

CLARA SMITH IS ACQUITTED FOR MURDER OF HAMON; SENSATIONAL TRIAL INTERESTS ENTIRE NATION

WEALTHY FLORIST KILLS WOMAN IN PRESENCE OF MAN SHE WAS TO WED

ROCKFORD, Ill., Mar. 17—Arthur Bauscher, a widower and wealthy florist, followed Miss Helen Widholm, the divorced wife of Clarence Widholm here, on an interurban car and shot and killed her in sight of Widholm to whom she was engaged to be remarried, and then killed himself. She refused to marry Bauscher.

Legislators May Be Called Back To Explain Joker

PHOENIX, Mar. 14—It looks as though the democrats have handed the republican administration the proverbial "joker" in the much fought-over omnibus roads bill. If this be true, then a special session of the legislature looms on the horizon.

The provisions of the omnibus bill, the purpose of which is to provide the state highway department with funds for building highways, may be divided into two parts. The first part provides for a total appropriation of a million and a quarter dollars with which to do the work. The second part specifies the projects on which the money is to be spent.

During the course of the bill, a five-cent levy is provided for as one means of raising the funds. This will amount to \$750,000. For the rest of the fund, \$750,000, direct appropriations are provided for, each of the various road projects called for in the act being allotted a direct appropriation to cover the cost of the work.

Now for the apparent "joker" in the bill. Along toward the end of the bill occurs the following paragraph: "Provided, that no obligation shall be assumed, or expense incurred under the provisions of this act, within any fiscal year in the amount of ANY sum in excess of the levy herein provided, and the unexpended balance from the previous fiscal year."

Legislative authorities who have been consulted on this particular provision are of the opinion that this paragraph limits the amount of funds that can be spent on the projects set forth in the bill to the amount that can be raised through the five-cent levy. In other words, while the bill at the outset states that an appropriation of \$1,250,000 is hereby made, the apparent joker in the bill limits the expenditures for the two years to \$400,000.

The joker was put into the bill in the shape of an amendment offered by a democrat in the lower house. It is known that the governor is giving the omnibus bill some serious thought. Whether or not his attention is being centered on the apparent joker in the bill could not be learned. One fact was apparent during the last days of the legislature, and that was that the governor was insistent that the omnibus bill be passed.

Just what course the governor would follow should the joker amendment be construed as a damper on the bill, is problematical. He could either sign the bill with the joker in it or he could veto it on the ground that with the joker in it the bill would be practically worthless. In the latter event he would undoubtedly be forced to call a special session of the legislature immediately for the purpose of passing some constructive and efficient road legislation.

Observers sat at the capital who know the governor's attitude on the importance of the omnibus bill declare that they would not be surprised should the governor call the legislators back and ask them to pass a roads bill without a joker in it.

ELLISON-WHITE CHAUTAUQUA The entire Lyceum, Festival and Chautauqu business of Ellison-White in the United States has been placed on a strictly non-profit basis. At one step this establishes these Western entertainment and educational assemblies on the plane of the school, the college and the church—institutions belonging to the people in every sense of the word. This organization is sponsored by some of the foremost men and women of the West.

This popular amusement company entertained the people of the Patagonia district last May in a highly satisfying manner, and hundreds of our citizens will be glad to know that the same association, with an entirely different program, are coming again in May, and all may expect a good time. Watch the columns of the Patagonian for other announcements.

INDUSTRIAL DEMOCRACY INAUGURATED BY ARMOUR CO

CHICAGO, Mar. 14—Armour and company have called an election at all of its plants for tomorrow for employees to elect representatives to form an industrial democracy in which employers and employees have equal representation and settle all matters regarding working conditions, wages and hours in Armour plants. Representatives will be elected tomorrow and will form a temporary board which will work out permanent plans. The outline of proposed plan is said in case representatives of employers and employees could not agree and questions will be referred to an arbitrator.

CHICAGO, Mar. 14—While awaiting outcome of mediation plans as a result of the strike the vote of employees of packing plants here and in the leading branches in the midwest decided to work today under the reduced wage scale announced by the five packers which goes into effect today. More than 100,000 men are affected in reductions of from 15 to 12 1/2 per cent.

San Rafael Siftings

The much talked of San Rafael bill is still with us and road work is getting to be a joke.

The recent rain started the new grass, cattle are looking good and some few farmers are starting their spring plowing.

On Tuesday A. L. Kinsley, Otho Kinsley and wife and Mrs. Elbert Kinsley were business visitors in Patagonia and Nogales.

B. Lewis of Parker Canon was a Patagonia visitor first of the week.

Clyde McPherson and wife motored to Nogales on Monday returning same day.

George Ringwald has sold his valley holdings to Mr. Marian Frances, a young man from the eastern country. Mr. Ringwald is hauling his Case threshing, tractor, etc., to Patagonia and with his family for a new location.

Mr. Henry Rountree and daughter, Miss Ila, left on Monday overland for Las Cruces, N. M., where they will be met by Mrs. Rountree who went by train some ten days ago.

CATTLEMAN HERE

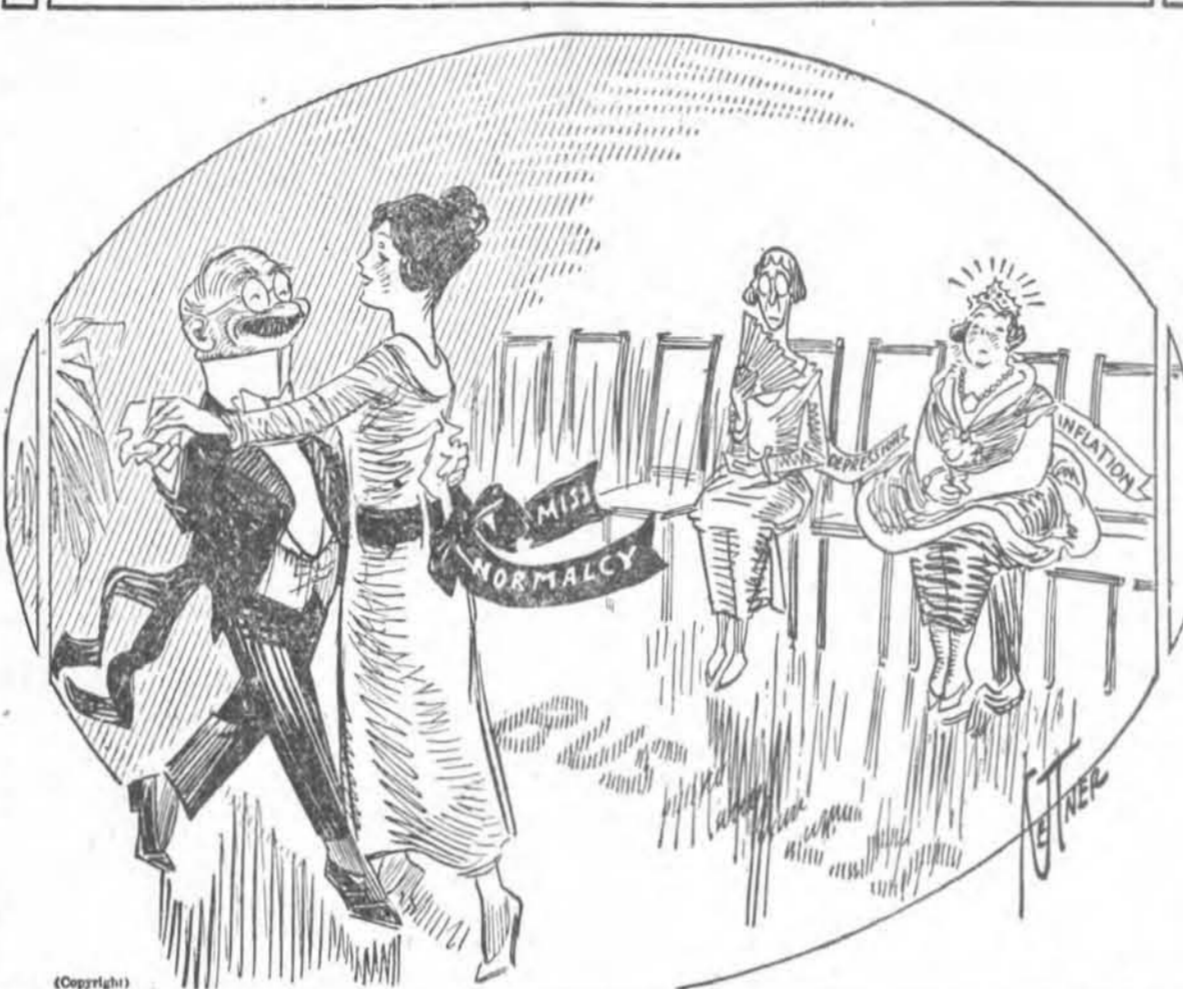
Al Chapman, one of our well known stockmen, was in town Wednesday, the first time for quite awhile. He explained his absence from his former rendezvous by stating that he has been kept busy for some time past in feeding and looking after a bunch of cattle that he is holding down on the Santa Cruz river some eight miles this side of Nogales. He is also doing a little farming and is planting barley, maize, corn and other feed crops with which to tide his poor cattle over next winter, in case there should be any poor ones. But at any rate he thinks it advisable for stockmen to prepare for the worst while the sun is shining and the summer rains are falling.

Southern California and a large portion of Arizona during this week been visited by heavy rains, literally flooding some sections. Arizona cattlemen say that these rains will be worth millions of dollars to the cattle interests of the state.

Mrs. C. L. Reaty of Elgin came in Tuesday morning and remained until Wednesday morning. She states that cattle on their ranch are fat and doing just as fine as could be desired.

The good old summer time seems to have come just a little earlier than usual this year. The weather this week leaves nothing to be desired—just what is a good rain—and this will come between now and Easter Sunday.

Wall Flowers



ELGIN Extracts SONOITA Sayings PARKER Canyon

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. McDonald, while playing in the yard of a neighbor, stumbled over a stone and fell a distance of 25 feet into a silo, killing her instantly. The grief-stricken parents have the heartfelt sympathy of the Elgin community in their deep affliction. They wish to thank the many friends for their acts of kindness during this dark hour.

E. B. Whitman and family have leased the Mark Manning place and have recently moved there where they will be at home to their friends. Ralph Barney came up from Nogales to visit with the home folks a couple of days; he is employed by Jessie Adams who is drilling wells in the vicinity of Nogales.

Parker Canon is now in communication with the wide world. The Forestry Service has installed a long distance telephone at the residence of James S. Jones, connecting with their Tucson line. This service will be appreciated by this community. Mrs. E. R. Langford has returned to her home at Sunnyside. The doctor prescribed quietness and a cessation of household activities.

The dance at the Elgin school house was largely attended and greatly enjoyed by all. It is reported that Mrs. S. Long of Nogales, who has been very sick for some time, is slowly getting better which all her Sonoita friends will be glad to learn.

Mr. O. P. Lane was in Tuesday getting supplies. He reports his little daughter as being sick, also the infant daughter of Mr. Ralph C. McIntyre.

Mr. Lane says he has been plowing the past week and was much encouraged by the condition of the soil, which was much better than he expected as it was much moister than he anticipated.

The Pioneer Sewing Club met on Saturday last at the home of Mrs. Chas. Reeves at Elgin, and sew, I guess they did, and every one had a lovely time; each took a dish of some kind to eat and all stayed for dinner and supper as well. Those present were: Mrs. Rouse, Benjamin, Honnas, Davis, Spring, Neil, Rothrock, Bryant and the hostess, Mrs. Reeves.

Mr. O. S. Coats has returned to Elgin after an absence of three years in different parts of Arizona, California and Texas. He says it seems nice to be back among old friends once more.

A number of ranchers are plowing or arranging to plow, having faith in the promise of a seed time and harvest.

The many friends of Mrs. Lillian Reeves gave her a very pleasant surprise party Saturday, the 12th inst. There were present about twenty ladies.

Mr. Nick Bereich is arranging to start his double disk plow. Nick is one of the number of cattlemen who realize that it is well to raise feed and have it on hand ready for a dry spell.

The county board of supervisors have decided to grade another place out of the canon avoiding the steep grade known as the Best Hill. This section will appreciate this action of the board as the Best Hill was an unusually heavy grade.

In memory of little Edith McDonald who was laid to rest in Fruitland cemetery March 13, 1921. It is sad to give up a little child upon whom we have placed our love and affections. But we know she has gone to a better world. He who doeth all things well, makes no mistakes. The human link snapped asunder on earth is forged anew in heaven. The yearning parents mourn not as one without hope. It is true that when beautiful youth is gone not much of life remains; hence the dear one's eyes are closed to all earthly trials. In her springtime of enthusiasm and tenderness, ere the sunshine of hope and joy was extinguished, she passed to the glorious beyond.

Mrs. P. A. Honnas celebrated her 50th birthday, having a few of her near neighbors eat dinner and spend the day with her on Tuesday. They all departed by wishing her 50 more birthdays. What a sin!

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Baldwin and son Clyde were in from their San Rafael Valley ranch Wednesday shopping and transacting other business. They stated that the rain which recently visited that section has started the grass to growing and that cattle are doing real well.

E. A. and W. D. Schultz of Patagonia passed through Elgin the first of the week enroute to Mesa. They have accepted positions as engineer and fireman at the mine plant of Goldfield, Arizona, 22 miles east of Mesa.

Mrs. Henry Wood visited Patagonia Tuesday where she did quite a bit of shopping and returned to the road camp near Elgin where her husband has the contract to build the Elgin-Rain Valley road.

On Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock p. m., there will be a ball game at the ball park across Sonoita creek. The teams will be the Americans and the Mexicans of Patagonia. The last Sunday game was a lively one, and the score stood 19-9 in favor of the Americans. The promoters of the game are anxious to have a big crowd out next Sunday.

Mrs. P. A. Honnas celebrated her 50th birthday, having a few of her near neighbors eat dinner and spend the day with her on Tuesday. They all departed by wishing her 50 more birthdays. What a sin!

The Pioneer Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Sam Knight on March 25. All the ladies watch for that like a cat watches a mouse; they always know there is a bag full of fun at these gatherings.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Baldwin and son Clyde were in from their San Rafael Valley ranch Wednesday shopping and transacting other business. They stated that the rain which recently visited that section has started the grass to growing and that cattle are doing real well.

Mrs. P. A. Honnas celebrated her 50th birthday, having a few of her near neighbors eat dinner and spend the day with her on Tuesday. They all departed by wishing her 50 more birthdays. What a sin!

The Federal Farm Loan Banks of the country have been held up for many months pending a suit to try the constitutionality of that law. The United States Supreme court has ruled that the act is valid and one of the greatest pieces of legislation so far as the farming interests of the country are concerned, and they will resume operations.

Mrs. Brodine accompanied by her son Ernest, left on Monday morning for Grand Junction, Colo., their former home, where they will remain for a considerable length of time. Chester Brodine, the other son, will remain here and look after their property interests.

The season for straw hats has arrived and some of our merchants are showing the latest styles of straw head gear.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Baldwin and son Clyde were in from their San Rafael Valley ranch Wednesday shopping and transacting other business. They stated that the rain which recently visited that section has started the grass to growing and that cattle are doing real well.

Mrs. Brodine accompanied by her son Ernest, left on Monday morning for Grand Junction, Colo., their former home, where they will remain for a considerable length of time. Chester Brodine, the other son, will remain here and look after their property interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Baldwin and son Clyde were in from their San Rafael Valley ranch Wednesday shopping and transacting other business. They stated that the rain which recently visited that section has started the grass to growing and that cattle are doing real well.

Mrs. Brodine accompanied by her son Ernest, left on Monday morning for Grand Junction, Colo., their former home, where they will remain for a considerable length of time. Chester Brodine, the other son, will remain here and look after their property interests.

Mrs. Brodine accompanied by her son Ernest, left on Monday morning for Grand Junction, Colo., their former home, where they will remain for a considerable length of time. Chester Brodine, the other son, will remain here and look after their property interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Baldwin and son Clyde were in from their San Rafael Valley ranch Wednesday shopping and transacting other business. They stated that the rain which recently visited that section has started the grass to growing and that cattle are doing real well.

Mrs. Brodine accompanied by her son Ernest, left on Monday morning for Grand Junction, Colo., their former home, where they will remain for a considerable length of time. Chester Brodine, the other son, will remain here and look after their property interests.

Mrs. Brodine accompanied by her son Ernest, left on Monday morning for Grand Junction, Colo., their former home, where they will remain for a considerable length of time. Chester Brodine, the other son, will remain here and look after their property interests.

HOLOCAUST ON FAST TRAIN; PASSENGERS JUMP FOR LIFE

PUEBLO, Colo., Mar. 15—Five persons were burned to death when the rear Pullman car of the Denver & Rio Grande railroad caught fire at 2 o'clock this morning between Pueblo and Walsenburg. The origin of the fire was not determined. Seven persons were in the Pullman when the fire broke out, all being asleep in their berths. Two persons escaped by jumping from the car windows and were slightly injured. The fire was discovered by the engine crew of a north bound train which signalled the other to stop. All that remained of the Pullman car was a heap of ashes. The bodies were dragged from a mass of fire and wreckage after the train stopped. Only two bodies have been identified.

CLARA HAMON LURED TO RUN THRU FALSITY; SAYS ATTORNEY FLASH!

ARDMORE, Ok., Mch 17—Clara Smith Was Acquitted Here Today For The Murder Of Jake Hamon. ARDMORE, Mar. 17—The effort of the defense to waive the right of argument and have the case of Clara Smith Hamon on trial charged with the murder of Jake Hamon go immediately to the jury was ruled out by Judge Champion and the defense counsel began a plea for the acquittal of the defendant. Joe Champion, a brother of the presiding judge, opened the defense arguments. It appeared that the entire day might be taken up with argument and the case will actually be given the jury late today. Attorney Champion referred to the participation in the case of Attorney General Frestling as a high state official. "He was sent down here to prosecute a poor innocent country girl for shooting a millionaire," said Champion. Clara Hamon's eyes filled with tears as she sat with down cast face. "When Jake Hamon met her," said Champion, "she was a brown eyed girl. He lured, coaxed, wooed and won—the powerful lawyer of 40 years. A master mind he took her, an innocent country girl, educated her, not that she might serve as his stenographer but in the end so she might yield to his brutal passions."

VAUGHN Views

Mrs. Martha Reed and son, W. E. Reed of Trenton, N. J., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jolly of the Vaughn district. They will also spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Neil of Elgin.

Mrs. H. C. Belue of the Vaughn community is able to be out again and is enjoying the sunshine.

Mr. Harry Stoddard is home again from Tucson where he has been attending U. S. Court.

Mrs. Mamie Kane of Vaughn resumed her duties as clerk in the Ville de Paris of Nogales on March 14.

There is not much farm work being done around Vaughn at present, but farmers hope to get busy soon.

Grass is short around here on account of the range being overstocked but cattle are looking and doing all right.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Hawley, Tucson; Mrs. Kane; W. M. Clayton, Ft. Grant, Ariz.; L. B. Ragsdale, Phoenix; W. H. Wickham, Tucson.

Don Crow, the genial assistant at S. P. depot, is in receipt of a letter from Dr. A. W. Adkinson, the well known Methodist minister, stating that he will hold religious services at the public school house in Patagonia Sunday morning next at 11 o'clock. Everybody is invited to attend.

Mrs. C. S. Sanford of Winkelman has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Reagan this week.

BASEBALL

On Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock p. m., there will be a ball game at the ball park across Sonoita creek. The teams will be the Americans and the Mexicans of Patagonia. The last Sunday game was a lively one, and the score stood 19-9 in favor of the Americans. The promoters of the game are anxious to have a big crowd out next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Baldwin and son Clyde were in from their San Rafael Valley ranch Wednesday shopping and transacting other business. They stated that the rain which recently visited that section has started the grass to growing and that cattle are doing real well.

Mrs. Brodine accompanied by her son Ernest, left on Monday morning for Grand Junction, Colo., their former home, where they will remain for a considerable length of time. Chester Brodine, the other son, will remain here and look after their property interests.

Mrs. Brodine accompanied by her son Ernest, left on Monday morning for Grand Junction, Colo., their former home, where they will remain for a considerable length of time. Chester Brodine, the other son, will remain here and look after their property interests.

Mrs. Brodine accompanied by her son Ernest, left on Monday morning for Grand Junction, Colo., their former home, where they will remain for a considerable length of time. Chester Brodine, the other son, will remain here and look after their property interests.

