, as he finished, "your cook may be a bit talkative, Guthrie, but I sure have en-Joyed her supper." "Glad you have. Sorry it wasn't

better." "And you've got to run to that halfbreed?" demurred Rawdon, now quite at his ease with Joan. "I don't see why you can't stay a while and talk

"Oh, a nurse always puts duty before pleasure, Mr. Rawdon," she replied, with a stiff smile, as with tilted head she waited, nerves taut as wires, for the repetition of a sound she had heard-a sound incomprehensible, terrifying, from the closed room,

"Well," he laughed, "that's what I call a compliment. But you'll be back

"Back soon, you whelp!" cursed Guthrie inwardly. "If you don't finish that food, I'll choke you with it!" Then his heart skipped-to shake him with its hammering, as he heard a thud-a sound of ripping cloth, Raising his voice, he said sharply; "If you're through, gentlemen, we'll have a smoke beside the trade-house stove," and with Farrell, rose from the table where Rawdon lingered, hypnotized by the face of the girl who sat rigid

Guthrie flung open the door, admiting the biting air. "Rawdon!" The words snapped through the silent room like the crack of a whip. "Miss Quarrie has a dressing to do for Savanne." Then behind the shut door. a crash, curses, a groan froze hlm, perate where he stood. The game was up. He had lost!

"Why, what's that? Somebody in there?" demanded the younger policeman, rising, head thrust in the direction of the sounds, Gray-faced, Joan Quarrier, like one under a spell, watched the hawk-like features of Guthrle harden-saw the gray eyes grow cold, as the surprised Farrel turned to his host.

"Get Etlenne, quick!" Like the ring of tempered metal the voice of Guthrie crossed to the Cree in the kitchen

door. She disappeared. "What's this all about, Guthrlethis racket in there?" stormed Rawdon, heatedly.

As the bewildered Farrel walted for Guthrie's answer, his eyes widened as he saw the groping fingers of the factor of Elkwan, who leaned against the gun-rack, find and close on the butt of his automatic,

Then with a crash the door of the bedroom was thrown back, and a giant figure, shreds of cloth hanging from naked shoulders and arms, swayed, head lowered, in the doorway. Burning with fever, the wild eyes above the grinning wouth glared with the ferocity of a d beast at Rawdon, who instinction, recoiled from the diabolic countenance thrust toward him, Gripping the door jambs for support, the great muscles of his arms flexed, Laughing McDonald shook the room with a roar: "Give em the steel, Canadlans! Steel for their gas! Oive 'em-" With a gasp, a hoarse rumble of the deep throat, a choking cough, the massive frame pitched headlong to the floor.

On her knees beside the man whose pulse she could not feel, sobbed Joan Quarrier. Gripping the relaxed hand of the friend he had falled to save, Guthrie listened for a heart beat, There was none. Laughing McDonald had joined the silent battalions,

"He's gone?" he asked the girl. while the policemen, dumb in their surprise, gaped at the two figures with their dead. She nodded.

"Gentlemen," Guthrie turned his face to his guests. "You are too late. Your man has escaped." "Stan' back !"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

First Must Come Labor Unless man plants and sows and eaps, seedtime and barvest avail him nothing.-Presbyterian Witness.

Sometimes we encounter a wise may who causes us to admira a fool

New Marquillo Wheat Is Rust Resistant

Seed Not to Be Distributed Before 1929.

Marquillo wheat, the new highly rust-resistant variety developed by the Minnesota agricultural station. will not be distributed before 1929.

This announcement is made by the Minnesota station to correct an impression that has gone abroad in some quarters that the seed is already beng distributed. There is available for seed pext

year only 125 bushels of this new variety, and the experiment station staff believes that the best results will be obtained if this seed is reserved and again grown on the experiment station farms in 1928, in order to make sure of the preservation of the seed stock and of the production of a sufficlent quantity of genuine Marquillo wheat to insure wide distribution in the spring of 1929. There is in the state no genuine stock of this variety, recognized by experiment station officials, except that in possession of the

experiment station. The variety is the result of a cross, made at University farm, between Marquis, the standard bread wheat of the Northwest, and Iumillo, a durum wheat. It is highly rust-resistant and of good milling quality. The aim Is to get it into the hands of careful farmers in 1929 to be increased for seed purposes so that the seed may be certified and given wide distribu-

Machinery Will Reduce

Expense of Farm Labor

The farmer who struggles along with poor seed, poor ground and poor equipment is paying for good seed, fertilizer, and good equipment whether he owns them or not. He pays because he cannot compete on even ground with the progressive farmer who uses all the means at his command for increasing his yield and lowering his labor costs by using mechanical helpers. The price he pays Is a smaller income and denial of the things an increased income would buy.

