



CONTENTMENT REIGNS AMONG ROADWORKERS

TOMBSTONE, Ariz., June 2.—Since County Engineer Sid Smyth cleaned up the old Borderland route from Fairbank to the Santa Cruz line, I want to say that in all my years of travel over it I never found it as clear of ruts and rocks as it was yesterday when I visited the state road camp for the purpose of closely inspecting the work the state is doing for Santa Cruz county on the Tombstone-Nogales state highway from Sonoma to the Cochise-Santa Cruz line.

Congratulates Supervisors The state took this job for Santa Cruz county on the "cost plus 10 percent" basis, and unless I have missed my guess, (and I asked no questions as to costs), I would say that Santa Cruz county is going to get a section of road that is as good as any found anywhere in the state, and at a found. For that reason I am taking the opportunity to congratulate the taxpayers of Santa Cruz county, the board of supervisors and the highway commission of that county in the fortunate situation I found prevailing along the work yesterday.

Men Interested I found two camps, and so far as I could learn, made up of men who were interested in their work and pretty well satisfied with conditions. I found the men at the main camp at the dinner table and they were in a very happy mood, since they were enjoying a good meal, the same as served on week days, and I have always observed that if the digestive organs of working men are kept properly engaged with good substantial food, the rest will come along if their heads are properly shaped—and as their heads looked correctly, I formed I took it there were no "Bolsheviks" on the job.

Work Is Ideal This particular section is located admirably and runs through a country where machine construction and mule scraper work is ideal. For the most part the soil is perfect surfacing material, and long hauls for that purpose are absent. There is but little bridge culvert and dip work and the location of the road is so that it strikes the old Borderland near Dr. Cheney, the rock bungalow on the way to the Empire Ranch, which location was chosen by the engineer so as to place the road "high and dry," and where the construction work would be kept down to the minimum. The county has built a lateral from Elgin to connect with this new line, which route is also continued from Elgin to Canille over a new county highway. Project Engineer Al Jenkins is in charge of this work, assisted by Mr. Little, and it is the same outfit that built the Benson-Vail route.

Roads Need Rain This section of road is all under construction, and one notices the minute he enters Santa Cruz county the grade and line stakes, and the first furrow where a big plow ran one of the side lines; a little further on the partially completed grade, a culvert here and there, then the first camp, and turning off to the left near the Cheney home until you reach Sonoma you find long stretches of completed grade, with the main camp at two miles from this side of Sonoma. If the rains ever come we will all wake up some fine morning with several miles of excellent highway ready for service on the Nogales-Tombstone state highway, an important piece of road that will grow in importance as its completion materializes, for it is the military loop of the Bankhead Highway and the mission route of the Old Spanish Trails. This section of road is being built as mentioned above by the Santa Cruz Highway commission, assisted by federal aid, and is a standard dirt road in every particular.

Gasoline Is High The price of gasoline at the little store at Sonoma yesterday was 39 cents a gallon and Zerolene was 25 cents a quart. The wind was blowing but the day was worth the trip. It is always worth the trip for a taxpayer for the people getting something for their money. In closing it might not come amiss to say that this piece of road is the hobby of Division Engineer Ike Frazer and like grape nuts "there's a reason" as he lives in Santa Cruz and when he comes to Cochise he is always in a hurry to get back to Nogales, Sonora, hence the particular pains in building a highway suited to the purpose.

About a dozen motor picnic parties from Nogales and Tucson took possession of the grove near Patagonia on Memorial Day, May 30th, and enjoyed a pleasant day's outing in the shade and wading in the mountain streams.

CHARLES C. FITZMORRIS



Charles C. Fitzmorris, general superintendent of the Chicago police department, whose reorganization of the force has attracted the attention of police commissioners in other cities. He is a former newspaper man.

PEACEFUL CANON IS TERRORIZED

Unconfirmed reports reaching Patagonia during the past week were to the effect that several rowdies have been terrorizing the Parker Canyon neighborhood for several weeks and on two occasions made a seive out of the school house while dances were in progress.

It is also reported that young school girls have been assaulted while on their way to school, which has caused a decrease in attendance and may result in the abandonment of the school at that place.

One rancher lost a fine new saddle and blanket which is known to have been stolen. Sheriff White is reported to be searching for the ones who have caused the reign of terror and it is said he is aware of their identity.

Parker Canyon is a peaceful little community situated in the heart of the agricultural and cattle region of the county.

MINING MEN PASS THROUGH PATAGONIA TO EXAMINE BIG WHEATSTONE MINING SECTION

A party of San Francisco and Portland mining engineers, consisting of Messrs. Joseph Lawson, Hamilton Ridgeway, C. Frederic Lawson and Earl Townsend, passed through Patagonia on Monday enroute to the Wheatstone mountains, where they will make an examination of several mining properties in that district.

The mining engineers were accompanied by Franklin B. Harding, chief consulting engineer for the Chicago Exploration & Development Corporation, and have just completed an exhaustive examination of the Los Nuevos Minas in the Altar district of Sonora for New York capitalists.

Engineer Ridgeway stated that the party expected to be busy with examinations in the Wheatstones for at least six weeks, and that the work was being undertaken in behalf of a group of Portland capitalists, who were about to become interested in that district.

While the gentlemen refused to divulge the names of the properties in question, they declared that in the event that the examinations disclosed or half way came within the radius of the excellent reports so far secured and submitted by other engineers on the property, work would be started on a large scale toward developing the prospects into producers.

ATTENTION READERS

If you have ANYTHING you want to SELL, BUY or EXCHANGE tell it to your neighbors by putting a small advertisement in the Santa Cruz Patagonian, they may have just what you are looking for. We will print your ad at the rate of 1 cent per word, no advertisement taken for less than 25 cents, and you can say it in 25 words. Try it out and watch results.

COPPER CRISIS PASSED; BOOM LOOMS BRIGHT

That the crisis in the copper situation as it affects Arizona in general and the Patagonian mining district in particular, has passed, and that the question now confronting the mining companies is the rapidly with which economic conditions in the country will return to normal, was the statement made by P. G. Beckett, general manager of the Phelps-Dodge Corporation. During his visit to Tucson the early part of this week, Mr. Beckett gave out the following interview to the newspapermen of the old pueblo, which will prove most interesting news to the mining men of this district:

Doing Development Work "Conditions are naturally quiet now at many of the mining camps," said Mr. Beckett. "Our branches at Tucson, N. M., and at Morenci, Arizona, are completely shut down, and at Bisbee, the Copper Queen branch, we are doing considerable development work in the mines. We are also doing striping work on Sacramento Hill and are completing construction on a 4000-ton concentration plant, which should be finished by fall, at the property of the Montezuma Copper company at Nacozari, Mexico.

"We are also completing construction on a new concentrator and giving employment to several hundred men at the mines by doing certain development work.

"While it is difficult to appear in the role of prophet, at this time, I believe it safe to say that as conditions in this country and in Europe get better readjusted a gradual improvement will develop in the copper industry in this country. And while it is im-

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SECURE FINANCES TO OPERATE BIG PATAGONIA MINE

James M. Layman, who has a bond on the Abe Lincoln mine from Col. R. R. Richardson, has succeeded in obtaining financing for the property. All debts have been paid off and everything is being put into shape to work the mine on a large scale. The Abe Lincoln property was formerly known as the Blue Nose.

WORK ON HERMOSA MINE

Col. R. R. Richardson at the present time has five men employed working the lower tunnel on the Hermosa mine in order to make connections with the deep mine. The tunnel has now been run to a depth of 1150 feet.

DRIVING ANDES TUNNEL

The big tunnel on the Andes mine in the Red Mountain is now 1250 feet in length, and up to date has uncovered but little ore, which is of a high grade copper and shows that the vein dips downward from the present workings, which is now at a depth of 650 feet. Many carloads of rich ore were shipped from the upper workings of this mine, and are assaying 12 percent copper and about 5 ounces in silver has been extracted from the 100 foot level of the shaft. It is thought that 100 feet more of development work in the tunnel will uncover the main ledge on the property.

FORFEIT FLUX MINE

Work has been started by Col. R. R. Richardson on the Terminal and Grove claims, which form a part of the Flux group. It is understood that the Flux Mining company, composed of Bishop, promoters, has forfeited all its rights to the property, and Col. Richardson,

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HAYDEN HELPS EVICTED BACA FLOAT VICTIMS

WASHINGTON, June 2.—Hon. Carl Hayden has secured a favorable report from the Committee on Public Lands on his bill for the relief of the settlers on the Baca Float land grant near Nogales, Arizona, who lost their homes as the result of a decision of the United States Supreme Court in 1914. The bill as reported authorizes each qualified settler to select (anywhere on the public domain in Arizona) twice the area of the land that he lost instead of an equal area as originally proposed by the Interior Department. As stated in Congressman Hayden's report the principal historical facts in connection with this long and stubbornly contested land case are as follows:

In March 1835, a tract of land was granted by the then Mexican Government to the town of Las Vegas, N. Mex. The heirs of Luis Maria Cabeza de Baca protested at the time that this grant was in conflict with a prior grant made to Baca. The treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo, between the United States and Mexico, proclaimed July 4, 1848, preserved the legal value of all grants of land previously made by Mexico in the ceded territories. Section 4 of an act to confirm certain private land claims in New Mexico, approved June 21, 1860 authorized the Baca heirs to select five tracts of land in the then Territory of New Mexico in lieu of the conflicting grant made to the town of Las Vegas.

The total area of the land granted to the town of Las Vegas was ascertained to be 496, 41 acres and the Baca heirs selected five tracts of land of approximately 100,000 acres each, two in

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FRED BEAUVAIS



Fred Beauvais, Canadian trapper and part Indian, named as corespondent in the suit by James A. Stillman for divorce from "FIR" Potter Stillman.

ANCIENT PROJECT WILL BE REVIVED

(By "Joe Bush")

NOGALES, June 2.—An important meeting of the stockholders of the North American Climatic Improvement & Gulf Stream Diversion Association, Patagonia, was held here last week, at which it was decided to get in touch with all stockholders and decide on a definite campaign with a view to beginning work as early as possible this summer. This organization's plans were published in Tombstone and Benson papers a few years ago and at that time was fully organized with a capitalization of two and a half million dollars. The most prominent citizens and officials of Cochise county were at the head of it and it appeared that the project would be rushed to completion.

Later their plans were stolen and copyrighted by a correspondent of a New York daily paper, this necessarily caused a delay of several years, during the interval several of the most prominent officials have passed away. At this meeting were three of the original members, they being E. P. A. Larrison, H. Muller and Bill Schardin.

While we are not at liberty to divulge the association's plans as yet we can say that when their project is put into successful operation no such thing as severe cold weather, nor excessive heat will be felt on any part of the globe to which their operations will be confined. The winds such as cyclones and hurricanes will be harness ed and put to good use, instead of being allowed to roam at large, leaving destruction and suffering in their paths.

Complete control of the earth's motion on its axis is another of their claims, by which they can make its revolutions suit modern conditions. According to their plans, trips to heaven would be as popular as visits to Sonora's wet shores, as planets will be mailed on all tinboxes.

The offices of this concern will be permanently located here, as it is claimed that since prohibition is an actual fact in the States, it has an ill effect on the production of ideas of the association's talented executive staff. "Of course," Mr. Schardin says, "our affairs being world wide other offices will be maintained along this border, and that of Canada, too, as well as a string of summer resorts at the North Pole."

Five, page Bill Hattich of Los Angeles.

PATAGONIANS DESERT HOME TOWN TO ATTEND BIG MEMORIAL DOINGS

The whole town of Patagonia presented a most deserted appearance on Monday (Memorial Day) when auto parties after auto parties left the auto park to attend the Memorial Day doings scheduled at the county seat. The affair was a most impressive one and greatly delighted the Patagonia visitors who journeyed hence to participate in the annual observance of the nation's heroic deed.

While it is true that many strayed across the international line in order to make their visit to Nogales more complete in every sense of the word, one all report that the residents of the Rio City treated them royally and never once overlooked a chance to make them feel that their appreciation was appreciated.

Words of commendation were heard from all sides, while much praise was heaped upon the members of the committee who had the Nogales program in hand.