Mrs. Brodine accompanied by her son Ernest, left on Monday morning for Grand Junction, Colo., their former home, where they will remain for a considerable length of time. Chester Brodine, the other son, will remain here and look after their property interests.

PAY CHECKS OF OFFICIALS UNPAID

PHOENIX, Mar. 17—The second day after payday out at the state house found hundreds of state employees and officials "all dressed up with pay warrants but no place to cash them." The inability of the majority of employees to cash their pay warrants is due to the exhaustion of the general fund from which the pay checks are drawn.

The general fund became exhausted a few days prior to the close of the legislature, some of the legislators being unable to cash the warrants they received for their remuneration. Yesterday's payday brought the first worthless warrants to the statehouse employees and officials.

The warrants are worthless for a short time only, however. It is expected by Mr. Earhart, state treasurer, that the exhausted fund will be replenished along about the tenth of April, when the cash for the bonds which were authorized at a recent meeting of the state loan board will be delivered to the state by eastern purchasers of the bonds. This will bring about one million dollars cash into the state for immediate circulation.

While it is true that as a general rule the present pay warrants are not negotiable at the banks, it is a fact that some of the banks are cashing these warrants for holders who happen to be regular customers of such banks. This is being done purely as a matter of business policy with some of the banks.

That the situation really is stringent with some of the capitol girls is indicated by the fact that a stenographer in one of the offices was refused by a small local bank when she presented her pay warrant as payment on a real estate contract she is paying off.

C. L. Northeraft has been having some painting done on his handsome residence this week. This is one among the nicest residences in Patagonia and Mr. Northeraft, like most of our citizens, believes in keeping his premises in first class condition.

Ed. Hainline is erecting in front of his brick residence a large sleeping porch with cement floor and walls. When completed it will be quite city-like in general appearance and convenience, and will add considerable attractiveness to the entire premises.

THE WORLD IN PARAGRAPHS

A BRIEF RECORD OF PASSING EVENTS IN THIS AND FOREIGN COUNTRIES

IN LATE DISPATCHES

DOINGS AND HAPPENINGS THAT MARK THE PROGRESS OF THE AGE.

WESTERN

The anti-cigarette bill failed of passage in the Kansas Legislature. It prohibited smoking or possessing cigarettes as well as selling or giving them away.

While attempting to slide slip to a landing field from an altitude of 2,000 feet, Walter C. Reams, a flying cadet at Kelly field, was killed at San Antonio, Texas.

The Texas State Senate has passed a House bill prohibiting hotel and eating housekeepers from using cracked dishes; requiring sterilization of table ware and preventing the employment of persons with infectious diseases. The bill also applies to dairies.

Ferdinand Michelena, once famed as a grand opera tenor, is dead following an attack of apoplexy in San Francisco. His daughter, Beatrice Michelena, is famous as a movie star, and another daughter, Vera Michelena, is noted in vaudeville and comic opera.

Mrs. Kenneth Thorneck of Brigham City, Utah, wrapped her baby son in a quilt and put him on the oven door of the kitchen stove while she went across the street to call upon a neighbor. When she returned thirty minutes later she found the baby burned to death.

Mrs. Kenneth Thorneck of Brigham City, Utah, wrapped her baby son in a quilt and put him on the oven door of her kitchen stove while she went across the street to call upon a neighbor. When she returned thirty minutes later she found the baby burned to death.

Governor Mabey of Utah, after holding the Southwest anti-cigarette bill the lawful five days, signed the measure and at the same time made an announcement to the effect that he would send a special message to the Legislature requesting repeal and substitute a new one in its place.

Claiming possession under a patent land grant to Moses Butler, hero of the battle of San Jacinto, which gave Texas its freedom from Mexico, relatives in the United States District Court at Wichita Falls, Texas, filed suit in trespass to quiet title to property in the old field district of Young county, said to be worth \$1,000,000.

The word of Epigenio Ybarra, Jr., governor-elect of the northern district of Lower California, "will be absolute law" in the district, according to a statement at Calexico, Calif., by Senator Ybarra's private secretary, Captain Jose M. Davila, quoting President Oregon. The federal government's only demand, the officer declared, was that the governor prohibit all gambling in the district.

WASHINGTON

Deductions from income taxes of persons whose businesses were ended with the enactment of federal prohibition legislation will be approximately \$1,000,000, the bureau of internal revenue announced. The estimate was made public as a result of a statement in the Senate which placed such losses at \$1,000,000,000 to \$4,000,000,000.

The nomination of Col. Theodore Roosevelt to be assistant secretary of the navy has been confirmed by the Senate.

American women now are consuming nearly 20,000,000,000 cigarettes a year, receipts of the internal revenue bureau indicate. Women were blamed for an increase of 66 per cent in the manufacture and sale of cigarettes in the United States.

Authority of former Postmaster General Burleson, to withdraw second-class mail privileges from any publication which violated the espionage act through printing articles "tending to create insubordination or disloyalty" in the military or naval forces, was upheld by the Supreme Court.

The Mexican bean beetle is the only bad little girl of the "lady bug" family, government farm experts have decreed in announcing reprisal warfare against the new crop destroyer, active particularly in Alabama, Colorado and New Mexico. All other "lady bugs" are classed as "beneficial insects," but the bean beetle from the south of the border feeds on plant fertilizer and the government has \$100,000 to spend in running it out of the country.

"The United States can prepare for a 6,000,000-bale cotton crop next year with whatever prices that size crop may demand," says Ellis M. Whitaker of Memphis. "The South is determined that the cotton acreage for 1921 shall be not more than half of what it was last year, which will produce a crop of about 6,000,000 bales."

One member of the House, Representative Ricketts, Republican, Ohio, answered all of the 522 roll calls of the Sixty-sixth Congress, equalling his own record in the Sixty-fourth Congress, never before achieved.

The nomination of Brig. Gen. Frank McIntyre to be chief of the War Department bureau of Insular affairs was confirmed by the Senate in open session. The nominations of several hundred majors, lieutenant colonels and colonels also were confirmed before adjournment.

I. E. Robinson of Grafton, W. Va., former chief justice of the West Virginia Supreme Court, is understood to be under consideration for appointment to the post of commissioner of internal revenue, vacated by the resignation of William M. Williams.

FOREIGN

Private dispatches reported twenty persons killed at La Paz, Bolivia, in street fighting between Liberal and Republican factions. Business was reported suspended.

The Russian revolution is rapidly attaining the proportions of the 1917 coup which overthrew czarism, according to messages delivered to former Premier Kerensky.

A bill prohibiting the importation of rice and fixing a maximum selling price of 3 cents per pound wholesale, has been signed by Gov. Gen. Francis Burton Harrison at Manila, P. I.

Madrid was horrified when it became known that Eduardo Dato, premier and minister of marine, had been assassinated while returning to his home from a late session of the Spanish Senate.

According to the Revolt correspondent of the Rotterdam Maasbode, Russian radicals recently departed from the United States are playing a prominent part in the revolution in Russia. Deported Russians had great expectations of Russia, but were bitterly disappointed when they found that the communist regime represented "nothing but a sentence to an indefinite term of hard labor without adequate food."

The introduction of German labor to help rebuild the war-devastated districts of northern France, one of the suggestions made by the Berlin government during the reparations discussions, will be violently opposed by French workers. The annual congress of French building workers voted overwhelmingly against the admission of German laborers, though no objection was made to the use of German material.

Preparations are in progress for the erection of a chain of military blockhouses to indicate the new boundaries of the Ulster area in Ireland under the new home rule act, says a Belfast dispatch. Government surveys have commenced in North Monaghan county near the Fermanagh border, the dispatch adds. Sites are being selected for new stations for thirty thousand troops in the six-county area. The stations will be two miles apart.

French, British and Belgian troops occupy three German cities, Dusseldorf, Duiburg and Ruhrort. Less than 25,000 troops used to effect occupation. No opposition offered by Germans. Populace orderly. German officials of occupied cities left in power. Customs frontier established 18 1/2 miles east of Rhine. German ambassadors summoned home from London, Paris and Brussels. American troops remain at old positions in Coblenz. Harding announces they will not be withdrawn at present.

GENERAL

Frantic with pain from an attack of appendicitis, Earl Wilson, an 8-year-old boy, shot and killed himself at Bonner Springs, Kan.

Falling off a 1,000-foot bluff, Jack Stewart, foreman at the New Kenai Hill silver mine in the Mayo district, Alaska, landed on a snow-covered shelf 200 feet below and escaped with three broken ribs.

Street Commissioner Leo of New York completed a summary of the cost of the recent snow storm in that city. It cost \$1,800,000 to rid the streets of Manhattan, Bronx and Brooklyn of the fall of 12,045 inches.

Lieutenant J. T. Lawson, 24, of Hartford, Conn., and Private Joseph Reed, 21, of Norwood, N. J., were dashed to death at Camp Knox when an army airplane which failed to right itself during a tail spin, fell nearly 3,000 feet.

The directors of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company adopted a resolution directing the executive officers "to give, as promptly as possible, proper notice that it is the intention of the company to reduce the salaries and wages of officers and employees to accord with economic conditions."

New York city taxpayers this year face the highest tax rate in history, despite an enormous increase in the assessed valuation of real estate. Based on the 1921 budget of \$345,530,039, the rates indicate increases over 1920 ranging from 29 to 31 cents per \$100. Total valuation of real estate is computed at \$9,972,588,104 and personal property \$213,222,175.

A concurrent resolution, introduced in the lower house of the Michigan Legislature at Lansing, by Representative Walter Henze of Iron Mountain, would call upon Congress to divide Michigan into two states, the lower peninsula to retain the present name and government, and a new commonwealth to be known as "Superior" to be created of the upper peninsula.

Union printers went on strike at Binghamton, N. Y., to enforce demands for increased wages and reduced hours. As a result of the strike, evening newspapers and the Morning Sun have suspended publication and the plants of the Vail-Ballou Company, book manufacturers, and the Johnson City Publishing Company, job printers, are crippled. The men rejected an offer to submit the matter to arbitration.

C. D. B. King, president of the republic of Liberia, in West Africa, arrived at New York en route to Washington to discuss a loan of \$5,000,000 to his republic. The loan has been "hanging fire" nearly a year, it was stated, and it is needed to further industrial development in Liberia.

Six new cases of typhus were discovered among immigrants held at Swinburne Island for observation. It was announced. Two men and three women arrived more than a month ago from Trieste. The sixth, a native of Hungary, arrived recently.

In addition to \$700,000 sent directly to Chinese missions by eight Protestant denominations for the relief of sufferers in the Chinese famine, \$306,077 has been contributed to the national famine fund by a score of denominations. The contributions came from Catholic, Protestant, Jewish and Christian Science churches.

Fire destroyed the interior of the Cathedral of Sts. Peter and Paul, causing damage estimated at \$100,000. It is one of the oldest and best known Episcopal edifices in Chicago, dating back to Civil war times.

MARKETS

Furnished by U. S. BUREAU OF MARKETS Washington, D. C.

Receipts generally light. Majority of markets reporting easier tendency. Omaha market strong and quoting alfalfa and prairie about \$1 higher because of insufficient supply. Other markets dull and largely in buyers' favor with sales at widely varying prices. Best grades of hay in demand. Good inquiry for Southwestern prairie and straw, especially rye straw in Chicago. Receipts in Cincinnati large with light shipping demand. Quoted No. 1 Timothy, \$20 Minnesota, \$26.50 Memphis, \$22 Cincinnati, \$27.50 Chicago, No. 2 Timothy, \$18 Minnesota, \$24 Memphis, \$20 Cincinnati, No. 3 clover mixed, \$16.50 Minnesota, \$20.50 Chicago, No. 1 alfalfa, \$12 Minnesota, \$27 Memphis, \$19 Omaha, \$20 Kansas City, \$16 alfalfa, \$17 Minnesota, \$20 Memphis, \$10 Omaha.

Feed prices unchanged to lower. Middling and lower. Corn feeds unchanged. Cottonseed meal easier; lined meal in fairly good demand. Stocking usually inferior and normal and increasing rather than decreasing because of ample receipts and continued high demand. Alfalfa meal weak and quotable lower. Jobbers in Chicago market who purchased heavily on the low side are now offering wheat feeds \$4@5.15 under mill prices. Mill prices firm because of light production and few offerings. Quoted: Bran, \$25.50 Chicago, \$33 Boston. Middlings, \$26 Chicago, \$22 Boston. \$5 per cent cottonseed \$45.50 Minneapolis, \$41 Buffalo, No. 1 alfalfa meal, \$19 Omaha, and Kansas City. Gluten feeds, \$27 Chicago, \$28 Boston, \$27 feed, \$22 St. Louis, \$22 Boston. Beet pulp, \$22 f. o. b. New York.