Better farm life is the goal of all who are engaged in or truly interested in agriculture. This goal has been reached by many, others are rapidly achieving it, while far too many think that the future holds nothing in store for them, and use the means within their grasp. Every one will agree that the progress in the development and use of agriculture has been dre in large measure to the development and use of machinery. The very fact that man has become a director of power instead of a source of power

has an uplifting effect on his nature. A real desire for better living is the first essential in securing it. Having this desire, the next thing is to obtain an income large enough to provide it. It is here that proper equipment plays Its part by reducing the cost of producing farm products and by increasing the amount that the individual worker produces.

Manure Best Reinforced

With Acid Phosphate Manure is a great thing for the land, but it's a still better thing if reinforced with acid phosphate. Alone, manure doesn't make a balanced ration for the crops. Adding acid phosphate to it is like giving a little grain o a cow that's already doing well on clover and sitage. It jumps up the returns to an amount far greater than

Thus, at the Ohio station, "The use of 40 pounds of acid phosphate on each of eight leads of manure per acre applied ahead of the corn, in a corn, wheat and clover rotation, has increased the corn seven bushels, the wheat five bushels, and the clover onehalf ton over the yields where the same amount of manure but no phos-

phate was used." If you are top-dressing winter wheat with manure this winter-and that's a good way to use manure-you can begin to cash in right there on the higher value of phosphated manure. Simply spread a half hag of the acid phosphate over the top of each load of manure as you drive out to the

The wheat will say a nice "Thank ou," when it comes to the threshing machine, and so will the two or three crops that follow it.

Tankage and Fertilizer

From Offal and Blood Offal and blood which is ordinarily wasted by the farm butcher can be made into tankage or fertilizer without much trouble, according to the United States Department of Agriculture. The process is a simple one. The offat and blood can be thorough ly cooked in an open kettle. After it is cooked it can be dried out and

ground as tankage for hogs. This

residual tankage will give good re-

sults in feeding as a supplement with

corn for hogs.

squeal to be wasted.

If it is to be used for fertilizer it can be cooked and then ordinary 16 per cent acid phosphate can be added at the rate of 35 to 50 pounds of phosphate to 100 pounds of the cooked offal. This mixture can be air-dried by raking it over occasionally. After it is thoroughly dried it can be ground and used immediately or stored for future use. The phosphate will prevent putrefaction and flies do not breed in the mixture. This

Black Currant Nurse of Rust

Acts as Advance Guard in Spreading Disease Among the White Pines.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The European black current is a public nulsance, because it acts as an dvance guard in spreading the white pine blister rust, a disease of foreign rigin which is destructive to all of our American white (or five-leafed) pines, says Samuel B. Detwiler, chief dister-rust specialist of the United States Department of Agriculture. Two Host Plants.

The blister rust requires two disinctly different kinds of host plants or completing its life cycle. nores that infect the pines are proluced on the leaves of current or ooseherry bushes and transmitted to the pines through the air. In turn, the currents and gooseberries become infected from the speres produced on the pines. While all species of currant and gooseberry plants take the disease to some extent, the European black current is so susceptible that a ingle spot on one leaf may completely spread the disease to the entire lant as well as to other near-by dants of the same species. Thus the cattered wind-blown spores which may travel hundreds of miles and not establish the rust on other species of currants do infect the European black and set up new centers of infection. For this reason the European black current has been called the "nurse plant" of blister rust and outlawed by the states in which white pines are important forest crops,

White Pines Endangered. The white pines in the United States that are endangered by bilster rust have a cash timber value of approximately \$550,000,000, while the lumber value of this timber is many times greater. This does not take into account the value of trees of these species used as ornamentals and the potentially great value of the young pines for the future timber crops. The money value of the blackcurrent plantings of the country is

For these reasons the United States Department of Agriculture and the states concerned have declared the European black current a public nulsance and are co-operatively engaged in a campaign to systematically eliminate it from the country,

Equal to Cropped Land

Blue Grass Pasture Is

Usually we consider pasture as of ow value; as, too often, it really is, Quite recently, however, Prof. J. W. White of Pennsylvania State college has made an exhaustive analysis of returns from pasture compared with those cropped in a formal rotation, He finds that a good blue grass pusture, well fertilized, gives as large a return in terms of animal nutrients as corresponding land cropped in rotation. He also finds that the total production of protein is greater on the pasture, than in the rotation. He estimates that the total cost of these nutrients will be very much less, under a well-fertilized and well managed pasture system, than where the land put to rotation. This argument, therefore, is not intended to diminish attention to better crop farming, but rather to urge that the pasture be given a place in the plan and that the pasture grasses and clovers be so ted that they can give for themselves the best possible accounting. At present prices of animal crops, and of commercial plant foods, much more may he done with our pastures than is generally recognized.