A W. Moore of Yuma and George Long of Mesa spent Monday here on commercial business.

W. S. Lyon and G. P. Meadows were in town this week from Phoenix on business.

COUNTY SEAT LETTER FROM "JOE BUSH"

Honoring Vail, of the Empire Ranch, was among those visiting the city last week, while here Banning had occasion to visit his college chum C. V. Fowler. Now Charley is the proud possessor of a collie and a bull dog. The bull dog is kept principally for his ability to wind up all fights that his collie starts. However, Wednesday evening was their off night and both dogs sailed in on Banning and marred what otherwise would have been the end of a perfect day. Banning's wounds were promptly remedied by a local haberdasher. "Me for the jungles," quoth Banning as he departed.

Harry Grace, who makes his headquarters in Tucson, and deals in Sonora and Sinaloa lands, was a city visitor this week. Harry reports land movements slow owing to the tightness of money, but says he is hopeful of an early change.

Frank Dalton of Rain Valley section is doing duty as a juror at this present term of court. Mr. Dalton is the father of Miss Ruth Dalton, who is one of Nogales popular belles.

G. Hamiter, the efficient and live stocker who represents Morris & Co.'s products, was circulating among his many customers here this week. Ham says "no kick coming in his line."

Jim Parker and wife were city visitors during the week, looking over the offerings of local establishments.

That Nogales prices are about as near right as is consistent with present conditions is attested by the fact that numerous outside people are coming here to do their shopping.

The local lodge Knights of Pythias held their regular meeting Wednesday night, and nominated officers. The K. of P. Order in this town is a live one, and is growing fast, their membership being close to sixty.

Chas. Chapman the Santa Cruz cattleman was a business visitor this week.

Herbert Woods returned from Guaymas, Wednesday where he was in the Sonora Railway service the past two months. He has again resumed his position on the line as inspector.

Jim Hathaway, was a visitor during the week from his Santa Cruz River ranch. Jim reports a shortage of water out his way.

Misses Bohlinger, Valenzuela, Coughlin and Goffe took in the Elks Memorial services during the week.

Mark Waulens the celebrated Hermosillo assayer was a guest of his family the past week.

R. B. Orr who represents the local Spudokater agency at Hermosillo is spending a few days in the city. Ray reports business conditions as slow in the southern city at present.

Robert V. Pesqueira, confidential agent of the Mexican government, passed through the city Tuesday on his way to Hermosillo accompanied by his wife.

J. S. McNeish and Jess Toland of Bisbee were visiting the city Friday on mining business. They returned home Saturday.

Harry Woodruff the Graphite King, returned from his mines at Poza Wednesday on his way to his home in Saginaw, Mich.

Cy Broom the veteran horse and cat-tle trader is stopping at the Evans.

H. J. Sixty, who has been sick in bed at the Montezuma the past two weeks, went south this A. M. to inspect progress on his gold property 30 miles from Proguera station where he has a mill in course of construction. The property is in charge of Dr. Ferguson.

Mayor Villaseor of Nogales is making preparations for a monster celebration across the line in honor of July 4th. A three day fiesta will be had.

Marshall McDonald who was recently seriously wounded by a smuggler is circulating among his many friends here.

The Patagonian correspondent is informed that it is reported that a damage suit seeking to recover \$25,000

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PERTINENT PATAGONIA PARAGRAPHS

STATE SCHOOL MONIES

According to a tabulated statement received at the office of the Patagonia, Santa Cruz county's share of state school monies about to be allotted by the State Treasurer to the various counties in Arizona, amounts to \$18, 717.20. Santa Cruz county's share greatly exceeds that which has been allotted to either Apache, Cochise or Mohave counties.

INTERPRETER PASSES THROUGH

John Igo, an old timer of Cochise county, and well known in this section of the state, passed through Patagonia on Tuesday evening enroute to Tombstone from Nogales, where he has been on a business mission for several days. John is the official Spanish interpreter of the First Division of the Superior Court of Cochise county.

MAY MOVE CATTLE HERDS

It is reported that a number of Santa Cruz and Pima county cattle men are borrowing money from various loan companies to assist them in moving their cattle from the ranges to pastures in California, Kansas and Texas in order to avoid any further losses due to the present prevailing drought.

ROAD WORK MOVING FAST

The Patagonian is informed that the state highway from Sonoma to the Cochise-Santa Cruz county line, now being built by the state highway commission, is moving along with great strides, and that during the past week excellent progress has been made.

BIG WILD GAME CROP

Whether or not it is due to the exceedingly dry weather, the fact is very noticeable that there is a large crop of cottontails around Patagonia, as well as quail, the latter being reported plentiful. The \$1.25 license to go hunting, and the high price of shells may possibly have helped to bring about this condition.

TO "SEE ARIZONA FIRST"

It is rumored in Patagonia that her citizens are taking very kindly to the tip of "Seeing Arizona First", and while it will be far more interesting in the end, it will be much more interesting that watching the "heart skins" parade upon and down the benches of children, when they can see real bear in almost any of Arizona's mountains.

Val Valenzuela, Jr., manager of the Patagonian Commercial company, spent last Friday night in Nogales, having been called to the county seat on a business mission.

Bert Lagun, the well known here in town of Mowry, spent several hours last Wednesday, having been called here on business matters.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE MEETING

A special meeting of the Board of Directors and members of the Patagonia Chamber of Commerce is called for Wednesday evening, June 7, at 7:30 in the First State Bank building. Several important subjects affecting the welfare of the organization, in addition to the election of a secretary, are among the matters of business to be disposed of.

(Signed) C. A. PIERCE, President.

John A. McDonald spent Monday in Nogales and during his stay in the county seat was a guest at the Montezuma Hotel.

Col. R. R. Richardson, the founder of the Patagonia townsite and well known mining man, was called to Tucson on Thursday of the week on legal matters before the United States court.

D. B. PIERCE, the local banker, accompanied by his wife motored to Nogales on Sunday and spent the day visiting with friends.

J. W. Miller, of the Patagonia Lumber company, and by his family, accompanied by Mrs. W. A. Gartin spent Memorial day at Monkey Springs, where they enjoyed a most pleasant day's outing.

C. L. Sutherland, general manager of the big Sonoma land grant, received 75 head of cattle from the San Rafael valley last Saturday and branded the herd on Monday.

T. R. Grace, the genial and popular representative of the mercantile house of Jones & Dick Company of El Paso, motored down from Douglas Tuesday and spent the day banking after the wants of the Patagonia merchants.

Mrs. Nellie Hasselstrom spent several days in Patagonia this week from Enoson. She is enroute to Round Mountain, Nevada, where she will spend some time in a visit with friends and relatives.

John Gross of Nogales was in town on Saturday last week on his way to the Harshaw mining district, where he has a number of mining interests.

Supervisor Oscar P. Ashlatah passed through here Wednesday morning from his ranch on his way to Nogales, where he went to attend a meeting of the county board of supervisors.

LOSS OF CATTLE HEAVY

From Robert N. Kenton, the well known cattlemen and rancher of the San Rafael valley, we get the information that heavy and serious losses of cattle in the southeastern section of Santa Cruz county, and adjacent localities, are reported by cattlemen due to the dry conditions of the ranges and the lack of water.

SPECIAL AGENT HERE

S. J. Kellner, special agent for the Phoenix Assurance Company, Limited, of London, was a business visitor in Patagonia last Saturday from his headquarters in Los Angeles. During his stay here Mr. Kellner was in conference with Cashier Pierce of the Patagonia State Bank, which institution acts in the capacity of agent for the Phoenix Assurance company.

BRADSTREET'S MAN HERE

E. H. Bailey, field man for the Bradstreet Commercial Rating Bureau, was in town last Friday from his main office at Phoenix. During his stay he was busy engaged in making up new commercial rating statements and getting a line on business conditions generally throughout this section of Arizona.

SEVERAL ATTENDED DANCE

Several of Patagonia's young people journeyed to Benson on Saturday night to take part in the monthly dance and midnight supper which was given by the Knights of Pythias lodge of the Hub City. The Tenth Cavalry orchestra furnished the music for the occasion. The affair was held in the Benson Auditorium and a most enjoyable time recorded.

EQUALIZATION BOARD MEETS

The county board of supervisors met in Nogales on Wednesday as a county board of equalization and to examine the various assessments on all properties as turned in by County Assessor Vic Wagner. The assessment rolls have been in the hands of the supervisor for several days and have been open to inspection to all citizens and taxpayers.

MILITARY OFFICIALS VISIT

Lieutenant Colonel S. R. Duncan and Major Keyserman of the 25th U. S. Infantry stationed at Camp Little near Nogales, were noted among the visitors on this section on Wednesday. Both gentlemen are officials in the Black Jack Mining company which is operating on a small scale in this district at the present time, and while they were somewhat prone to discuss that company's affairs, they were greatly impressed with the progress so far made on the property.



NEWS TO DATE IN PARAGRAPHS

CAUGHT FROM THE NETWORK OF WIRES ROUND ABOUT THE WORLD.

DURING THE PAST WEEK

RECORD OF IMPORTANT EVENTS CONDENSED FOR BUSY PEOPLE.

(Western Newspaper Union News Service.)

WESTERN

A tornado near Harmony, Neb., destroyed a large number of farm out-buildings, killed considerable livestock, and resulted in injuries to three persons.

Four bandits, traveling by automobile, robbed the Hunter Town State Bank, north of Fort Wayne, Ind., of about \$3,000 worth of bonds and currency.

A bill imposing a tax of \$5 a year on all bachelors and spinsters in Yukon territory, in addition to the existing poll tax, has been passed by the Legislature.

William Bensley, charged with breaking jail at Rockport, Mo., who was shot by Sheriff Fischer at Nebraska City, Neb., while attempting to evade arrest, died in hospital at that place.

Mrs. Edith Johnston, for twelve years head of the lip language department of the Nebraska school for deaf at Omaha, leaped to her death from the seventh floor of a hotel. She had been in ill health for some time.

The seven members of the Oregon Supreme Court signed a telegram to President Harding petitioning him to appoint William Howard Taft as a member of the United States Supreme Court to succeed the late Chief Justice White.

Recommendation that a 7,000-foot peak in the Tootsich range, Rauter National Park, will be named Lane Peak, in honor of Franklin K. Lane, former secretary of the interior, who died recently, has been forwarded to the National Geographic Board by the Rauter National Park Advisory Board at Seattle.

A. S. Embree, self-acknowledged I. W. W. leader, was sentenced from one to ten years in the state penitentiary after having been found guilty of criminal syndicalism by a jury at Wallace, Idaho. On the witness stand Embree declared he filled the place of William D. Haywood as supreme officer of the I. W. W. for two months in 1918.

John C. Marsh of Memphis, agent of the Secret Service, arrived in Little Rock with B. G. Morgan, who was arrested at Hot Springs in connection with recent threatening letters written to President Harding. Morgan was examined as to his sanity. He said he had traveled extensively recently and that he had "fallen out with Harding."

WASHINGTON

The grain standardization laboratory of the Department of Agriculture was practically ruined by two explosions of chemicals which were of such force as to shake the east wing in which the laboratory is located. No one was injured.

Funds for airplane mail service from New York to San Francisco are almost exhausted, Postmaster General Hays advised Congress, and service must be suspended May 31, lacking a deficiency appropriation of \$125,000. Under a treasury ruling appropriations for railway mail service cannot be used for the air service, Mr. Hays said, and current appropriations of \$1,250,000 for transcontinental air route will not last beyond this month.

A resolution proposing that Oct. 12, the anniversary of Columbus' discovery of America be made a legal holiday, has been introduced by Representative Perlman, Republican, New York.

One large Chicago brewery and two other smaller ones in Illinois have been seized by agents from the internal revenue office, it was announced on formal complaints charging them with making and selling beer containing more than one-half of one per cent of alcohol.

Herbert Prentice Crane, Jr., son of Herbert P. Crane, Chicago millionaire, was sentenced to from one to twenty years in prison for an attack on Louise Sturm, a 13-year-old girl. Judge Thompson overruled a motion for a new trial. Crane's attorney announced that an appeal would be taken.