The political outlook abroad and a good export demand resulted in higher grain prices the first half of week, but prices eased off later on liquidation of long holdings, about 1/2c lower, and slower milling and export demand. Export corn demand slower but domestic eastern shipping demand improved. Country offerings and receipts continue light. In Chicago cash market No. 2 red hard, \$1.09 1/2; No. 3 mixed, \$1.07; No. 4 mixed, \$1.05; No. 5 mixed, \$1.03; No. 6 mixed, \$1.01; No. 7 mixed, \$0.99; No. 8 mixed, \$0.97; No. 9 mixed, \$0.95; No. 10 mixed, \$0.93; No. 11 mixed, \$0.91; No. 12 mixed, \$0.89; No. 13 mixed, \$0.87; No. 14 mixed, \$0.85; No. 15 mixed, \$0.83; No. 16 mixed, \$0.81; No. 17 mixed, \$0.79; No. 18 mixed, \$0.77; No. 19 mixed, \$0.75; No. 20 mixed, \$0.73; No. 21 mixed, \$0.71; No. 22 mixed, \$0.69; No. 23 mixed, \$0.67; No. 24 mixed, \$0.65; No. 25 mixed, \$0.63; No. 26 mixed, \$0.61; No. 27 mixed, \$0.59; No. 28 mixed, \$0.57; No. 29 mixed, \$0.55; No. 30 mixed, \$0.53; No. 31 mixed, \$0.51; No. 32 mixed, \$0.49; No. 33 mixed, \$0.47; No. 34 mixed, \$0.45; No. 35 mixed, \$0.43; No. 36 mixed, \$0.41; No. 37 mixed, \$0.39; No. 38 mixed, \$0.37; No. 39 mixed, \$0.35; No. 40 mixed, \$0.33; No. 41 mixed, \$0.31; No. 42 mixed, \$0.29; No. 43 mixed, \$0.27; No. 44 mixed, \$0.25; No. 45 mixed, \$0.23; No. 46 mixed, \$0.21; No. 47 mixed, \$0.19; No. 48 mixed, \$0.17; No. 49 mixed, \$0.15; No. 50 mixed, \$0.13; No. 51 mixed, \$0.11; No. 52 mixed, \$0.09; No. 53 mixed, \$0.07; No. 54 mixed, \$0.05; No. 55 mixed, \$0.03; No. 56 mixed, \$0.01; No. 57 mixed, \$0.00; No. 58 mixed, \$0.00; No. 59 mixed, \$0.00; No. 60 mixed, \$0.00; No. 61 mixed, \$0.00; No. 62 mixed, \$0.00; No. 63 mixed, \$0.00; No. 64 mixed, \$0.00; No. 65 mixed, \$0.00; No. 66 mixed, \$0.00; No. 67 mixed, \$0.00; No. 68 mixed, \$0.00; No. 69 mixed, \$0.00; No. 70 mixed, \$0.00; No. 71 mixed, \$0.00; No. 72 mixed, \$0.00; No. 73 mixed, \$0.00; No. 74 mixed, \$0.00; No. 75 mixed, \$0.00; No. 76 mixed, \$0.00; No. 77 mixed, \$0.00; No. 78 mixed, \$0.00; No. 79 mixed, \$0.00; No. 80 mixed, \$0.00; No. 81 mixed, \$0.00; No. 82 mixed, \$0.00; No. 83 mixed, \$0.00; No. 84 mixed, \$0.00; No. 85 mixed, \$0.00; No. 86 mixed, \$0.00; No. 87 mixed, \$0.00; No. 88 mixed, \$0.00; No. 89 mixed, \$0.00; No. 90 mixed, \$0.00; No. 91 mixed, \$0.00; No. 92 mixed, \$0.00; No. 93 mixed, \$0.00; No. 94 mixed, \$0.00; No. 95 mixed, \$0.00; No. 96 mixed, \$0.00; No. 97 mixed, \$0.00; No. 98 mixed, \$0.00; No. 99 mixed, \$0.00; No. 100 mixed, \$0.00; No. 101 mixed, \$0.00; No. 102 mixed, \$0.00; No. 103 mixed, \$0.00; No. 104 mixed, \$0.00; No. 105 mixed, \$0.00; No. 106 mixed, \$0.00; No. 107 mixed, \$0.00; No. 108 mixed, \$0.00; No. 109 mixed, \$0.00; No. 110 mixed, \$0.00; No. 111 mixed, \$0.00; No. 112 mixed, \$0.00; No. 113 mixed, \$0.00; No. 114 mixed, \$0.00; No. 115 mixed, \$0.00; No. 116 mixed, \$0.00; No. 117 mixed, \$0.00; No. 118 mixed, \$0.00; No. 119 mixed, \$0.00; No. 120 mixed, \$0.00; No. 121 mixed, \$0.00; No. 122 mixed, \$0.00; No. 123 mixed, \$0.00; No. 124 mixed, \$0.00; No. 125 mixed, \$0.00; No. 126 mixed, \$0.00; No. 127 mixed, \$0.00; No. 128 mixed, \$0.00; No. 129 mixed, \$0.00; No. 130 mixed, \$0.00; No. 131 mixed, \$0.00; No. 132 mixed, \$0.00; No. 133 mixed, \$0.00; No. 134 mixed, \$0.00; No. 135 mixed, \$0.00; No. 136 mixed, \$0.00; No. 137 mixed, \$0.00; No. 138 mixed, \$0.00; No. 139 mixed, \$0.00; No. 140 mixed, \$0.00; No. 141 mixed, \$0.00; No. 142 mixed, \$0.00; No. 143 mixed, \$0.00; No. 144 mixed, \$0.00; No. 145 mixed, \$0.00; No. 146 mixed, \$0.00; No. 147 mixed, \$0.00; No. 148 mixed, \$0.00; No. 149 mixed, \$0.00; No. 150 mixed, \$0.00; No. 151 mixed, \$0.00; No. 152 mixed, \$0.00; No. 153 mixed, \$0.00; No. 154 mixed, \$0.00; No. 155 mixed, \$0.00; No. 156 mixed, \$0.00; No. 157 mixed, \$0.00; No. 158 mixed, \$0.00; No. 159 mixed, \$0.00; No. 160 mixed, \$0.00; No. 161 mixed, \$0.00; No. 162 mixed, \$0.00; No. 163 mixed, \$0.00; No. 164 mixed, \$0.00; No. 165 mixed, \$0.00; No. 166 mixed, \$0.00; No. 167 mixed, \$0.00; No. 168 mixed, \$0.00; No. 169 mixed, \$0.00; No. 170 mixed, \$0.00; No. 171 mixed, \$0.00; No. 172 mixed, \$0.00; No. 173 mixed, \$0.00; No. 174 mixed, \$0.00; No. 175 mixed, \$0.00; No. 176 mixed, \$0.00; No. 177 mixed, \$0.00; No. 178 mixed, \$0.00; No. 179 mixed, \$0.00; No. 180 mixed, \$0.00; No. 181 mixed, \$0.00; No. 182 mixed, \$0.00; No. 183 mixed, \$0.00; No. 184 mixed, \$0.00; No. 185 mixed, \$0.00; No. 186 mixed, \$0.00; No. 187 mixed, \$0.00; No. 188 mixed, \$0.00; No. 189 mixed, \$0.00; No. 190 mixed, \$0.00; No. 191 mixed, \$0.00; No. 192 mixed, \$0.00; No. 193 mixed, \$0.00; No. 194 mixed, \$0.00; No. 195 mixed, \$0.00; No. 196 mixed, \$0.00; No. 197 mixed, \$0.00; No. 198 mixed, \$0.00; No. 199 mixed, \$0.00; No. 200 mixed, \$0.00; No. 201 mixed, \$0.00; No. 202 mixed, \$0.00; No. 203 mixed, \$0.00; No. 204 mixed, \$0.00; No. 205 mixed, \$0.00; No. 206 mixed, \$0.00; No. 207 mixed, \$0.00; No. 208 mixed, \$0.00; No. 209 mixed, \$0.00; No. 210 mixed, \$0.00; No. 211 mixed, \$0.00; No. 212 mixed, \$0.00; No. 213 mixed, \$0.00; No. 214 mixed, \$0.00; No. 215 mixed, \$0.00; No. 216 mixed, \$0.00; No. 217 mixed, \$0.00; No. 218 mixed, \$0.00; No. 219 mixed, \$0.00; No. 220 mixed, \$0.00; No. 221 mixed, \$0.00; No. 222 mixed, \$0.00; No. 223 mixed, \$0.00; No. 224 mixed, \$0.00; No. 225 mixed, \$0.00; No. 226 mixed, \$0.00; No. 227 mixed, \$0.00; No. 228 mixed, \$0.00; No. 229 mixed, \$0.00; No. 230 mixed, \$0.00; No. 231 mixed, \$0.00; No. 232 mixed, \$0.00; No. 233 mixed, \$0.00; No. 234 mixed, \$0.00; No. 235 mixed, \$0.00; No. 236 mixed, \$0.00; No. 237 mixed, \$0.00; No. 238 mixed, \$0.00; No. 239 mixed, \$0.00; No. 240 mixed, \$0.00; No. 241 mixed, \$0.00; No. 242 mixed, \$0.00; No. 243 mixed, \$0.00; No. 244 mixed, \$0.00; No. 245 mixed, \$0.00; No. 246 mixed, \$0.00; No. 247 mixed, \$0.00; No. 248 mixed, \$0.00; No. 249 mixed, \$0.00; No. 250 mixed, \$0.00; No. 251 mixed, \$0.00; No. 252 mixed, \$0.00; No. 253 mixed, \$0.00; No. 254 mixed, \$0.00; No. 255 mixed, \$0.00; No. 256 mixed, \$0.00; No. 257 mixed, \$0.00; No. 258 mixed, \$0.00; No. 259 mixed, \$0.00; No. 260 mixed, \$0.00; No. 261 mixed, \$0.00; No. 262 mixed, \$0.00; No. 263 mixed, \$0.00; No. 264 mixed, \$0.00; No. 265 mixed, \$0.00; No. 266 mixed, \$0.00; No. 267 mixed, \$0.00; No. 268 mixed, \$0.00; No. 269 mixed, \$0.00; No. 270 mixed, \$0.00; No. 271 mixed, \$0.00; No. 272 mixed, \$0.00; No. 273 mixed, \$0.00; No. 274 mixed, \$0.00; No. 275 mixed, \$0.00; No. 276 mixed, \$0.00; No. 277 mixed, \$0.00; No. 278 mixed, \$0.00; No. 279 mixed, \$0.00; No. 280 mixed, \$0.00; No. 281 mixed, \$0.00; No. 282 mixed, \$0.00; No. 283 mixed, \$0.00; No. 284 mixed, \$0.00; No. 285 mixed, \$0.00; No. 286 mixed, \$0.00; No. 287 mixed, \$0.00; No. 288 mixed, \$0.00; No. 289 mixed, \$0.00; No. 290 mixed, \$0.00; No. 291 mixed, \$0.00; No. 292 mixed, \$0.00; No. 293 mixed, \$0.00; No. 294 mixed, \$0.00; No. 295 mixed, \$0.00; No. 296 mixed, \$0.00; No. 297 mixed, \$0.00; No. 298 mixed, \$0.00; No. 299 mixed, \$0.00; No. 300 mixed, \$0.00; No. 301 mixed, \$0.00; No. 302 mixed, \$0.00; No. 303 mixed, \$0.00; No. 304 mixed, \$0.00; No. 305 mixed, \$0.00; No. 306 mixed, \$0.00; No. 307 mixed, \$0.00; No. 308 mixed, \$0.00; No. 309 mixed, \$0.00; No. 310 mixed, \$0.00; No. 311 mixed, \$0.00; No. 312 mixed, \$0.00; No. 313 mixed, \$0.00; No. 314 mixed, \$0.00; No. 315 mixed, \$0.00; No. 316 mixed, \$0.00; No. 317 mixed, \$0.00; No. 318 mixed, \$0.00; No. 319 mixed, \$0.00; No. 320 mixed, \$0.00; No. 321 mixed, \$0.00; No. 322 mixed, \$0.00; No. 323 mixed, \$0.00; No. 324 mixed, \$0.00; No. 325 mixed, \$0.00; No. 326 mixed, \$0.00; No. 327 mixed, \$0.00; No. 328 mixed, \$0.00; No. 329 mixed, \$0.00; No. 330 mixed, \$0.00; No. 331 mixed, \$0.00; No. 332 mixed, \$0.00; No. 333 mixed, \$0.00; No. 334 mixed, \$0.00; No. 335 mixed, \$0.00; No. 336 mixed, \$0.00; No. 337 mixed, \$0.00; No. 338 mixed, \$0.00; No. 339 mixed, \$0.00; No. 340 mixed, \$0.00; No. 341 mixed, \$0.00; No. 342 mixed, \$0.00; No. 343 mixed, \$0.00; No. 344 mixed, \$0.00; No. 345 mixed, \$0.00; No. 346 mixed, \$0.00; No. 347 mixed, \$0.00; No. 348 mixed, \$0.00; No. 349 mixed, \$0.00; No. 350 mixed, \$0.00; No. 351 mixed, \$0.00; No. 352 mixed, \$0.00; No. 353 mixed, \$0.00; No. 354 mixed, \$0.00; No. 355 mixed, \$0.00; No. 356 mixed, \$0.00; No. 357 mixed, \$0.00; No. 358 mixed, \$0.00; No. 359 mixed, \$0.00; No. 360 mixed, \$0.00; No. 361 mixed, \$0.00; No. 362 mixed, \$0.00; No. 363 mixed, \$0.00; No. 364 mixed, \$0.00; No. 365 mixed, \$0.00; No. 366 mixed, \$0.00; No. 367 mixed, \$0.00; No. 368 mixed, \$0.00; No. 369 mixed, \$0.00; No. 370 mixed, \$0.00; No. 371 mixed, \$0.00; No. 372 mixed, \$0.00; No. 373 mixed, \$0.00; No. 374 mixed, \$0.00; No. 375 mixed, \$0.00; No. 376 mixed, \$0.00; No. 377 mixed, \$0.00; No. 378 mixed, \$0.00; No. 379 mixed, \$0.00; No. 380 mixed, \$0.00; No. 381 mixed, \$0.00; No. 382 mixed, \$0.00; No. 383 mixed, \$0.00; No. 384 mixed, \$0.00; No. 385 mixed, \$0.00; No. 386 mixed, \$0.00; No. 387 mixed, \$0.00; No. 388 mixed, \$0.00; No. 389 mixed, \$0.00; No. 390 mixed, \$0.00; No. 391 mixed, \$0.00; No. 392 mixed, \$0.00; No. 393 mixed, \$0.00; No. 394 mixed, \$0.00; No. 395 mixed, \$0.00; No. 396 mixed, \$0.00; No. 397 mixed, \$0.00; No. 398 mixed, \$0.00; No. 399 mixed, \$0.00; No. 400 mixed, \$0.00; No. 401 mixed, \$0.00; No. 402 mixed, \$0.00; No. 403 mixed, \$0.00; No. 404 mixed, \$0.00; No. 405 mixed, \$0.00; No. 406 mixed, \$0.00; No. 407 mixed, \$0.00; No. 408 mixed, \$0.00; No. 409 mixed, \$0.00; No. 410 mixed, \$0.00; No. 411 mixed, \$0.00; No. 412 mixed, \$0.00; No. 413 mixed, \$0.00; No. 414 mixed, \$0.00; No. 415 mixed, \$0.00; No. 416 mixed, \$0.00; No. 417 mixed, \$0.00; No. 418 mixed, \$0.00; No. 419 mixed, \$0.00; No. 420 mixed, \$0.00; No. 421 mixed, \$0.00; No. 422 mixed, \$0.00; No. 423 mixed, \$0.00; No. 424 mixed, \$0.00; No. 425 mixed, \$0.00; No. 426 mixed, \$0.00; No. 427 mixed, \$0.00; No. 428 mixed, \$0.00; No. 429 mixed, \$0.00; No. 430 mixed, \$0.00; No. 431 mixed, \$0.00; No. 432 mixed, \$0.00; No. 433 mixed, \$0.00; No. 434 mixed, \$0.00; No. 435 mixed, \$0.00; No. 436 mixed, \$0.00; No. 437 mixed, \$0.00; No. 438 mixed, \$0.00; No. 439 mixed, \$0.00; No. 440 mixed, \$0.00; No. 441 mixed, \$0.00; No. 442 mixed, \$0.00; No. 443 mixed, \$0.00; No. 444 mixed, \$0.00; No. 445 mixed, \$0.00; No. 446 mixed, \$0.00; No. 447 mixed, \$0.00; No. 448 mixed, \$0.00; No. 449 mixed, \$0.00; No. 450 mixed, \$0.00; No. 451 mixed, \$0.00; No. 452 mixed, \$0.00; No. 453 mixed, \$0.00; No. 454 mixed, \$0.00; No. 455 mixed, \$0.00; No. 456 mixed, \$0.00; No. 457 mixed, \$0.00; No. 458 mixed, \$0.00; No. 459 mixed, \$0.00; No. 460 mixed, \$0.00; No. 461 mixed, \$0.00; No. 462 mixed, \$0.00; No. 463 mixed, \$0.00; No. 464 mixed, \$0.00; No. 465 mixed, \$0.00; No. 466 mixed, \$0.00; No. 467 mixed, \$0.00; No. 468 mixed, \$0.00; No. 469 mixed, \$0.00; No. 470 mixed, \$0.00; No. 471 mixed, \$0.00; No. 472 mixed, \$0.00; No. 473 mixed, \$0.00; No. 474 mixed, \$0.00; No. 475 mixed, \$0.00; No. 476 mixed, \$0.00; No. 477 mixed, \$0.00; No. 478 mixed, \$0.00; No. 479 mixed, \$0.00; No. 480 mixed, \$0.00; No. 481 mixed, \$0.00; No. 482 mixed, \$0.00; No. 483 mixed, \$0.00; No. 484 mixed, \$0.00; No. 485 mixed, \$0.00; No. 486 mixed, \$0.00; No. 487 mixed, \$0.00; No. 488 mixed, \$0.00; No. 489 mixed, \$0.00; No. 490 mixed, \$0.00; No. 491 mixed, \$0.00; No. 492 mixed, \$0.00; No. 493 mixed, \$0.00; No. 494 mixed, \$0.00; No. 495 mixed, \$0.00; No. 496 mixed, \$0.00; No. 497 mixed, \$0.00; No. 498 mixed, \$0.00; No. 499 mixed, \$0.00; No. 500 mixed, \$0.00; No. 501 mixed, \$0.00; No. 502 mixed, \$0.00; No. 503 mixed, \$0.00; No. 504 mixed, \$0.00; No. 505 mixed, \$0.00; No. 506 mixed, \$0.00; No. 507 mixed, \$0.00; No. 508 mixed, \$0.00; No. 509 mixed, \$0.00; No. 510 mixed, \$0.00; No. 511 mixed, \$0.00; No. 512 mixed, \$0.00; No. 513 mixed, \$0.00; No. 514 mixed, \$0.00; No. 515 mixed, \$0.00; No. 516 mixed, \$0.00; No. 517 mixed, \$0.00; No. 518 mixed, \$0.00; No. 519 mixed, \$0.00; No. 520 mixed, \$0.00; No. 521 mixed, \$0.00; No. 522 mixed, \$0.00; No. 523 mixed, \$0.00; No. 524 mixed, \$0.00; No. 525 mixed, \$0.00; No. 526 mixed, \$0.00; No. 527 mixed, \$0.00; No. 528 mixed, \$0.00; No. 529 mixed, \$0.00; No. 530 mixed, \$0.00; No. 531 mixed, \$0.00; No. 532 mixed, \$0.00; No. 533 mixed, \$0.00; No. 534 mixed, \$0.00; No. 535 mixed, \$0.00; No. 536 mixed, \$0.00; No. 537 mixed, \$0.00; No. 538 mixed, \$0.00; No. 539 mixed, \$0.00; No. 540 mixed, \$0.00; No. 541 mixed, \$0.00; No. 542 mixed, \$0.00; No. 543 mixed, \$0.00; No. 544 mixed, \$0.00; No. 545 mixed, \$0.00; No. 546 mixed, \$0.00; No. 547 mixed, \$0.00; No. 548 mixed, \$0.00; No. 549 mixed, \$0.00; No. 550 mixed, \$0.00; No. 551 mixed, \$0.00; No. 552 mixed, \$0.00; No. 553 mixed, \$0.00; No. 554 mixed, \$0.00; No. 555 mixed, \$0.00; No. 556 mixed, \$0.00; No. 557 mixed, \$0.00; No. 558 mixed, \$0.00; No. 559

HELP THAT AGING BACK!

Is your back giving out? Are you tortured with backache and stabbing pains? Does any exertion leave you "all played out"?

A Wyoming Case Mrs. G. W. McIntyre, 530 Sumner St., Sheridan, Wyo., says: "I had an attack of kidney trouble. My kidneys acted irregularly and my back became lame and sore. I had lumbago and sharp pains darted through my back. Others of my family had had good results from Doan's Kidney Pills. I tried them and one box of Doan's cured me."

Bad Stomach Sends Her to Bed for 10 Months

"Over a year ago," says Mrs. Doris Williams, "I took to bed and for 10 months did not think I would live. Eatonic helped me so much I am now up and able to work. I recommend it highly for stomach trouble."

Ask your Neighbor

Leavenworth, Kans.—"I was all run-down from a complication of diseases. My next door neighbor recommended Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription because she had taken it with fine results. I decided to take it, and after taking two bottles of the medicine I was entirely well. I felt like new life. It is surely a fine medicine."—MISS FRANCES G. LIENHARDT, 772 Seneca St.

Grace—When I met Myrtle today I had my new spring gown on. Of course, I expected her to say something about it, but she pretended not to have seen it.

Helen—Yes; she's an awfully considerate and tender-hearted girl.

Donald—Dixon is planning a sixty-day balloon trip round the world.

Duncan—Indeed! What route will he take?

Donald—He won't know until he gets up.

Increasing. "Has the mine you invested in proved valuable?"

"I should say so! The prospect keeps getting so much bigger that they are constantly in need of more money for its adequate development."

Gave Her Away. Mrs. Talkitt (entertaining Mrs. Gosspis)—Edith, you mustn't stare at Mrs. Gosspis.

Edith—Mamma, you said she was a cat, but she doesn't look at all like one.

New Alloy Promises Much. A metal lighter than any yet known and as strong or stronger than steel has for years been the dream of many, and every now and then rumors are circulated to the effect that at last it has been discovered.

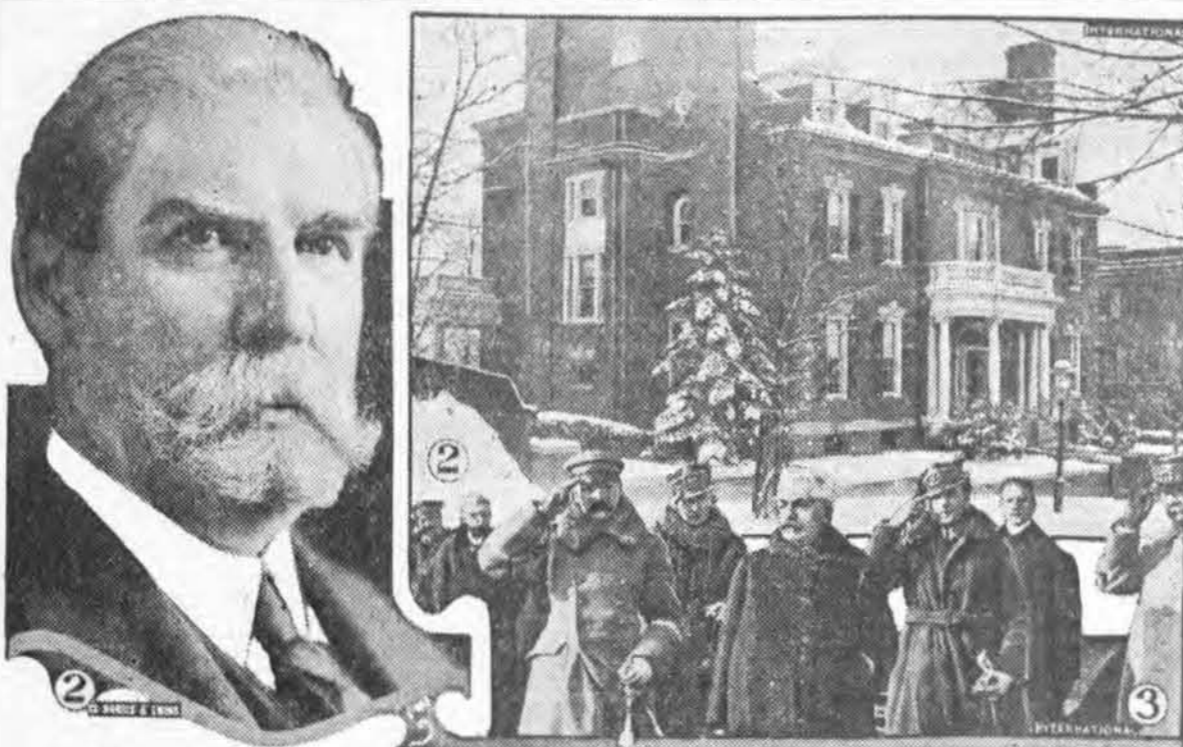
HEAD STUFFED FROM CATARRH OR A COLD Says Cream Applied in Nostrils Opens Air Passages Right Up. Instant relief—no waiting. Your clogged nostrils open right up; the air passages of your head clear and you can breathe freely. No more yawning, snuffling, blowing, headache, dryness. No struggling for breath at night; your cold or catarrh disappears.

Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic, healing cream in your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage of the head, soothes the inflamed or swollen mucous membrane and relief comes instantly.

The Modern Accountant. Stella—What is her husband worth? Bella—Well, I don't know his replacement value.

Evil-minded folk measure others by their own standard.

Use MURINE Night Morning Keep Your Eyes Clean, Clear and Healthy. Get Free Eye Cure Book Murine Co., Chicago, Ill.



1—New photograph of Charles Evans Hughes, secretary of state. 2—Residence on S street, Washington, which has been purchased by Herbert Hoover, secretary of commerce. 3—Presidents Millerand of France (center) and Pilsudski of Poland (left) at a military review near Paris.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Allies, Rejecting the Counter-Proposal of the Germans, Issue an Ultimatum

WILL OCCUPY RHINE CITIES

Armed Force Will Be Applied Immediately—French Troops Ready to Move—President Harding's Inaugural Address Indicates His Attitude Toward League of Nations.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD. "Kolossal," which used to be the favorite adjective of the Germans, may well be applied to their nerve as displayed in the counter proposals on reparations, submitted to the supreme council in London by Foreign Minister Simons and his colleagues. The world had expected from them something inadequate in the way of an offer, but the insolence of the proposal was amazing, even to unofficial Germany.

This was followed by an ultimatum in which the German delegates were informed that if Germany did not accept the fundamental conditions laid down by the supreme council in Paris the allies would take immediate steps. First of these steps will be the occupation by allied troops of the cities of Duisburg, Dusseldorf and Ruhrort; second, each allied country will place on German merchandise such a tax as it may deem proper; third, a customs boundary will be established along the Rhine under allied control.

Among the interesting things which Mr. Harding hopes to bring about, according to unofficial announcement, is the creation of a "ministry of defense" under a cabinet officer, to control the national defenses on land, on sea and in the air.

Briefly stated, Simons proposed that Germany pay the allies as war reparations about 30,000,000,000 gold marks—approximately \$7,500,000,000—which is about one-seventh of the sum demanded by the allies.

Especially invidious was the suggestion to capitalize Germany's reparation payments through an international loan to be divided among allied countries and held free from taxation in all countries. This meant that the Germans want the allies to furnish them the money to pay their debts by allowing the Germans to offer so attractive an investment that it would outshine other securities and be made still more attractive through the surrender of tax revenues by the allied governments.

Meanwhile the French, anticipating the outcome of the conference, were getting ready to enforce payment by Germany. Their plans for military action were prepared and submitted by Marshal Foch, and after prolonged discussion Lloyd George was persuaded to agree to Great Britain's participation in the use of armed force. A French officer in London said French long-range guns had already been moved forward to a position from which they commanded Essen where the Krupp works are located.