Small Jobs of Concrete

Work on Average Farm For small jobs of concrete work on the farm a mixture commenly known as a one-two-three is most desirable. cubic feet of clean sand and three cubic feet of course gravel or broken stone. If you use a mixture entirely of sand and cement you will not obtain the full strength that you get if the gravel is added. In using gravel or sand from some near-by creek bed he careful that there is no mud mixed in with them. A very small amount of mud will destroy the strength of

XO+O+O+O+OXO+O+O+O+O Hints for the Farm 10-0-0-0-010-0-0-01

scrub cattle? Farmers must use methods which

crops without decreasing the yield. Probably no other single mistake causes so much loss to Americans, and especially American farmers, an

does the loss of time.-G. F. Warren. Is your seed corn safe from Jack Frost's damaging influences? Keep it hanging in a dry, warm place where there is good circulation of air until it is thoroughly dry and past all danger

or molding. Farm management surveys indicate that cutting the cost of farm machinery is one of the important factors in efficient farm management. It is getusage of the offal leaves only the | ting the most out of the machine at the lest expense.

SOUTH-WEST **NEWS NOTES**

The Roswell, New Mexico, weather oureau is one of twelve points selected in the United States to conduct an upper air test with a series of eight

Dwight Wathen and Johnny Menzel, both 17, who escaped from jail in Prescott were brought back by Deputy Sheriff John Dial. The boys, who locked Mrs. Thomas, jail matron, in their cell as she offered them a meal, were captured at Parker, Ariz. A permit authorizing A. Frederick-

son, owner of the electric light plant at Duncan, Ariz., to sell the plant and equipment to A. P. Barrett, president of the Texas-Louislana Power Company for \$36,000 has been issued by the corporation commission of Art-A coroner's jury in Raton returned

verdict to the effect that Elian Mares of Clayton, private in the New Mexico National Guard, who died in Raton, dled of a gun wound inflicted by a weapon in the hands of Joe Romero of Las Vegas, a fellow guards-Douglas B. Nichols, former patrol-

man of East Las Vegas, is held in jail to await trial on charges of first degree murder and assault with a deadly weapon. The first charge is in connection with the killing of Zemon Gurule at a dance hall in Sapello last

Owners of sheep in the state of Arisona are urged by Dr. S. E. Douglas, state veterinarian, to vaccinate their bands at once to prevent the apread of hemorrhage septicemia, a highly contagious disease of sheep which is very prevalent in certain parts of the state now.

Arizona state warrants aggregating \$422,088.27, representing the amounts apportioned to each of the fourteen countles as their share of the second quarterly apportionment of the state school funds for the present fiscal year, have been mailed by C. O. Case, state superintendent of public instruction to the respective county superintendents.

Nearly 2,000 range plants of more or less importance to the grazing industry of the southwest have been collected by the forest service in New Mexico and Arizona, it was announced in Albuquerque recently. The herbarium in the district office of the forest service at Albuquerque contains 1,981 distinct species. There are 1,235 specimens of weeds, 375 of grasses, and 371 of shrubs and trees. Accompanying each plant are notes by the collector on its forage value, growth requirements and other points of interest. These plants are indexed and filed so that they are ready for use at

According to the recent report of

the U.S. Employment Service of the

U. S. Department of Labor released in Denver an infinx of seasonal workers from adjoining states, usual at this period of the year, occurred in New Mexico during November, resulting in the supply of all classes of labor be-The one exception was cotton pickers, of whom a small shortage was reported in certain districts. Except for live stock feeding, there will be little agricultural work until the spring. after the completion of the cotton harvest, which will be finished the latter part of December. Producing metal mines operated on fairly satisfactory schedules during the past thirty days. Considerable new metalmine construction and development work was reported. Coal mining showed some increase. Employment is offered to quite a number of men in connection with oil prospecting. which is under way in several sections of the state. Work has recently been started on nine Federal-aid highway projects, providing employment for quite a number of additional men. The report states that a slight increase in agricultural, building, and This means one bag of cement, two general construction activities was reported in Arizona during November The influx of winter residents and migratory workers, usual at this season of the year, resulted in a small surplus of labor. Harvesting of the arge cotton crop in the Sait River, Yuma and Tucson districts will continue to employ many workers until the latter part of December. A large number of laborers are employed in connection with the harvesting of the lettuce crop in the Salt River, Yuma, Safford and Florence Casa Grande valleys: plenty of labor available for this work. Work under way or to commence soon includes the Lake Pleasant Dam, the \$5,500,000 Coolidge Dam, Feed is expensive; why give it to a 30-mile lumber railroad from Snowflake to Standard, and several other large projects. There was a slight increase in metal-mine production and employment during November, A. will decrease the cost of producing alight surplus of unskilled metal-mine abor was reported. Lumbering showed a seasonal decrease in the past thirty days.

Three unmasked young men held up A. E. Huntzinger, cashier in the Citizens' State Bank at Vaughn, N. M., and obtained approximately \$3,000 in gold, silver and currency.

Erection of postoffice buildings in four New Mexico cities was asked in bills introduced in Washington by Representative Morrow, New Mexico. The buildings and appropriations sought are: Alamogordo \$15,000; Deming, \$150,000; Silver City, \$150, 000, and Tucumcari, \$200,000. Enlargement of the postoffice at Raton also was asked.