Raymond Doolittle, 4, is dead and several other children are seriously ill as a result, physicians believe, of eating poisoned candy. The Doolittle boy became ill after eating candy he had bought at a neighborhood store. He was seized with nausea and convulsions that resulted in his death.

Mary Garden, impresario of the Chicago Grand Opera Company, has sailed for Europe. Accompanied by her sister, Mrs. John Walsh, she will join her mother at Monte Carlo. She expects to return next autumn with a number of recruits for her organization.

Porcelain money for Guatemala has been designed at the former royal porcelain works in Saxony. If accepted, this currency will replace the hard rubber coins now in circulation. Paper money cannot be used because of climatic conditions.

A necklace of pearls, diamonds and platinum, valued at \$40,000, was found by E. L. Kelly, a guard on the pier, where the Aquitania docked at New York. Customs officials believe the necklace was lost by a smuggler.

Louis C. Lewis, 79 years old, lawyer, died in a New York hospital. Death was due to shock which he suffered when his left thigh was fractured by a revolving door.

Cleveland Tutt, a negro, was beaten to death by a mob of negroes at Shreveport, La., after he had shot to death a negro and negress at a dance.

FOREIGN

The next session of the League of Nations council has been postponed from June 9 until June 17.

Attempts to establish trade between Italy and Russia have failed, according to the Bolshevik representative who asked for his passports at Rome.

A number of persons are reported to have been killed or wounded during fighting at Buenos Aires in the port zone when union laborers attempted to prevent non-union workers from unloading ships.

Rebels have adopted a new method for attacks on police barracks in Ireland. Traveling by train, they compelled the trainmen to stop the train at Ballaghaderreen, where they opened fire on the barracks. The police replied, wounding one passenger in the train.

According to reports in labor circles, Bunji Suzuki, the president of the Yui-Kai, Japan's labor confederation, will soon resign from his office. Among the various rumors, that which stands out prominently is that Mr. Suzuki is not in harmony with the more radical elements in his organization.

An Italian tenor dropped dead on the stage of the Bellinzona theater in Geneva while singing in the last act of Puccini's "La Boheme" to Mimi, who was lying dying on a bed. The actress, unaware of the tenor's death, continued singing her role until a physician appeared on the stage and ordered the curtain rung down.

American forms of spelling have been barred from official documents in the high court at Melbourne. The federal chief justice has announced that he will not allow their introduction and ordered the spelling of the words "program" and "center" changed to "programme" and "centre." He remarked that English spelling was good enough for him.

While digging for water on his farm a short distance from Calgary, Alberta, William Embree stopped work for a moment to light his pipe, and in stooping down to do so ignited gas coming from the well. The flame shot several feet in the air and was only put out by the use of soda and earth. This strike of natural gas was made at a depth of 130 feet, and is said to be a wet gas, indicating the probability of oil.

Sudden death claimed Theodore Luttoff, the "Cossack Hercules," after performing feats of strength in the National theater at Havana during a wrestling carnival the other day. He had twisted iron bars and supported upon his shoulders a steel rail to which eighteen persons were hanging by their hands, without apparent ill effects, but after the performance he dropped dead while emerging from a shower bath.

GENERAL

After slashing his wife's throat with a razor, R. B. Eaton, 45 years old, a farmer residing near Silem Springs, Ark., shot to death his 13-year-old step-daughter and then ended his own life with the same weapon. The bodies were found on the floor of the living room at Eaton's home.

Rev. Guy Kyle was sentenced to eighteen years' imprisonment and fined \$3,000 in Federal Court at St. Louis when he pleaded guilty of robbing the mails of \$189,000. Loren Williamson, partner in a garage business at Mount Vernon, Ill., was found guilty by a jury previously and given the same sentence.

Flames which shot from a stove and burned Mrs. Alfred L'Ecuyer's arm when she replenished the firebox with coal which had been stored in the basement, resulted in the discovery of oil seeping into the excavation beneath the L'Ecuyer home in the heart of Spokane's residence district. Several gallons of the fluid were baled from the basement in a day, according to Mrs. L'Ecuyer's account, conveyed by neighbors.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Christian of Canton, Mo., are happy again. Their fourth set of twins arrived to great five singles. "We'll welcome the fifth pair of twins," says Mr. Christian, who is a Christian.

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Louis C. Lewis, 79 years old, lawyer, died in a New York hospital. Death was due to shock which he suffered when his left thigh was fractured by a revolving door.

Cleveland Tutt, a negro, was beaten to death by a mob of negroes at Shreveport, La., after he had shot to death a negro and negress at a dance.

WASHINGTON SIDELIGHTS

U. S. Pacific Naval Bases Inadequate



WASHINGTON—Because of the inadequacy of naval bases the United States, according to navy authorities, is totally unprepared to fight a successful war in the western Pacific. The most advanced base we now possess is at Pearl Harbor, in the Hawaiian Islands. Its facilities, however, are scarcely more than rudimentary. With the exception of a dry dock the equipment is insufficient to care for the needs of half the navy in time of peace, let alone the whole navy in time of war.

Until the Hawaiian Islands are made an adequate base the American navy will be unable to operate effectively

in the western Pacific. Lacking such a base, it would be necessary to supply the fighting fleet almost entirely from the Pacific coast bases, the distance to which would be a severe handicap on operations. Even the Pacific coast bases are inadequate to the demands of the whole navy if stationed in the Pacific, even in time of peace. It would be necessary to send ships back to the Atlantic coast for major repair work. The Navy department is urging congress for appropriations to begin the construction of Pacific coast and Hawaiian island bases which it will require several years to complete. The senate is favorable, but the house opposed to such appropriations. The Parks-McKean board, which surveyed the needs of bases in the Pacific, recommended the expenditure of \$27,184,000 in the Hawaiian Islands, \$44,065,750 at Bremerton, Wash., \$42,313,200 at San Francisco, \$27,700,000 at San Diego, \$5,000,000 at San Pedro, \$5,000,000 on the Columbia river, \$3,489,600 at Port Angeles, Wash., and \$2,871,000 at Keyport, Wash., a total of \$157,738,350.

"Horse Sense and Heart Sense" Needed

THE housing situation with high rents is the most serious problem confronting the government, in the opinion of Secretary of Labor Davis. It is in just such a situation as Davis describes that congress and the state legislatures, under the Supreme Court ruling, have the power to enact emergency legislation curbing rent gougers. Davis holds high rents the greatest single barrier to a readjustment such as is essential to permanent prosperity.



"Because of high rents and inadequate housing," he says, "families double up, sometimes two or three to a home. It is not too much to say that the loss in morale and morals due to the housing conditions in many cities today is one of the greatest dangers to our whole social structure." The report of the recent state investigation into housing conditions in Chicago showed that 500,000 people in that city were living in the most unwholesome conditions, sleeping sometimes three and four in a bed, five and six to a room. Reports from other cities hard hit by the housing shortage and high rents show an alarming increase in sickness and disease. In some cities the birth rate of illegitimate children has increased 50 per cent.

Davis has ordered a special investigation of conditions in some of the worst centers. Federal investigators have been sent to several cities. "What we need in dealing with the situation," Davis says, "is not only horse sense, but heart sense. It is not merely a matter of houses and rents, of dollars and cents. Some agreement must be reached by the building trades and the building industries that will make possible a resumption of home building. Today, however, we have the paradoxical situation where it is cheaper to travel than to pay rent. There are 250,000 people, it is estimated, living in automobiles."

Wanted: "Secretary of the Fine Arts"



SECRETARY OF THE FINE ARTS is the latest proposed addition to the cabinet. What's more the League of Artists has been formed to urge the proposition. It is stated that J. Massey Rhio, the New York sculptor, made the proposal to President Harding and that the President asked that "the artists of the country who favor the idea get their arguments in tangible form and submit them to him." The purposes of the movement include the following: To establish an interchange of city exhibitions. To seek the co-operations of the art museums, patrons, art lovers, art dealers, architects, interior decorators and artists. To act for the improvement of the materials of the artists' craft and to establish a closer co-operation between the producer of same and the artist. To improve exhibition conditions and encourage sales.

To seek to have embodied in the Constitution of the United States the words "fine arts," as well as "scientific and useful arts." To arouse our national government to a realization and need of a minister of art with portfolio, and to give definite and concrete support to the artist. To maintain an advisory school committee to work for the betterment of art instruction and art education throughout the United States, and more especially in the city of New York.

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House Favors U. S. Army of 150,000 Men

IT WOULD appear that official Washington has more than one idea as to the proper size of the American army. Anyways, the small-army men in the house, combining with the Democrats, outgeneraled the Republican leaders and succeeded in amending the army bill so as to fix the size of the army at 150,000. This was done despite the request of Secretary Weeks that the army's size should not be reduced below 175,000.



The house adjourned without passing the bill after a prolonged debate during which the Republican leaders pleaded for a good-sized army because of the disturbed world conditions.

South Carolina moved that the army should be fixed at 150,000. This was adopted by a vote of 109 to 82.

The bill provided for an army of 168,000. Representative Kahn, chairman, military affairs committee, offered an amendment for an army of 175,000. Representative Fish presented an amendment to this for an army of 150,000.

The small-army men admitted that the world was in a most chaotic condition, but argued that the addition of a few thousand men to the American army would not settle that chaotic condition.

The Kahn amendment, as amended, was defeated by a vote of 97 to 74, and then Representative Byrnes of

They said, also, that congress should pay more attention to the people and less to the general staff.

Only 10,000 at Summer Training Camps



ONLY 1,200 applicants for free practical military training of civilians can be received this year at the summer military training camps in each corps area, the War department announced, owing to the limited appropriations. Throughout the whole country only 10,000 men can be accommodated at the training camps. According to the plan, the government pays all expense of training. In return the candidate, in consideration of his time, will be taught five of the most essential principles of American citizenship: First—How to serve his country ef-

ficiently in peace as well as in war. Second—How to take care of his body, build up his health, and live a happy, vigorous life. Third—Habits of self-control, resourcefulness, self-reliance. Fourth—Discipline, precision and a sense of order. Fifth—Co-operation and teamwork. "The patriotic young man," the War department says, "eager to serve his country and make the most of himself, naturally will want to take advantage of this opportunity. Candidates must be citizens of the United States, of good reputation, between the ages of 18 and 35 years, and physically able to meet the requirements of normal training. Provision will be made for all necessary uniforms, equipment, arms and ammunition, which will be furnished by the army without cost. There is no expense attached to the training. Railroad fare or mileage en route to the camp and the return of the candidate to his home will be provided by the government.

AMERICA ASKED TO SAVE EUROPE

U. S. URGED TO FIND SOLUTION FOR PROBLEMS CONFRONTING PEOPLE ABROAD.

FRANCE LOOKS TO U. S.

FRENCH DEPUTY SAYS, "THE COMING HOUR IS THE HOUR OF AMERICA."

(Western Newspaper Union News Service.)

Paris, May 26.—An appeal to America to step in and to find a solution to the European situation was voiced by M. Noheminaire in the Chamber of Deputies during discussion of the government's foreign policy.

"The coming hour is the hour of America," he said, "she has not signed the treaty, but she has her word to say. Why should not America impose precise conditions for the execution of certain clauses of the treaty, for instance, reparations and disarmament? We look to America for the return of normal conditions in Europe."

Premier Briand, again replying to criticism, said: "Our program is clear and definite. There is no room for discussion. Our decisions are taken and communicated to Germany; penalties are ready to be enforced."

The Reichstag has approved the Wirth cabinet, which has declared its readiness to fulfill Germany's obligations, and if Germany should attempt to default, France knows what remains to be done.

"But I have no right to say in advance that the German government is composed of men who will try to evade their obligations, and I have no right to make their task harder."

"We have before us a debtor who has declared his readiness to pay. We have the necessary strength to act if he does not. I believe it is to France's honor to act with moderation and await developments."

The council of ambassadors again took hold of the Silesian question and decided to send a note to Poland, setting forth Germany's promise to close the Silesian frontier, and asking Poland to see that her frontier also was tightly shut.

The council also heard the favorable report of experts regarding execution by Germany of her promise to modify the Diesel motors so as to be serviceable for industrial uses only and not available for submarines.

Germany's request to be allowed to retain her anti-tank rifles was refused.