Belgium is ready to act with France

GIVES ULTIMATUM TO JAPAN

Chinese Government Said to Have Demanded Set Date for the Evacuation of Siberia. Peking.—Demands that Japan fix a definite date for the evacuation of Siberian territory have been sent to the foreign office in Tokyo by the minister of foreign affairs of the far eastern republic, it is said in a dispatch received here.

and Britain in the Essen-Dusseldorf district. She had 13,000 troops on the Rhine and has sent two more divisions there. The French have 150,000 men in the occupation zone and 200,000 in reserve close by.

John Skelton Williams retired Wednesday as comptroller of the currency, and in accepting his resignation President Wilson took occasion to comment on the "gross injustice" done Mr. Williams by the senate banking committee, which had prevented his confirmation.

The house committee which investigated the doings of the shipping board made a report recommending the transfer of the functions of the board to an executive department because what is needed is more centralization of administrative authority than can be had with a large board.

A small side door in the temple of Janus has been thrown open in honor of Panama and Costa Rica, which small republics seem determined to go to war over Coto, a piece of territory which contains valuable oil deposits and which is claimed by both.

Among the interesting things which Mr. Harding hopes to bring about, according to unofficial announcement, is the creation of a "ministry of defense" under a cabinet officer, to control the national defenses on land, on sea and in the air.

In the last hours of its life the congress reached agreement on the army appropriation bill and it went through with provisions fixing the strength of the army for the next year at 156,000. The house had put the figure at 150,000 and the senate wanted 175,000, so the result is a compromise in which the upper house yielded most.

Contrary to predictions, the house judiciary committee took the charges against Judge Landis in all seriousness, and presented a report recommending that they be fully investigated by the next congress.

In the death of Champ Clark of Missouri, former speaker, the country lost a distinguished citizen and the Democratic party one of its strongest members. He never entirely recovered from his defeat for the presidential nomination in the Baltimore convention and of late years had been comparatively inactive.

ment at Chita had been unable to remedy the situation, owing to opposition by the Japanese military command. Protection and patronage was given General Semenov, anti-Bolshevik leader in eastern Siberia, it was charged, and assertion was made that this was done in a manner which suggested a challenge to the Chita government.

ing to pry the brass plate from the chair he did not heed the intruders. "Ah," the little man exclaimed, after a moment's exertion, "now I've got you."

"Well, boys," he said, "you've got me and I will confess," as he held up the brass plate bearing the inscription: "Newton D. Baker, Secretary of War, March 9, 1910."

The little man had his back to the door when the reporters entered the room stealthily. He was so busily engaged with his pocket knife endeavor-

ing to pry the brass plate from the chair he did not heed the intruders. "Ah," the little man exclaimed, after a moment's exertion, "now I've got you."

"Well, boys," he said, "you've got me and I will confess," as he held up the brass plate bearing the inscription: "Newton D. Baker, Secretary of War, March 9, 1910."

ing to pry the brass plate from the chair he did not heed the intruders. "Ah," the little man exclaimed, after a moment's exertion, "now I've got you."

"Well, boys," he said, "you've got me and I will confess," as he held up the brass plate bearing the inscription: "Newton D. Baker, Secretary of War, March 9, 1910."

ing to pry the brass plate from the chair he did not heed the intruders. "Ah," the little man exclaimed, after a moment's exertion, "now I've got you."

"Well, boys," he said, "you've got me and I will confess," as he held up the brass plate bearing the inscription: "Newton D. Baker, Secretary of War, March 9, 1910."

ing to pry the brass plate from the chair he did not heed the intruders. "Ah," the little man exclaimed, after a moment's exertion, "now I've got you."

"Well, boys," he said, "you've got me and I will confess," as he held up the brass plate bearing the inscription: "Newton D. Baker, Secretary of War, March 9, 1910."

ing to pry the brass plate from the chair he did not heed the intruders. "Ah," the little man exclaimed, after a moment's exertion, "now I've got you."

"Well, boys," he said, "you've got me and I will confess," as he held up the brass plate bearing the inscription: "Newton D. Baker, Secretary of War, March 9, 1910."

ing to pry the brass plate from the chair he did not heed the intruders. "Ah," the little man exclaimed, after a moment's exertion, "now I've got you."

"Well, boys," he said, "you've got me and I will confess," as he held up the brass plate bearing the inscription: "Newton D. Baker, Secretary of War, March 9, 1910."

WASHINGTON SIDELIGHTS

Light-Fingered Officers of the Cabinet



WASHINGTON.—A well-dressed little man wearing a cutaway coat and tortoiseshell spectacles—a veritable paper man—the other day in the cabinet room of the White House executive offices while he was in the act of lifting a brass plate from the chair which has been occupied since March 9, 1910, by Secretary of War Newton D. Baker.

Admiral R. E. Coontz, chief of naval operations, previously had told the house naval committee that within three months the Navy department would bomb a large warship from the air in the open sea in an effort to test the theory advanced by Brigadier General Mitchell of the army air service that airplanes had made capital naval vessels useless.

Representative Mondell of Wyoming, Republican floor leader, who preceded Admiral Coontz, warned the committee that unless expenditures for military establishments were cut some larger nations would be driven into bankruptcy.

Discussing disarmament, Admiral Coontz advised against stopping any smoking where valuable public records were endangered.

Spirited debate preceded the rejection of the Smoot amendment. Senator Robinson of Arkansas, Democrat, declared that the measure was admittedly framed so that it would not forbid senators and representatives smoking in the capitol, although it would prevent the president from enjoying an after-dinner cigar at the White House.

Senator Knox of Pennsylvania, Republican, agreed with him. He called attention to the fact that the bill merely tabooed the smoking of tobacco and insisted the measure should be amended to cover "alleged" tobacco.

"Some of the odors that arise in the cloak rooms from the cigars gentlemen are smoking, make me doubt whether they can be called tobacco," said Senator Knox.

Senator Smith of Arizona, Democrat, characterized the measure as "the entering wedge of a most contemptible and restraining blue law," and charged that its supporters were nonsmokers.

Nation Sends Its Noblest to the Capital

IS THE Washington public more honest than the inhabitants of other cities? James M. Ford, former proprietor of a luncheon opposite the treasury department, says it is.

health of Mr. Ford. Probably no luncheon in the United States had a more democratic list of patrons. It was a daily occurrence to see a cabinet officer or some millionaire banker or broker sitting alongside of a newsboy discussing events of the day while eating.

Probably every secretary of the treasury for the last forty years has taken occasion to eat at this little place which soon became famous for its cleanliness, good food, and splendid milk.

Germany's Big Bill for U. S. Soldiers

Germany apparently is running up quite a bill in the matter of the pay of United States soldiers in the army of occupation. Senator McKellar of Tennessee made a statement the other day in brief as follows:

There was a good deal of doubt in the testimony which was adduced before our committee, and I have the figures up to September 30, 1921. Since that time an examination has been made, but up to date we have found no very stupendous sums of \$228,000,000 is due us by Germany today, and so far as I know, no efforts are being made to procure the payment. I ask unanimous consent to put these figures in the Record.

DENVER BUSINESS DIRECTORY

HOME OF THE COLE ALWAYS THE BEST IN USED CARS. Write for the Complete Information. 1225 BROADWAY

SHOES REPAIRED work 400-where in U. S. at Denver prices. Call for estimates. EASTERN SHOE REPAIR FACTORY, YELLOW FRONT, 1553 CHAMPA STREET.

KODAKS AND KODAK FINISHING. The EASTMAN KODAK COMPANY, 526 Sixteenth Street, Denver, Colorado.

HAIR GOODS SWITCHES, TRANSFORMERS, etc. Mail orders. 827 15th St., Denver.

PLANTING WITH PLANE. Washington.—A new method of planting mine fields, involving the use of aircraft and a special type of mine equipped with a parachute, has been the subject of recent experiments conducted by the navy in Chesapeake bay.

Senator Knox of Pennsylvania, Republican, agreed with him. He called attention to the fact that the bill merely tabooed the smoking of tobacco and insisted the measure should be amended to cover "alleged" tobacco.

Senator Smith of Arizona, Democrat, characterized the measure as "the entering wedge of a most contemptible and restraining blue law," and charged that its supporters were nonsmokers.

Chicago.—The test of jail companions who told him burglary was a hanging offense, was held responsible for driving Joseph Zeman, 18-year-old prisoner held for burglary, to the insane asylum.

Chihuahua to Vote on Prohibition. El Paso, Texas.—A general election March 27 is to decide whether or not the state of Chihuahua, Mexico, will go dry, according to a reported decision of the State Legislature at Chihuahua City.

Oldest Mason Celebrates. Breckenridge, Mo.—Dr. Joseph Singer Halstead, the oldest living Mason in America, celebrated his 103rd birthday here. The town declared a public holiday in honor of the event.

Dawson, Y. T.—Tales of an oil well which produces 1,500 barrels a day and shot oil 100 feet into the air before it was capped were brought from Fort MacPherson by Canadian mounted police who made a 500-mile trip to the mouth of the Mackenzie river.

Won't Reopen Mooney Case. San Francisco, Calif.—John MacDonald's refusal to testify before the grand jury unless he was promised immunity from prosecution that he had given false testimony in the trials of Thomas J. Mooney and Warren K. Billings has closed the latest effort to reopen the cases of the men convicted of murder growing out of the Preparedness day bomb explosion, the district attorney's office said here.

Santa Cruz Patagonian
 H. R. SISK, Publisher
 R. B. EDGELL, Editor

SUBSCRIPTION RATES
 (In Advance)
 One Year \$2.25
 Six Months \$1.50
 Three Months \$1.00

Entered at the postoffice at Patagonia, Ariz., as second-class mail matter.

EDITORIAL

PAPA'S MONEY
 The idle youth who inherits a fortune is in greater danger than he who faces the muzzle of a gun in the hands of an angry opponent. The one may plunge to the soul's destruction, while the other may only be deprived of his life.—Stamford (Tex.) American.

The youth who has all the money he wants to gratify whatever whims or indulgences he may crave is as surely headed for the scrap pile as that an infant will cut its fingers if handed an open razor. There is no more pitiful sight than that of a callow youth with money-lined pockets surrounded by helpful spenders bent upon showing him how they can all have a good time on his cash. The male and the female, they flock to his standard, and the poor goof is made to believe that it is his personal popularity that attracts "friends." Such a young fellow is extremely fortunate if his associations do not lead him into acquaintanceship with lawless characters. At the best, he is led into associations that set low standards for him. Probably an austere poverty is the very best companion for any truly ambitious and worthy young man. President Harding, himself born to deprivation, recently called to the attention of the American Educational Association a photographic group of his old friends who came together on his front porch last summer. Of that group of nine, all of whom have reached the top rungs of the success ladder, not one, as Mr. Harding states, "had an even start" with most other boys of their age. "They knew all the hard ways, the privations," said the President, yet they succeeded. How many would have succeeded had they been given all the spending money they wanted and been kept aware that papa's fortune made it unnecessary for them to worry over the future?

THE WISDOM OF WEBSTER
 Somebody has dug up the following and credits it to "Daniel Webster in the United States Senate ninety years ago":

A lot of people are always verging toward alarm; a lot of people are always declaring that because some things are wrong everything is wrong. A lot of people, discontented themselves and often because of their own failures, are always trying to breed general discontent. There are persons who constantly clamor. They complain of oppression, speculation and pernicious wealth. They cry out loudly against all banks and corporations and all means by which small capitalists become united in order to produce important and beneficial results. They carry on mad hostility against all established institutions. They would choke the fountain of industry and destroy all streams. In a country of unbounded liberty, they clamor against oppression. In a country of perfect equality they would move heaven and earth against privilege and monopoly. In a country where property is more evenly divided than anywhere else they rend the air shouting about agrarian doctrines. In a country where wages of labor are high beyond parallel they would teach the laborer that he is but an oppressed slave.

A process for the manufacture of syrup from sweet potatoes has been worked out in the laboratories of the Bureau of Chemistry of the Department of Agriculture. The syrup is rich in sugar, of a fine brown color, and highly palatable. It has been found to be valuable for baking, candy making and table purposes; many persons think it equal to first-class cane syrup. While the product is a success from a laboratory standpoint, the department is not in a position to recommend it to manufacturers until questions of the cost of commercial production and the market value of the product, compared with cane, corn and other syrups, are determined.

Germany's offer of \$7,500,000,000 in settlement of its damage bill bordered on the ludicrous. It's a wonder her delegates did not demand reparations themselves for the trouble incurred in laying in waste the better part of two states. It is clear that the proverbial Prussian gall is still intact.

After a man has been married a number of years he would rather have whole socks than pretty ones.

The Chinese mercenaries are said to be the only dependable soldiers in the Soviet army. Say what you

will about a Chinaman, but he is always willing to work at the job he is hired to do.

Our position simply is that risking the penitentiary by making white mule whiskey is more intelligent than risking hades by drinking it.

All is not gold that glitters, but a pretty woman in yellow satin is far from counterfeit.

Of course it is none of our business, but girls who smoke cigarettes shouldn't expect to have mouths that anybody would want to communicate with.

FACTIOTAL FEELING

Small towns always have more or less of factional feeling, big towns never. The way that little towns grow into big towns is by throwing these petty little factional quarrels to the four corners of the earth and get down to real heart-to-heart co operation.—Groesbeck (Tex.) Journal.

It is unfortunately true that many small towns have factions, but it is by no means true that large ones are free from factionalism. Factions decrease in effectiveness for harm in proportion as citizens of the community, great or small, acquire breadth of mind and unselfishness of purpose. The cure for factionalism is the same everywhere.

THOUGHTS ON EASTER

While Easter reminds us of the resurrection it may benefit us to call fresh to memory a few facts regarding the burial of the Son of God.

Joseph that day was mourner, sexton, liverman—had the entire charge of the entire occasion. Four people only at the burial of the King of the Universe. Let this be consolatory to those who, through small means or lack of large acquaintance have but little demonstration of grief at the grave of their dead; it is not necessary. Long lines of glittering equipages, two rows of silver handles, basket of costly wood, pall bearers searaged and gloved are not necessary.

Christ looks down from heaven at a burial, where there are six in attendance and remembers there are two more than he had at his obsequies. Not recognizing this idea, how many small properties are scattered in the funeral sites, and widowhood and orphanage go out to the cold charity of the world. The departed left enough property to have kept the family together until they could take care of themselves, but it is all absorbed in the funeral rites. That went for erpe which ought to have gone for bread. A man of small means can hardly afford to die in one of our large cities. Funeral pageantry is not necessary. No one was ever more lovingly and tenderly put into the grave than Christ, but there were only four in the procession.

COMING

Dr. Schell, the well known optometrist and optician of Tucson, will be at the Commercial Hotel on Sunday of this week (20th) and will remain the one day only. If you need glasses, call on him for expert service. Special attention to children's eyes. Will remain until 4 p. m. only. Itels

Statistical Record Of Fifth Legislature

Total number of bills introduced in Senate	172
Total number of bills introduced in House	187
(Memorials and Resolutions not included.)	359
Total number of Senate bills passed by both branches	95
Total number of House bills passed by both branches	95
Number of Senate bills passed by Governor	190
Number of Senate bills in hands of Governor	37
Number of Senate bills vetoed by Governor	57
Number of Senate bills vetoed by Governor	1
Number of House bills signed by Governor	95
Number of House bills in hands of Governor	31
Number of House bills vetoed by Governor	64
Number of House bills vetoed by Governor	6
Number of bills passed by Senate	95
Number of bills passed by House	117

Don't Forget

We have the Largest stock of Jewelry Cut glass—Silver The most complete Watch and Jewelry repair Department in Nogales If you cannot call Write or phone We Guarantee Satisfaction

E. M. MATHER
 Jeweler
 The Hall Mark Store.

Staple & Fancy Groceries Hardware of All Kinds
 Wholesale and Retail
MAY BE HAD AT ALL TIMES
 at
Patagonia's Up-to-Date Store
EVANS MERCANTILE CO

STAG BARBER SHOP
 Geo. Januel, Proprietor. Nogales, Ariz
Hot and Cold Baths

C. B. Wilson
TEAM AND TRUCK TRANSPORTATION
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL HAY AND GRAIN
 Always carry in stock for prompt delivery
HAY, SEED BARLEY, ROLLED BARLEY, CORN, BRAN, COTTONSEED MEAL AND CAKE AND STOCK SALT

PATAGONIA ICE AND ELECTRIC PLANT
 Patagonia, Arizona

The old standby for—
Fresh Beef, Mutton, Pork and Vegetables
Patagonia Meat Market
 Val Valenzuela, Sr., Prop.

If You Are in Need
 Of any of the following, let us quote you prices; you will save money by doing so. We carry a complete line of
LUMBER, PAINTS, BUILDERS' HARDWARE, LIME AND CEMENT AND RUBBER ROOFING.
 We Are Also Agents For
U. S. WINDMILLS—MODEL B.
PATAGONIA LUMBER COMPANY
 J. W. Miller, Manager.

"A Penny Saved Is a Penny Earned."
 If you have not already started a savings account, begin now to prepare for the inevitable day when you are no longer a producer.
 You will be surprised at the results, in a few years, after you have commenced systematically to save money for the "rainy day."
 Our banking institution offers you the best protection for your savings.

The First National Bank of Nogales
 Nogales, Arizona.
ASSETS OVER \$2,000,000.00

We Carry
 Hardware, Furniture, Implements.
We Want Your Patronage
 We Will Treat You Right.
Geo. B. MARSH, Inc.
 Nogales, Arizona

UNCERTAINTY HOVERS OVER OMNIBUS BILL

PHOENIX, Mar. 16—Doubt and uncertainty still surround the omnibus bill, both as to the probable action of the governor on the signing of the bill, and as to the real effect of the joker amendment limiting the expenditures under the bill to the funds raised by the five-cent levy.

The battle of words being waged over the bill is being carried on in two distinct sectors, with General Spaulding in command and giving the forces under him a free hand. In the one sector the argument is over what the bill really means as interpreted with the joker clause. In the other sector the argument is as to what the governor can do with the bill in the case that the joker is a joker and in the case that the joker is nothing but an honest amendment.

In the first sector the situation is about the same as it has been for the past twenty-four hours. A new development has taken place in the second sector, however. It is said if the amendment is a joker, it creates two separate appropriations in the bill, the one being the direct appropriation of \$1,250,000, and the other being the appropriation raised by the levy in the amount of \$800,000. The new idea is that the governor if he dislikes the joker, can veto that section of the bill alone and approve the rest of the bill.

That gives rise to the speculation that such action would leave the original 10-cent levy as it now stands on the statute books. At any rate, the battle in the two sectors continue to rage, with Gen. Spaulding having every assurance of fresh reinforcements hourly.

HUNT FOR AUTHOR OF JOKER AMENDMENT IS ON AT STATE CAPITAL

PHOENIX, Mar. 16—"Who," the casual observer of the row over the omnibus bill rises to remark, "was the little boy blue in the legislature who offered the so-called joker amendment apparently limiting expenditures under the act to the amount to be raised by the five-cent levy?"

The blame was first laid at the door of Mr. Barry of Gila county in the lower house. Friends of Mr. Barry, however, disclaim the honor on behalf of the gentleman from Gila. Barry gained fame by inserting the amendment to the "potentuse" of the bill, having to do with expenditures of federal aid money. Mr. Barry gained considerable fame, also, with his three-minute speech that was worth \$50,000 to his county. As a result of his speech the house voted down a proposal to cut down Gila county's road appropriation by \$50,000.

Now it is alleged that the joker amendment was the work of Sen. Stoddard, of Maricopa county. When interviewed by a reporter for the Herald this morning, Sen. Stoddard disclaimed any responsibility for the presence of the joker in the bill. Stoddard introduced the amendment cutting the levy from 10 cents to five cents.

The hunt for the author of the joker amendment is now on.

NEWSPAPER WRITER IS GOVERNOR'S SECRETARY
 PHOENIX, Mar. 16—Governor Thomas Campbell today announced that of festive April 1, Percy R. Milnes, new secretary of the governor, would be some state immigration commissioner, a position created by the legislature which adjourned last week. Mr. Milnes will be succeeded to the governor by Henry Holoteguy, a newspaper man of Phoenix.

Governor Signs Bill Changing School Elections

Miss Josephine Saxon, superintendent of schools of Santa Cruz county, Elsie Taylor, state superintendent of public instruction, states that Governor Campbell has signed the bill changing the time of election of trustees of high and common schools to October.

The measure carries an emergency clause cancelling the March election. The present trustees will hold office until January 1, 1925.

OWL DRUG STORE
 Nogales, Ariz.

Mail orders for all kinds of drugs and druggists' sundries given special attention and shipped same day as received.

Send us your orders.
OWL DRUG STORE
 Nogales, Ariz.

Report of the Condition of
J. E. REDDEN
 Physician and Surgeon
 Day or Night Calls Solicited. Doing Town and Country Practice.
 Patagonia - - - Arizona

EXTRAVAGANCE
 The money you are now wasting would come in handy Some day if you had it in **Our Bank**

Do your banking business at home
Safety deposit boxes for rent
 We pay four per cent on savings accounts

THE First State Bank of Patagonia

MR. MOTORIST!
WHAT DO YOU KNOW ABOUT CORD TIRES?
 Do you know that "FEDERAL" Cord Tires ride easier, coast further, last longer, and save more gasoline than any other cord tire on the market today?
 If you do not know these things write or call on us and be convinced.

Roy & Titcomb,
 (Incorporated)
 Automobile Accessory Department
NOGALES, ARIZONA
 "IF IT'S A FEDERAL IT'S RIGHT."

IF YOUR CAR NEEDS ANYTHING
 Come to The
AMERICAN GARAGE
 WE HANDLE
 Savage, Michelin, Goodrich, Kelly-Springfield and Hawkeye Tires and Tubes
 National, Hercules and Champion Spark Plugs
 Paints and Varnish
 Top-Tite, Spoke-Tite and Knu-Kote Pumps and Jacks
 Patches of All Kinds and Vulcanizers
 Lamps for Every Car
 Ford Parts

CHEVROLETS FOR SALE
ARMER, VALLES AND SOTO
 Proprietors
 Patagonia Arizona

One of the best Hotels in Southern Arizona, with every home appointment for the traveling public is the
COMMERCIAL HOTEL
PATAGONIA, ARIZONA
 Clean Beds, Clean Linen, Cleanly kept. Excellent Lobby. Dining Room in connection

ORES BOUGHT
 Prospectors and Miners may find it advantageous to dispose of small lots of High Grade or Shipping Ore in Nogales, Arizona, or S. 1000 to
HUGO W. MILLER
 Assayer and Chemist
 Box 481
NOGALES, ARIZ.

A. S. HENDERSON
 AGENT FOR
STOVER SAMSON WINDMILL
 The Greatest Windmill Improvement in the Last Ten Years

Samson has always represented Strength, Quality and Service. Power, Increased Efficiency, Less Expense.

Requires Oiling Only Once in Five Years

A Special Purchase of Easter Apparel!

New Coats! New Suits! New Dresses!
DIRECT FROM OUR NEW YORK HEADQUARTERS



These Prices Mean a Real Saving for You

The Smartest Styles Brought out for the Spring Season of 1921. Fashioned in the Favorite Fabrics and Colors. Values Such as You Have Not Seen for Years. Buy Now and Save Money.

NEW COATS—\$12.50 to \$24.75

Assortment contains those Three Popular Spring Colors—Rose, Copen and Rookie.

No. 18. Made of Polo Cloth. Novelty circular nickel chain girde; unlined. Wonderful value at this low price. \$12.50

No. 19. Velour. Loose back trimmed with stitching; lined half way with silk. A smart coat at only \$14.75

No. 21. Bolivia Cloth. Loose flare back; full silk lined. A very pretty model. \$19.90

No. 22. Velour. Loose back style; full silk lined. A handsome coat. \$24.75

NEW SUITS—\$19.90 to \$44.75

Assortment contains Suits in Both Navy and Rookie.

No. 10. Made of mannish serge. Trimmed with small bone buttons and stitching; silk lining. Very trim and stylish. \$19.90

No. 11. Made of Wool Tricotine. The most popular cloth for Spring wear. Ripple model; silk lining. A smart model. \$24.75

No. 13. Wool Tricotine. Ripple model; trimmed with silk embroidery; silk lining. A handsome suit. \$29.50

No. 15. Wool Tricotine. Bottom trimmed with silk embroidery; small block pattern silk lining. A favorite model. \$39.50

No. 16. Wool Tricotine. Ripple model; elaborately trimmed with silk braid and tinsel embroidery; silk lining. A suit any woman will be proud to wear. \$44.75

NEW DRESSES—\$14.75 to \$29.50

Assortment contains the Three Leading Shades for 1921—Brown, Navy and Black.

No. 1. Silk Taffeta. Self vestee front. A pretty style at a very reasonable price. \$14.75

No. 2. Silk Taffeta. Vestee front; basque model; self underdrop. A dainty little frock. \$18.50

No. 3. Silk Taffeta. Vestee front; self underdrop. This is a little beauty. \$22.75

No. 4. Silk Taffeta. Grape rosette on front of bodice; gathered waistline. An elaborate Spring style. \$24.75

No. 5. Silk Taffeta. Basque model waist; circular overskirt; self underdrop. You'll admire this youthful little dress. \$27.50

No. 7. Silk Crepe de Chine. Vestee front and surprise effect waist; gules of skirt knife pleated. This is a dainty little garment with a style all its own. \$29.50

Compare these garments with any others you have seen for Spring 1921 and you will be convinced that these are really remarkable values.

The above illustrations are exact copies of the garments described on this page. Make your selection early while our showing is complete. You will appreciate the savings to be had on these Stylish Easter Coats, Suits and Dresses.

J.C. Penney Co.

A Nation-wide Institution

312 STORES

A special, large purchase of these high-grade garments, direct from the leading manufacturers of New York City, for our 312 Stores, enables us to offer them at these exceptionally low prices. Picture yourself in one of these handsome garments! Buy now and know that you are stylishly dressed at an economical price!

PATAGONIA WOOD YARD
4 foot wood, \$7 per cord.
1 cord cut for heating stove \$9.00
1 cord cut for cook stove \$10.00
Transfer Service in Connection
H. H. McCutchan
Proprietor

Spring
Poets write about it; young lovers revel in it; the trees, the flowers, the birds—oh, well! You know all that as well as we, but one thing we can tell you—nowhere in all the universe is Spring more welcome than in our State.
New Spring Hats, new Easter Goods, new hopes and ambitions, new resolutions to please, new "pep"—odds of things that make the world look brighter.

Washington Trading Co.
Patagonia, Arizona

Rainfall Brings Joy to Yavapai Ranchers
PRESCOTT, Mar. 15—The weather, usually a trite subject for commonplace conversation, today suddenly became the most interesting news in the world for Yavapai county cattle and sheep men. Following a persistent drought, today's rain came as a veritable Godsend to the wool growers and cattlemen of the state. "This rain is going to be worth ten millions of dollars in Yavapai county alone," said John H. Robinson this morning. When not managing the City of Prescott Mr. Robinson keeps an eye on his ranching interests in this county, so he speaks from firsthand information. "It sure is going to bring us lots of business," said R. L. Bealy, manager of the local Armour & Co. branch. "Ranchers have practically stopped buying lately; it was the only thing they could do under the circumstances. Now that the rain is here they can see their way ahead financially and every business house in the county will feel the benefit. "It's worth its weight in gold," said Secretary Grace Sparks of the chamber of commerce. "It's not exaggerating things a bit to say that it's a rain of precious metal so far as Yavapai county is concerned." "No one can estimate the value of rainfall in dollars and cents at such a time as this," said C. A. Peters, cashier of the Bank of Arizona, "but if the rain extends down over the desert around Wickenburg it will be worth hundreds of thousands of dollars to sheepmen alone."
850 REWARD
The undersigned will pay a reward of \$50.00 for the arrest and conviction of the party who stole an old Fresno scraper from the premises of the Patagonia Commercial Company.
R. R. Richardson.

Tax Commission Starts Annual Round-Up
PHOENIX, Mar. 15—The state tax commission will start on its annual statewide "roundup" this week, according to Chairman Charles E. Howe. The roundup consists of visiting every county in the state for the purpose of conferring and making inspections concerning assessed valuations.
The commission expects to be in Santa Cruz county about the beginning of the week of March 21. The chairman facetiously remarked to a reporter for the Herald that this advance announcement is made so that "the folks who so desire can move their taxable property below the line" before the annual visit of the commission.
BETTER THAN WAR
The President's message contains two classics:
"The world needs a world-wide benediction of understanding."
"Service is the supreme commitment of life."
Benediction (from God), understanding (as God) will solve the burning questions of feeding the hungry, starving people of Europe, the tragedy of a cruel war, will bring America in close actual touch with the hearts of Europe so harassed and sad; will lead her to extend her generous hands to the dumb, emaciated Chinese. Diplomacy of compassion, the greatest in the world, resulting from an understanding, and help the most wonderful in the world from service—supreme.
We are going to put something better into the world than war; we are going to put understanding, compassion and service.
J. L. WHITE.

THE EASTER MESSAGE
Rev. C. F. Aked, one of the most eloquent of pulpit orators, in his Easter message to his congregation, most fittingly remarked that something happened two thousand years ago in the gray light of the first Easter morning which transformed and transfigured the face of the earth. History began again. The heart beat with a new and gladder thrill. Henceforth and forever, beneath the all-beholding sun, there is nothing which is "too good to be true." It has entered into the heart of man to conceive a good which is better than the reality of things. But we are afraid of imagination. It is a vain thing, and must be yoked to a servile mass of matter lest it soar upward and outward, into the blue sky, above the mountain tops, toward the glorious sun, and lose itself in the eternal light and eternal truth of God.
Friends, are you afraid of your own prayers? He is God. He is the Father, God, the Mother-God, the God of the buttercups and the daisies, of sunshine and spring, the God who cares for the sparrows and clothes the lilies, who spreads out the heavens as a curtain and calls all the stars by name, who longs for you as the child of His heart, and loves you with an everlasting love, so that sin and death cannot separate you from the might of His affecting nor quench His hope in you. Morning light shames our midnight fears. And the shame is that in the darkness you were not sure of the coming dawn. You ought to have known that after midnight comes the morning—in the blackest night of the year you ought to have kept God's sunshine in your soul. Angels have rolled the stone away from the grave of your ascending Lord. Clouds turn to solid rock beneath your feet. And Christ is risen indeed.

Finishing Touch Be Put To Legislative Work
PHOENIX, Mar. 17—Work on getting out the legislative journals and completing other clerical work attendant upon the recent session of the legislature will be completed within three weeks at the outside, according to information given out at the state-house today.
"The work of completing the work on the senate journal will be finished, as far as the senate's end is concerned, within the next ten days—two weeks at the outside," said Roy Davidson, secretary of the senate. Mr. Davidson and one or two assistants are getting out this work.
Over in the house, Oscar Zapff, chief clerk, expressed the belief that he and his assistants would be two or three weeks finishing up their work. "We have been somewhat handicapped in our work over here, largely because of illness of two of the girls. One of them has been ill for about two weeks, and the other was ill for the last few days of the session."
An appropriation of \$1500 for each house has been made to cover the cost of getting out the journal. If the predictions of the two chief clerks prove correct, the record for doing this work for this session will be considerably better than it was for the session two years ago. At that time the work dragged along for about six months at a cost of around \$6000 to the state.
OFFICIAL WILL WED
PHOENIX, Mar. 17—John Redmond, assistant secretary of state, left Phoenix last night for El Paso, where he will marry Miss Ruth Pelletreau, a New York girl, this (Thursday) afternoon. The bride is crossing the continent to marry Mr. Redmond. The two were childhood sweethearts. The groom, who is a Cochise county man, saw service overseas, rising from the ranks to the office of major.

Governor Signs Warrant Bill; Help to be Paid
PHOENIX, Mar. 14—Acting under provisions of senate bill 126 which emergency measure, the governor signed Saturday, the state loan board Saturday afternoon authorized the sale of \$1,500,000 in state bonds. The contract for the sale of bonds to Denver and Chicago banks was entered into immediately and will bring \$1,000,000 to the state treasury within another month, which fund will be used to cover the outstanding state warrants now unpayable because of exhausted funds. This prompt action by the loan board demonstrates the necessity of the passage of senate bill 126 which was viciously fought in both houses by some democrats.
FOR SALE—Bronze turkey eggs for hatching; \$3.00 per nine. Mrs. Rose Williamson, San Rafael. 1tp18
Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured
by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.
We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Circulars free. All Druggists. 75c.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

The Patagonia Commercial Co.
PATAGONIA, ARIZONA
General Merchandise

The VALLEY of the GIANTS

By PETER B. KYNE

Author of "Cappy Ricks"

CHAPTER XVI—Continued.

"Has Poundstone returned your car?" he queried.

"Why, yes. What makes you ask?"

"Oh, I had a suspicion he might. You see, I called him up and suggested it; somehow his honor is peculiarly susceptible to suggestions from me, and—"

"Bryce Cardigan," she declared, "you're a sly rascal—that's what you are. I shan't tell you another thing."

"I hope you had a stenographer at the dictograph when the mayor and your uncle cooked up their little deal. That was thoughtful of you, Shirley. It was a bully club to have your sleeve at the final showdown, for with it you can make Unkledunk behave himself and force that compromise you spoke of. Seriously, however, I don't want you to use it, Shirley. We must avoid a scandal by all means; and please be, I don't need your club to beat your uncle's brains out. I'm taking his club away from him to use for that purpose."

"Really, I believe you're happy today."

"Happy? I should tell a man! If the streets of Sequoia were paved with eggs, I could walk them all day without making an omelette."

"It must be nice to feel so happy after so many months of the blues."

"Indeed it is, Shirley. You see until very recently I was very much worried as to your attitude toward me. I couldn't believe you'd so far forget yourself as to love me in spite of everything—so I never took the trouble to ask you. And now I don't have to ask you. I know! And I'll be around to see you after I get that crossing in!"

"You're perfectly horrid," she blazed, and hung up without the formality of saying good-bye.

Shortly after Shirley's departure from his office, Bryce had a visit from Buck Ogilvy. The latter wore a neatly pressed suit of shepherd plaid, with



"Three Long, Loud Raucous Cheers for Uncle."

a white carnation in his lapel, and he was apparently the most light-hearted young man in Humboldt county. He struck an attitude and demanded:

"Boss, what do you think of my new suit?"

"You lunatic! Don't you know red blonds should never wear light shades? You're dressed like a negro minstrel."

"Well, I feel as happy as an end-man. And by the way, you're all chirked up yourself. Who's been helping you to the elixir of life? When we parted last night, you were forty fathoms deep in the slough of despond."

"No less a divinity than Miss Shirley Sumner! She called this morning to explain that last night's fiasco was none of her making, and quite innocently she imparted the information that old Pennington lighted out for San Francisco at one o'clock this morning. Wherefore I laugh. Te-he! He-hah!"

"Three long, loud raucous cheers for Uncle. He's gone to rush a restraining order through the United States district court. Wonder why he didn't wire his attorney to attend to the matter for him."

"He has the crossing blocked, and inasmuch as the mayor feeds out of Pennington's hand, the Colonel is quite confident that said crossing will remain blocked. As for the restraining order—well, if one wants a thing well done, one should do it oneself."

"All that doesn't explain your cheerful attitude, though."

"Oh, but it does. I've told you about old Duncan McTavish, Motra's father, haven't I? Ogilvy nodded, and Bryce continued: "When I fired the old scoundrel for boozing, it almost broke his heart; he had to leave Humboldt, where everybody knew him, so he wandered down into Mendocino county and got a job sticking lumber in the drying yard of the Willis Lumber company. He's been there two months now, and I am informed by his employer that old Mac hasn't taken a drink in all that time. And what's more, he isn't going to take one again."

"How do you know?"

"Because I make it my business to find out. Mac was the finest woods-boss this county ever knew; hence you do not assume that I would lose the old scoundrel without making a fight for him, do you? Why, Buck, he's been on the Cardigan pay roll thirty years, and I only fired him in order to reform him. Well, last week I sent

one of Mac's old friends down to Willis's purposely to call on him and invite him out for a time; but Mac wouldn't drink with him. No, sir, he couldn't be tempted. On the contrary, he told the tempter that I had promised to give him back his job if he remained on the water wagon for one year; he was resolved to win back his job and his self-respect."

"I know what your plan is," Ogilvy interrupted. "Listen, now, to father's words of wisdom. Didn't you hear me tell that girl and her villainous avuncular relative last night that I had another ace up my kimono?"

Bryce nodded.

"That was not brag, old dear. I had the ace, and this morning I played it—wherefore in my heart there is that peace that passeth understanding—particularly since I have just had a telegram informing me that my ace took the trick."

"You will recall that from the very instant we decided to cut in that jump-crossing, we commenced to plan against interference by Pennington; in consequence we kept, or tried to keep, our decision a secret. However, there existed at all times the possibility that Pennington might discover our benevolent intentions and block us with his only weapon—a restraining order issued by the Judge of the United States district court."

"Now, one of the most delightful things I know about a court is that it is open to all men seeking justice—or injustice disguised as justice. Also there is a wise old saw to the effect that battles are won by the fellow who gets there first with the most men. The situation from the start was absurdly simple. If Pennington got to the district court first, we were lost!"

"You mean you got there first?" exclaimed Bryce.

"I did—by the very simple method of preparing to get there first in case anything slipped. Something did slip—last night! However, I was ready; so all I had to do was press the button, for as Omar Khayyam remarked: 'What shall it avail a man if he buyeth a padlock for his stable after his favorite stallion hath been lifted?' Several days ago, my boy, I wrote a long letter to our attorney in San Francisco explaining every detail of our predicament; the instant I received that temporary franchise from the city council, I mailed a certified copy of it to our attorney also. Then, in anticipation of our discovery by Pennington, I instructed the attorney to prepare the complaint and petition for a restraining order against Seth Pennington et al, and stand by to rush to the judge with it the instant he heard from me!"

"Well, about the time old Pennington started for San Francisco this morning, I had our attorney out of bed and on the long-distance telephone; at nine o'clock this morning he appeared in the United States district court; at nine-fifteen the judge signed a restraining order forbidding our enemies to interfere with us in the exercise of a right legally granted us by the city of Sequoia, and at nine-thirty a deputy United States marshal started in an automobile for Sequoia, via the overland route. He will arrive late tomorrow night, and on Sunday we will get that locomotive out of our way and install our crossing."

"And Pennington—"

"Ah, the poor Pennington! Mon pauvre Seth!" Buck sighed contentedly. "He will be just twenty-four hours late."

"You old fox!" Bryce murmured. "You wicked, wicked man!"

Buck Ogilvy lifted his lapel and sniffed luxuriously at his white carnation, the white a thin little smile played around the corners of his humorous mouth. "Ah," he murmured presently, "life's pretty sweet, isn't it?"

CHAPTER XVII.

Events followed each other with refreshing rapidity. While the crew of the big locomotive on the crossing hustled themselves getting up steam, Sexton and Jules Rondeau toiled at the loading of the discarded boiler and heavy castings aboard two flat cars. By utilizing the switch derrick on the company's wrecking car, this task was completed by noon, and after luncheon the mogul backed up the main line past the switch into the Laguna Grande yards; whereupon the switch engine kicked the two flat cars and the wrecking car out of the yard and down to the crossing, where the obstructions were promptly unloaded. The police watched the operation with alert interest but forbore to interfere in this high-handed closing of a public thoroughfare.

To Sexton's annoyance and secret apprehension, Bryce Cardigan and Buck Ogilvy promptly appeared on the scene, both very cheerful and lavishly with expert advice as to the best method of expediting the job in hand. To Bryce's surprise Jules Rondeau appeared to take secret enjoyment of this good-natured chaffing of the Laguna Grande manager. Occasionally he eyed Bryce curiously but without animus, and presently he flashed the latter a lightning wink, as if to say: "What a fool Sexton is to oppose you!"

"Well, Rondeau," Bryce hailed the woods-boss cheerfully, "I see you have quite recovered from that working over I gave you some time ago. No hard feelings, I trust. I shouldn't care to have that job to do over again. You're a tough one."

"By gar, she don't pay for have hard feelings wiz you, m'sieur," Rondeau answered bluntly. "We have one fine fight, but—he shrugged—"I don't want some more." He approached Bryce and lowered his voice. "For one month I am no good to see you. We don't

fight some more, m'sieur. And I have feel ashamed for dose Black Minora feller. Always wiz him eet is ze knife or ze club—and now eet is ze rifle. Cochon! W'en I fight, I fight wiz what le bon Dieu give me."