The latest plan for the settlement of the Upper Silesian controversy, supposedly a British suggestion, is to give Poland and Germany, respectively, the communes that voted in their favor at the recent plebiscite, but to hold the entire territory under control of a special commission for thirty years.

Under the plan this commission would be appointed by the League of Nations, and at the end of the thirty-year period the population of the region would again be given the opportunity of expressing their wishes.

Allens Forced to Register

Sacramento, Calif.—Governor Stephens signed a bill which provides that all male alien residents of California over 21 years of age shall be registered and shall pay an annual poll tax of \$10 into the school fund of the county in which they reside. Allens are required to register within three days after entering the state.

Dealers Draw Fines

New York—Justice V. M. Davis of the Supreme Court imposed fines totaling \$25,150 on ten individuals and nine corporations, members of a dealers' association in masons' building materials who pleaded guilty to illegal combination. The fines given the individuals varied from \$300 to \$400 each. The corporations were fined from \$1,000 to \$4,000 each.

U. S. Court Upholds Carfare

Sioux City, Iowa.—Federal Judge Henry T. Reed granted the temporary injunction requested by the service company restraining the city from enforcing the ordinance providing for a 6-cent fare. The injunction grants the 7-cent fare demanded by the service company.

Legion Disapproves Bill

Washington.—A resolution disapproving the proposed in Congress for immediate withdrawal of American forces from Germany was adopted by the national committee on military policy of the American Legion. The committee declared the question should be left to the discretion of the President.

New Women's Order Started

Omaha, Neb.—Organization of a new league of women whose husbands, fathers or brothers are members of the Benevolent Protective Order of Elks was announced here by Mrs. E. E. Stanfield of Omaha, who was named to head the order, which is to be known as the Patriotic Order of Doves. She stated that recognition of the new order by the Elks, however, could not be given because the constitution of that order prohibits auxiliary women's organizations.

Kaiser Unpopular in Doorn

Doorn, Holland.—The former Kaiser has made himself extremely unpopular in Doorn by an attempt to sell as building ground a strip of woods belonging to his estate but outside his fences. The Dutch government on learning his intention to sell the woodland in small allotments to add to his income, prohibited the felling of the trees in that place, while the Doorn municipality bought at auction the woodland in question, preserving it in its natural state.

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Beyond Cure. Steve arrived late at his work every morning, and the warehouse manager took him before the manager hoping by this means to cure him. "This is a serious case," said the manager, with assumed sternness. "What have you to say for yourself, my lad?" "Aw! say nowt about it, sir, if ye don't," replied Steve. "It's! Have you ever been up before me since you started working here?" continued the manager. "Dunno, sir," replied Steve. "What time do you mostly get up?"—Los Angeles Times.

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THREW FLOWERS AND GEMS. London Crowd Benefited by Woman's Enthusiasm Over the Ending of the Great War. During the peace rejoicings one night in London several guests dining at the upper windows of a West End restaurant began to throw roses down to the crowds packed in the street below. A woman in evening dress, took a bracelet from her arm and tossed it to the people, following this with a ring from her finger. Then, after throwing more roses, she took the ornaments from her hair and threw these also into the struggling mass of people below.

An elderly man at an adjoining window threw out several spoons and forks, and then, finding nothing else at hand, threw an apple which was deftly caught and promptly returned, striking the window close by, but, fortunately, without breaking the glass. The women then began to throw out treasury notes, wadding them into small balls and flinging them; one by one to the excited crowd. After getting rid of seven or eight notes, she expressively spread out her hands to indicate that she had nothing more, and was loudly cheered.

Who cares to pause and consider how many calories there are in a dish of strawberries? A man may be born with ability, but he has to hustle for experience.

Worse Than the Female. "Female movie stars are pretty difficult propositions, but the male movie star—gee!" The speaker was Harry Leon Wilson, the novelist and erstwhile scenario writer. He went on: "A pretty Los Angeles girl was lurching with one of these male movie stars the other day. "What a pity it is," she said to him, "that handsome men are always so conceited!" "Not always, little girl," he said, "I'm not!"

Not to Be Deceived. Mr. Newrich (examining curio)—"Two thousand years old? You can't kid me! Why, it's only 1021 now!"—The Passing Show (London).

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1—Scene in the main square of Innsbruck during the plebiscite in which the inhabitants of Austria voted for annexation to Germany. 2—Car in which the armistice was signed installed in courtyard of the Invalides at Paris. 3—Miss Sonia Shearer, queen of beauty in Humane Educational society parade in Washington.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Upper Silesia Row Threatens Break Between France and the Other Allies.

LOYD GEORGE VS. BRIAND

United States Will Take No Hand in the Dispute—Administration Drops Fight on Borah's Naval Reduction Plan—Railway Wage Cut Coming.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD.

Upper Silesia threatens to become a wedge to split the entente alliance. The Poles, slipping up in their insurgent movement, are relying on France and have asked at least the moral support of America.

Premier Lloyd George probably has been talking too much—a fault of his which has been in evidence before. First he told the house of commons that Poland was in the wrong, that it was up to the allied plebiscite forces, which are mighty weak, to restore order in Upper Silesia and put the Poles back where he thinks they belong, and that if they could not do it, fairness demanded that the Germans be permitted to do it.

Premier Briand and the press of Paris responded with bitter attacks on the course being pursued by Great Britain, and it was declared France never would recognize the alleged promise made by the British to Germany, that she should have Upper Silesia in return for acceptance of the reparations ultimatum.

Mr. Lloyd George reinforced his statements by further assertion that he would not accept the French contentions, and he spoke with biting sarcasm of the attitude of the French press. The editors of Paris, indeed, are saying some very unpleasant things about the British prime minister and his government.

As a matter of fact, even granting the technical and moral correctness of the British position, the French have the best of it from a material point of view. Their army numbers more than 800,000 men; that of Poland is the second largest in Europe—not counting the soviet Russians—and the efforts of France since the armistice

to build up a block of friendly nations in central Europe has given her the support of Czechoslovakia, Jugoslavia, and very probably of Hungary and Roumania. At this time it seems certain that France will enforce, by arms if necessary, abstention by Germany from armed intervention in Upper Silesia, and compliance by Germany with the terms of the ultimatum concerning both the payment of reparations and disarmament. France is still standing ready to occupy the Ruhr and will not ask for much excuse to carry out that movement.

The supreme council is expected to convene very soon, especially to take up the Silesian problem, and American Ambassador Harvey will sit with it. But, as was said above, he will take no part in the discussions concerning that question, nor will he even express an opinion on it. This was made clear by Secretary of State Hughes in his reply to an appeal from Poland for American support. Mr. Hughes explained to Prince Lubomirski, Polish minister, that this is in accord with the "traditional policy of the United States" not to become involved in matters of purely European concern. The Polish note accuses the allies, except France, of dealing with justice, but by the material interests of those powers, and it concludes: "This is not a purely European matter. On the just solution of the matter of Upper Silesia depends the pacification of this province and the stimulation of its productivity, which has a great importance in the re-establishment of the economic stability of the whole world."

So the Silesian question has created a most serious situation, and Germany is sitting back hopeful of a real breach in the unity of the allies. But probably wiser councils will prevail, the anger of the chief actors will subside, and some peaceful way out of the middle will be discovered. The allies last week sent to Berlin a note reiterating the demand that Germany be disarmed by June 30, and the German government began looking for means of compliance, especially as regards the organ of Bavaria which has refused to disband. Berlin informed the reparations commission that it was ready to pay 150,000,000 gold marks of the billion due May 31. The sum, partly in gold and partly in American securities, will be paid through an American bank, probably Morgan's. The gold will be deposited in the Reichsbank subject to call and a check sent to New York and from there to Paris. Thus the transfer of 50 tons of gold from Berlin to Paris is obviated. The United States government is not concerned in the transaction.

Early last week it became apparent that the administration had virtually abandoned its fight against Senator Borah's amendment to the pending naval appropriation bill, which requests the President to enter into negotiations with Great Britain and Japan for an agreement to curtail naval building. Maybe Mr. Harding's change of attitude was forced, for test votes in the senate on Wednesday showed the opponents of the naval affairs committee's program were numerous enough to do about as they pleased. The opposition included several insurgent Republican senators and all the Democrats. Senator Poindexter, chairman, already had written to the President informing him of the situation, stating that many of the administration's strongest supporters would be embarrassed if called on to vote against the Borah amendment, which they had advocated in the last hours of the Wilson administration. He did not tell what the President replied, but said: "I have received nothing indicating any need for making a point of order against or opposing the Borah amendment, which is the same as the one adopted in the last congress. I am heartily in favor of an international limitation of armaments upon a basis doing justice to the United States and not imperiling our national safety."

The bill as adopted by the naval committee calls for the outlay of \$500,000,000 for the navy next year. The insurgents and Democrats succeeded in amending it in several particulars, a revival of their pro-war trade; Austria admits bankruptcy and is turning her affairs over to the allies and the smaller Balkan countries are crying for help.

But the Hungarian government has decided to tax a direct tax on capital. The bill is about to be introduced in the Hungarian parliament in the hope that it will bring Hungary quickly to her feet. The measure provides first for a savings bank deposits and securities,

reducing various specific appropriations and killing one completely—that of \$1,150,000 for a drydock at the Charleston navy yard.

It was predicted the insurgents would not go further in the disarmament plan than to force adoption of the Borah amendment, though they might favor one offered by Senator Pomeroy authorizing the President to suspend the present building program pending the outcome of the proposed negotiations.

The administration also let the house know that it had no objection to its proceeding with the peace with Germany resolution, and the house committee on foreign affairs has begun work on the measure. The house leaders do not agree with certain phases of the Knox resolution adopted by the senate, but the differences probably can easily be reconciled.

Continuing its hearings on the Volstead bill to make the prohibition enforcement law more drastic, the house judiciary committee did not find any friends of beer or the medical bootlegger. Manufacturers of flavoring extracts, patent medicines and perfumes, in protesting against added restrictions, were outspoken in opposition to medical beer and the sale of concoctions, masquerading as medicine. Chemists appeared before the committee and protested vigorously against legislation which, they believed, would tend to restrict the legitimate use of alcohol in industry.

Representative Ryan of New York has introduced in the house a bill which would permit the sale of 5 per cent beer and 14 per cent wine in states where a referendum showed the voters wished it. This, of course, won't get anywhere except into a pigeonhole, but there was some real solace for the wets in last week's news. On Friday more than two-thirds of the federal prohibition forces were discharged on orders from Commissioner Kramer, because of lack of funds with which to pay their salaries. This condition will last, it was asserted, for 40 days, and the bootleggers all over the country got busy at once. Mr. Kramer hoped the police would supply the deficiency in enforcing the dry law, but in the cases of many cities his hope was baseless.

After one day's consideration of the railway wage case, the federal railway labor board made a preliminary announcement forecasting a general reduction of wages on every railroad, effective July 1. On June 1 the board will make its decision on wage disputes filed prior to April 18, and this will set the standard for all future decisions affecting the two million employees who were granted a \$900,000,000 annual wage increase one year ago. The reduction may be as much as 12 per cent. An immediate result of the announcement was the re-employment of 3,000 men by the Chicago & Alton, and there were predictions that practically all of the 250,000 railway men now out of work would be employed by the time the wage reductions go into effect.

Few things lately have given the American people more satisfaction than the sentencing of Mrs. Emma Bergdoll of Philadelphia and of her son Charles F. Braum and several others for the part they took in the escape from the draft of her two sons, Grover and Erwin. Mrs. Bergdoll must pay a fine of \$7,000 or go to the federal penitentiary for a year and a day. Braum and J. E. Romig received the same sentence. Others are to pay smaller fines or serve lesser terms in prison.

Two eminent Americans passed away last week—Edward Douglass White, chief justice of the United States Supreme court, and Franklin K. Lane, for seven years secretary of the interior in President Wilson's cabinets. Both of them succumbed after surgical operations. Chief Justice White, a native of Louisiana, was in his seventy-sixth year. He served in the Confederate army during the Civil war and was elected to the senate in 1891. President Cleveland appointed him to the Supreme court bench, and President Taft made him chief justice.