"You appear to have a certain code, after all," Bryce laughed. "I am inclined to like you for it. You're sporty in your way, you tremendous scoundrel!"

"Mebbeso," Rondeau suggested hopefully, "M'sieur likes me for woods-boss?"

"Why, what's the matter with Pennington? Is he tired of you?"

The color mounted slowly to the woods bully's swarthy cheek. "Madelmoiselle Summar, he's tell me pretty soon he's goin' be boss of Laguna Grande an' stop all thees fight. An' w'en Mademoiselle, he is in the saddle, good-bye Jules Rondeau. Thees count—I like him, I feel sad, M'sieur, to leave dose beeg trees." He paused, looking rather wistfully at Bryce. "I am fine woods-boss for somebody," he suggested hopefully.

"You think Miss Sumner dislikes you then, Rondeau?"

"I don't theenk, I know." He sighed; his huge body seemed to droop. "I am out of zee good luck now," he murmured bitterly. "Everybody, she hate Jules Rondeau." Again he sighed. "Dose beeg trees! In Quebec we have none. In zee woods, M'sieur, I feel—here!" And he laid his great calloused, hairy hand over his heart. "W'en I cut your beeg trees, M'sieur, I feel like hell."

"That infernal gorilla of a man is a poet," Buck Ogilvy declared. "I'd think twice before I let him get out of the country, Bryce."

"Whose suit he eats, his song he sings," quoth Bryce. "I forgive you, Rondeau, and when I need a woods-boss like you, I'll send for you."

At eleven o'clock Saturday night the deputy United States marshal arrived in Sequoia. Upon the advice of Buck Ogilvy, however, he made no attempt at service that night, notwithstanding the fact that Jules Rondeau and his bullies still guarded the crossing. At eight o'clock Sunday morning, however, Bryce Cardigan drove him down to the crossing. Buck Ogilvy was already there with his men, superintendent erection of a huge derrick closing the heap of obstructions placed on the crossing. Sexton was watching him manfully, and flushed as Ogilvy pointed him out to the marshal.

"There's your man, marshal," he announced. The marshal approached and extended toward Sexton a copy of the restraining order. The latter struck it aside and refused to accept it—whereupon the deputy marshal tapped him on the shoulder with it. "Tag! You're out of the game, my friend," he said pleasantly.

As the document fluttered to Sexton's feet, the latter turned to Jules Rondeau. "I can no longer take charge here, Rondeau," he explained. "I am forbidden to interfere."

"Jules Rondeau can do ze job," the woods-boss replied easily. "Ze law, she have not restrain me. I guess, mebbeso, you don't take dose theings away, eh, M'sieur Cardigan. Myself, I lak see."

The deputy marshal handed Rondeau a paper, at the same time showing his badge. "You're out, too, my friend," he laughed. "Don't be foolish to try to buck the law. If you do, I shall have to place a nice little pair of handcuffs on you and throw you in jail—and if you resist arrest, I shall have to shoot you. I have one of these little restraining orders for every able-bodied man in the Laguna Grande Lumber company's employ—thanks to Mr. Ogilvy's foresight; so it is useless to try to heat this game on a technicality."

Sexton, who still lingered, made a gesture of surrender. "Dismiss your crew, Rondeau," he ordered. "We're whipped to a frazzle."

A gleam of pleasure, not unmingled with triumph, lighted the dark eyes of the woods-boss as he obeyed.

CHAPTER XVIII.

Colonel Pennington's discovery at San Francisco that Bryce Cardigan had stolen his thunder and turned the bolt upon him, was the hardest blow Seth Pennington could remember having received throughout his thirty-odd years of give and take. He was too old and experienced a campaigner, however, to permit a futile rage to cloud his reason; he prided himself upon being a foeman worthy of any man's steel.

On Tuesday he returned to Sequoia. Sexton related to him in detail the events which had transpired since his departure, but elicited nothing more than a noncommittal grunt.

"There is one more matter, sir, which will doubtless be of interest to you," Sexton continued apologetically. "Miss Sumner called me on the telephone yesterday and instructed me formally to notify the board of directors of the Laguna Grande company of a special meeting of the board, to be held here at two o'clock this afternoon. In view of the impossibility of communicating with you while you were en route, I conformed to her wishes. Our by-laws, as you know, stipulate that no meeting of the board shall be called without formal written notice to each di-

rector mailed twenty-four hours previously."

"What the devil do you mean, Sexton, by conforming to her wishes?" Miss Sumner is not a director of this company," Pennington's voice was harsh and trembled apprehensively.

"Miss Sumner controls forty per cent of the Laguna Grande stock, sir. I took that into consideration."

"You lie!" Pennington all but screamed. "You took into consideration your job as secretary and general manager. Damnation!"

He rose and commenced pacing up and down his office. Suddenly he paused. Sexton still stood beside his desk, watching him respectfully. "You fool!" he snarled. "Get out of here and leave me alone."

Sexton departed promptly, glancing at his watch as he did so. It lacked five minutes of two. He passed Shirley Sumner in the general office.

"Shirley," Pennington began in a hoarse voice as she entered his office,

"I Cannot Trust You to Manage My Financial Affairs in the Future."

"What is the meaning of this directors' meeting you have requested?"

"The seated, Uncle Seth," the girl answered quietly. "If you will only be quiet and reasonable, perhaps we can dispense with this directors' meeting which appears to frighten you so."

He sat down promptly, a look of relief on his face.

"I scarcely know how to begin, Uncle Seth," Shirley commenced sadly. "It hurts me terribly to be forced to hurt you, but there doesn't appear to be any other way out of it. I cannot trust you to manage my financial affairs in the future—this for a number of reasons, the principal one being—"

"Young Cardigan," he interrupted in a low voice.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

HISTORY MERELY A LESSON

Paints Pictures Only That They May Be an Inspiration to Future Generations.

History does not relate for the sake of relating; it does not paint for the sake of painting; it relates and paints the past that it may be a living lesson of the future. It proposes to instruct those who have gone before them, by exhibiting to them a faithful picture of great and important events with their causes and their effects, with general designs and particular passions, with the faults and virtues that are found commingled in human things. It teaches the excellence of prudence, courage, and great thoughts; profoundly meditated, constantly pursued, and executed with moderation and force. It shows the vanity of immoderate pretensions, the power of wisdom and virtue, the impotence of folly and crime. Thucydides, Polybius, and Tacitus undertake anything rather than procuring new emotions for an idle curiosity or a worn threshold imagination. They doubtless desire to interest and attract, not more to instruct; they are the avowed masters of statesmen and the preceptors of mankind.—Victor Cousin.

Friendship.

The loftiest test of friendship—understood as companionship—is the power to do without it. And in this world of external confusions and separations, there is often such need. We do not yield the friendship, but must forego the companionship. Then comes the proof of our capacity for sacrifice, our loyalty to the Highest of all. We turn our faces from each other, but never our hearts, and walk our opposite ways. Gradually the heavens widen and deepen above us; we find ourselves breathing new, yet strangely familiar atmospheres, sweet with the breath of the old affection; we see ourselves—each sees the other—met once more in a presence which has never forsaken us—the presence of one who puts his cross into the hands of all holiest friendship, saying "Conquer by this!" There is no danger of losing love, here or hereafter, if it is only real; for love is the one indestructible element in the universe.—Lucy Larcom.

State Has Had Nine Capitals.

The first complete report made in connection with the Raleigh and Wake county community study shows that the state of North Carolina has had nine capitals, as follows: Bath, Edenton, Branswicle, Filington, Newbern, Hillsboro, Smithfield, Fayetteville and Raleigh. The reason for so many lay in the custom, prior to 1791, of transferring the seat of government to the place of residence of the government or to the temporary meeting place of the assembly.

Charles V Had Faith in Women.

The famous emperor Charles V, who was accounted one of the ablest rulers of his time, had such confidence in the ability of women to govern that he appointed three successively as regents of the Netherlands.

It is a case of intellectual farming when a man's feelings are harrowed.



The Kitchen Cabinet

Today is ours, what do we fear? Today is ours, we have it here; Let's treat it kindly, that it may. Wait at least, with us to stay. Let's banish business, banish sorrow; To the gods belongs tomorrow.

HINTS FOR THE HOUSEKEEPER.

When roasting pork slit it at intervals and insert slices of tart apple. The apple gives the gravy a delicious flavor.

When salting almonds use olive oil instead of butter. It gives a better flavor.

Candy animals may be made from the celluloid animals bought at the ten-cent store. Separate each animal along the seam with a sharp knife and fill the mold, after giving it a coating of butter, with fondant. In a few minutes remove and set aside to dry. The children will be delighted with these candy animals.

A good foundation for any cream soup is one tablespoonful each of butter and flour, the butter bubbling hot when the flour is added. Cook until smooth, then add one pint of milk, seasoning, and one cupful of any vegetable which has been washed or put through a sieve. For tomato soup a pint is the usual quantity with a pinch of soda and a teaspoonful of sugar.

Use a discarded safety razor blade to scrape paint from windows as well as to rip with.

Sprinkle corn with warm water before putting it into the popper. It pops much more evenly.

Keep cream, mint, parsley well washed in a glass jar screwed tight. It will keep fresh and crisp for a week or more. Keep in a cool place.

Make a mat of discarded fruit jar rubbers to use under the dishpan in the sink. It will save scratches and stains.

Cream of tartar, a soft brush and a little water will clean filigree jewelry.

When making layer cake, keep the slices from sliding, stick toothpicks through the layers to hold them in place until the icing or filling is set.

A pair of dry pillows may be kept for the bed during the day, or fresh pretty slips may be put on and removed at night, thus keeping the bed looking fresh.

If a cream soup scorches slightly, add a teaspoonful of peanut butter, after it is set into a dish of cold water and stirred well. The peanut butter will effectually disguise any bitter taste.

Dried orange peel put through the meat grinder may be used for many things. A pinch added to the tea when making a cup will add to its flavor.

The sirup left from spiced peaches may be used in the mince meat, adding a delicious flavor to the mince pies.

To smile at trials which fret and faze. And not to murmur—nor to lag. The test of greatness is the way One meets the eternal Everyday.

—Edmund Vance Cooke.

FOODS FOR OCCASIONS.

The following dishes are like "leisure, a pleasant garment, but not fit for constant wear." These dishes are nice occasionally but can never take the place of the old standbys:

Round of Beef With Raisins.—Put into a casserole one-fourth of a cupful of sweet fat or butter, and when melted add one cupful of the following mixture: Equal parts of celery, carrots, onions, and ham chopped together. Cook until the vegetables are brown, then lay over them a round of beef, from the tougher end, about four pounds. Cover with a second cupful of the mixture and cook in a hot oven for three-quarters of an hour. Remove the meat from the casserole, strain off the vegetables, add a cupful of stock to the strained liquid and return the meat to the casserole. Over the meat spread one cupful of seeded raisins. Cover and cook for one hour and a quarter longer. Serve from the casserole.

Green Cheese.—Take two ounces of fresh parsley, one ounce of water-cress, one ounce of celery. Dry the parsley in the oven until crisp, but not until it has lost its bright green. Chop the cress and celery, add to the crumbled parsley and mix with four ounces of fresh cream cheese. Season with one-fourth of a teaspoonful of salt and a small speck of cayenne; pass the whole through a colander and form into small cheeses to pass with the salad.

Stuffed Baked Potatoes.—Bake potatoes of uniform size. When done cut a slice from one side and remove the potato pulp, to leave the skin for a case. Press the potato through a ricer, add one-half cupful or more of chopped cold boiled ham, season with salt, pepper, a little mustard and butter and milk or cream; beat until light and fluffy. Fill the cases with the mixture, rounding above the edges. Brush over with melted butter and return to the oven to reheat the potato and brown. Serve with a green salad.

Nellie Maxwell

Sandalwood Long Prized.

Sandalwood is the product principally of the native state of Mysore, India, and the district of Coorg. Due to the development of the sandalwood oil extracting industry, the exportation of the wood from Madras has steadily declined, while that of the oil has increased. Sandalwood is the most famous of all scented woods. Its use for perfumery and incense dates back thousands of years. The later Greeks regarded it as one of their greatest luxuries, and no festivities were complete without it.

Sure Relief

BELL-ANS FOR INDIGESTION

SLOW DEATH

Aches, pains, nervousness, difficulty in urinating, often mean serious disorders. The world's standard remedy for kidney, liver, bladder and uric acid troubles—

GOLD MEDAL

HAARLEM OIL CAPSULES

bring quick relief and often ward off deadly diseases. Known as the national remedy of Holland for more than 200 years. All druggists, in three sizes. Look for the name Gold Medal on every box and accept no imitation.

Gift of Historic Textbooks.

The Holland Holton collection of textbooks, numbering more than 1,000 volumes, has been given to Trinity college in North Carolina, on behalf of the grandchildren of Martin Rowan Chaffin, who taught school in Davis and Yankin counties, North Carolina, beginning in 1850. Fifty of the volumes were used in the schools of the state from 1820 to the Civil war. The Holton collection, is intended primarily for the use of the department of education at Trinity college, but the books will be readily accessible to the public and private school teachers of Durham and Durham county.

WHY DRUGGISTS RECOMMEND SWAMP-ROOT

For many years druggists have watched with much interest the remarkable record maintained by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder medicine.

It is a physician's prescription. Swamp-Root is a strengthening medicine. It helps the kidneys, liver and bladder so the work nature intended they should do.

Swamp-Root has stood the test of years. It is sold by all druggists on its merit and it should help you. No other kidney medicine has so many friends.

Be sure to get Swamp-Root and start treatment at once.

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

Getting Anxious.

"Maud wants a finger in everything." "Yes, but in an engagement ring for preference."

A Kansas Woman Testifies

Mulberry, Kans.—"My son, at the age of 10 years, was taken with pneumonia. We had three doctors. Then he took chicken-ox and measles and last typhoid fever. He got through them all in one winter, but it left him with such a cough I feared he could not get well. I got Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and gave it to him; it cured him entirely. I lived near Monroe City, Mo., when my son was sick."

MRS. JANE S. CARROLL.

All druggists. No alcohol. Prepared in both liquid and tablets.

Of Course! Should be bought Who dares to boast Can't be bought.

Misunderstanding.

Mrs. Wigs—Ain't it goin' to be awful when the soldiers get back?

Mrs. Figs—Whatever do you mean?

Mrs. Wigs—Why, they say the boys will all come home demoralized.

How Mean!

Mr. Cholly Shallowpate—They say that a little learning is a dangerous thing.

Miss Kutting Hints—Fear not. You're a long ways from the danger signal.

Appropriate Affliction.

"That pork dealer has a trouble which is strictly business."

"How do you mean?"

"He has a sty in his eye."

Unusual Sign.

"That man's not normal."

"What's the matter with him?"

"Told me the other day his kid never said anything worth repeating."

We Guarantee Our Hemstitching and Picotting Attachment to Work

perfectly on any sewing machine; easily adjusted; no extra power to run it; many nice things can be made in the home with this handy device. Attachment with full instructions and sample of work; price \$2.50.

See 1021
Corpus Christi, Texas

Cuticura Soap

Clears the Skin and Keeps it Clear

Soap 25c, Ointment 25c and 50c, Tablets 25c.

126 MAMMOTH JACKS

I have a bargain for you, come quick. W. L. DAVIS, 207 JACK FALLS Cedar Rapids, Iowa

POSITIVELY REMOVED BY Dr. Ross' FRECKLES

POSITIVE GUARANTEE—No matter how deep, dark, or numerous, Dr. Ross' Freckles will remove them. Price 25c. 217 Michigan Avenue, Chicago.

TOBACCO—KENTUCKY NATURAL LEAF

smoking or chewing. 15 lbs. \$3.25. 25 lbs. \$5.75. CHESTER MORRIS, Agent, Louisville, Ky.

W. N. U., DENVER, NO. 11-1921.

WARNING

Unless you see the name "Bayer" on tablets, you are not getting genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for 21 years, and proved safe by millions.—Say "Bayer"!



SAFETY FIRST! Accept only an "unbroken package" of genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin," which contains proper directions for Headache, Earache, Toothache, Neuralgia, Colds, Rheumatism, Neuritis, Lumbago, and pain generally. Strictly American!

Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost but a few cents—Larger packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacturers of Monacocacidester of Salicylic Acid.

Precious Materials. "The fact that a gown is not large does not prevent it from being expensive."
"I should not be surprised," rejoined Miss Cayenne, "if we planned our method of buying fabrics and used weights instead of measures. Some of the weaves are so precious that they might as well be sold by the karat."
Sympathy's Cheaper. "It's all right to sympathize with the under dog in a fight," remarked the Observer of Events and Things, "but a fellow would be a fool to bet on him."
Frequent Result. "What was the outcome of your quarrel with the boss?"
"A stopping of my income."

Will Rheumatism Again Bind Your Hand and Foot?

If you had Rheumatism last year and treated only the pains of the disease by rubbing with liniments and lotions, you can be sure that soon again you will be in the shackles of this relentless foe. You may get some slight temporary relief from the pains of the disease by the use of these local remedies, but Rheumatism is too real and relentless a disease to be rubbed away. So many cases of Rheumatism come from a tiny germ in the blood, that you should try a remedy that has proven so thoroughly satisfactory in these cases. S.S.S., the fine old blood remedy cleanses the blood of all impurities, and removes all disease germs that may creep into the blood. Begin taking S.S.S. today, and if you will write a complete history of your case, our medical director will give you expert advice, without charge. Address Chief Medical Adviser, 187 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

Stock Raising in WESTERN CANADA

is as profitable as grain growing. Successes as wonderful as those from growing wheat, oats, barley, and flax have been made in raising Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Hogs. Bright, sunny climate, nutritious grasses, good water, enormous fodder crops—these spell success to the farmer and stock raiser. And remember, you can buy on easy terms.

Farm Land at \$15 to \$30 An Acre
—land equal to that which through many years has yielded from 20 to 45 bushels of wheat to the acre—grazing land convenient to good grain farms at proportionately low prices. These lands have every rural convenience, good schools, churches, roads, telephones, etc., close to live towns and good markets.

If you want to get back to the farm, or to farm on a larger scale than is possible under present conditions, investigate what Western Canada has to offer you.

For illustrated literature with maps and particulars regarding railroad rates, routes, location of land, etc., apply to Department of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada, or

W. V. BENNETT, Room 4, Bee Building, OMAHA, NEB.
Canadian Government Agent.

WOULD GET RID OF "JUNK" WISHED THE LADY HAD ACTED
Probably Youngster's Comment Found Echo in the Minds of Others in the Audience.

Articles which owe their value to their utility may become unserviceable, but the owners, instead of getting rid of them, find some niche in the home in which to store them, or, worse still, keep the old goods in a place of honor with modern furnishings and make their homes ugly as well as comfortable.

Where families have lived in one house for years, miscellaneous articles of useless furniture will be found lumbering up the place. If the more sensible and practical members of the family ask for their disposal, and comment on their uselessness they get a lecture entitled sentimental value.

The amazing part of the sentimental value plea is the little regard these misers of rubbish place on the tastes and desires of other members of the family. The worshippers of household goods are likely to become exacting, and unhappily these fallings increase as they grow older.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Just Like Home.
The woman district attorney was on her first case. For half a minute she thundered oratory, piling question after question upon the quaking defendant, without giving him a chance for a reply. Then after her fifteenth: "Now, didn't you?" she paused for breath. In the ensuing silence those in the courtroom heard the judge murmur dreamily:
"Yes, my dear, you're perfectly right, perfectly right."—American Legion Weekly.

Youngsters grow husky on Grape-Nuts

The great body-building values which Nature stores in wheat and barley, are retained in this easily digestible food.

The unique, sweet flavor of Grape-Nuts makes it a big favorite with both children and adults.

"There's a Reason"
SOLD BY GROCERS EVERYWHERE

Indian Pleads for Fish Rights

Aged Chief Recalls Treaty Made With the Governor of Washington in 1855.

CHEERED BY LEGISLATORS

Protests Against Disregard of Pact Which Recognized Right of Indians to Take Salmon in the Yakima River.

Olympia, Wash.—Sixty-six years ago in the spray of Prosser falls, an Indian chief and the then governor of Washington respectively pledged their people to abide by a pact.

This pact recognized the perpetual rights of the Yakima tribe to fish where from time immemorial the red man had taken his salmon.