Hungarian banks will thus be forced to turn over to the government a sum estimated at about half a million dollars.

Extravagances in women's clothing will be hit hard and there are clauses designed to drag money from the man who drinks or smokes. In introducing the bill the chancellor of the exchequer will announce that Hungary will issue no more paper money and that the government intends to practice every economy to restore normal financial conditions.

English Tough, Indians Tender

Cannibals Tell English Explorer of Their Preference in Choice of Food

TRAVELS IN EAST AFRICA

Aside From Learning the Dietary Habits of the Natives He Discovers Many New Herbs, Some of Which Cure Malaria.

London.—A remarkable East African journey of exploration has just been completed by the Rev. John Roscoe of Theford, Norfolk, who describes his experiences to a London Daily Mail representative.

He has brought back curious knowledge and curious concrete things beyond even his own dreams. The things include fifty or so varieties of herbs—some of which seemed to effect miraculous cures of malaria and even the worst diseases—many native poisons, vast cases of fetiches, implements and instruments going back to 2000 B. C., and photographs innumerable of strange and grim ceremonies—some cannibalistic—many quite unknown hitherto.

The knowledge of ritual and custom is a yet stranger store. Mr. Roscoe, one of our greatest ethnologists, went out for the Royal society and the expedition was most generously financed by Sir Peter McKie, to whom both science and humanity owe great gratitude.

Tribes Who Live on Milk.

Mr. Roscoe, who is in his sixtieth year, traveled many thousand miles in the interior on foot and—of all machines—by bicycle, using native paths. He found tribes who lived wholly on milk and nothing else whatever, unless a cow died, and after feeding on that a 12-hours' fast was imposed. So vast are their cattle herds that a king regarded 20,000 as a small flock. Another tribe lived wholly on bamboo tips and moles! In another the relatives always ate the dead, even if they died of smallpox; but these folk, which is hardly surprising, were less healthy than the others.

whose women are described as "the fattest things ever seen" while the men are thin, very athletic and often well over six feet in height. One of the cannibals stated in evidence that "Englishmen were very tough, but Indians nice and tender."

The crown of the expedition was six weeks spent with the king of Bunyoro. He has become a Christian and so felt it possible to give Mr. Roscoe all his fetiches, an entirely priceless collection, which throws quite new light on ceremonies going back to 2000 B. C.

He also organized a pageant of some 4,000 years of ceremonial, such a thing as no man ever saw before. Thousands of natives themselves came to see it—a sort of grand finale to ages of accumulated superstition.

Since the king is also high priest and the great repository of tradition, he could give away the inmost mysteries and did; how to bring rain is a miracle that Mr. Roscoe achieved in a forest holy of holies and received native thanks; how to promote all sorts of prosperity—especially plenty of salt—and how to exorcise evil.

By his knowledge of local language and earlier visits Mr. Roscoe who was all alone, penetrated many present beliefs and customs that have balked our rulers and our missionaries. For example, in one tribe girls are betrothed at birth and married at twelve or fourteen. If they are unfaithful before marriage they are killed.

In the next tribe girls may do as they will until after marriage. Many most elaborate laws of marriage, of morality, of divorce and of land tenure have been revealed in the course of the journey.

The discoveries include valuable commercial news, including an unknown graphite mine of high quality.

Mr. Roscoe says he has material for five years' work at six hours a day.

Home Building Is Increasing

Movement all Over the Country Is Rapidly Attaining Large Proportions.

INDICATES HABITS OF THRIFT

Many Evils Both Economic and Social Are Resulting From the Overcrowded Conditions, Particularly in Larger Cities.

Washington.—It is a matter of importance that the scope of home-building operations in this country is attaining large proportions. Statistics show a steady gain in this department of the building industry and indications are at present that, as the spring and summer advance, there will be still greater activities of this nature.

Effects of Home Ownership. Home ownership not only encourages saving, but it has a pronounced stabilizing effect on the character, habits and

mental processes of the owner. To him particularly might be applied the words of Theodore Roosevelt, who said: "The habit of saving money while it stiffens the will also brightens the energies. If you would be sure that you are beginning right, begin to save."

Much has been said and written about the housing shortage in this country and the menace which has thus been fostered. Many evils both economic and social are resulting from the overcrowded conditions, particularly in the larger cities of the country. Many people are compelled to find existence in quarters which represent a step backward in their standard of living. This is contrary to the fundamentals of human nature, for mankind has always insisted upon progressing toward better living standards.

Nation of Contented People. Present conditions therefore are continually encouraging unrest. In the congested districts of the large American cities these conditions are also conducive to the spread of disease. It is said that tuberculosis is making rapid inroads among those who live in these quarters.

The present home-building and home-owning movement, therefore, represents many important phases. The development of thrift practices is not the least of the benefit which is sure to result.

A nation of home owners is a nation of happy hearts and contented minds. People who work and save and live in homes of their own constitute a solid rock upon which the structure of any nation may stand with security.

They are practicing thrift of the most substantial kind. They are presenting to their children a most tangible and beautiful lesson on the sound benefits of thrift practices. Every encouragement should be given to the development of the present home ownership and home-building movement. Its continued progress will mean much toward fostering of a better national life.

Typhus Sweeps Soviet Russia. New York.—More than 8,000,000 cases of typhus have been reported in soviet Russia, with a mortality as high as 50 per cent in some communities, as 50 per cent in some communities, as a report by Dr. Henry Flota of this city, head of a Jewish medical unit operating in Poland, just made public by the American Jewish relief committee.

Golfer Harding Pays His Quarter



President Harding, the other day was eager for a game of golf, but it was too late to motor to any of the suburban clubs around Washington. He was reminded that for 25 cents he could play on the near municipal links, and the idea appealed to him. He is seen here paying his ground fee to the keeper of the public course.

PRETTY GIRL IS THIEF

17-Year-Old Miss Pleads Guilty to Robbery.

Betrayed by Married Man Who Used Her as Bait to Secure Victims to Rob.

New York.—The "most beautiful and innocent looking girl" that the police remember ever having arrested is weeping for her mother in the Tombs. She is Katherine Zoeblein, seventeen. She pleads guilty to the charge against her. The charge is robbery, and it is the second offense.

She was arrested when her whereabouts was disclosed by the married man who used her as a bait to secure victims to rob.

"I did not want to do wrong," she pleads, "but I was hungry and he was hungry, too, and we had no money."

Drops 30 Feet After 100-Foot Rope Slide

Middletown, N. Y.—While working at the top of a 130-foot smockstack of the Public Service corporation here, Theodore Hobush, an employee of the Custodis Chimney company of New York, was seized with cramps. He started descending a rope, but a short distance down the attack made his arms ineffective.

Twisting his legs about the rope he slid with increasing speed toward the ground. He attempted to use his teeth to check his swift descent but became exhausted and fell 30 feet. Hobush was stunned, but no bones were broken. After a brief rest he again ascended the chimney and 40 minutes later was working as though nothing had happened.

Seek Gold Napoleon Sunk

French and Polish Engineers to Try to Recover Treasure in Lake Near Vilna.

Warsaw, Poland.—Treasure seekers are to begin work soon in an effort to recover a wealth of gold and silver reported to have been hidden from the enemy by French soldiers in a lake near Vilna during Napoleon's retreat from Russia in 1812. The task is to be undertaken by French and Polish engineers under the supervision of the two governments.

A plan of the lake, marking the spot where the treasure was dropped into the water by the troops, has been recovered by the authorities. Estimates of the value of the gold and silver range from 45,000,000 to 50,000,000 gold rubles (\$22,500,000 to \$25,000,000).

Many guns and flags and even carriages and other articles belonging to the emperor himself were shipped into

the lake at the time. It is said, to prevent their falling into the hands of the pursuing Russians.

Initial plans to recover the treasure were interrupted by the beginning of the war in 1914.

HAS 5,000 REINDEER FOR U. S.

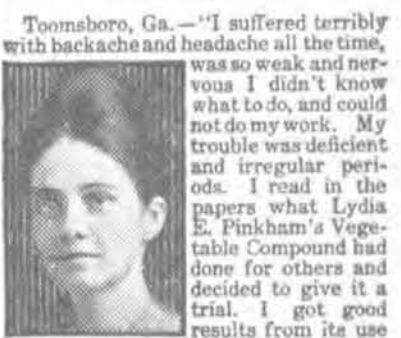
Huge Shipment of Meat Coming From Alaska When the Ice Field Breaks Up.

Nome, Alaska.—About 5,000 dressed reindeer will be shipped to the markets of the United States on the first steamship leaving here after the spring breakup of the ice field that covers Bering sea.

All winter a local firm has been slaughtering and preparing reindeer for outside shipment. The dressed meat is held in cold storage awaiting the first haul from Nome.

SO WEAK SO NERVOUS

How Miserable This Woman Was Until She Took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound



Toombsboro, Ga.—"I suffered terribly with backache and headache all the time, was so weak and nervous I didn't know what to do, and could not do my work. My trouble was deficient and irregular periods. I read in the papers what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had done for others and decided to give it a trial. I got good results from its use so that I am now able to do my work. I recommend your Vegetable Compound to my friends who have troubles similar to mine and you may use these facts as a testimonial."—Mrs. C. F. Phillips, Toombsboro, Ga.

Weak, nervous women make unhappy homes, their condition irritates both husband and children. It has been said that nine-tenths of the nervous prostration, nervous dependency, "the blues," irritability and backache arise from some displacement or derangement of a woman's system. Mrs. Phillips' letter clearly shows that no other remedy is so successful in overcoming this condition as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

French Youth Defective. As a result of the lack of opportunity to take physical exercise half of the youths of France are said to be physically unfit for military service. Out of more than 3,000,000 eligible, only 105,000 measured up to the ordinary physical standards in a recent examination of the class of 1921, which will join the colors soon.

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Gentle Hint. "I say, Nell, I was reading that there are 60 different ways of cooking potatoes." "I've heard so, but boiled—"

Wasted. Small Boy—"What's the use of washing my hands before I go to school, mother? I'm not one of those who are always raising them!"—Cartoons Magazine.

Help That Bad Back!

Why be miserable with a "bad back"? It's time you found out what is wrong! Kidney weakness often causes much suffering from backache, lameness, rheumatic pains, headaches, dizziness and kidney irregularities. Neglected, it may lead to dropsy, gravel or Bright's disease, but if taken in time it is usually easily corrected by using Doan's Kidney Pills. Doan's have helped thousands. Ask your neighbor!

A Colorado Case

Mrs. Anna M. Adams, 404 Ninth St., Alamosa, Colo.—"For a long time my kidneys made me miserable. Nights I was restless because of an ache through the small of my back and sides. When I got up mornings I didn't feel refreshed and it was hours before the languid, dragged-out feeling was away. I had used Doan's Kidney Pills and kept on using them until I was cured."

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ABOUT EIGHT.

What makes you think Hraggy gets \$5,000 a year? Well, he told me he got \$20,000.

Didn't Fare So Well. She started on a farewell tour. The tickets didn't sell. Cold facts are stubborn, to be sure. She didn't fare so well.

Waiting. Jinks—Is that invention of yours practical? Bitks—Can't tell. I haven't put any of the stock in the company on the market yet.

Nursing His Wrath. "What are you going to say on this subject?" "I am not saying what I am going to say," replied Senator Sorghum. "If I got to ransacking it and talking it over, I might lose my nerve and not say some of it."

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EDITORIAL

WARNING TO ARIZONA LABOR

With the return of I. W. W. agitators from the interior of Mexico, Arizona labor must be on guard against a grave danger, from which it can save itself if it will.

These self-appointed leaders seek to exert an influence that is altogether unwarranted by their experience. Their experience makes them foolhardy. They would lead the Arizona laborer into the morass of untried, impractical and unsafe experiments.

Labor should be deaf to these Wobbly soap-box orators and their dangerous theories. Labor should avoid as a pestilence the agitator who comes in the guise of the worker, but who would wreck the very house that labor is building.

We know that every corporation and employer of labor in Arizona is willing to take labor by the hand, rather than by the throat, because the employer knows that he will fare best in the long run.

Consideration by the worker of his own interests and of the interests of his employer should be his economic ideal. Pulling apart won't get us anywhere. Pulling together wins the race, and remember that the doctrine of destruction is the only policy which the I. W. W. agitator seeks to put into execution in the end.

STAY ON THE JOB!

In every community, and the agricultural sections of Santa Cruz county are no exception, there are dozens of farmers who are either getting ready to quit farming entirely or wishing they could.

ASHURST SAW HANDWRITING... Senator Henry F. Ashurst could see the handwriting on the wall and voted for the tariff bill.

MEANEST MAN IN THE WORLD... The pastor of the Riverside, California, church was just \$20 shy in his collections last Sunday when a stranger in the congregation announced that he was shy of cash but would be willing to make it up if they would cash his check.

THIS AMUSES THE EDITOR... Remarks such as the following always have a tendency to fill an editor with love and joy: "You may put this article in your little paper and help fill it up."

HARK! ALL YE DELINQUENTS... And now another evangelist predicts the end of the world at an early date, though he does not give or quote his authority.

WE'LL TAKE A CHANCE... Physicians are again reviving the claim that kissing is germ-swapping, but the writer arises to remark that even so, one good germ deserves another.

and compare them with those quoted in other towns. Nothing could silence the critic more quickly than to read each week a list of prices on commodities offered for sale by the Patagonia merchants.

NOGALES' PROSPECTS GO AGLIMMERING... The prospects for a federal building at Nogales seem to be as far distant as ever, and now that the republicans in Congress have taken a crack at the public buildings appropriations bill, through Leader Mondell, it looks very much like Prescott and Tucson were going to suffer a like fate.

SOME CONSOLATION, EH?... The Santa Cruz county boys who fought in the Great World War and are now out of work can be thankful for one thing; they don't have to wear their arms out saluting a lot of fellows who are not as good as they are.

WAS IN A "DAMP" PLACE... That Northern Arizona mother who talked with her daughter in Havana, Cuba, by telephone reports that her voice sounded as if she were in "a damp place, like a cellar."

NOGALES "BILLS" PUT ON SUCCESSFUL DANCE HERE; MANY VISITORS ATTENDED... The powerful confines of Patagonia were invaded last Saturday night by a large contingent of the Nogales Lodge of Elks, who, accompanied by their wives, sisters, mothers and sweethearts, staged a most successful benefit dance at Gaudin's Opera House.

A VERY PLAIN STATEMENT... The Surgeons' Journal makes the following very valuable observation: "If the cocum is unusually voluminous Wilms advocates ileo-ransversostomy. Others lessen the size of the cocum by plicating its walls or by combining cocopexy and oocapsulation."

Now nothing could be plainer and it behooves everyone to repeat it to themselves every morning lest their cocum gets corroded with cavities.

NEWSPAPER RETAIL MERCHANTS... One of the easiest things in the world to do is criticize. It is the most popular form of amusement with some people, and there seem to be a few addicted with this habit right here in Patagonia.

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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.

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Copper Crisis... (Continued from Page 1) possible to get just how long a time will elapse before the Phelps Dodge properties are justified in commencing production, the fact that practically all large copper producers of this country have completely suspended copper production will hasten the time.

Situation Improved... It may be said that the worst is over and it is a matter of how quickly economic conditions here and abroad return to normal.

Hayden Helps... (Continued from Page 1) the Territory of New Mexico, one in the Territory of Colorado, and two in the Territory of Arizona. One of the areas selected in Arizona, on June 17, 1882, was afterwards found to contain 99,289 acres in townships 21, 22 and 23 north, ranges 13, 14, and 15 east, and included a part of the irrigable lands in the valley of the Santa Cruz River.

COMMERCIAL HOTEL ARRIVALS... W. R. Ellis, Turkey, Ariz.; A. W. Moore, Yuma; Margaret McCallister, Grants, Okla.; George Lang, Mesa; W. S. Lyon, Phoenix; J. H. Hohmann, Tucson; Edna Dawson, City; E. L. Whaley, Douglas; J. P. Rogers, Tucson; K. H. Jacobson, Douglas; A. J. Cronin, City; Martin Fishback, Benson; R. L. Van Donge; Conner Hagner and M. C. Carson, El Paso; J. L. Perchick, Phoenix; Tex Martin, City; G. P. Meadows, Phoenix; O. Elk, Tucson; William Ostrom, Bisbee; S. Hoffmeyer, Tucson; Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Schaffield and family, Rosemont; Ernest D. V. Shannon, Nogales; Helen and Alleen Mahoney, Rosemont; Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Fowler, Nogales.

WYATT SELLS ALL RANCH HOLDINGS AND LIVESTOCK IN THE ELGIN DISTRICT... Reliable reports reaching Patagonia's business circles are to the effect that W. A. Wyatt, one of the best known cattlemen in the Elgin section, has sold all of his ranch holdings in that district, together with all his cattle interests. The report carries with it the rumor that he will shortly leave for Saint Marro, Texas, where he will engage in stock raising.

It is understood that Mr. Wyatt's brother, J. B. Wyatt, with whom he was interested, will remain in Arizona, having recently leased a large ranch in the vicinity of Sonora.

H. B. Fung, one of Patagonia's cattlemen, went to Nogales on Tuesday to buy a shipment of cotton seed cakes for use on his ranch.

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| CALZETINES DE PURA SEDA<br>diferentes colores, antes \$1.50 el par<br>en esta gran barata ..... | <b>79c</b>  |

Ahora es la oportunidad Mas grande que se les presenta. Para ahorrar dinero. Devolveremos el valor si no quedan satisfechos.  
**AHORA O NUNCA**



# A PRINCESS OF MARS

By  
**Edgar Rice Burroughs**  
Author of  
**Tarzan of the Apes**

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## IN THE ARENA.

**Synopsis.**—The author tells of his acquaintance with the hero of one of the most remarkable adventures ever recorded. From a manuscript left by his friend he has vividly set out the strange happenings which brought together a brave Virginia gentleman and a Princess of Mars. In the Arizona hills John Carter, mining prospector and ex-Confederate soldier, fleeing from a war party of Apaches, takes refuge in a cave the atmosphere of which has a remarkable effect on him. Yielding to its influence he sinks into unconsciousness, his last thoughts centered on the glow from the planet Mars. Awakening, Carter realizes that he has, in some incomprehensible manner, been transported to the entire world of Warhoon.

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Laughing and chattering like the idiot I was fast becoming I fell upon his prostrate form, my fingers feeling for his dead throat. Presently they came in contact with a small chain at the end of which dangled a number of keys. The touch of my fingers on these keys brought back my reason with the suddenness of thought. No longer was I a jibbering idiot, but a sane, reasoning man with the means of escape within my very hands.

As I was groping to remove the chain from about my victim's neck I glanced up into the darkness to see six pairs of gleaming eyes fixed, unblinking, upon me. Slowly they approached and slowly I shrank back from the awful horror of them. Back into my corner I crouched holding my hands, palms up, before me, and stealthily on came the awful eyes until they reached the dead body at my feet. Then slowly they retreated but this time with a strange grating sound and finally they disappeared in some black and distant recess of my dungeon.

## CHAPTER XI.—Continued.

"He will die as Bar Comas, your Jeddak, sees fit, if at all," replied the young ruler, with emphasis and dignity.

"If at all?" roared Dak Kova. "By the dead hands at my throat but he shall die, Bar Comas. No maiden weakness on your part shall save him, O, would that Warhoon were ruled by a real Jeddak rather than by a water-headed weakling from whom even old Dak Kova could tear the metal with his bare hands!"

Bar Comas eyed the defiant and insubordinate chieftain for an instant, his expression one of haughty, fearless contempt and hate, and then with-



I Never Before Had Seen Two Green Martian Warriors Battle.

out drawing a weapon and without uttering a word he hurled himself at the throat of his defier.

I never before had seen two green Martian warriors battle with nature's weapons and the exhibition of animal ferocity which ensued was as fearful a thing as the most disordered imagination could picture. They tore at each others' eyes and ears with their hands and with their gleaming tusks repeatedly slashed and gored until both were cut fairly to ribbons from head to foot.

Bar Comas had much the better of the battle as he was stronger, quicker and more intelligent. It soon seemed that the encounter was done saving only the final death thrust, when Bar Comas slipped in breaking away from a clinch. It was the one little opening that Dak Kova needed, and hurling himself at the body of his adversary he buried his single mighty tusk in Bar Comas' groin and with a last powerful effort ripped the young Jeddak wide open the full length of his body, the great tusk finally wedging in the bones of Bar Comas' hip, Victor and vanquished rolled limp and lifeless upon the moss, a huge mass of torn and bloody flesh.

Bar Comas was stone dead, and only the most herculean efforts on the part of Dak Kova's females saved him from the fate he deserved. Three days later he walked without assistance to the body of Bar Comas which, by custom, had not been moved from where it fell, and placing his foot upon the neck of his erstwhile ruler he assumed the title of Jeddak of Warhoon.

The injuries to Dak Kova had delayed the march so greatly that it was decided to give up the expedition, which was a raid upon a small Thark community in retaliation for the destruction of the incubator, until after the great games, and the entire body of warriors, ten thousand in number, turned back toward Warhoon.

We reached the city of Warhoon after some three days' march and I was immediately cast into a dungeon and heavily chained to the floor and walls. Food was brought me at intervals but owing to the utter darkness of the place I do not know whether I lay there days, or weeks, or months. No sound reached me from the world above and no word would my jaller vouchsafe when my food was brought to me, although I at first bombarded him with questions.

Finally all the hatred and maniacal longing for these awful creatures who had placed me in this horrible place was centered by my tottering reason upon this single enemy who represented to me the entire horde of Warhoons.

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## CHAPTER XII.

### Battling in the Arena.

Slowly I regained my composure and finally essayed again to attempt to remove the keys from the dead body of my former jaller. But as I reached out into the darkness to locate it I found to my horror that it was gone. Then the truth flashed on me; the owners of those gleaming eyes had dragged my prize away from me to be devoured in their neighboring lair; as they had been waiting for days, for weeks, for months, through all this awful eternity of my imprisonment to drag my dead carcass to their feast.

For two days no food was brought me, but then a new messenger appeared and my incarceration went on as before, but not again did I allow my reason to be submerged by the horror of my position.

Shortly after this episode another prisoner was brought in and chained near me. By the dim torch light I saw that he was a red Martian and I could scarcely await the departure of his guards to address him. As their retreating footsteps died away in the distance, I called out softly the Martian word of greeting, kaor.

"Who are you who speaks out of the darkness?" he answered.

"John Carter, a friend of the red men of Helium."

"I am of Helium," he said, "but I do not recall your name."

And then I told my story as I have written it here, omitting any reference to my love for Dejah Thoris. He was much excited by the news of Helium's princess and seemed quite positive that she and Sola could easily have reached a point of safety from where they left me.

"Dejah Thoris and Sola entered the hills not five miles from a great waterway and are now, probably quite safe," he assured me.

My fellow prisoner was Kantos Kan, a soldier (lieutenant) in the navy of Helium. He had been a member of the ill-fated expedition which had fallen into the hands of the Tharks at the time of Dejah Thoris' capture. During the period of our incarceration Kantos Kan and I became well acquainted, and formed a warm personal friendship. A few days only elapsed, however, before we were dragged forth from our dungeon for the great games. We were conducted early one morning to an enormous amphitheater, which instead of having been built upon the surface of the ground was excavated below the surface. It had partially filled with debris so that how large it had originally been was difficult to say. In its present condition it held the entire twenty thousand Warhoons of the assembled hordes.

The arena was immense but extremely uneven and unkempt. Around it the Warhoons had piled building stone from some of the ruined edifices of the ancient city to prevent the animals and the captives from escaping into the audience, and at each end had been constructed cages to hold them until their turns came to meet some horrible death upon the arena.

Kantos Kan and I were confined together in one of the cages. In the others were wild cats, tigers, and other hordes, and many strange and

ferocious wild beasts of Barsoom, which I had never before seen.

Shortly after we had been caged the amphitheater began to fill and within an hour every available part of the seating space was occupied. Dak Kova, with his jeds and chieftains, sat at the center of one side of the arena upon a large raised platform.