The Indians had been reluctant, saying to Gov. Isaac I. Stevens, "but when you are dead, who will bear witness to your promises?" And the governor had replied:

"I pledge the Americans to keep the promises as long as the mountains stand, as long as the sun shines and the river runs!"

Calling upon these mute witnesses and summoning the spirits of the dead, Chief Mennock of the Yakimas has just made a speech of protest at the whites' violation of that treaty, in the state senate chamber here, which is the most dramatic in its annals.

Boy When Treaty Was Made. And that speech, which would do credit to the historic orators of his race, with its sharp challenge to the white man's honor, bids fair to correct a wrong the Indians had hitherto borne in silence.

Mennock was a boy when the treaty was made. He had stood attentively beside his father on that occasion. Today he is 80, and wrinkled. Much water has run over Prosser falls since then, and the salmon have dwindled. Also, the whites have enacted fish and game laws which conflict so with the treaty of 1855 that Mennock was

recently arrested for taking salmon from the Yakima river.

A few days ago Chief Mennock and other tribal leaders, together with their wives and children, appeared at the imposing state lodge of the white men at the state capitol here to protest. In their feathered and beaded trappings and scarlet blankets they projected a vivid picture of the past into the busy legislative councils as the chief rose to speak in protest.

Calls Upon Spirits. "My heart is glad today," said Mennock with solemn mien and sonorous tongue, "because you have said you would listen to what we have to say.

It makes me feel that you want to do right by my people whose privileges have been taken and who are sick and sad for being deprived of the food which has given them health and strength.

"I call upon the spirits of the dead and upon those witnesses which Governor Stevens himself invoked to testify that I speak the truth—for the white-topped mountain still stands and the river still runs over the falls where the salmon in season come to leap."

When the old chief sat down among his people the assembled legislators broke into a storm of approving cheers, and the senate committee which has the Indians' case under advisement immediately went on record as favoring the claims of Mennock and his folk, as included in a bill already introduced.

"White men," said the chief as he marched away, "are not so much dishonest as they are sometimes short in memory."

Giant X-Ray to Treat Cancer

Important Discovery Is Made by Professor at Harvard University.

HAS ADVANTAGE OVER RADIUM

Experiments in University Laboratory Make it Possible to Produce X-Rays of More Penetrating Power Than Ever Before.

Cambridge, Mass. — Discoveries made by William Duane, professor of biophysics at Harvard, working in collaboration with research students of physics, have made it possible, according to Harvard physicists, to secure X-rays of more penetrating quality than have ever before been obtained in this country and these new rays are now to be used for the first time in America for the alleviation of cancer.

While it is emphatically stated by Professor Duane that neither X-rays nor radium should be considered a permanent cure for all kinds of cancer, it has long been known that radium has a marked alleviative effect upon this disease.

The Harvard cancer commission is erecting a new building adjoining the Collis P. Huntington hospital in Boston, where an X-ray plant will be installed, as well as the commission's radium plant.

What Discovery Means. The significance of the discovery was explained in the following statement at Harvard:

"The advantage of X-rays over radium is that the latter is scarce and immensely expensive, costing at present more than \$100,000 a gram, and can, therefore, only be used in small quantities. If X-rays were used it would be possible to make the rays enormously more powerful than has been possible with the limited amount of radium available.

The trouble with the use of X-rays up to this time has been that they are not as penetrating as the so-called gamma rays of radium and the problem of the Harvard physicists has been to secure this needed quality.

"It was known that to secure penetration it was necessary to secure a high frequency of vibration. The Harvard physicists, after many experiments, found that a physical law known as the 'quantum law' applied to the X-ray spectrum, and discovered that they could increase the frequency of the rays and thus their penetration, by increasing the voltage of current used in the X-ray tube.

Gets Enough Voltage. "Professor Duane reports that the tube goes to pieces under a voltage of more than 150,000 volts, but that a sufficiently high voltage has been obtained to make the X-rays very nearly as effective for certain medical purposes as the gamma rays of radium.

"Long continued exposure to X-rays is so dangerous to the operator that the greatest pains have to be taken to protect him from them. In the Jefferson physical laboratory at Harvard, where Professor Duane makes his experiments, the X-ray plant is kept in a room by itself and the rays are sent out through a minute slit in the wall. The brick wall at this point is reinforced with lead and a lead screen is placed across the door. Many experimenters in various places have been killed or seriously injured by constant use of X-rays."

SPRING WEIRD IDEAS

"Inventors" Relieve Monotony for British Commission.

One Would Freeze the Clouds So Guns Could Be Mounted on Them to Repel Air Attacks.

London.—The report recently issued by the royal commission on awards to inventors calls to mind both the new powerful engines of destruction the war brought into being, and also the many weird and impracticable ideas advanced by "inventors" who had evolved curious plans for winning the war. A one-time member of the war inventions department of the ministry of munitions told of one man who sent in an invention which he said could freeze clouds so that guns could be mounted on them for firing at aircraft and bombing enemy lines. He was kindly but firmly led to the

door, but before he left managed to explain a scheme he had for suspending heavy guns from captive balloons.

One inventor wished to project heat waves against airplanes and so destroy them. Part of his plan was to set up electric fields that would paralyze the magnetos of enemy airplanes when they attempted an attack. None of these enthusiasts seemed to realize the limitations of their suggestions. A man planned to attach searchlights to anti-aircraft guns, and so fire along the beam of light. He neglected the fact that the path of a shell and the path of a ray of light are somewhat different.

Among other weird inventions was one for throwing live wire cables against the enemy, using rockets to get the cables across. No Man's Land. It was suggested that a tunnel be built all the way into Germany, and also that trained cormorants be sent to pick the mortar out of the chimneys of the Krupp factories at Essen.

Sisters Reunited After Sixty Years



Mrs. Jane Pass (right), aged eighty-two, and her sister, Mrs. Missouri Van Dyke McCrary, aged eighty, who have just been reunited in Atlanta, Ga., after a separation of 60 years. They formerly lived on a plantation near Rome, Ga. Mrs. McCrary lives with her son in Atlanta, and Mrs. Pass, who has been living on a farm near Buckhead, Ga. had just learned where her sister was and went to see her.

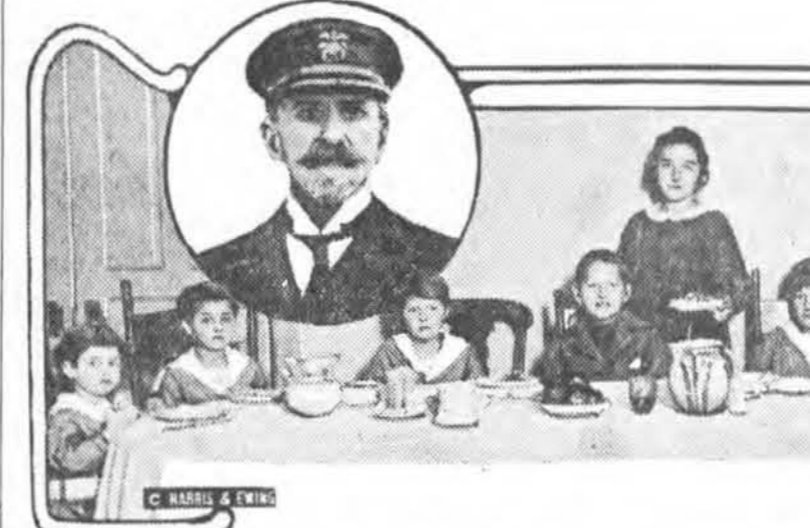
Labor of 200,000 Men Support Rat Population

Washington.—It keeps 200,000 men working full time to support the nation's rat population. That assertion is made by the biological survey bureau in figures issued showing that there are as many "common brown rats" as humans in the United States, and each of the 100,000,000 or more destroy \$2 worth of foodstuffs a year.

They also maintain an efficient transportation system for "black death" and other plague germs, the bureau adds in urging a starve and slay campaign to check "a real hazard against American lives and property."

An official count showed 204,354 foreigners resident in Paris at the beginning of this year, including 23,830 Americans.

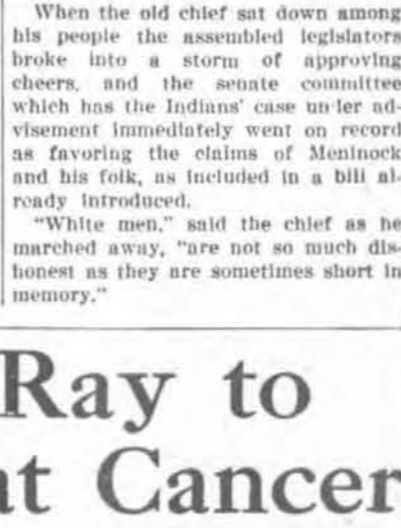
Admiral McCully and His Russian Protoges



These are the Russian children adopted by Rear Admiral Newton McCully, U. S. N., eating their first breakfast in Washington. Admiral McCully, who is a bachelor, is also shown in the picture.

DARLING BABY BRIGHTENS HOME

Children's Laughter a Pleasing Sound



Altoona, Pa.—"I am writing to tell you what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. We had six children die almost at birth. From one hour to nineteen days is all they have lived. Before my next one was born I took a dozen bottles of your Vegetable Compound, and I can say that it is the greatest medicine on earth. From one hour to nine months old, and a healthier baby you would not want. I am sending you a picture of her. Everybody says 'That is a very healthy looking baby.' You have my consent to show these few lines to anybody."—Mrs. C. W. BENZ, 131 3rd Avenue, Altoona, Pa.

Mrs. Janssen's experience of interest to childless wives.

Millston, Wis.—"I want to give you a word of praise for your wonderful medicine. My husband brought me one of your booklets and we were married I feared I would not have any. I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it strengthened me so I now have a nice, strong, healthy baby girl. I suffered very little at childbirth, and I give all the credit to your medicine, and shall always recommend it highly."—Mrs. H. H. JANSSEN, Millston, Wis.

Mrs. Held of Marinette, Wis., adds her testimonial for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. She says:

Marinette, Wis.—"I was in a nervous condition and very irregular. My doctor advised an operation. My husband brought me one of your booklets and asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It overcame my weakness so that I now have a healthy baby girl after having been married nine years. I am glad to recommend your medicine, and you may use my letter as a testimonial."—Mrs. H. B. HELD, 330 Jefferson St., Marinette, Wis.

There are many, many such homes that were once childless, and are now blessed with healthy, happy children because Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has restored the mother to a strong and healthy condition, as it acts as a natural restorative for ailments as indicated by backache, irregularities, displacements, weakness and nervousness.

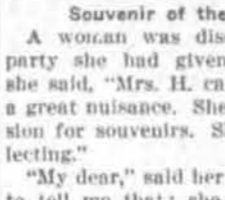
Women everywhere should remember that most of the commoner ailments of women are not the surgical ones—they are not caused by serious displacements or growths, although the symptoms may be the same, and that is why so many apparently serious ailments readily yield to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as it acts as a natural restorative. It can be taken with perfect safety and often prevents serious troubles.

Therefore if you know of any woman who is suffering and has been unable to secure relief and is regretfully looking forward to a childless old age, ask her to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as it has brought health and happiness into so many homes once darkened by illness and despair.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Private Text-Book upon "Ailments Peculiar to Women" will be sent to you free upon request. Write to The Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Massachusetts. This book contains valuable information.

What to Do for CONSTIPATION

Take a good dose of Carter's Little Liver Pills—then take 2 or 3 for a few nights after. They cleanse your system of all waste matter and regulate your bowels. Mild—as easy to take as sugar. Genuine bear signature—Bentley. Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.



Souvenir of the Occasion. A woman was discussing a house party she had given. "You know," she said, "Mrs. H. came, but she was a great nuisance. She has such a passion for souvenirs. She's mad on collecting."

"My dear," said her friend, "no need to tell me that; she stayed with me once."

"I suppose you missed your china, or something when she left."

"No, I missed my husband."

RUB OUT SORENESS, SPRAINS, BACKACHE WITH OLD ST. JACOBS OIL

Back hurt you? Can't straighten up without feeling sudden pains, sharp aches and twinges? Now, listen! That's lumbago, sciatica, or maybe from a strain, and you'll get blessed relief the moment you rub your back with soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil!" Nothing else takes out soreness, lameness and stiffness so quickly. You simply rub it on and out comes the pain. It is perfectly harmless and doesn't burn or discolor the skin.

Limber up! Don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle from any drug store, and after using it just once you'll forget that you ever had backache, lumbago or sciatica, because your back will never hurt or cause any more misery. It never disappoints and has been recommended for 60 years. Stop dragging kidneys! They don't cause backache, because they have no nerves, therefore can't cause pain.—Adv.

What They Were Seeking. My husband and I went to call on a friend who we heard was ill. We got no response when we went to the front door, so decided to try the kitchen door. No response there, I suggested that we go in, as she was probably alone and could not get up. So we stepped inside the kitchen and I called "hello." From behind the door came a weak "hello," and our friend stepped out from her hiding place. That was the last time we entered unbidden while calling.—Chicago Tribune.

Dismal Forebodings. Ariunthot Browne, the Boston millionaire, was talking about masterful wives.

"Masterful wives," he said, "were in the minority heretofore, but with the coming of universal suffrage the majority of wives are getting pretty masterful."

"Believe me," Mr. Brown concluded, "it won't be only in his office that the husband of the future, when he starts to dictate, will be taken down."

WOMEN USE "DIAMOND DYES" Dye Old Skirts, Dresses, Waists, Coats, Stockings, Draperies—Everything.

Each package of "Diamond Dyes" contains easy directions for dyeing any article of wool, silk, cotton, linen, or mixed goods. Beware! Poor dye streaks, spots, fades, and ruins material by giving it a "dyed-look." Buy "Diamond Dyes" only. Druggist has Color Card.—Adv.

The Perpetual Smile. "Do you disapprove of pink tie diplomacy?"

"I don't know anything much about diplomacy," replied Uncle Bill Bottletop, "except that it depends on a man's suavity and his ability to conceal his feelings. I should say anybody who could drink pink tie and go on pretending he was having a perfectly pleasant time ought to have the makin' of a good diplomat."

Freshen a Heavy Skin With the antiseptic, fascinating Cuticura Talcum Powder, an exquisitely scented, convenient, economical face, baby and dusting powder and perfume. Renders other perfumes superfluous. One of the Cuticura Toilet Trio (Soap, Ointment, Talcum).—Adv.

"Glad to see you" is one of the little white lies that are working overtime.

Satire is a good-natured joke that is always half "true."

Kill That Cold With HILL'S CASCARA QUININE BROMIDE

FOR Colds, Coughs AND La Grippe

Neglected Colds are Dangerous. Take no chances. Keep this standard remedy handy for the first sneeze. Breaks up a cold in 24 hours—Relieves Grippe in 3 days—Excellent for Headache. Quinine in this form does not affect the head—Cascara is best Tonic Laxative—No Opium in Hill's.

ALL DRUGGISTS SELL IT

WARNING

Unless you see the name "Bayer" on tablets, you are not getting genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for 21 years, and proved safe by millions.—Say "Bayer"!



SAFETY FIRST! Accept only an "unbroken package" of genuine "Bayer Tablets of Aspirin," which contains proper directions for Headache, Earache, Toothache, Neuralgia, Colds, Rheumatism, Neuritis, Lumbago, and pain generally. Strictly American!

Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets cost but a few cents—Larger packages. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacturer of Monocetateester of Salicylic Acid.

Precious Materials.
"The fact that a gown is not large does not prevent it from being expensive."
"I should not be surprised," rejoined Miss Cayenne, "if we planned our method of buying fabrics and used weights instead of measures. Some of the weaves are so precious that they might as well be sold by the karat."

Sympathy's Cheaper.
"It's all right to sympathize with the under dog in a fight," remarked the Observer of Events and Things, "but a fellow would be a fool to bet on him."

Frequent Result.
"What was the outcome of your quarrel with the boss?"
"A stopping of my income."

Will Rheumatism Again Bind You Hand and Foot?

If you had Rheumatism last year and treated only the pains of the disease by rubbing with liniments and lotions, you can be sure that soon again you will be in the shackles of this relentless foe. You may get some slight temporary relief from the pains of the disease by the use of these local remedies, but Rheumatism is too real and relentless a disease to be rubbed away. So many cases of Rheumatism come from a tiny germ in the blood, that you should try a remedy that has proven so thoroughly satisfactory in these cases. S.S.S., the fine old blood remedy cleanses the blood of all impurities, and removes all disease germs that may creep into the blood. Begin taking S.S.S. today, and if you will write a complete history of your case, our medical director will give you expert advice, without charge. Address Chief Medical Adviser, 187 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

Stock Raising in WESTERN CANADA

is as profitable as grain growing. Successes as wonderful as those from growing wheat, oats, barley, and flax have been made in raising Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Pigs. Bright, sunny climate, nutritious grasses, good water, enormous fodder crops—these spell success to the farmer and stock raiser. And remember, you can buy on easy terms.

Farm Land at \$15 to \$30 An Acre

—land equal to that which through many years has yielded from 20 to 45 bushels of wheat to the acre—grazing land convenient to good grain farms at proportionately low prices. These lands have every rural convenience: good schools, churches, roads, telephones, etc., close to live towns and good markets.

If you want to get back to the farm, or to farm on a larger scale than is possible under your present conditions, investigate what Western Canada has to offer you.

For illustrated literature with maps and particulars regarding railroad routes, rates, location of land, etc., apply to Department of Immigration, Ottawa, Canada.

W. V. BENNETT, Room 4, Bee Building, OMAHA, NEB.
Canadian Government Agent.

Indian Pleads for Fish Rights

Aged Chief Recalls Treaty Made With the Governor of Washington in 1855.

CHEERED BY LEGISLATORS

Protests Against Disregard of Pact Which Recognized Right of Indians to Take Salmon in the Yakima River.

Olympia, Wash.—Sixty-six years ago in the spray of Prosser falls, an Indian chief and the then governor of Washington respectively pledged their people to abide by a pact.

This pact recognized the perpetual rights of the Yakima tribe to fish where from time immemorial the red man had taken his salmon.

The Indians had been reluctant, saying to Gov. Isaac I. Stevens, "but when you are dead, who will bear witness to your promises?" And the governor had replied:

"I pledge the Americans to keep the promises as long as the mountains stand, as long as the sun shines and the river runs!"

Calling upon these mute witnesses and summoning the spirits of the dead, Chief Menlock of the Yakimas has just made a speech of protest at the whites' violation of that treaty, in the state senate chamber here, which is the most dramatic in its annals.

Boy When Treaty Was Made. And that speech, which would do credit to the historic orators of his race, with its sharp challenge to the white man's honor, bids fair to correct a wrong the Indians had hitherto borne in silence.

Menlock was a boy when the treaty was made. He had stood attentively beside his father on that occasion. Today he is 80, and wrinkled. Much water has run over Prosser falls since then, and the salmon have dwindled. Also, the whites have enacted fish and game laws which conflict so with the treaty of 1855 that Menlock was

recently arrested for taking salmon from the Yakima river.

A few days ago Chief Menlock and other tribal leaders, together with their wives and children, appeared at the imposing state lodge of the white men at the state capitol here to protest. In their feathered and beaded trappings and scarlet blankets they projected a vivid picture of the past into the busy legislative councils as the chief rose to speak in protest.

Calla Upon Spirits. "My heart is glad today," said Menlock with solemn mien and sonorous tongue, "because you have said you would listen to what we have to say.

Giant X-Ray to Treat Cancer

Important Discovery Is Made by Professor at Harvard University.

HAS ADVANTAGE OVER RADIIUM

Experiments in University Laboratory Make It Possible to Produce X-Rays of More Penetrating Power Than Ever Before.

Cambridge, Mass.—Discoveries made by William Duane, professor of biophysics at Harvard, working in collaboration with research students of physics, have made it possible, according to Harvard physicists, to secure X-rays of more penetrating quality than have ever before been obtained in this country and these new rays are now to be used for the first time in America for the alleviation of cancer.

It makes me feel that you want to do right by my people whose privileges have been taken and who are sick and sad for being deprived of the food which has given them health and strength.

"I call upon the spirits of the dead and upon those witnesses which Governor Stevens himself invoked to testify that I speak the truth—for the white-topped mountain still stands and the river still runs over the falls where the salmon in season come to leap."

When the old chief sat down among his people the assembled legislators broke into a storm of approving cheers, and the senate committee which has the Indians' case under advisement immediately went on record as favoring the claims of Menlock and his folk, as included in a bill already introduced.

"White men," said the chief as he marched away, "are not so much dishonest as they are sometimes short in memory."

While it is emphatically stated by Professor Duane that neither X-rays nor radium should be considered a permanent cure for all kinds of cancer, it has long been known that radium has a marked alleviative effect upon this disease.

The Harvard cancer commission is erecting a new building adjoining the Collis P. Huntington hospital in Boston, where an X-ray plant will be installed, as well as the commission's radium plant.

What Discovery Means. The significance of the discovery was explained in the following statement at Harvard:

"The advantage of X-rays over radium is that the latter is scarce and immensely expensive, costing at present more than \$100,000 a gram, and can, therefore, only be used in small quantities. If X-rays were used it would be possible to make the rays enormously more powerful than has been possible with the limited amount of radium available.

"The trouble with the use of X-rays up to this time has been that they are not as penetrating as the so-called Gamma rays of radium and the problem of the Harvard physicists has been to secure this needed quality.

"It was known that to secure penetration it was necessary to secure a high frequency of vibration. The Harvard physicists, after many experiments, found that a physical law known as the 'quantum law' applied to the X-ray spectrum, and discovered that they could increase the frequency of the rays and thus their penetration, by increasing the voltage of current used in the X-ray tube.

Gets Enough Voltage. "Professor Duane reports that the tube goes to pieces under a voltage of more than 150,000 volts, but that a sufficiently high voltage has been obtained to make the X-rays very nearly as effective for certain medical purposes as the Gamma rays of radium.

"Long continued exposure to X-rays is so dangerous to the operator that the greatest pains have to be taken to protect him from them. In the Jefferson physical laboratory at Harvard, where Professor Duane makes his experiments, the X-ray plant is kept in a room by itself and the rays are sent out through a minute slit in the wall. The brick wall at this point is reinforced with lead and a lead screen is placed across the door. Many experimenters in various places have been killed or seriously injured by constant use of X-rays."

Sisters Reunited After Sixty Years



Mrs. Jane Pass (right), aged eighty-two, and her sister, Mrs. Missouri Van Dyke McCrary, aged eighty, who have just been reunited in Atlanta, Ga., after a separation of 60 years. They formerly lived on a plantation near Rome, Ga. Mrs. McCrary lives with her son in Atlanta, and Mrs. Pass, who has been living on a farm near Buckhead, Ga., had just learned where her sister was and went to see her.

WOULD GET RID OF "JUNK" WISHED THE LADY HAD ACTED

Writer Protests Against Custom, All Too Common, of Keeping Useless Old Household Goods.

Articles which owe their value to their utility may become unserviceable, but the owners, instead of getting rid of them, find some niche in the home in which to store them, or, worse still, keep the old goods in a place of honor with modern furnishings and make their homes ugly as well as comfortable.

Where families have lived in one house for years, miscellaneous articles of useless furniture will be found lumbering up the place. If the more sensible and practical members of the family ask for their disposal, and comment on their uselessness they get a lecture entitled sentimental value.

The amazing part of the sentimental value plea is the little regard these misers of rubbish place on the tastes and desires of other members of the family. The worshippers of household goods are likely to become exacting, and unhappily these failings increase as they grow older.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Just Like Home. The woman district attorney was on her first case. For half a minute she thundered oratory, piling question after question upon the quaking defendant, without giving him a chance for a reply. Then after her fifteenth: "Now, didn't you?" she paused for breath. In the ensuing silence those in the courtroom heard the judge murmur dreamily:

"Yes, my dear, you're perfectly right, perfectly right."—American Legion Weekly.

Probably Youngster's Comment Found Echo in the Minds of Others in the Audience.

A politician was making a speech at one of the town's school houses. Naturally, he was telling of all the accomplishments of his administration.

And always after he had told one he turned toward his wife, who was in the audience, and said: "My wife will bear me out in what I have just told."

Over and over he repeated his rather long-drawn-out boasts, despite his yawning audience, always bringing the lady in at the finish.

But at last he stopped. Then an irrepressible high-school youngster turned to his companion and said in a tone loud enough to be heard by those in his vicinity: "I'm so tired that I wish his wife had borne him out the first time he suggested it."

Willing to Make Sacrifice. "Well, daughter, Robert has asked your hand in marriage."

"But, papa, I don't want to leave mother."

"Oh, don't worry about that. Take her along with you."—Boston Transcript.

Their High Ideals. Don't jeer at the imaginings of young people. When they dream of what they would like to be and do, they have a vision of what they may be and do.

Pluck usually wins. A man's success often depends upon his ability to pluck others.

Labor of 200,000 Men Support Rat Population

Washington.—It keeps 200,000 men working full time to support the nation's rat population. That assertion is made by the biological survey bureau in figures issued showing that there are as many "common brown rats" as humans in the United States, and each of the 100,000,000 or more destroy \$2 worth of foodstuffs a year.

They also maintain an efficient transportation system for "black death" and other plague germs, the bureau adds in urging a starve and slay campaign to check "a real hazard against American lives and property."

An official count showed 204,434 foreigners resident in Paris at the beginning of this year, including 23,630 Americans.

SPRING WEIRD IDEAS

"Inventors" Relieve Monotony for British Commission.

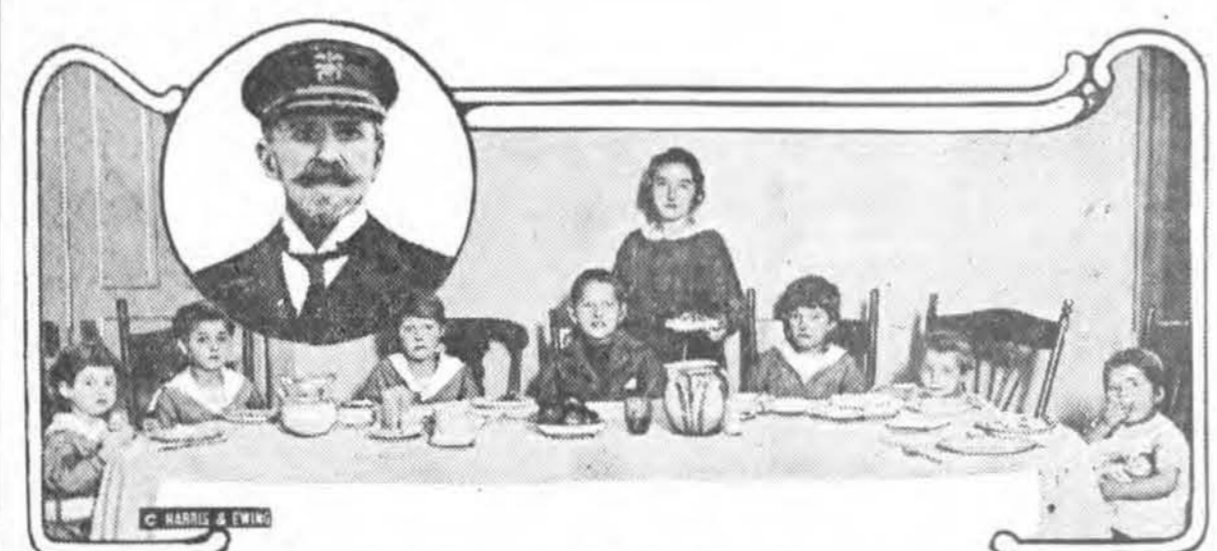
One Would Freeze the Clouds So Guns Could Be Mounted on Them to Repel Air Attacks.

London.—The report recently issued by the royal commission on awards to inventors calls to mind both the new powerful engines of destruction the war brought into being, and also the many weird and impracticable ideas advanced by "inventors" who had evolved curious plans for winning the war. A one-time member of the war inventions department of the ministry of munitions told of one man who sent in an invention which he said could freeze clouds so that guns could be mounted on them for firing at aircraft and bombing enemy lines. He was kindly but firmly led to the

door, but before he left managed to explain a scheme he had for suspending heavy guns from captive balloons. One inventor wished to project heat waves against airplanes and so destroy them. Part of his plan was to set up electric fields that would paralyze the magnetism of enemy airplanes when they attempted an attack. None of these enthusiasts seemed to realize the limitations of their suggestions. A man planned to attach searchlights to anti-aircraft guns, and so fire along the beam of light. He neglected the fact that the path of a shell and the path of a ray of light are somewhat different.

Among other weird inventions was one for throwing live wire cables against the enemy, using rockets to get the cables across No Man's Land. It was suggested that a tunnel be built all the way into Germany, and also that trained cormorants be sent to pick the mortar out of the chimneys of the Krupp factories at Essen.

Admiral McCully and His Russian Protoges



These are the Russian children adopted by Rear Admiral Newton McCully, U. S. N., eating their first breakfast in Washington. Admiral McCully, who is a bachelor, is also shown in the picture.

DARLING BABY BRIGHTENS HOME

Children's Laughter a Pleasing Sound



Altoona, Pa.—"I am writing to tell you what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. We had six children die almost at birth. From one hour to nineteen days is all they have lived. Before my next one was born I took a dozen bottles of your Vegetable Compound, and I can say that it is the greatest medicine on earth, for this baby is now four months old, and a healthier baby you would not want. I am sending you a picture of her. Everybody says 'That is a very healthy looking baby.' You have my consent to show these few lines to anybody."—Mrs. C. W. BENZ, 131 3rd Avenue, Altoona, Pa.

Mrs. Janssen's experience of interest to childless wives. Milton, Wis.—"I want to give you a word of praise for your wonderful medicine. We are fond of children, and for a considerable time after we were married I feared I would not have any. I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it strengthened me so I now have a nice, strong, healthy baby girl. I suffered very little at childbirth, and I give all the credit to your medicine, and shall always recommend it highly."—Mrs. H. H. JANSSEN, Milton, Wis.

Mrs. Held of Marinette, Wis., adds her testimonial for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. She says: Marinette, Wis.—"I was in a nervous condition and very irregular. My doctor advised an operation. My husband brought me one of your booklets and asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It overcame my weakness so that I now have a healthy baby girl after having been married nine years. I am glad to recommend your medicine, and you may use my letter as a testimonial."—Mrs. H. B. HELD, 330 Jefferson St., Marinette, Wis.

There are many, many such homes that were once childless, and are now blessed with healthy, happy children because Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has restored the mother to a strong and healthy condition, as it acts as a natural restorative for ailments as indicated by backache, irregularities, displacements, weakness and nervousness.

Women everywhere should remember that most of the commoner ailments of women are not the surgical ones—they are not caused by serious displacements or growths, although the symptoms may be the same, and that is why so many apparently serious ailments readily yield to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as it acts as a natural restorative. It can be taken with perfect safety and often prevents serious troubles.

Therefore if you know of any woman who is suffering and has been unable to secure relief and is regretfully looking forward to a childless old age, ask her to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as it has brought health and happiness into so many homes once darkened by illness and despair.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Private Text-Book upon "Ailments Peculiar to Women" will be sent to you free upon request. Write to The Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Massachusetts. This book contains valuable information.

What to Do for CONSTIPATION

Take a good dose of Carter's Little Liver Pills—then take 2 or 3 for a few nights after. They cleanse your system of all waste matter and regulate your bowels. Mild—as easy to take as sugar. Genuine bear signature—Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

Souvenir of the Occasion. A woman was discussing a house party she had given. "You know," she said, "Mrs. H. came, but she was a great nuisance. She has such a passion for souvenirs. She's mad on collecting."

"My dear," said her friend, "no need to tell me that; she stayed with me once."

"I suppose you missed your china, or something when she left."

"No, I missed my husband."

RUB OUT SORENESS, SPRAINS, BACKACHE WITH OLD ST. JACOBS OIL

Back hurt you? Can't straighten up without feeling sudden pains, sharp aches and twinges? Now, listen! That's lumbago, sciatica, or maybe from a strain, and you'll get blessed relief the moment you rub your back with soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil!" Nothing else takes out soreness, lameness and stiffness so quickly. You simply rub it on and out comes the pain. It is perfectly harmless and doesn't burn or discolor the skin.

Lumber up! Don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle from any drug store, and after using it just once you'll forget that you ever had backache, lumbago or sciatica, because your back will never hurt or cause any more misery. It never disappoints and has been recommended for 60 years. Stop dragging kidneys! They don't cause backache, because they have no nerves, therefore can not cause pain.—Adv.

What They Were Seeking. My husband and I went to call on a friend who we heard was ill. We got no response when we went to the front door, so decided to try the kitchen door. No response there. I suggested that we go in, as she was probably alone and could not get up. So we stepped inside the kitchen and I called "hello." From behind the door came a weak "hello," and our friend stepped out from her hiding place. That was the last time we entered unbidden while calling.—Chicago Tribune.

Each package of "Diamond Dyes" contains easy directions for dyeing any article of wool, silk, cotton, linen, or mixed goods. Beware! Poor dye streaks, spots, fades, and ruins material by giving it a "dye-look." Buy "Diamond Dyes" only. Druggist has Color Card.—Adv.

The Perpetual Smile. "Do you disapprove of pink tea diplomacy?"

"I don't know anything much about diplomacy," replied Uncle Bill Bottletop, "except that it depends on a man's suavity and his ability to conceal his feelings. I should say anybody who could drink pink tea and go on pretending he was having a perfectly pleasant time ought to have the makin' of a good diplomat."

Freshen a Heavy Skin. With the antiseptic, fascinating Cuticura Talcum Powder, an exquisitely scented convenient, economical face, skin, baby and dusting powder and perfume. Renders other perfumes superfluous. One of the Cuticura Toilet Trio (Soap, Ointment, Talcum).—Adv.

"Glad to see you" is one of the little white lies that are working overtime.

Sarcasm is a good-natured joke that is always half "ire."

Kill That Cold With HILL'S CASCARA QUININE

FOR Colds, Coughs AND La Grippe

Neglected Colds are Dangerous. Take no chances. Keep this standard remedy handy for the first sneeze. Breaks up a cold in 24 hours—Relieves Grippe in 3 days—Excellent for Headache. Quinine in this form does not affect the head—Cascara is best Tonic Laxative—No Opiate in Hill's.

ALL DRUGGISTS SELL IT

Youngsters grow husky on Grape-Nuts

The great body-building values which Nature stores in wheat and barley, are retained in this easily digestible food.

The unique, sweet flavor of Grape-Nuts makes it a big favorite with both children and adults.

"There's a Reason"

SOLD BY GROCERS EVERYWHERE



FREE \$100.00 FREE

See Our Windows

Don't Miss Our Great
INAUGURATION

SALE

BEGINNING TOMORROW

All our Stock of the Latest Ready-to-Wear, Millinery, Silks,
Dry Goods, Shoes and Underwear At Less Than Cost

THE BROADWAY
STORE

Worst Drouth in
40 Years;
Sheep Man's Claim

PHOENIX, Mar. 17—"In the forty years that I have been in Arizona, I have never seen such a drouth over the winter sheep grazing lands as confronts the sheep men of the state today."

This statement was made by Hugh E. Campbell, president of the Arizona Wool Growers' association, before the corporation commission this morning. The statement was given as part of the testimony offered by the sheep men of the state to the commission in support of their application for a temporary reduction of freight rates for sheep. The application is made, according to the sheep men, in order to meet an emergency that threatens to wipe out the sheep industry of Arizona.

Following urgent requests by wire and telephone from sheep men, the corporation commission ordered an immediate informal hearing at which representatives of both the railroads and sheep men were present this morning. The sheep men are requesting a substantial reduction on the freight rates for shipping sheep from the winter pastures in the south to the summer ranges in the north. Ordinarily the sheep are not moved north until later in the year and then they are moved on foot over the trails.

"This year," continued Sen. Campbell, "we are the victims of a number of depressing factors that threaten the sheep industry seriously. In the first place the market for wool and sheep is way down and we can see no prospects for encouragement for months to come. Added to this is the fact that our winter pastures have been frightfully poor. The drouth has been almost unbelievable. The most fortunate of the men have been in a position to feed their sheep on alfalfa here in the valley. But the big majority of the men who are 'on the outside' that is, feeding outside, are really up against it."

"There is hardly feed enough left to feed these sheep for another 30 days. The federal government very probably is going to let us move our sheep into the forest preserves earlier than usual. But the trails over which the sheep are usually moved are now barren. There is no feed."

"The sheep men, if they are going to save anything from this impending disaster, will have to move their sheep over the railroads. We urge this commission to grant us a temporary cut of 50 per cent for a period of 60 days in shipments of sheep. There will be at least 125,000 sheep to be moved."

The railroad representative present disclaimed any intention to fight this request without an investigation. The sheep men also declared they had no fight against the railroads. Attorney George Purdy Bullard, for the Arizona Eastern, suggested that perhaps the railroads would grant the reduction if the sheep men would permit, at a later date, a corresponding increase above the existing rates so that the railroads could "get their money back." The railroad representative himself joined the chorus of laughter that greeted the response of Sen. Campbell when he said, "Oh, Mr. Bullard doesn't mean to push that suggestion through. He just said that for fun."

Other sheep men testified in support of Mr. Campbell's remarks. At the conclusion of the hearing, representatives of the Santa Fe agreed to take the sheep men's request up with their San Francisco office and report back to the commission on the rate that would be suggested by that office. The commission set Monday of next week as the latest date on which the railroad men could report back on the rate conference.

Need Glasses? See Dr. Scheel of Tucson at the Commercial Hotel on his regular visit on Sunday of this week (20th). Until 4 p. m. only. Special attention to children's eyes. 1tc18

The Auction Club will meet at the home of Mrs. W. A. Gatlin Saturday evening with Mrs. C. A. Pierce as hostess. Miss O'Daly was hostess at the last meeting.

Ollie Parker for a long time section foreman at Sonoita, has been transferred to Aden, New Mexico, where he will hold down a similar position. He left the first of the week for his new home. It can be said to his credit that he left the road bed between here and Sonoita in first class condition. The Patagonian will follow Mr. Parker to his new home.

Henry Wood, the man who is building the new county road from Elgin to Rain Valley, was here for a short time Saturday.

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

The St. Patrick dance enjoyed at the Gardner opera house last night was, so far as can be ascertained, a brilliant success. It had been well advertised and a big crowd was present. The music was fine and a nice lunch was served at midnight, at which most of the dancers participated. As a most pleasant social event, it will be long remembered.

C. F. Young of San Rafael Valley was here on business Wednesday.

On Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Patterson entertained a number of their friends at a dinner and marshmallow roast. Games and dancing were the chief amusements and every one present reported a good time.

FOR SALE—Nine horse-power Fairbanks-Morse hoist. See Pete Etchells. 4tp225

A Princess
of Mars

by
Edgar Rice Burroughs

Illustrations
by
IRWIN MYERS



A STORY of another world, curiously captivating in its romantic qualities and in the originality of its conception. The spirit of adventure carried beyond earth, into the realms of space.

No one but the author of the "Tarzan" tales has an imagination sufficiently bold to create such a narrative and make it charming. It is weird, bewildering, fascinating. So unusual are the characters and episodes that the reader falls under their spell and finds himself viewing as it were, a pageant of happenings in another sphere.

The Most Exciting Story You Ever Read—Soon to Appear as a Serial in These Columns

R. J. Patterson spent Thursday moving his household goods from the big house just across the Sonoita, where he has resided the past two years. The new residence of Mr. Patterson is No. 24 Nogales avenue, known as the Welland place.

Paul McIntyre and wife returned a few days since from a visit with Parker Canon friends and relatives. They are now living in the house just east of the Gardner opera house.

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

Rains are now falling in different parts of this county, Nogales and vicinity receiving a heavy rain Wednesday afternoon. Showers are also falling in other parts of the county, and indications for general rains in the Patagonia district are good at this writing.

Geo. B. Marsh, Inc.
Undertakers and Embalmers
Day and Night Phone 210
115 Grand Ave. Lady Attendant

Nogales-Patagonia
Short Line

"THE CONVENIENT, COMFORTABLE WAY"

Leave Nogales	9 a. m.	Arrive Patagonia	10:30 a. m.
Leave Patagonia	11 a. m.	Arrive Nogales	12:30 p. m.
Leave Nogales	5 p. m.	Arrive Patagonia	6:30 p. m.
Leave Patagonia	7 p. m.	Arrive Nogales	8:30 p. m.

Auto Stage leaves on Schedule Time at Montezuma Hotel, Nogales, and from The Patagonia Drug Co., Patagonia.

Dependable
Hardware

At Prices in Line With
Recent Declines

PIONEER HARDWARE HOUSE

J. W. EDWARDS, Prop. (Established by Theo. Gebler in 1884)