At a signal from Dak Kova the doors of two cages were thrown open and a dozen green Martian females were driven to the center of the arena. Each was given a dagger and then, at the far end, a pack of twelve cats, or wild dogs, were loosed upon them.

As these brutes, growling and foaming, rushed upon the almost defense-



less women I turned my head that I might not see the horrid sight. The yells and laughter of the green horde bore witness to the excellent quality of the sport and when I turned back to the arena, as Kantos Kan told me it was over, I saw three victorious cats, snarling and growling over the bodies of their prey. The women had given a good account of themselves.

Next a mad zildlar was loosed among the remaining dogs, and so it went throughout the long, hot, horrible day.

During the day I was pitted against first men and then beasts, but as I was armed with a longsword and always outclassed my adversary in agility and generally in strength as well, it proved but child's play to me. Time and time again I won the applause of the innumerable multitude, and toward the end there were cries that I be taken from the arena and be made a member of the hordes of Warhoon.

Finally there were but three of us left, a great green warrior of some far northern horde, Kantos Kan, and myself. The other two were to battle and then I to fight the conqueror for the liberty which was accorded the final winner.

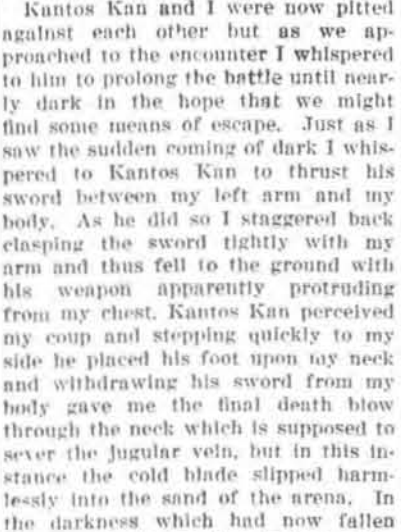
Kantos Kan had fought several times during the day and like myself had always proven victorious, but occasionally by the smallest of margins, especially when pitted against the green warriors. I had little hope that he could best his giant adversary who had mowed down all before him during the day. The fellow towered nearly sixteen feet in height, while Kantos Kan was some inches under six feet.

As they advanced to meet one another I saw for the first time a trick of Martian swordsmanship which centered Kantos Kan's every hope of victory and life on one cast of the dice, for as he came to within about twenty feet of the huge fellow he threw his sword arm far behind him over his shoulder and with a mighty sweep hurled his weapon point foremost at the green warrior. It flew true as an arrow and piercing the poor devil's heart laid him dead upon the arena.

Kantos Kan and I were now pitted against each other and as we approached to the encounter I whispered to him to prolong the battle until nearly dark in the hope that we might find some means of escape. Just as I saw the sudden coming of dark I whispered to Kantos Kan to thrust his sword between my left arm and my body. As he did so I staggered back clasping the sword tightly with my arm and thus fell to the ground with his weapon apparently protruding from my chest. Kantos Kan perceived my coup and stepping quickly to my side he placed his foot upon my neck and withdrawing his sword from my body gave me the final death blow through the neck which is supposed to sever the jugular vein, but in this instance the cold blade slipped harmlessly into the sand of the arena. In the darkness which had now fallen none could tell but that he had really finished me. I whispered to him to go and claim his freedom and then took for me in the hills east of the city, and so he left me.

When the amphitheater had cleared I crept stealthily to the top and as the great excavation lay far from the plaza and in an unattended portion of the great dead city I had little trouble in reaching the hills beyond.

For two days I waited there for Kantos Kan, but as he did not come I started off on foot in a northerly direction toward a point where he had told me lay the nearest waterway. My only food consisted of vegetable milk



The Old Man Sat and Talked With Me for Hours.

from the plants which gave so bounteously of this priceless fluid.

Through two long weeks I wandered, stumbling through the nights guided only by the stars and hiding during the days behind some protruding rock or among the occasional hills I traversed. Several times I was attacked by wild beasts; strange, uncouth monstrosities that leaped upon me in the dark, so that I had ever to grasp my longsword in my hand that I might be ready for them. Usually my strange, newly acquired telepathic power warned me in ample time, but once I was down with vicious fangs at my jugular and a hairy face pressed close to mine before I knew that I was even threatened.

Without sound we lay there, the beast exerting every effort to reach me with those awful fangs, and I straining to maintain my grip and choke the life from it as I kept it from my throat. Then a living mass of destruction sprang from the surrounding darkness full upon the creature that held me pinned to the ground. The two rolled growling upon the moss, tearing and rending one another in a frightful manner, but it was soon over and my preserver stood with lowered head above the throat of the dead thing which would have killed me.

The nearer moon, hurtling suddenly above the horizon and lighting up the Barsoomian scene, showed me that my preserver was Woola, but from whence he had come, or how found me, I was at a loss to know. That I was glad of his companionship it is needless to say, but my pleasure at seeing him was tempered by anxiety as to the reason of his leaving Dejah Thoris.

By the light of the now brilliant moon I saw that he was but a shadow of his former self, and as he turned from my crouch and commenced greedily to devour the dead carcass at my feet I realized that the poor fellow was more than half starved. When Woola had finished his meal I again took up my weary and seemingly endless wandering in quest of the elusive waterway.

At daybreak of the fifteenth day I was overjoyed to see the high trees that denoted the object of my search. About noon I dragged myself wearily to the portals of a huge building which covered perhaps four square miles and towered two hundred feet in the air. It showed no aperture in the mighty walls other than the tiny door at which I sank exhausted, nor was there any sign of life about it.

I could find no bell or other method of making my presence known to the inmates of the place, unless a small round hole in the wall near the door was for that purpose. It was of about the bigness of a lead pencil and thinking that it might be in the nature of a speaking tube I put my mouth to it and was about to call into it when a voice issued from it asking me whom I might be, where from, and the nature of my errand.

"I am a friend of the red men of Barsoom and I am starving. In the name of humanity open to us," I replied.

Presently the door commenced to recede before me until it had sunk into the wall fifty feet, then it stopped and slid easily to the left, exposing a short, narrow corridor of concrete, at the further end of which was another door, similar in every respect to the

one I had just passed. No one was in sight, yet immediately we passed the first door it slid gently into place behind us and receded rapidly to its original position in the front wall of the building.

A second and a third door receded before me until I reached a large inner chamber where I found food and drink set out upon a great stone table. A voice directed me to satisfy my hunger and to feed my cat, and while I was thus engaged my invisible

host put me through a severe and scorching cross-examination.

"Your statements are most remarkable," said the voice, on concluding its questioning, "but you are evidently speaking the truth, and it is equally evident that you are not of Barsoom. I can tell that by the conformation of your brain and the strange location of your internal organs and the shape and size of your heart."

"Can you see through me?" I exclaimed.

"Yes, I can see all but your thoughts, and were you a Barsoonian I could read those."

Then a door opened at the far side of the chamber and a strange, dried up, little mummy of a man came toward me. He wore but a single article of clothing or adornment, a small collar of gold from which depended upon his chest a great ornament as large as a dinner plate set solid with huge diamonds, except for the exact center, which was occupied by a strange stone, an inch in diameter, that scintillated in different and distinct rays; the seven colors of our earthly prism and two beautiful rays which, to me, were new and nameless. I cannot describe them any more than you could describe red to a blind man. I only know that they were beautiful in the extreme.

The old man sat and talked with me for hours, and the strangest part of our intercourse was that I could read his every thought while he could not fathom an iota from my mind unless I spoke.

The building in which I found myself contained the machinery which produces that artificial atmosphere which sustains life on Mars. The secret of the entire process hinges on the use of the ninth ray, one of the beautiful scintillations which I had noted emanating from the great stone in my host's diadem.

This ray is separated from the other rays of the sun by means of finely adjusted instruments placed upon the roof of the huge building, three-quarters of which is used for reservoirs in which the ninth ray is stored. This product is then treated electrically, or rather certain proportions of refined electric vibrations are incorporated with it, and the result is then pumped to the five principal air centers of the planet where, as it is released, contact with the ether of space transforms it into atmosphere.

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## John starts for Helium.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

## HE HAD BUSINESS ELSEWHERE

Diner Didn't Care to Wait to See the Result of His Carelessness With the Pie.

Dr. Fabyan Franklin has a friend who vouches for this story. Coming downtown on the elevated one morning, he was struck by the explosive temper of a red-faced, choleric man on a seat nearby. This man, annoyed because a youth facing him had placed his feet on the seat which the man occupied, burst out in a storm of passion, denouncing the youth in tones that aroused the attention of passengers in the adjoining cars. He finally stamped out on the platform at a spot, boiling with rage.

That noon Doctor Franklin's friend went into a self-service restaurant for lunch. Getting a plate of vegetables and meat, and one of pumpkin pie, he placed them on the broad extension arm of one of the chairs provided for lunchers, and made room beside them for his cup of coffee. As he was finishing his lunch he reached for the pumpkin pie, and clumsily knocked it off the chair arm.

To his horror he saw it disappear into the gaping pocket of a large overcoat carelessly flung over the next chair—and then he perceived the owner of the overcoat bearing down upon him, all unconscious of the accident, with a plateful of food. It was the same red-faced, choleric man whose frightful temper had amazed the elevated passengers!

As soon as the culprit had perceived that he waited to see no more, —New York Evening Post.

## Credited With the Word Bohemia.

The novelist to whom nature owes the word bohemia—not in the geographical sense, but a moral condition—was perhaps Henri Murger, if the word can be ascribed to any one writer.

Henri Murger, novelist and poet, was born March 24, 1822, in Paris. He made attractive to his readers the irresponsible life of artists and students in Paris, and left some classic tales and songs of dissolute thriftlessness and literary impetuosity. Murger was trained for the profession of law, became for a time secretary of Count Leo Tolstoy, but, like that enflamed bohemian, Villen, he chose dissipation rather than decency. He died in a charity hospital in Paris in 1881. A monument has been erected to his memory, but not without protest. Several of Murger's songs have been translated by Andrew Lang in "Ballads and Lyrics of Old France," published in 1872.

## The Sole Exception.

Mrs. Jumble—Oh, dear! Strikes me to be universal, don't they? Her Husband—Yep! Everything's striking except the cock your brother gave us for a wedding present, and that never did work any to speak of.

Feathers are believed to have evolved from the reptilian scale.

## MARKE'S

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**Fruits and Vegetables.**  
Northern sacked round white potatoes up 2c per 100 lbs. at shipping points, closing \$3.90; No. 1, 4c. Chicago white market steady at \$1.15. South 20 lbs. No. 1, Irish, Cobblers unchanged. New York, selling to jobbers at \$7.50; 7.75 per cwt. top soil, 10c. Boston, 10c. Chicago, 10c. St. Louis, 10c. Kansas City, 10c. St. Paul, 10c. Texas yellow potatoes onions nearby steady in consuming markets at \$1.00-1.50 per standard crate, commercial pack.

**Dairy Products.**  
Under influence of increasing production and quality hardly such as to warrant heavy storage, better stocks have accumulated and price is expected to decline at all markets the past week.

**Grain.**  
Wheat market uncertain and fluctuating nervously the first half of week, but mainly steady, substantial gains in past few days with May wheat leading the advance. Bad crop reports and cool export demand were principal bullish factors. Corn developed independent weakness throughout. Country offerings were much more liberal and materially expected to increase materially in near future. On 20th wheat advanced to new high level on present offers. May wheat selling 3c over July. Good demand for cash hard wheat. Reported on good authority that Belgium government control of wheat imports will cease July 1. In Chicago cash market No. 2 red winter wheat, \$1.82; No. 2 hard, \$1.87; No. 3, \$1.80; No. 4, \$1.75; No. 5, \$1.70; No. 6, \$1.65; No. 7, \$1.60; No. 8, \$1.55; No. 9, \$1.50; No. 10, \$1.45; No. 11, \$1.40; No. 12, \$1.35; No. 13, \$1.30; No. 14, \$1.25; No. 15, \$1.20; No. 16, \$1.15; No. 17, \$1.10; No. 18, \$1.05; No. 19, \$1.00; No. 20, \$0.95.

**Live Stock and Meat.**  
Chicago hog prices changed only slightly the past week, declines ranging 1c to 1 1/2c per 100 lbs. Beef and butcher cattle and feeder steers practically steady. Veal calves, 10c; 50c. Fat lambs and fat ewes steady to 2c lower. May 20 Chicago prices: Beef, \$1.82; No. 1, \$1.87; No. 2, \$1.80; No. 3, \$1.75; No. 4, \$1.70; No. 5, \$1.65; No. 6, \$1.60; No. 7, \$1.55; No. 8, \$1.50; No. 9, \$1.45; No. 10, \$1.40; No. 11, \$1.35; No. 12, \$1.30; No. 13, \$1.25; No. 14, \$1.20; No. 15, \$1.15; No. 16, \$1.10; No. 17, \$1.05; No. 18, \$1.00; No. 19, \$0.95; No. 20, \$0.90.

**Stocks and Feeder Markets.**  
During the week ending May 13, 1914, the following prices were reported: Cattle and calves, 13.72; hogs, 4.91; sheep, 7.60. Beef ranged 75c to \$1.25; hogs, 10c to 1.00; sheep, 10c to 1.00. In eastern wholesale markets, veal steady to 1c lower; mutton steady to 1c lower; lamb 1c to 1 1/2c lower. Pork generally steady. May 20 prices: Cattle, \$1.82; No. 1, \$1.87; No. 2, \$1.80; No. 3, \$1.75; No. 4, \$1.70; No. 5, \$1.65; No. 6, \$1.60; No. 7, \$1.55; No. 8, \$1.50; No. 9, \$1.45; No. 10, \$1.40; No. 11, \$1.35; No. 12, \$1.30; No. 13, \$1.25; No. 14, \$1.20; No. 15, \$1.15; No. 16, \$1.10; No. 17, \$1.05; No. 18, \$1.00; No. 19, \$0.95; No. 20, \$0.90.

**Hay.**  
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**Feed.**  
Cottonseed meal, \$2.50; linseed meal, \$2.50; corn meal, \$2.50; wheat meal, \$2.50; gluten feed, \$2.50; phosphate, \$2.50; alfalfa meal, \$2.50; Kansas City, \$2.50.

**Cotton.**  
Spot cotton prices down 10 points during the week, closing at 11.50 per lb. New York futures up 1 point, at 12.41c.

## DENVER LIVE STOCK.

**Cattle.**

Bulk of the offering consisted of beef steers. The high price reached on a few scattered animals which sold for \$8.30. With the exception of these sales, the top price was reached at \$7.95, freight paid. Two loads of desirable 400-pound stock crossing the scales at this level.

Good steers found an outlet largely from \$7.50 to \$7.75, with fair to medium types from \$5.50 to \$6.25. More common stock sold down to \$5.50.

Only a limited amount of trading was done in cows and heifers. The top price on this class of stock was reached at \$7.25, which was paid for one load of good mixed cows and heifers. Top on heavy cows was reached at \$7.00. Good grades of cows were quoted from \$6.25 to \$6.75, with fair to medium types from \$5.50 to \$6.25. More common kinds were quotable at \$5 and down. Traders were generally of the opinion that the offerings for steers would bring from \$7.50 to \$7.75.

One load of desirable yearlings, consisting of both steers and heifers, was sold at \$8.25 during the early part of the day.

**Hogs.**  
Top hogs sold for \$8.85, one load of choice light stock selling to small killers at this level. The next highest price was reached at \$8.40, which was top of the bulk. The lower range of bulk sales was \$7.75. Extreme heavy and cut-out hogs were quoted from \$6 to \$6.25.

There also took a slight drop. Quotations on the better grades of stock ranged up to \$8.25. Good grades were quoted around \$8, with more common stock down to \$7.75.

**Sheep.**  
Trading was quiet on the sheep market. Buyers took several loads of fair to good quality woolled and shorn lambs at



McCormick Would Shake Up Departments

ABOLITION of the Department of the Interior, creation of two new departments...



Creation of an office in the state department to have jurisdiction over insular affairs...

The McCormick measure also would abolish the board of mediation and conciliation...

The measure transfers to the department of commerce the weather bureau, patent office, coast guard, lake survey office, hydrographic office, naval observatory and inland and coastwise waterways service.

She Admitted It.

Tennyson and Browning should have been present the other afternoon...

A woman in one of the government departments has been writing verse for about a year...

In showing her work, some one expressed surprise that she was writing verse.

"I didn't know you wrote poetry," he said.

The woman smiled sweetly: "Oh, I write perfect poetry," she said.—Washington Star.

"Run Down" People Easy Prey To Serious Disease

When you get "run down" it merely means your system is disordered—working poorly...



USED 50 YEARS S.S.S. AS A TONIC AT ALL DRUGGISTS

What to Take for SICK HEADACHE

Take a good dose of Carter's Little Liver Pills—then take 2 or 3 for a few nights after...

WHY WHITEY STAYED HOME

Stuff He Put Away at Coney Was Too Much Even for Stomach of Healthy Boy.

"I couldn't come to work yesterday," said Whitey, the than whom of office boys...

"Heaven's sakes, what did you eat?" asked the office manager.

"Well," said Whitey, "first we had peanuts, and then we had three hot dogs apiece and a couple ice cream cones. Then we had some popcorn and salt water kisses and red lemonade, and then we pushed names on a pushboard for boxes of candy...

"See that man going into the office building?" the chauffeur inquired as he casually prepared to move his car from the curb.

"You mean in order to make his living?" the doorman, in response, asked idly.

"No," the chauffeur replied as he gently let in the clutch, "to make mine."

Wisconsin leads the United States in dairy products.

Advertisement for Grape-Nuts cereal, featuring the text 'Ready to Eat and Every Bit Eatable Grape-Nuts' and 'There's a Reason For sale by all grocers'.

Young Vanderbilt Buys a Canadian Island



While in his capacity as reporter, accompanying the prince of Wales' party on its trip through Canada last year, Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., saw this beautiful island in the middle of Sprout lake, Vancouver Island, B. C. So he did what lots of men would like to do—bought the whole island.

Victimized in Buying Jewels

Americans Often Tricked in the Purchase of Gems From Swindlers Abroad.

COULD DO BETTER AT HOME

Poorest Possible Gems and Filmmast Kind of Jewelry Offered to Gullible Tourists at Ridiculously High Prices.

New York.—Large sums of money were lost annually before the war by credulous American tourists victimized by irresponsible foreign dealers...

Princess Is Kept Busy

Life of Juliana of Holland Not Like Fairy Tales.

Because Some Day She Will Be Queen She Must Study More Subjects Than Other Girls.

The Hague.—Twelve-year-old schoolgirls in America, who sometimes think teachers are mean, or that their mothers make them work too hard, and who long for the life of a princess, would find they had only to study the more and work the harder if they led the life of Princess Juliana of Holland...

YANKS ARE BEST PAID

Second Lieutenant on Rhine Gets as Much as Foch.

American Army of 15,000 Costs Germany More Than 80,000 French Troops in Mayence Zone.

Coblentz.—The pay of a second lieutenant in the American army on the Rhine is equivalent at present rates of exchange to that of Marshal Foch.

This may explain in part why the American army of 15,000 men costs Germany more than 80,000 French troops in the Mayence zone.

Marshal Foch's salary is \$3,000 a month. A second lieutenant in the American forces in Germany receives \$2,120 a year, which extra allotments bring up to about \$2,300.

U. S. Rhine Influence Great

Has as Much to Say as Countries Officially on the Rhineland Commission.

Coblentz, Germany.—The United States representation on the all-S. Rhineland commission, while described as unofficial, wields as much influence in a consultative capacity upon the decisions taken by the commission as that of the three allied countries, officially represented, according to Mr. Roly-Jacquemys, Belgian high commissioner on the Rhine.

General Allen, acting in his dual capacity of commander of the American forces in Germany and representative of the Department of State, attends every sitting of the commission or, when unable to be present, is represented by Colonel Stone of Mississippi.

No decisions are taken without having been first submitted to the American representatives and in many cases

SHE DIDN'T DARE TO LEAVE HOUSE

On Verge of Nervous Collapse, Indiana Woman Was Almost Helpless.

HER FRIENDS DISHEARTENED

Troubles Disappear When She Takes Tanlac, and Nerves Now Are as Steady as Can Be—General Health Splendid.

"I was on the verge of a collapse and was actually afraid to leave the house, but I am overjoyed now at the way Tanlac has restored my health so perfectly," declared Mrs. Corn M. Jackson, 504 Mulberry St., Terre Haute, Ind.

"I was almost a nervous wreck, and at times for anyone to even talk to me upset me completely. Even at night I could not get easy and quiet and would lie wide-awake, hardly able to sleep at all, and often just got up out of bed, I was so restless. Nervous headaches often came on me and frequently lasted for days at a time. Then I had rheumatism so bad in my joints I was almost helpless. My legs and elbows hurt fearfully and sometimes I just ached all over. There seemed to be no relief for me, my friends were all worried and I was almost disheartened.

But, happily for me, one of my friends suggested that I try Tanlac. I never will forget how I began to improve and now I think it is wonderful that I am feeling so well and strong. My nerves are just as steady as can be and I haven't a rheumatic pain about me. I am in just splendid health and wish everybody knew what a grand medicine Tanlac is."

Tanlac is sold by leading druggists everywhere.—Advertisement.

Paint Clothes Wire.

Give the new wire clothesline two coats of white enamel. It will make it wear longer and keep it from getting rusty.

Thousands Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It

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A. W. Moore, federal government distributor of poisoned grain used in the destruction of squirrels and other rodents, was a visitor in Patagonia for a short time last Saturday morning, and reported to the editor of the Patagonian that the farmers and stockmen throughout Arizona were meeting with great success by using this new and inexpensive method.

Mr. Moore stated that to all ranchers and cowmen, who were willing to use this poison systematically, the government would furnish ample supplies free of charge, and that those who have already taken advantage of the offer have succeeded in ridding their farms and ranches of various species of destructive pests.

The dry weather, which is now prevailing, according to Mr. Moore, is an excellent time to put out the poisoned grain, because of the fact that there is no green vegetation upon which the squirrels and other rodents can feed, trained entirely free of all cists at the

Supplies of this grain may be obtained at the following places: Patagonia, Evans Mercantile Co.; Parker Canyon, McIntyre Store; Mowry, General Store; San Rafael, at Postoffice; and San Rafael Ranch; Sonoita, at Postoffice; Chulita, at Ranger Station; and Elgin at Postoffice.

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**Brevities**  
Martin Fishback, the well known geologist, was numbered among the visitors in Patagonia on Friday of last week on a professional visit from his home in Tucson.

A. L. Kinsey and son were in Patagonia on Tuesday from the Kinsey ranch in the San Rafael valley. Mr. Kinsey was on a purchasing tour for ranch supplies.

H. K. Welsh, left Patagonia on Monday for Nogales, from whence he left for the south having business of a mining nature in Sonora.

A. W. Jenkins of Sonoita passed through here on Tuesday on his way to Nogales. Mr. Jenkins is connected with the state highway department.

William Catron of Hereford and well known in the Patagonia district, spent Tuesday and Wednesday in town. Mr. Catron is an old timer in this section and has many friends here.

E. P. Rohlfing, general manager of all the Richardson mining properties in the Patagonia district, was noted among the visitors in town for several days during the past week.

Cashier D. B. Pierce of the First State Bank motored to Nogales on Wednesday evening, where he was summoned on business matters. He returned home the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Scholfield and family returned to their home in Rosamond, Pima county, on Tuesday, after spending several days in Patagonia. Mrs. Scholfield is connected with the C. S. Forest Service.

Messrs. J. H. Hohmann, J. P. Rogers, C. Elk and S. Hillings of Tucson were business visitors in Patagonia during the past week.

The Misses Helen and Aileen Mahoney spent several days in town this week from their home at Rosamond, Pima county, visiting with friends in this section.

Miss Frances D. V. Shannon spent Tuesday evening here with friends, returning to her home in Nogales on Wednesday morning.

Mrs. D. B. Pierce, wife of Banker Pierce, left for Mansfield Wednesday for a visit of several days as the guest of Mrs. P. M. Etchell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Fowler motored up from Nogales on Tuesday evening and spent several hours here with friends.

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

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